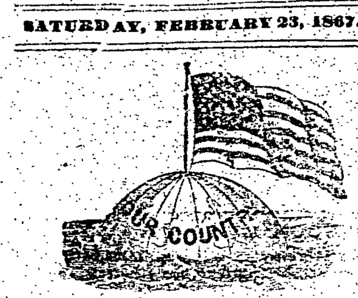
Miners' Journal.

POTTSVILLE, PA.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1867.



Be just and fear not;
Let all the ends thou aim'st at be thy country's,
Thy God's and truth's.

THE ALMS-HOUSE STATEMENT.

The Annual Statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Alms-House will be found in this week's Journal. Why it was not sent to us last week we do not know.

It will be observed that the expenditures last year are very heavy again, amounting in the aggregate to the following sum:

Received from County Commissioners,	$75,596 08
Orders issued unpaid	282 21
Receipts from part of farm sold	2,161 54
Total	$78,039 83

Average number of paupers during the year, 421.

We do not understand the policy of selling a portion of the farm, even if it could be sold to advantage. The money received from these sales it appears, is not invested in the purchase of other land, but is absorbed in the annual expenditures of the County. The law conferring this power was passed secretly, and part of the property was sold secretly. It is high time this business was checked, otherwise the whole farm will be disposed of and all the money squandered.

The general expenditures our readers can judge of as well as we can.

The salaries of two of the Directors we think are entirely too high. The Board meets at the Alms House once a month—incurs no expense except going and returning. If they spent 48 days, which is 4 days a month, at $5 a day, it would amount to only $240 each, which is a little less than Mr. Orwig's charges.

The salaries paid in the Alms-House last year, without any charge for labor on the farm, amounted to $5,339 90, or about one-fourth of the whole cost of the Alms-House in 1862, when the paupers averaged 315. The Seltzer family appears to be well provided for, as the following will show:

Michael Seltzer, steward, received	$800 00
Mary Seltzer, matron	200 00
Charles Seltzer, farmer	527 50
Elizabeth Seltzer	156 00
Amanda Seltzer	156 00
Michael Seltzer, traveling expenses	57 55
Total salaries	$1,897 05

The boarding and lodging are furnished by the County. Of course, it is better that they should be employed instead of others if such employment is necessary, because it would only add to the number living off the tax-payers of the County.

We will give a comparison with the expenses of the Alms-House in 1862, the last year the People's Party controlled it:

1862.

Expenses of Alms-House in 1862	$20,445 73
Average number of paupers	315
Average expense of each annually	$65 00
Dr. A. Schultze, Director, pay and expenses	227 91
Wm. Lerch, do	199 86

1866.

Expenses of Alms-House	$78,039 83
Average number of paupers	421
Average expense of each	$185 00
(Nearly treble the expense of 1862, amounting to over $3 55 a week.)	
A. Bressler, Director, pay and expenses	$584 75
R. C. Wilson, do do	515 00
Isaac Orwig, Jr., do do	254 85

The expenses of each pauper has been trebled in 1866, and we positively assert that there was no necessity of even doubling the expenses of each pauper. We firmly believe that an examination of all the Alms-House statements where no frauds were perpetrated, will sustain this assertion. We have for a number of years kept an account of our expenditures, and we know that our expenses of living have not been over 60 per cent over those of 1862.

We have only two statements before us to compare with the above, and they are Lancaster and Montgomery Counties for 1866:

Expenses in Lancaster County in 1866	$24,888
Average number of paupers	232
Expenses of each pauper	$107

In Schuylkill County, **$185!**

We have no data to show what the expenses per pauper were in Lancaster County in 1862, but we will guarantee that they are not not more than double what they were then, while in Schuylkill County they are trebled. In addition the Poor House farm is being gradually sold, thus diminishing it and eating it up, while the number of paupers are increasing.

In Lancaster County there are six Directors of the Poor, and the amount paid to the whole six for services and all expenses was only $425 08. In Schuylkill County there was paid to two Directors $1,099 75!! and we also observe a charge of $61 33 for a trip to Philadelphia.

Lancaster County is Republican. Montgomery County is governed by the Copperheads, and we will compare it with Schuylkill County:—In Montgomery County the three Directors each received $250; expenses of Alms-House, $24,006; average number of paupers, 196; expenses of each pauper, $112, against $185 in Schuylkill County. Now, we contend that a larger number of paupers can be kept at a less expense per pauper then when the number is smaller, because the salaries are less PRO RATA.

The truth is, that while the people are outraged by the midnight and open day robberies by unknown persons, that prevail in this County, they seem to lose sight entirely of the thousands and thousands of dollars they are daily plundered of by grossly incompetent or dishonest officials.

Men toil to support themselves and families, and try to lay up a little for a rainy day. Poor men and widows with families, some of whom have managed to procure a small house and lot to live on, have their taxes doubled, and those who have to rent houses have their rents largely increased in consequence of these robberies.

There appears to be a Ring formed among those who administer the affairs of the County, (with the single exception of Mr. Orwig, one of the Directors of the Poor, as far as we have observed,) each one charging what he pleases, and of course, no officer finding fault with the other for fear of having his pickings also interfered with. The members elected to the Legislature use their influence also to rob the people by increasing these perquisites largely, and refusing to remedy any of the evils. If these things go on much longer we will have no law, and the whole County will be plundered, and the hard-toiling people robbed of all their earnings by these office-holding blood-suckers.—How long can the tax-payers stand it? Are they mere cravens, to permit themselves to be thus robbed with impunity? Are party ties so strong that if a so called Democrat is robbed by another so-called Democrat, he is bound to support him on that account, notwithstanding the robbery? And such Democracy! There is not as much Democracy to be found in the present Copperhead party of Schuylkill County as would cover the point of a cambric needle. All the old Democrats who really supported the principles of the old Democratic party, have left them, and the present leaders and office-holders, with but few exceptions, are nothing but a political banditti preying upon the substance of the people.

But the meanest part of all this business is yet to be told. While many of these public officers charge every cent that the law allows them, and a great deal more, too, they ask the printers to publish the annual statements, which the law requires them to make, for about one-third to one-half the rates they charge their regular customers, IN ORDER, AS THEY SAY, TO SAVE EXPENSE TO THE TAX-PAYERS! Recollect, they require full taxes to be paid by the printers and make no deductions whatever to them; and we think we are safe in saying that we pay more taxes than the three Directors of the Poor combined. They first rob us by squandering the taxes we are compelled to pay, and then turn around and offer us about one-third price for working for the County. Can you find a meaner person than that under Heaven? If you can, we would like to see him.

The Treasurer of the County is allowed by law 50 cents per tract to publish the sales of unseated lands. For this sum he could get it published in three or four leading papers in the County; but he goes around among those printers who want a few crumbs, and bargains for having it published for 6 to 8 cents a tract, in say two papers, costing him 12 or 16 cents for the advertising, and the balance, which the law intended should be expended in giving those interested proper notice, he pockets as perquisites. Such is the way business is done in Schuylkill County. We might secure the business of these officials and make money if we were to connive at these practices, but so long as we hold the position of a public journalist we intend to perform our duty to the public, and expose such officials without fear, favor or affection, whatever the consequences may be to ourselves, and we firmly believe the public will sustain us in doing so in the future, as they have done in the past.

THE SUNDAY PASSENGER CAR QUESTION.

The bill which is before the Legislature authorizing the people of Philadelphia to vote upon the question of permitting passenger railway cars to run in that City on Sunday, has been laid over until next week, at which time it is anticipated that definite action will be taken upon it. Whatever may be the action of the Philadelphia members on this measure, who believe, we presume, that their chances of reelection depend upon advocating and voting for it, we believe that it is a duty the rural members owe to the people of the State, not to vote to submit this question as proposed in the Act. It is a question decidedly, of vice and immorality, and as such should not be submitted to a community, in which the dissolute, reckless and wicked would almost to a certainty, carry their point, overawing the timid, and controlling the selfish who for fear of losing business would vote against their convictions of right in the matter.

Adopting the view that whatever encroaches upon the sanctity of the Sabbath, must inevitably lead to vice and demoralization, we urge the members of the country to protect the City against itself, and save it from taking a step towards Sunday desecration and Sunday labor. If the Legislature should legalize Sunday travel, and thus compel the employees of railway companies to work on the Sabbath, for they must do so or lose their situations, what will prevent other branches from being legalized, and stores, work shops, etc., from being opened and put into full blast on that day? Where will then be the poor man's rights of ... about which so many of the Philadelphia members are so eloquent? C... Compelled to labor on Sunday or lose his situation—for capital controls labor—what ... will become of his one day in seven for rest and recreation? Are we not likely to repeat the sad experience of the French Revolution, when throwing down this divinely appointed day of rest, the fanatical French theorists erected on its ruins anarchy and madness?

And this suggests the fact that in treating this subject, as far as the claims of the poor are concerned, those of the Philadelphia papers that have the courage to touch the subject, use arguments more appropriate for pot house politicians than for papers that claim to lead or reflect public opinion. Now, from the days that Adam delved and Eve span, down to the present, there have been poor people, and unto the end of time we presume they will exist. And we believe that the virtuous poor as a mass, with their simple wants, their freedom from the cares and artificial wants that harrass the rich, are happier than their wealthy neighbors. And we believe that to-day it is not the religious poor of Philadelphia who ask that the passenger cars shall be permitted to run on Sunday, that they may go to church or ride for recreation. If they want recreation and exercise on Sunday they walk, and realize more pleasure than if crowded in a passenger car surrounded by horribly smelling whisky bloats.

Another assertion of the demagogues is, that the rich men of Philadelphia ride in their carriages to church on Sunday. This is not true. Very few, unless they are invalids or have to go a great distance, ride to church. They very properly, give their coachmen Sunday for rest and recreation. The only persons in Philadelphia who make a dash with their equipages on Sunday are the vulgar shoddyites, who suddenly grown rich, never weary of sunning their plumes in the eyes of the public. The genteel rich do not ride to church on Sunday, but are content with their poor neighbors, to walk. This puerile argument of the advocates of Sunday travel, should have no weight with our legislators. We do not take the position that it is wrong to ride on Sunday, either to church, or even for recreation,—although we would select any day but Sunday, for the latter purpose,—if one hitches up his horse and drives himself, but we do contend that it is wrong to compel another to work on Sunday, by doing it for him. The principle applies to employees of railway companies, and although for fear of losing their situations they may not complain, yet we know it is very distasteful to them. We remember some years since when the Reading Railroad commenced running Sunday trains, we asked one of its conductors his opinion of it as far as he was concerned. He told us that he considered it unequivocally, an oppression, as he had no entire day in the week which he could call his own, and which he could spend in the society of his wife and children. He dared not complain, but his compulsory work on Sunday was felt to be a great hardship. Was this a benefit to that poor man? And such will be the benefits conferred on poor men as a mass, if the door should be opened by the Legislature to Sunday labor in this State. Our people will become demoralized and the poor man will have no day to call his own. There is not a workingman who on taking a correct view of this question, can sanction the Sunday travel movement.

The Legislature should grant no additional privileges to railway companies who have the barbarity, the unutterable meanness, to exclude from their cars on account of the color of his skin, the noble Small, who cut out in Charleston Harbor under rebel guns, a rebel gunboat, and brought it safely to our fleet, while they permit any bloat who has a white skin, to taint the atmosphere of their cars with the horrible odor of his fetid carcass. Companies with such narrow souls, deserve no favors at the hands of the Legislature, while the people of the State despise them.

In conclusion we have simply to say that we of Schuylkill County feel every day of our lives the effects of the prevalence of vice and immorality, growing out of the existence of evil, a phase of which the Legislature is asked to legalize in Philadelphia, and practically throughout the State. We earnestly hope that the country members will resolutely oppose the submission of the question which is one of vice and immorality, to a vote of the people of Philadelphia, and by defeating the question save the City and State from an innovation on the sacred character of the Sabbath, which every thoughtful citizen would deplore.

THE DIRECTOR OF THE BUREAU OF STATISTICS.—The incompetency if not something worse, of Alexander Delmar, we have fully exposed, as far as the statistics of the importations into this country of foreign bituminous coal are concerned. It would seem that in every branch of the statistical department he is a complete failure. So much so that on Monday last in the United States House of Representatives Judge Kelley rose in his place and offered a resolution declaring that his last report, prepared to be sent to the Paris Exposition, "abounded in ignorant, careless, or wilful misrepresentations," and directing the Secretary of the Treasury and Secretary of State to withhold from circulation such copies as were in their possession." In addition to this we see it stated that vigorous efforts are being made to suppress every copy of this blundering statement. Gen. Boynton, the able correspondent of the Cincinnati GAZETTE at Washington, in one of his recent letters sets forth in detail a series of ridiculous and dangerous mistakes made by this Delmar, who is a foreigner with no sympathy with the material interests of the country. It is nothing less than an outrage that so experienced a statistician and accomplished a statesman as Dr. William Elder should have been succeeded by such a nonentity as Delmar.

THE Liberals have carried the parliamentary elections in North Germany.

Local Affairs.

Weekly Almanac.

1867.—Feb.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Moon's Changes.
23 Saturday	6 43	5 45	New M. 4 1 20 eve'g
24 Sunday	6 42	5 47	First Q. 11 5 44 eve'g
25 Monday	6 40	5 48	Full M. 18 2 45 eve'g
26 Tuesday	6 38	5 49	Last Q. 26 6 36 mo.
27 Wednesday	6 37	5 50	
28 Thursday	6 35	5 51	
1 Friday	6 35	5 53	

METEOROLOGICAL TABLE.

Temperature at Greenwood during the week ending February 21th, 1867.

FEBRUARY, 1867.	7 A. M.	NOON.	5 P. M.
15	34°	46°	36°
16	30	32	32
17	28	45	46
18	28	47	44
19	23	40	33
20	22	32	32
21	31	28	30

The case of Bright vs. Heilner, has been continued until Monday next.

The German Reformed Society of Tremont, contemplates erecting a place of worship.

Mr. Wm. H. Crothers has resigned the position of Principal of the Tremont schools.

Mr. William Kinney, an old citizen, died at his residence in Girardville on Wednesday last.

The body of an infant, half devoured, was found near Mahanoy Planes a few days since.

H. C. Russel advertises an interest in a valuable Coal Tract for sale. See his card in another column.

To-morrow.—Eighth Sunday of the year. Sexagesima Sunday. Day's length, 11 hours and 3 minutes.

On the night of the 14th inst., near Locust Gap, a man named Dolan was shot and killed by John O'Donnel. No arrest.

The Rev. Prentiss de Veuve will preach in the 2d Presbyterian Church, Market street, to-morrow morning and evening at 10½ and 7½ o'clock.

Yesterday being the anniversary of the birth of Washington, flags were displayed at different points in the Borough and places of business were closed.

Frederick Douglass will we hear it stated, lecture in Union Hall, this Borough, in April. This celebrated colored orator cannot fail to attract a large audience.

On Monday night last one of the new houses being built in Richards' Addition to Pottsville, was entered, a carpenters' tool-box broken open and the tools stolen.

Dr. C. H. Haeseler desires it to be known that as he is about to depart for Europe, he will sell his fine span of horses, as well as an excellent Chickering Piano, at a fair price for cash.

On Thursday last the nomination of Mrs. Amelia Hannum as postmaster at Schuylkill Haven, and of Edward O'Brien as postmaster at New Castle, were sent to the United States Senate.

Several ruffians attempted last week to rob the house of Mr. Guerther, butcher, between Ashland and Locust Gap. His wife resisted, and the robbers shot her, inflicting two severe wounds in her side.

Lumber.—Silas Ball, Coal street, has on hands all kinds of frame, sill and other lumber. Mr. Ball has his own timber land with steam saw-mills capable of sawing from three to four hundred thousand feet per month.

A snow storm prevailed during Wednesday and Thursday. Snow fell to the depth of about a foot, and the sleighing is again good. A farmer friend predicts that we are to have eight more storms just like it before the Winter is over.

Self-binder for Music.—Max Leimmers, Centre street, sells a very convenient article for those having loose music, in the shape of a self-binder. Koch & Jacob's invention. It is a cheap, convenient and useful article, and worthy of inspection.

On Saturday and Monday last, Thomas Border, Thomas Baird and William Taylor, of Tuscarora, charged with shooting John Donohoe, were before Court on a writ of habeas corpus for release on bail. After hearing the evidence Judge Ryon remanded them to prison for trial.

Rev. E. M. Long of St. John's Lutheran Church, Tremont, will shortly remove to Philadelphia. Last week the ladies of the congregation took to his house substantial evidences of their esteem for their pastor, which were highly appreciated by the worthy recipient.

Camp 47, P. O. of J. S. of A., Schuylkill Haven, will attend divine service in a body at the St. James Episcopal Church of that place, to-morrow afternoon at 2½ o'clock. All members of the Order are invited to be in attendance. They meet at their Cantonment at 2 o'clock before proceeding to the Church.

A fight and a runaway in front of the Post Office yesterday afternoon. The fight was a white rowdy advancing on the works of a black boy, and meeting with a repulse and a discolored eye. The runaway was a horse with a sleigh, both being brought up suddenly by coming in collision with another sleigh at the Post Office.

A woman named Bickleman and a boy named Jacob Welf of Tremont, have been held to bail, the former in $2400 and the latter in $600, to answer charges of burglary and theft. Kossuth Bickleman is also implicated. One of the places recently robbed by them is alleged, is the jewelry establishment of Mr. Fisher, Tremont.

J. Dutton Steele, Esq., has been chosen Chief Engineer of the Wilmington and Reading Railroad, the new line of road which is to run from Wilmington, Del. to Birdsboro, Pa. This important railroad connection will be commenced this season and completed at an early day. Edward Brooke, Esq., of Birdsboro', is President of the Company.

Mr. John Curry formerly of this Borough, died in Mahanoy City on Saturday last, and was interred here on Tuesday, attended to the grave by a large number of friends and the Zouaves of Mahanoy City. Mr. Curry was a member of one of the first companies to reach Washington in 1861 for its defence. He was a good soldier and worthy citizen.

Hotel change in Minersville.—On Tuesday last Mr. Morgan Swartz, late ticket agent on the Mine Hill Railroad at Westwood, became landlord of the Washington House, Minersville, owned by Mr. Alexander Jeffries, and lately occupied by Danl. S. Herb. From his business capacity we judge that Mr. Swartz will keep a good house and merit the liberal patronage of the public.

Killed in a Slope.—On Monday evening last as Frederick Arnold, of Tremont, was coming up the slope of Dutters & Co., Donaldson, in a car, his head struck a timber in the roof, taking the top of his head off, just above his eyes. Death of course, was instantaneous. The deceased was an estimable young man, the only child of Mr. Henry Arnold, of Tremont, and but recently married.

A meeting of the Minersville Literary Association will be held in Moorhead's Hall, on Monday evening next, Feb. 25th, at 7¼ o'clock. The interesting question, "Is Man a Free Moral Agent?" will be discussed in the Affirmative by Mr. J. W. Danenhower, Rev. H. O. Shindle, Rev. Noble Frame and Rev. Judson Hastings, and in the Negative by James Rowlands, C. H. Brumm, Ellis G. Hughes and others.

Prof. Veling's vocal and instrumental concert will take place in Union Hall on Monday evening next. The performers on the occasion will be Prof. Henry A. Becker, Ferdinand L. Spiegel, Otto Kalkbach, B. Galland, A. Galland, C. Dell, J. Coben, aged 12 years, A. Diesinger, 12 years, D. Kitzmiller, 10 years. The programme has been selected with care, and must please those fond of good music.

Interesting Entertainment.—On Wednesday evening next the pupils of the Paschal Institute will give an entertainment in their school room, the receipts of which will be devoted to procuring an artificial limb for one of their school-mates whose friends are too poor to get one for him. The exercises will consist of recitations, dialogues, etc., interspersed with music by Prof. Becker. Admission, 25 cents. Doors open at a quarter to 7 o'clock.

The fancy dress ball, complimentary to W. C., No. 14, J. S. of A., came off at Union Hall on Thursday evening last. It was a pleasant party. The costumes were varied and beautiful. A gentleman of this Borough, dressed and personated Satan with gus-to, while two young gentlemen—one of this Borough and the other of New York—looked very charming as ballet-girls. There were other costumes worth noting, but we have not space to speak more at length of this delightful ball.

Great Outrage.—On Sunday evening last between 5 and 6 o'clock, as a Mr. Colby, an Englishman, a miner by profession, and a resident of Tuscarora, was returning home from Tamaqua, and when near his house, he was attacked by three Irishmen. They knocked him down with a billy. As he lay on the ground they beat and kicked him most brutally. Mr. Colby was conveyed to his home, where at the last accounts he lay in a critical condition. Another phase of the way to fight one's way through life, according to the copperhead organ's theory on that subject.

Committed.—On Saturday last Michael Whalen and Michael Sommers of Tuscorora, were arrested in this Borough, by Constable Chrisman, charged with having on Monday night, 11th inst., made a riotous assault upon the house of Mr. John C. Northal, in Tuscarora. The accused were taken before Squire Reed, where they were identified by John Cole and Mrs. Eliza Cooper as the men who at the time stated fired a number of shots into the house. They were with John Donohoe, the man who was killed on that occasion. The accused were committed in default of $1000 each, for trial at the March term of Court.

Arrest of Alleged Incendiaries.—In Ashland on Saturday morning last, about 2 o'clock, Patrick Sweeney, Patrick O'Leary, Patrick Kelly and a man named Montague, all Irishmen, belonging to Big Mine Run, were arrested charged with incendiarism. It is stated that they attempted to set fire to a building belonging to Mr. Fenstermacher, carpenter. The accused had a hearing before Squire Foster of Ashland, and were committed to prison for trial. Ashland has suffered severely from fires during the past year, which are attributed to acts of incendiarism. If convicted of this crime these men should be punished.

Untrue.—Last week we published on the strength of information received from a respectable citizen of Tamaqua, a statement to the effect that Mr. Ulrich had seen the body of John Donohoe, and recognized it as that of one of the murderers of George K. Smith. Since that time Mr. Ulrich has called upon us and states that the story is untrue. He has not seen the body of Donohoe, and never said that Donohoe was one of the murderers of Mr. Smith. From all the information we can glean on the subject, the belief as to the identity was expressed by an officer residing in this County who at the time of the murder of Mr. Smith went to Carbon county to investigate the matter and make arrests. Mr. Ulrich had nothing to do with the matter of the alleged recognition.

Proceedings of the Borough Council.—A stated meeting of Council was held on Tuesday evening last. Present, Messrs. Leonard, Strauch, Reed, Fox, Griffith, Moyer, Dobson, Shearer, and Cochran, Prest.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted.

Street Committee reported wall built at Morris Addition by Jacob Madara.

Statement of Borough Treasurer read and filed.

Bill of B. Bannan read and referred to Committee on Room, Stationary and Fire Apparatus.

The following bills were read and ordered to be paid:

American Hose Company	$50 00
Jacob Madara	67 40
Street hands	76 27
Charles Madara, culvert	75 00
	$268 67
Previous issue	16,295 54
Total	$16,564 21

Adjourned.

G. A. of R., of U. S.—We call attention to the following order just issued by the Commander of this District:

HEAD QUARTERS DISTRICT OF SCHUYLKILL CO.,
GRAND ARMY OF REPUBLIC OF U. S.,
MINERSVILLE, Feb 16, 1867.

GENERAL ORDER, No. 1.—In accordance with General Order, No. 6, Head Quarters Department of Pennsylvania, G. A. of R., dated Philadelphia, Feb. 8, 1867, I hereby assume command of this District.

Commanders of Posts of G. A. of R., within the limits of this District will at once report to these Head Quarters, as follows:

1. Name and Post Office address of Post Commander.
2. Date of organization.
3. By whose authority organized.
4. Present strength.
5. Location, town or township.

The District staff will be announced in future orders.

Honorably discharged soldiers and sailors desirous of organizing Posts of Grand Army of Republic within this District will address these Head Quarters.

GEORGE W. BRUMM, Commanding District.
Official:—ELIAS MILLER, A. A. A. Gen.

"*Oliver Cromwell.*"—Mr. Henry M. Vincent's lecture on this subject at Union Hall on Tuesday evening last, was listened to by an appreciative audience. Mr. V. occupied about two hours in its delivery, securing the attention and interest of the audience to the close. The lecture is well worthy of the high encomiums which have been bestowed upon it in Philadelphia and elsewhere. As an analysis of Cromwell's character it is masterly. The descriptive passages we have never heard excelled—especially the description of the Roundhead victory at Marsden Moor. Mr. Vincent's lecture was a rare treat.

A Bold Robbery—The Robbers enter the Office of a Colliery on Pay Day and Carry Off Forty-five Hundred Dollars.—The most daring robbery that ever took place in Schuylkill County, was perpetrated on Saturday last by ten men, at the office of the Boston Run Colliery, Althouse & Focht, about three miles from Mahanoy City. Saturday was pay day at the Colliery, and on the previous day Mr. George D. Althouse had arrived from Philadelphia with $6050 to pay the miners. On Friday evening this money was put in envelopes as is the custom, by Mr. Benjamin Focht. During the night an attempt was made to enter the house where this money was kept, but fights having been kept burning the men who made the attempt desisted after opening some shutters.

About 9 o'clock on Saturday morning Mr. Focht took the money to the office and commenced paying. Shortly after Mr. Althouse and Mr. Jacob Focht (Mr. B. Focht's father) went to the office, where they sat talking, and when a man came in paying him. They had paid twenty-one men, and there was no one in the office except Mr. Althouse, Mr. Focht and his son, when Mr. Jacob Focht who was looking out of a window, suddenly exclaimed, "There come four men." He had hardly uttered the exclamation, before they entered the office. One of the men asked for work. He was informed that there was none to give. The men then made a movement to enter inside a railing which separated the entrance from the interior of the office. The moment they made this movement Mr. B. Focht suspecting that their object was robbery, sprang over the railing for the purpose of going out to give an alarm and to get his revolver which was at his residence near the office. In running out he was seized by the throat by one of the robbers. Mr. Focht however, broke away from the man, ran out and cried for assistance. A shot was fired at him from behind, which came close to his head. At the same time a man sprang in front of him, and presenting a revolver told Mr. Focht that if he gave any further alarm, he would put a ball through him. The two men then took him about ten steps to the middle of the road, delivering him into the hands of a confederate, at the same time with their revolvers keeping off unarmed men who were coming to his assistance. The man took Mr. Focht down the road about two hundred yards. A woman who saw the occurrence screamed, and one of the robbers fired three shots at her without hitting her. The man who had Mr. Focht in charge robbed him of a gold watch and chain valued at $200, and then compelled him to jump into a creek and lie down, firing a shot at him which however, passed over him. Shortly after the other robbers nine in number, came down the road and passed on. Mr. Focht then rose, went to the house, saddled a horse, and went to Shenandoah City, where a hundred armed men were soon got together, to go in pursuit of the robbers.

While what we have narrated was going on outside, a desperate fight took place in the office between Mr. Althouse and Mr. Jacob Focht and two of the robbers. Mr. Althouse had succeeded in getting his man into a corner, when he choked him until he was black in the face. A comrade however, came to the robber's assistance, and striking Mr. Althouse a severe blow on the head with the butt of his revolver, knocked him to the floor senseless. Mr. Focht also had his assailant by the throat with one hand, while with the other he held the barrel of the robber's revolver from which four shots were fired while in that position without injuring Mr. F. After Mr. Althouse fell the robbers succeeded in getting the money which was in one hundred and twenty-five envelopes, and decamped hastily, dropping sixteen of the envelopes in making their hasty exit. The amount taken was $4500. During the fight shots were fired and several balls passed through Mr. Althouse's clothing. He was slightly wounded in the hip by a ball. Mr. Focht was wounded on the head by being knocked against a stove. Neither were dangerously hurt, and their wounds were soon after dressed by a surgeon. An alarm was given at the colliery by one of the employees by sounding a steam whistle. The employees gathered quickly and pursued the robbers but they scattered and running into the woods which are thick there, were soon lost to sight.

The office where this affair happened is about two hundred and fifty yards from the colliery. The robbery took place about 11 o'clock and the entire transaction only occupied ten minutes. In escaping the robbers ran in the direction of Shenandoah City. Mr. Focht thinks the men were Irishmen and Cornishmen, and that they are an organized band under the leadership of a superior scoundrel who probably graduated in crime in one of the cities. The execution was evidently too bold and successful for greenhorns in the business.

The Elections—Palo Alto and Reilly Township Swept by Reform Tickets—Middle Ward, Pottsville, Gives the Entire Union Ticket.—Elections for borough, ward and township officers, were held in the County on Friday, 15th instant. It is gratifying to the friends of Reform in Schuylkill County, to know that the heretofore strong Democratic districts, Palo Alto and Reilly, were swept by the Reform-Union ticket. These pleasing results are due to those citizens and tax payers, who wearied with corruption and extravagance in the County, which squander their hard-earned taxes, have resolved upon a change.

POTTSVILLE.

The Borough ticket was elected without opposition. All the election officers of the Union party, with the exception of one of one inspector in each ward, and all the Union candidates for justice of the peace and constable, with the exception of one candidate for justice in the South-east Ward, who was defeated in consequence of a large proportion of the Union vote being cast against him, and for the Democratic candidate, were elected.

The candidates elected are as follows:

ASSESSOR.—Joseph W. Bowen.
ASSISTANT ASSESSORS.—William E. Boyer, Jeremiah Reed.
SOUTH WARD—*Judge of Elections.*—S. Little. *Inspectors*—Wm. Maize, Ber. Reilly. *Constable*—Jacob Chrisman.
SOUTH-EAST WARD—*Judge*—F. B. Wallace. *Inspectors*—John M. Miller, H. J. Hendler. *Justices of the Peace*—E. E. Bland, Peter F. Madey. *Constable*—John Hagan.
MIDDLE WARD.—As this was the only Ward in the Borough in which there was a serious contest, we annex the vote:

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

Charles Frailey, U.,	240
M. B. Bell, U.,	226
John C. Conrad, D.,	186

JUDGE OF ELECTION.

John Ebert, U.,	231
Danl. H. Leib, D.,	153

INSPECTORS.

Stephen Rodgers, U.,	283
Peter Faussold, D.,	149

CONSTABLE.

Edward Baussum, U.,	191
Henry Saylor, D.,	188

NORTH-EAST WARD—*Judge*—J. R. Olewine. *Inspectors*—John K. Fernsler, Wm. Eckers. *Constable*—Charles Matthews.
NORTH-WEST WARD—*Judge*—R. T. Taylor. *Inspectors*—J. F. Harris, H. Boehmer. *Constable*—John W. Shaw.

PALO ALTO.

CHIEF BURGESS.

Jno. Carr, U.,	114
C. Haggerty, D.,	64
Majority	50

TOWN COUNCIL.

Thos. F. Wight, U, 3 years	106
Pat. Campbell, D, 3 "	78
Majority	28
B. Wagner, U, 3 years	103
S. Ryan, D, 3 "	80
Majority	23

SCHOOL DIRECTORS.

Wm. Bensinger, U, 3 years	110
Jas. McElaney, D, 3 "	72
Majority	38
Simon Rutzel, U, 3 years	108
M. Fox, D, 3 years	70
Majority	38

AUDITORS.

E. W. James, U, 3 years	105
Jno. Dailey, D, 3 "	79
Majority	26
L. E. Farrell, U, 2 years	100
David Kelly, D, 2 "	75
Majority	25

ASSESSOR.

Jas. G. Mains, D.,	100
G. W. Gardner, U.,	86
Majority	14

ASSISTANT ASSESSORS.

Jac. Limo, U, 1 year	101
B. Duffy, D, 1 "	89
Majority	12
Jos. Bishop, U, 1 year	98
David Kelley, D, 1 "	80
Majority	18

JUDGE OF ELECTIONS.

Alex. Govan, U.,	97
Jas. G. Mains, D.,	88
Majority	9

INSPECTOR OF ELECTION.

Pat. McIntire, U.,	98
Henry Murray, D.,	86
Majority	12

CONSTABLE.

Sol. Bowman, U.,	103

(No opponent.)

NORTH MANHEIM TOWNSHIP.

CONSTABLE.—Samuel Horning.
TREASURER.—George S. Mellot.
SUPERVISORS.—Amos Hofman and David Shappell.
SCHOOL DIRECTORS.—Henry A. Bell, Frederick Beck.
AUDITOR.—Edward Lebengood.
ASSESSOR.—William Whalen.
ASSISTANT ASSESSORS.—John T. Moyer and John Shappell.
TOWNSHIP CLERK.—James Bitz.

MIDDLEPORT.

Chief Burgess—Joseph Miller. *Town Council*—William Swain, Daniel Scheip. *Town Clerk*—F. B. Berkheiser. *School Directors*—Geo. L. Medler, Wm. Herman, Peter Kiefaber. *Justice of the Peace*—E. H. Anchmuty. *High Constable*—Luke Swain. *Assessor*—Daniel McGinly. *Assistant Assessors*—Chas. Beneinger, Chas. Knittel. *Judge of Election*—Thomas Jennings. *Inspectors*—Joseph Mohrbach, Richard Kollowhan. *Auditors*—Geo. Kiney, John Runkel, John Meek. All [but one inspector] are Republicans.

REILLY TOWNSHIP.

We have not the names of the officers elected, but we understand that the Union-Reform ticket swept the Township. It is gratifying to see that the respectable citizens of this heretofore Democratic district, are disposed to aid in checking the corruption and lawlessness that exist in Schuylkill County.

MAHANOY CITY.

The Union ticket was successful by an average majority of 240.

SCHUYLKILL HAVEN.

Entire Union ticket elected.

Schuylkill County Female Bible Society.—The 15th anniversary of this Society, was held on Monday evening Feb. 4, in the English Evangelical Lutheran Church of Pottsville. The evening was extremely unpleasant and the audience consequently, small, though larger than many expected. The exercises were opened by calling Judge Helfenstein to the chair. After introductory remarks on taking the chair, and prayer by the Rev. Isaac Riley, the various reports were presented, namely:—That of the corresponding Secretary, Librarian and Treasurer. After this the time of the anniversary exercises was changed on the account of the usual inclemency of the winter weather, from the 1st Monday of February to the 1st Monday of November. The following Board of Managers was elected for the year:

Mrs. Isaac Beck, Mrs. Thos. Cooch, Mrs. Benj. Cumming, Mrs. C. H. Dengler, Mrs. Wm. Epting, Mrs. Theo. Garretson, Mrs. Benj. Haywood, Mrs. C. M. Hill, Mrs. Saml. Lewis, Mrs. E. W. McGinnes, Mrs. E. O. Parry, Mrs. Wm. Pollock, Mrs. B. F. Pomeroy, Mrs. Frank Pott, Mrs. Wm. Potts, Mrs. Isaac Riley, Mrs. P. W. Sheaffer, Mrs. B. T. Taylor, Mrs. Louis Troutman.

After these items of business, addresses on various relations of the Bible to individual life, the welfare of the community and the advancement of the Word were made by Rev. J. S. Cook of the M. E. Church, Rev. Uriel Graves of the English Lutheran Church, and Benj. Haywood, Esq. After these addresses the meeting adjourned to meet in November next.

In behalf of the Managers of the Bible Society, the Corresponding Secretary presents the following report:

At the first meeting of the year, $400 of the credit of the Society with the Penna. Bible Society, was appropriated to the foreign work through that Society. And, in consideration of this appropriation, Benj. Haywood, of the M. E. Church, was made a Life Director of the Penna. Bible Society, and Rev. J. Riley and Stephen Harris of 1st Presbyterian Church; Mrs. Margaret Russel and Mrs. A. M. McGinnes of the 2nd Presbyterian Church; Mrs. Emily C. Pollock and Hon. E. O. Parry of the Protestant Episcopal Church; Rev. S. G. Rhoads of the Church of the Evangelical Association; Mrs. Elizabeth Huntzinger of the English Lutheran Church; Miss Mary Gill of the Baptist Church were made Life Members of the same Society.

During the year Mrs. John L. Pott, Mrs. Wm. Milnes, Mrs. Huber, Mrs. A. M. Allen and Mrs. E. D. Kynock resigned their positions as Managers.

Mrs. E. D. Kynock, Mrs. Theodore Garretson, Mrs. Mary McCamant, Mrs. Chas. Dengler, Mrs. Isaac Riley and Mrs. Isaac Beck, were elected as Managers to supply these vacancies.

At the first meeting of the year, it was resolved that the work of Bible distribution, be carried on throughout the County, and the Corresponding Secretary was appointed as a committee to confer with Rev. Mr. Torrence, in securing a colporteur. After various successful attempts and very considerable delay in waiting upon the decision of those whose service the Society hoped to secure, an arrangement was made with Mr. J. W. Wright, to undertake the work. He entered upon the duty, in the latter part of August, ... the early part of November. During this time about fifteen hundred families were visited; but on account of various untoward and unexpected hindrances, it was found necessary to abandon the work. The reports of what was done, were not of such a character as to furnish any succinct statement of results.

Through the kindness of Mr. G. A. Nicholls, Supt. of the Phila. & R. R. R. a donation of $100 was made to the Society, in return for supplying the 80 Passenger R. R. Stations in the County.

Various grants of books have been made to the Prison, to Sunday Schools and individuals, which will appear in the report of the Librarian.

ISAAC RILEY, Cor. Sec'y.

Ann McGinnes, Treasurer, in account with the Schuylkill County Female Bible Society.

DR.

1866.			
Feb. 6	To balance		$19 49
" 6	Cash from Mr. Helfenstein		20 00
"	Collection Trinity Church		31 68
Nov. 24	Donation P. & R. R. R. Road		100 00
1867.			
Jan. 28	Collection Trinity Church		33 49
Feb. 4	do 2nd Presbyterian Church		40 00
" 4	do Baptist		6 00
			241 57
Feb. 4	To amount of Books, etc. received from C. A. Bosbyshell, sales agent		115 51
			$357 08

CR.

1866.		
Aug. 9	By cash paid J. W. Claghorn, Treas.	$30 00
Nov. 6	do J. W. Wright	20 00
" 6	do Postage and stamps	1 00
" 21	do J. W. Wright	71 80
1867.		
Jan. 1	do B. Bannan	1 50
Feb. 4	do paid freight and expressage on books	5 23
" 4	do Commissioners	6 77
" 4	Cash balance	217 78
		$357 08

Schuylkill County Female Bible Society, in account with Pennsylvania Bible Society of Philadelphia.

DR.

1866.		
Feb. 3	To balance	$528 19
Aug. 9	cash paid J. W. C.	30 00
		$558 19
1867.		
Feb. 4	By balance	110 28
		$668 47

CR.

1866.		
Feb.	By contribution for the Foreign Field	$100 00
" 3	" bill of books	6 65
" 3	do do for Mahanoy S. School	15 39
Mar. 12	By bill of Bibles, &c.	30 88
Aug. 3	do do do	18 03
Sept. 18	do do do	51 92
" 28	do do do	52 75
Oct. 20	" Welsh Bible	3 56
Dec. 20	" Bibles	30 07
" 27	" One Bible	3 80
1867.		
Jan. 22	" Bill of Bibles	15 39
		$668 47

Report of Librarian of the Schuylkill County Female Bible Society, for the year ending Feb. 1, 1867.

Number of volumes in Depository, Feb. 1, 1866	257
do do do bought of Pa. Bible Society, during the year	483
Total	740
Number of volumes sold during the year	237
do do do donated during the year	165
Total	402
Value of books in Depository, Feb. 1, 1867	$253 19

(COMMUNICATED.)

EDITOR MINERS' JOURNAL:—There has been great rejoicing that the colored slave is free, and we have reason to rejoice at the effort being made to free the white slave, I mean the slave to alcohol or intemperance, and rejoice to see that it has commenced in the right place; that Congress is moving in the matter. I have lived past three score and ten years, most of that time in the South, and I must say I have seen more degradation, misery and suffering from slavery to alcohol and intemperance, than ever I did from slavery in the South. Go to Congress, go to the Convention at Harrisburg on the 26th inst. Let that Convention resolve among other things that they will neither vote for nor support any man for office that is addicted to intemperance.

February 20th, 1867. TEMPERANCE.

THIRTY-NINTH CONGRESS.

SECOND SESSION.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—SENATE.—The Senate passed the bill to provide for the allotment of the members of the Supreme Court among the circuits. The bill for the appointment of a Marshal for the Supreme Court. The Military Reconstruction bill was taken up, the pending question being on the Blaine amendment. Messrs. Lollitte and Saulsbury spoke against the bill. The discussion was continued until after midnight. The Blaine amendment was rejected, but it in a modified form was offered as a substitute by Mr. Sherman and the substitute was adopted. On Sunday morning, at 6.30 o'clock, the bill as amended, was finally passed—yeas 29, nays 10; absent 13.

HOUSE.—The House concurred in the Senate amendments to the Invalid Pension bill. Mr. Wentworth offered a preamble and resolution declaring that it is rumored that members are bargaining to act adversely to the report of the Judiciary Committee in favor of impeaching the President, and directing the Judiciary Committee to inquire into the rumors. After some discussion the resolution was agreed to. The vote was reconsidered, and an amendment that the inquiry be made by a select committee was agreed to, and the resolution was again passed. The bill to regulate the act declaring the officer who shall act as President in case of vacancies in the offices of President Vice President was passed. Also, the River and Harbor Appropriation bill, amounting to $1,850,000.

Feb. 18.—SENATE.—A Committee of Conference was appointed on the Bankrupt bill. A joint resolution to facilitate the payment of accounts of disbursing officers was passed. The bill for the election of Congressional printer was passed as amended. The bill in relation to appeals and writs of error in the Supreme Court was passed as amended. Also the Military Academy Appropriation bill. The Diplomatic and Consular Appropriation bill was taken up. An amendment of Conference Committee to restore the legal salaries of consuls was discussed, and was finally agreed to—yeas 19, nays 14. An amendment to the Mission to Spain shall also be accredited to Portugal was agreed to. The bill was then passed. An executive session was held, and then adjourned until 7 P. M.

At the evening session Mr. Crimes moved to reconsider the Consular Appropriation bill for the purpose of reducing the contingent fund of the State Department from $100,000 to $30,000. The motion was agreed to, and the bill was again passed. The conference committee on the bill to regulate the tenure of offices was appointed. The bill to provide for a stay of proceedings ... take up the Louisiana bill was made the special order, and upon. Adjourned.

HOUSE.—The House various bills on different subjects were discussed and were referred to the appropriate committees. The resolution on female suffrage introduced several weeks ago was laid on the table. Also a resolution directing the Committee on Banking and Currency to inquire into the expediency of the withdrawal of the national bank currency, and substituting United States Treasury notes. The Committee on District of Columbia was directed to report a bill prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquor in the District. The Senate amendments to the bill to provide for the more efficient government of the insurrectionary States were taken up, and Mr. Stevens moved to non-concur. Messrs. Boutwell, Stokes and Stevens spoke against the amendments, and Messrs. Blaine, Wilson, Bingham, Farnsworth, Schenck, Garfield, Baker and Thayer sustained them. A call for the previous question was seconded, and the main question was ordered. A motion to lay the subject on the table was disagreed to. A recess was then taken until 7½ P. M. At the evening session the Ways and Means Committee reported the Senate amendments to the Tariff bill, with the Mils ry Recommendations, which were ordered to be printed. The consideration of the Senate amendment to the Military Reconstruction bill was then resumed.

Feb. 19.—SENATE.—In the Senate, was passed a resolution calling on the President for any correspondence which has passed between the State Department and the Minister to Portugal (Mr. Harvey), relative to his salary, and also for information as to whether such Minister received any compensation. A motion to insist on the amendments to the Military Reconstruction bill caused considerable discussion between Messrs. Conness, Suer, Fessenden, Howard, Sherman, Hendricks, Lane, Yade, Trumbull and Cowen, and was then agreed to. A recess was then taken until 7½ o'clock P. M. At the evening session several bills relating to army matters were passed. The bill for the temporary increase of pay of army officers was amended and passed. Several private bills from the Military Committee were passed. Adjourned.

HOUSE.—The House, after some discussion, refused, by a vote of 20 to 28, to concur in the Senate amendments to the Military Reconstruction bill. A Committee of Conference was appointed. A report of the Conference Committee on the bill to regulate the tenure of office is agreed to. The Indian Appropriation bill was passed. Several Executive communications were received. The bill to provide for organizing, arming and equipping the militia was discussed, but was not finally acted upon. The Senate amendments to the bill for the election of a Congressional printer were concurred in. The Army Appropriation bill was considered in Committee of the Whole. A recess was then taken till 7½ P. M. At the evening session, a resolution authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to assign a public vessel for the transportation of supplies contributed for the suffering people of the Southern States was adopted. The Army Appropriation bill was then considered in Committee of the Whole. The amendment to the military bill was concurred in was taken up, and a motion was made to recede from the disagreement. Filibustering was then commenced, and eight votes by yeas and nays were taken upon various motions. Without final action on the motion to recede from the disagreement upon the Senate amendment, the House adjourned.

Feb. 20.—SENATE.—The Senate on Wednesday, received the resolutions of the Kansas Legislature in favor of the admission of Colorado. Also, the certificate of the Governor of Pennsylvania, that the Legislature had ratified the constitutional amendment. At the evening session the House resolution authorizing the employment of a United States vessel for the transportation of contributions for the relief of the southern people, was passed. The Reconstruction bill was taken up, Mr. Doolittle offered a proviso to the last section "That nothing in this act contained shall be construed to disfranchise any person in either of the said States from voting or holding office who has received a pardon and amnesty in accordance with the Constitution and laws." After considerable discussion the amendment was rejected. The bill by the House was then concurred in. Adjourned.

HOUSE.—The House resumed the consideration of the bill to provide for the more efficient government for the rebel States. An amendment of Mr. Shellebarger, requiring that the rebel States are admitted to representation, the States shall be considered provisional only, and shall therein all be considered provisional only, and shall be in all respects subject to the paramount authority of the United States at any time to abolish, modify, control or supersede the same was adopted, and the House concurred in the Senate amendment, as amended—yeas 126, nays 46. The Militia bill was recommitted to the Military Committee.

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DR. SCHENCK'S PULMONIC SYRUP. This great medicine cured Dr. J. H. SCHENCK, the Proprietor, of Pulmonary Consumption, when it had assumed its most formidable aspect, and when speedy death appeared to be inevitable. His physicians pronounced his case incurable, when he commenced the use of this simple but powerful remedy. His health was restored in a very short time, and no return of the disease has been apprehended, for all the symptoms quickly disappeared, and his present weight is more than 200 pounds. Since his recovery, he has devoted his attention exclusively to the cure of Consumption, and the diseases which are usually complicated with it, and the cures effected by his medicines have been very numerous and truly wonderful. Dr. SCHENCK makes professional visits to several of the larger cities weekly, where he has a large concourse of patients, and it is truly astonishing to see poor consumptives that have to be lifted out of their carriages, and in a few months healthy, robust persons. Dr. SCHENCK'S PULMONIC SYRUP, SEAWEED TONIC, and MANDRAKE PILLS are generally all required in curing Consumption. Full directions accompany each, so that any one can take them without seeing Dr. SCHENCK, but when it is convenient it is best to see him. He gives advice free, but for a thorough examination with his Respirometer his fee is three dollars. Please observe, when purchasing, that the two likenesses of the Doctor—one when in the last stage of Consumption, and the other as he now is, in perfect health—are on the Government stamp. Sold by all Druggists and Dealers, price $1 50 per bottle, or $7 50 the half dozen. All letters for advice should be addressed to Dr. SCHENCK'S Principal Office, No. 15 North 6th Street, Philadelphia, Pa. General Wholesale Agents: Demas Barnes & Co., N. Y.; S. S. Hance, Baltimore, Md.; John D. Parke, Cincinnati, Ohio; Walker & Taylor, Chicago, Ill.; Collins Brothers, St. Louis, Mo. October 20, '66 42-1y ev4w

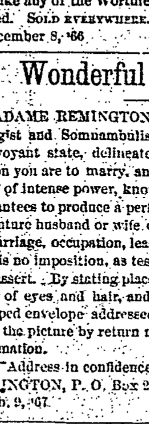
A Young Lady returning to her country home, after a sojourn of a few months in the city, was hardly recognized by her friends. In place of a coarse, rustic, flushed face, she had a soft, ruby complexion of almost marble smoothness, and instead of twenty-three she really appeared but eighteen. Upon inquiry as to the cause of so great a change, she plainly told them that she used the CIRCASSIAN BALM, and considered it an invaluable acquisition to any lady's toilet. By its use any lady or gentleman can improve their personal appearance an hundred fold. It is simple in its combination, as nature herself is simple, yet unsurpassed in its efficacy in drawing impurities from, also healing, cleansing and beautifying the skin and complexion.—By its direct action on the cuticle it draws from it all its impurities, kindly healing the same, and leaving the surface as nature intended it should be, clear, soft, smooth and beautiful. Price $1, sent by Mail or Express, on receipt of an order, by W. L. CLARK & CO., Chemists, No. 3 West Fayette st., Syracuse, N. Y. Feb. 9, '67 6-1y

The Great Female Remedy. DR. DUPONCO'S GOLDEN PERIODICAL PILLS, FOR FEMALES. INFALLIBLE IN CORRECTING IRREGULARITIES, REMOVING OBSTRUCTIONS OF THE MONTHLY TURNS, FROM WHATEVER CAUSE, AND ALWAYS SUCCESSFUL AS A PREVENTIVE. ONE PILL IS A DOSE. Females peculiarly situated, or those supposing themselves so, are cautioned against using these Pills while in that condition, lest they invite miscarriage, after which admonition, the Proprietor assumes no responsibility, although their mildness would prevent any mischief to health, otherwise the Pills are recommended as a MOST INVALUABLE REMEDY FOR The Leucorrhea, or Whites, And in Removing Obstructions and Restoring Nature to its Proper Channel, Quieting the Nerves and bringing back the "Rosy color of Health" to the cheek of the most delicate. Price $1 per Box. Six Boxes $5. Sold in Pottsville, Pa., by HENRY SAYLOR, Sole Agent, Centre St. Ladies by sending $1 00 to Pottsville Post Office can have the pills sent (confidentially,) by Mail, to any part of the country, "free of postage." Nov 24, '66 47-6m

HAIR DYE! HAIR DYE! Batchelor's Hair Dye is the best in the world. The only true and perfect Dye—Harmless—Instantaneous and Reliable—produces a splendid Black or Natural Brown—remedies the ill effects of Bad Dyes, and frequently restores the original color. Sold by all Druggists. The genuine is signed, W. A. Batchelor, 81 Barclay Street, New York. February 16, 1866, 9-1y

PERRY DAVIS' VEGETABLE PAIN KILLER, after a thorough trial by innumerable living witnesses, has proved itself THE MEDICINE OF THE AGE. Although there have been many medicinal preparations brought before the public since the first introduction of Perry Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer, and large amounts expended in their introduction, the Pain Killer has continued to steadily advance in the estimation of the world as the best Family Medicine ever introduced. It is an internal and external remedy.—One positive proof of its efficacy is, that the sales have constantly increased, and wholly upon its own merits. The effect of the Pain Killer upon the patient, when taken internally in cases of Cold, Cough, Bowel Complaints, Cholera, Dysentery, and other affections of the system, has been truly wonderful, and has won for it a name among medical preparations that can never be forgotten. Its success in removing pain, as an external remedy, in cases of Burns, Bruises, Sores, Sprains, Cuts, Sting of Insects and other causes of suffering, has secured for it such a host of testimony, as an almost infallible remedy, that it will be handed down to posterity as one of the greatest medical discoveries of the nineteenth century. Feb 9, '67—6-4t

A Cough, Cold, or Sore Throat, REQUIRES IMMEDIATE ATTENTION, AND SHOULD BE CHECKED. IF ALLOWED TO CONTINUE, Irritation of the Lungs, a Permanent Throat Disease, or Consumption, IS OFTEN THE RESULT. BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES HAVING A DIRECT INFLUENCE TO THE PARTS, GIVE IMMEDIATE RELIEF. For Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh, Consumptive and Throat Diseases, TROCHES ARE USED WITH ALWAYS GOOD SUCCESS. SINGERS AND PUBLIC SPEAKERS will find Troches useful in clearing the voice when taken before singing or Speaking, and relieving the throat after an unusual exertion of the vocal organs.—The Troches are recommended and prescribed by Physicians, and have had testimonials from eminent men throughout the country. Being an article of true merit, and having proved their efficacy by a test of many years, each year finds them in new localities in various parts of the world, and the Troches are universally pronounced better than other articles. OBTAIN only "BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES," and do not take any of the Worthless Imitations that may be offered. SOLD EVERYWHERE. December 8, '66 49-6m



Wonderful but True. MADAME REMINGTON, the world-renowned Astrologist and Somnambulistic Clairvoyant, while in a clairvoyant state, delineates the very features of the person you are to marry, and by the aid of an instrument of intense power, known as the Psychomotrope, guarantees to produce a perfect and life-like picture of the future husband or wife of the applicant, with date of marriage, occupation, leading traits of character, &c. This is no imposition, as testimonials without number can assert. By stating place of birth, age, disposition, color of eyes and hair, and enclosing fifty cents, and stamped envelope addressed to yourself, you will receive the picture by return mail, together with desired information. Address in confidence, MADAME GERTRUDE REMINGTON, P. O. Box 297, West Troy, N. Y. Feb. 9, '67 6-1y

Know Thy Destiny. MADAME E. F. THORNTON, the great English Astrologist, Clairvoyant and Psychometrician, who has astonished the scientific classes of the Old World, has now located herself at Hudson, N. Y. Madame Thornton possesses such wonderful powers of second sight, as to enable her to impart knowledge of the greatest importance to the single or married of either sex.—While in a state of trance, she delineates the very features of the person you are to marry, and by the aid of an instrument of intense power, known as the Psychomotrope, guarantees to produce a life-like picture of the future husband or wife of the applicant, together with date of marriage, position in life, leading traits of character, &c. This is no humbug, as thousands of testimonials can assert. She will send when desired a certified certificate, or written guarantee, that the picture is what it purports to be. By enclosing a small lock of hair, and stating place of birth, age, disposition and complexion, and enclosing fifty cents and stamped envelope addressed to yourself, you will receive the picture and desired information by return mail. All communications sacredly confidential. Address in confidence, MADAME E. F. THORNTON, P. O. Box 223, Hudson, N. Y. Feb. 9, '67 6-1y

Free to Everybody. A Large 6 pp. Circular, giving information of the greatest importance to the young of both sexes. It teaches how the homely may become beautiful, the despised respected, and the forsaken loved. No young lady or gentleman should fail to send their Address, and receive a copy, post paid, by return mail. Address P. O. Drawer, 21, Feb. 9, '67 6-6m Troy, N. Y.

ITCH! ITCH! ITCH! SCRATCH! SCRATCH! SCRATCH! WHEATON'S OINTMENT Will Cure the Itch in 48 Hours. Also cures SALT RHEUM, ULCERS, CHILBLAINS, and all ERUPTIONS OF THE SKIN. Price 50 cents. For sale by all druggists. By sending 60 cents to WEEKS & POTTER, Sole Agents, 170 Washington street, Boston, it will be forwarded by mail, free of postage, to any part of the United States. June 9, '66 23-1y

Religious Intelligence.

NOTICES.

☞ **First Presbyterian Church**, corner Mahantongo and Third Streets. Rev. ISAAC RILEY, Pastor. Services, Sunday 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Lecture, Thursday evening at 7 P. M. Prayer Meeting 9.45 A. M. Sunday School, 2 P. M.

☞ **Evangelical Church**, Callowhill street.—Rev. S. S. CHUBB, Pastor, will preach German every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, and English in the Evening at 7 o'clock. Residence Market street above 10th.

☞ **2d Presbyterian Church**, Market Square, WM. S. PARKER, D. D. Pastor. Services Sabbath mornings at 10½ o'clock. Evenings at 7½. Weekly Lecture and Prayer Meeting, Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. Pastor's residence, Mahantongo St., corner of Courtland street.

☞ **Methodist E. Church**, Second street, above Market, Rev. J. S. COOK, Pastor. Services Sabbath, at 10, A. M., and 7, P. M. Prayer Meeting, Tuesday evening, at 7½ o'clock.

☞ **English Evan. Lutheran Church**, Market Square, Rev. U. GRAVES, Pastor. Services Sabbath morning at 10½ o'clock; Evening, 7. Weekly Lecture and Prayer Meeting, Thursday evening, 7½ o'clock.

☞ **Union Prayer Meeting**, every Sunday morning, from 8½ to 9½ o'clock, in the frame Church on Second Street, between Market and Norwegian Sts. All are invited.

☞ **German Reformed Church**, Market St., Rev. J. C. BUCHER, Pastor. Regular morning services, alternately, in the German and English languages, at 10 o'clock. The German services occur at 10, A. M., on the 6th and 20th of January; the 3d and 17th of February; and the 3d, 17th and 31st of March. All other services—including each Sabbath evening, at 7 o'clock, are held in the English language. Prayer Meeting and Lecture, each Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock.

1st Baptist Church, corner Mahantongo and 7th streets, Rev. A. J. HAY, Pastor. Services Sunday 10½ A. M., and 7 P. M. Lecture Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock. Prayer Meeting Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Sabbath School 2 P. M.

MARRIED.

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

BEYERLE—DERR—On Thursday morning, February 21st, by the Rev. Jos ph McCool, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. LOT K. BEYERLE to Miss ELLEN R., daughter of Joseph Derr, Esq., all of Pottsville.

EVANS—HARRIS—On the 18th inst., by Rev. Andrew J. Hay, Mr. EDWARD E. EVANS to Miss SARAH A. HARRIS, both of Pottsville.

LESSIG—REED—On the 21st inst., by Rev. Andrew J. Hay, Mr. WM. S. LESSIG, of Pottstown, Pa., to Miss MARY L. REED, of Pottsville.

MOORE—LONG—On the 9th inst., by Rev. J. S. J. McConnell, Pastor of Tremont M. E. Church, Mr. SIMON MOORE to Miss ISABELLA LONG, daughter of Chas. Long, Esq. of Rausch Creek, this County.

DIED.

Simple announcements of deaths, free. Those accompanied with notices, &c., must be paid for at the rate of 10 cents per line.

BAST—On the 15th inst., in Minersville, Schuylkill County, Mrs. PHEBE BAST in the 59th year of her age. ☞ Berks County papers please copy.

CONNER—In Philadelphia, on Thursday, 21st inst., VIRGINIA E. WOLTT, wife of John C. Conner. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from her father's residence, Market Street, this (Saturday) afternoon at 3½ o'clock, without further notice.

CURRY—In Mahanoy City on Saturday last, JOHN CURRY, aged 40 years.

LAMBERT—In this Borough yesterday morning, BENJAMIN LAMBERT, in the 35th year of his age.

PRITCHARD—On the 12th of February, in New Mines, Riley Township, SALLY MARTHA, daughter of John and Dessama Pritchard, aged 9 months and 9 days.

SAVIDGE—On the 8th of February, inst., in Hegins Township, Schuylkill Co., VALENTINE SAVIDGE, Esq., in the 67th year of his age. The deceased was by profession, a surveyor, occupied the office of a Justice of the Peace for many years, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him.

Obituary.

At a stated meeting of Loyal Division, No. 11, S. of T., Mahanoy City, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, in the dispensation of His infinite providence, to remove from our midst our brother, JOHN A. CURRY; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That we submit to the will of our Creator, who, as it pleaseth Him best, giveth and taketh away, and we herewith tender to our sister, his widow, our condolence and sympathy, assuring her that our love and respect are with her in this, her time of bereavement and affliction.

RESOLVED, That we will shroud our room with the usual badge of mourning for thirty days, as a token of respect and esteem for our deceased brother.

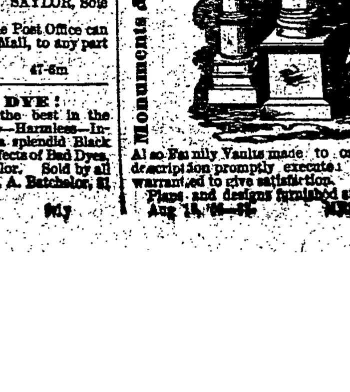
RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions be handed to the widow of the deceased; and also published in the Mahanoy City Gazette and Miners' Journal.

By order of the Division,

JNO. FARREL, JNO. W. BARBER, JAMES MATHIAS, } Committee.

ADORN THE GRAVES OF THE DEAD. EAGLE MARBLE WORKS, Pottsville, Pa. Marble, Granite, Picton and Brown Stone Family Vaults made to order. The work warranted to give entire satisfaction. Monuments, Plain and Ornamental, Head Stones, Tombs, Enclosures, Tablets, Urns, Lambs, Flower Vases, Mantels, Bureau, Table and Wash-stand Tops, &c., &c. Designs and Plans furnished and the work executed in the best style of art, and of the very best material. P. P. EISENBROWN (of Minersville), East Norwegian St., between Coal and Railroad Sts., near Pomroy's Foundry, Pottsville. May 5, '66 18-

REESER'S MARBLE WORKS Established in 1853. Mrs. Reeser would respectfully announce to the public that she will continue the Marble Works, at the old stand, corner Callowhill and Second Streets, (near Market,) Pottsville. Constantly on hand all kinds of



Also Family Vaults made to order. Work of every description promptly executed in the best style, and warranted to give satisfaction. Plans and designs furnished at the shortest notice. Aug 18, '66—33 MRS. LEWIS REESER.

GENERAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—OFFICE SHAMOKIN COAL COMPANY, Lancaster Colliery, Shamokin, Pa., February 20, 1867.—Proposals will be received at the office of the Company until Tuesday noon, March 5th, 1867, to mine, prepare and deliver the coal into the railroad cars at the breaker, at so much per ton, net weight. Full particulars can be obtained by application at the Company's Office. F. J. ANSPACH, Supt. Feb 23, '67 8-2t

FALSE REPORT.—TO ALL WHOM IT MAY OR MAY NOT CONCERN: This is to certify that the slanderous report that has been circulated against the minister of the A. M. E. Church, has been properly investigated by the undersigned, who find the report to be false. Signed, S. UNDERHILL, W. THOMPSON, J. MURRAY, G. P. THORNTON, J. WILKESHELM, Pottsville, Feb. 16, 1867.—8-1t*] Committee.

J. W. ROSEBERRY, Attorney-at-Law, has removed his office to the second floor, front room, above B. Bannan's Book-store, on Centre St. Pottsville, Feb. 14, '67—7-

NOTICE.—The firm of C. Cawley & Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The book accounts are left with G. Callen & Co. for collection, they being the successors in business at the same place. C. CAWLEY & CO. Mahanoy Plane, Janu. 21, '67 7-3t*

WHEREAS, a watch, overcoat pair of pantaloons and two globe maps have been left with me as security for board due, the owners are notified that they must be redeemed or they will be sold on Saturday, March 2, 1867. JESSE DRUMHELLER, White Horse Hotel, Pottsville. Feb 16, '67 7-3t*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons not to buy a Bond given to the subscriber by the County Commissioners, for the sum of $1565, dated April 11, 1865, as the same was stolen from him by robbers that broke in his house about 1 o'clock, A. M., February 9th, 1867. Payment of the Bond has been stopped. DANIEL KELLEY, Norwegian Township, Feb 16, '67 7-3t*

Office of Tremont Coal Company, No. 16, Philadelphia Exchange, PHILADELPHIA, February 11, 1867.—NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Tremont Coal Company will be held at No. 16, Philadelphia Exchange, in the city of Philadelphia, on Tuesday, the Twenty-sixth day of February, at 12 M., at which time and place the annual election for President and Directors to serve the ensuing year will be held. Feb 16, '67—7-2t GEO. H. COLKET, Secty.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have formed a Co-partnership as Attorneys at Law, under the name of BANNAN & SON. JOHN BANNAN, Pottsville, Feb 6, 1867—6- THOS. R. BANNAN.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—All persons are hereby notified not to give credit to my wife, Sarah Hoffman, on my account, as she has deserted my bed and board, and I will not be responsible for the same. AUGUSTUS HOFFMAN. Schuylkill Haven, Feb 7, '67 6-3t*

CRESSONA, JANUARY 23d, 1867.—The undersigned takes pleasure in publicly acknowledging the receipt of $75 from the Travellers' Accidental Insurance Company, by the hands of T. A. GODFREY, their Agent, in Pottsville, for three week's compensation for disability from a recent accident, and can recommend the Company for honorable and prompt dealings with their customers. Feb 9, '67—6-3t ALFRED J. BURTON.

CAUTION—PUMPS.—We hereby caution parties manufacturing and using Pumps against infringement of the patents of Wm. Sewell and A. S. Cameron, and A. S. Cameron, numbered in the United States Patent Office, 42,693 and 61,155 respectively and relating to valves made of metal and india rubber (or other elastic material) in conjunction and especially the form in which india rubber, &c., is inserted in annular grooves or recesses in metal valves. We understand that valves of this form are being introduced in Mining Pumps. We shall prosecute any infringement of the above patents to the fullest extent of the law. Signed, A. S. CAMERON & CO., Steam Pump Manufacturers, 22d St. corner of 2d Avenue, N. Y. Feb 9, '66 6-6t

THE NEW YORK & SCHUYLKILL COAL CO., have for sale, two or three Carriages, (one a two-horse Carriage,) 12 horses and 20 mules. ☞ For further particulars, apply to the office of the Company, at WOODSIDE, Schuylkill County, Pa. Feb 2, '67—5-

GOVERNMENT NATIONAL BANK.—POTTSVILLE, Nov. 8, 1866.—Notice is hereby given that the Circulating Notes of the Government Bank of Pottsville, Pa., will be redeemed at the counter of this Bank. Nov 10, '66—45-6m H. H. HUNTZINGER, Cashier.

TO IRON AND STEEL MANUFACTURERS.—The Proprietors and Assignees of the several Letters Patent issued to Henry Bessemer and Robert Mushet, of England, and to William Kelly and others, of this country, for the manufacture of Iron and Steel, by their various processes, in the United States, have, for the purpose of avoiding all conflict of claims under said patents, consolidated their interests, appointed the undersigned Trustees, and are now prepared to grant Licenses for Manufacture and Sale under the various Letters Patent, and to furnish all necessary information and working drawings. The great STRENGTH and TOUGHNESS, and perfect HOMOGENEITY of the Bessemer or Pneumatic Cast Steel, and the comparative cheapness of its production, as well as the adaptability of its use to almost every purpose to which iron is now applied, are already too well known to you to require comment. The process may be witnessed at the works of Messrs. WINSLOW, GRISWOLD & HOLLEY, at Troy. Further information as to terms and particulars of cost, instructions, &c., may be obtained by addressing either of the undersigned. JOHN F. WINSLOW, Troy, N. Y., JOHN A. GRISWOLD, Troy, N. Y., D. J. MORRELL, Johnstown, Pa., } Trustees. Jan 5, '67 1-6m

PATENT IMPROVEMENT OF STEAM USE.—To all whom it may Concern:—For and in consideration of $—— in hand, paid by JAMES WREN of the Borough of Pottsville, County of Schuylkill, to Lewis Eikenberry of Philadelphia, the receipt whereof has been acknowledged, the said Eikenberry has sold to said JAMES WREN the right to apply it in the County of Schuylkill State of Pennsylvania, to all Steam Engines now in use or that may hereafter be used, Lewis Eikenberry's Improved Cut-off for Economizing Steam by Expansion—for which letters patent, dated November 10, 1861, has been granted to the said Lewis Eikenberry by the United States. All persons desirous of information regarding the benefit of the Valve can receive the same at my office in Coal street. The benefit of this Valve to all steam engines is from 20 to 40 per cent. on the best engines built. It can be applied to all old engines. Machinists are requested to take part in this important improvement. They can secure from me the right for building new engines and also for putting the improvement on old engines. They can see the motion at my works in Coal street, where I have it on my engine showing the savings herein stated. It also can be seen at Ruch & Evans's Mill, at Atkins & Bros's and Palo Alto Rolling Mill. JAMES WREN, Washington Iron Works. Pottsville, Feb. 27, '66 9-tf

WANTED.

WANTED.—10,000 empty Coal Oil Barrels for which the highest price will be paid. Feb 23, '66—8- LEWIS C. THOMPSON & CO.

WANTED.—By a young man a situation as Clerk at a colliery or as book-keeper or salesman in a dry goods and grocery store. Satisfactory references given. Address P. O. BOX 166, Pottsville, Pa. Feb 23, '67 8-4t*

WANTED.—A situation by a practical man of 12 years experience as Superintendent of Mines, Machinery, &c. Good reference given. Address Feb 23, '67—8-3t POTTSVILLE P. O. BOX 332.

WANTED.—Ten or twelve empty Oil Casks in good condition, holding about 150 gallons. Apply to B. BANNAN.

WANTED TO RENT.—By a young married man (no family) a small house in or near Pottsville. Address P. O. BOX 1746, Philadelphia, stating terms, number of rooms, &c. 7-3t*

WANTED.—To rent a Tavern Stand for one or more years. A good business location required. Would rent with or without fixtures. Persons having such property to let will please address, stating terms, APPLICANT, BOX 30, Roaring Branch, Lycoming County, Pa. Feb 16, '67 7-4t

WANTED.—An energetic man, and one who is acquainted with the Hardware trade, to take a half interest in one of the best stands for the Hardware and Iron business, in Schuylkill County. ☞ For full particulars, address or call on AARON ECKEL, Feb 16, '67—7-3t Tremont, Schuyl. Co., Pa.

AGENCY WANTED.—Would like to procure the agency of a colliery for the sale of their coal for the New York market. Address COAL AGENT, Box No. 4169, New York Post Office. Feb 9, '66 6-3t

MACHINISTS.—Wanted two good Machinists, to whom good wages will be paid, and steady employment. Apply to GARNER & CHRISTIAN, Jan 31, '67—5-4t Ashland, Schuylkill Co., Pa.

WANTED.—Twelve good second-hand Boilers 20 or 24 inch diam. The highest cash price will be paid for Machinery or scrap iron of any description. Extra price paid for chain or railroad iron. Steam engines and machinery of all kinds bought and sold on commission at the Machinery Depot on Coal Street. JABEZ SPARKS. ☞ Orders by mail will receive prompt attention. Dec 23, '65 51-tf

STEAM ENGINES WANTED.—The undersigned wishes to purchase 3 second-hand Steam Engines, of 20 or 30 horse-power each. Address JABEZ SPARKS, Pottsville, Pa. May 1, '64 19-tf

LEGAL NOTICES.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Whereas, letters of administration on the estate of Charles Nelms, late of the Borough of Minersville, Schuylkill County, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber—all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will make them known without delay to J. WITZEMAN, Minersville, Executor of the late Chas. Nelms. Minersville, Feb. 20, '67. 8 6t

NOTICE.—Whereas letters of Administration on the estate of Bernard Mulvehill, late of North Manheim Township, have been granted to the subscriber by the Register of Schuylkill County—Notice is hereby given to all those indebted to said estate to make payment and those having claims will present them for settlement. DANL. CANTLON Admin'r. Feb 16, '67 7-3t*

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the Orphans' Court of Schuylkill County—estate of Daniel Devine, dec'd. The undersigned Auditor, appointed to distribute the balance in the hands of John Medler, administrator of said Daniel Devine, deceased, to and among the parties entitled to receive the same, will meet the parties interested for the purposes of his appointment on SATURDAY, the 9th day of March, 1867, at 11 o'clock, A. M., at his office on Centre street, Pottsville. WM. R. SMITH, Auditor. Feb. 9, '67 6-3t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Whereas letters of Administration having been granted by the Register of Schuylkill Co., upon the estate of Henry Saylor, late of the Borough of Pottsville, to the undersigned, all persons indebted are hereby notified to make payment, and those having claims against said estate, to present them to the undersigned, without delay. CAROLINE SAYLOR, Administratrix. Pottsville, Feb. 9, 1867. 6-6t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Whereas, letters of administration on the estate of Thomas Thomas, late of Reilly Township, Schuylkill County, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber; all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them without delay to WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Administrator, Ex'tor of the nuncupative will of Thos. Thomas, dec'd. Feb. 9, '67 6-6t*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Whereas Letters of Administration on the estate of Benjamin Williams, late of Cass Township, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same will make them known without delay to MARK HODGES, Administrator, Minersville, or to his Attorney, DAVID A. JONES. Feb 2, '67 5-6t*

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Whereas, the undersigned was appointed in the will of the late Charles Cowley, late of Pottsville, as executor of his estate, all persons indebted are hereby notified to make payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them to the undersigned. Pottsville, Jan. 19, 1867. 3-6t SILAS BALL.

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FOR SALE.—2 Schuylkill Canal Boats, fully equipped, and in good order in every respect. A low price will be taken for them—CASH. Address LEWIS W. PHILLIPS, Box 1250, New York P. O. Feb 23, '67 8-3t

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FOR SALE.—The house and lot on Mahantongo street now occupied by the undersigned. Possession given on the first of April. If not previously sold at private sale, the premises will be sold at public sale at Pennsylvania Hall, on Saturday, the ninth of March, 1867, at 2 o'clock P. M. Apply to FRANKLIN B. GOWEN. Feb 23, '67 8-3t

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TO RENT.—A store at Cressona, formerly occupied by J. B. Hoffman. It is a good stand, with a favorable location and low rent.—For particulars apply to F. BECK, Agent, Feb 9, '67—6 3t On the premises.

FOR SALE.—A Dwelling House on Centre st., in Norwegian Addition to Pottsville, opposite the Odd Fellows' Cemetery. For price, apply on the premises to EDWIN COOK. Feb. 9, '67 6-3t*

FOR SALE.—A three-story Brick Dwelling House and Lot in Morris' Addition, Pottsville, at present occupied by Charles M. Hill, Esq. Possession given on first of April next. Apply to THOS. R. BANNAN, Pottsville. Feb 9, '67 6-tf

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FOR SALE.—A sixty foot lot and two-story house on Mahantongo street, now occupied by Thomas H. Walker, Esq. Possession given on May 1, 1867. Apply to Dec. 29, '66 52- FRANKLIN B. GOWEN.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR Sale.—The undersigned offers for sale in the Borough of Pottsville, a corner lot on Mauch Chunk and Coal Streets, thereupon a double two-story Brick Dwelling House and a one and a half story frame house which is occupied as a Restaurant. The lot contains 123 feet on Mauch Chunk street and 45 feet on Coal street. This property is one of the best located for store or hotel in the Borough. Also 45 building lots between Port Carbon and Pottsville. A beautiful location for building lots for Mechanics, Laborers, &c. The water pipes have been lately laid by the Pottsville Water Company all along these lots. They are near the Pottsville Agricultural Park Grounds. The lots are offered reasonably.—Terms will be made known. Also 116 acres of land favorably known as the Tumbling Run Farm, 50 acres are in cultivation, 10 acres out in winter grain, 3 acres of over 2000 grape vines of the best quality, an orchard with 150 trees, part of them in bearing condition, Apples, Pears, Peaches, Cherries, &c., all of the first class fruit, two substantial farm houses with large gardens, large stable, shedding, ice houses, running stream of water and pump at the stable. For further information apply to GEO. LAUER, Orchard Brewery, Pottsville, Pa. December 8, '66 49-

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