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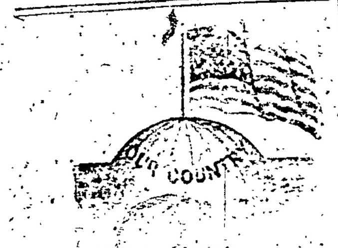

"Be just and fear not;
Let all the ends thou aim'st at be thy country's,
Thy God's and truth's."

WHO PAYS THE DUTIES

THE ENGLISH IRON TRADE.

IMPORTANT FACTS.

England built up her immense iron trade by protecting this great interest for a period of about 150 years. She did not withdraw this protection until 1847, the year in which Walker's free trade of 1846 destroyed the tariff of 1842. As the bill of 1846, in the interest of the slave holders, was read and approved in the English House of Commons before printed copies of the law were laid on the desks of our members of Congress, no doubt the matter was understood between the English Government and our free traders. From an interesting article written by Mr. Alfred Dutton, of Chicago, and published in the N. Y. Tribune, we glean some very important facts, which shows pretty clearly that additional duties on foreign manufactures are plainly paid by the producers abroad in reductions of prices in order to retain their market as far as possible, and but a small portion, if any, by the consumers. In this article we learn that the duties imposed by Great Britain on bar iron was in 1762 £2 16s. This duty was imposed to protect her trade from Russian and Swedish bar iron. From that period to 1846 the duties were charged as follows by the English Government:

	£	s.	d.
1762 to 1796 the duties were	2	16s.	2d.
1796	3	1	9
1797	3	4	7
1798 to 1803	3	5	5
1803	4	4	4
1804	4	17	1
1805	5	1	9
1806	5	7	7½
1809 to 1818	5	9	10
1818 and 1819	6	10	0
1819 to 1827	1	10	0
1827 to 1841	1	0	0
1841 to 1847	1	0	0

The above shows that the English duties on iron from 1805 to 1819 were higher than the duties ever imposed on Foreign Iron in the United States.

The first Protective Bill passed in this country was in 1824 and took effect in 1825. At that time English bar iron was selling at £11 16s 8d. In 1828 our Protective duties were increased, and we had protection to our industry until 1846, when these duties were materially decreased on iron under the compromise bill of 1832, which gradually reduced all the duties on the bill of 1828 down to 20 per cent. in 1840. From 1836 to 1842, we had a free trade tariff, and after 1846 we had a free trade tariff, the [illegible] that its effects were not felt until 1849, on account of large exports of breadstuffs during the famine in Ireland, in payment of foreign products.

We will now give the prices of English bar iron, together with English duties, from 1825 to 1847, and mark how prices rose in England when our duties were reduced on English bar iron, and how they declined when we protected our home interests, which shows that the producers in England were compelled to lower their prices and profits, whenever we protected our trade at home, to nearly the amount of our duties; and thus, while we protected our home industry, we also compelled them to contribute largely to the support of our Government. Here are the figures:

Year.		English Duties.	Price of English Bar Iron.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1824	Protective Tariff enacted on foreign Bar Iron	[illegible]	14 10 8
1825	Took effect	6 10 0	10 6 8
1826	Protective	1 10 0	[illegible]
[illegible]			9 0 10
[illegible]			7 13 4
[illegible]			6 13 5
[illegible]			6 5 0
[illegible]			6 5 0
[illegible]			7 5 0
[illegible]			7 18 4
[illegible]			6 15 0
[illegible]			6 10 0
[illegible]			10 18 4
[illegible]			9 5 0
[illegible]			9 14 2
[illegible]	Free trade		9 10 0
[illegible]	Lessening protection		8 9 2
[illegible]			6 5 0
1843	Tariff of 1842		5 2 0
1844	Tariff		6 15 0
1845	Protected		5 0 0
1846	Protection destroyed		9 5 0
1847	Protection removed		10 0 0

In 1846, 1847, 1848 in order to check our progress in iron, the English producers put down their prices about one-third the rates they charged under our Free Trade Policy. These are the facts and we invite the particular attention of our readers to the figures, which speak for themselves.

THE PROTECTIVE POLICY.

We are frequently asked, why agitate the tariff question when we have ample protection already. It is true that probably on about one-half of our products the present duties, with gold at 30 per cent, which is so much additional protection, is sufficient; and on some articles the duties are higher than necessary. But on the other half, where a large amount of labor enters into their production, they are inadequate. What the protectionists desire is a revision of the present tariff bill, and its adjustment in all its parts in the interest of home industry, increasing the duties where required, and reducing those that are too high. This is absolutely required, because home industry can never prosper with only one half of its interests fostered. It requires all to be protected from the lower labor and capital of Europe to insure general prosperity throughout the country. For instance, the protection given to the woolen interests of the country was shorn of a large portion of its advantages, because other branches of industry having intimate connection with its prosperity were not sufficiently protected; but with the protection given, this interest has taken rapid strides, and we can now produce as fine cloths at home as in any country in Europe, with the same material, as with other manufactures.

A gentleman engaged in the hardware business in Philadelphia, informed us a short time ago that not one third of the goods now found in the stores in their stores are of foreign manufacture, while but a few years ago more than three fourths were imported. So with the cutlery trade. Our American manufacturers have nearly driven Sheffield cutlery out of our market; and an English agent at New York, writing to Sheffield acknowledges the fact, and advises the English manufacturers either to adopt the American patterns, or get at something else. This letter has been published at Sheffield, from which we make the following extracts:

"In this country manufacturing companies have stimulated into their present position after frequent failures and collapses. But to a user were they crushed by one misfortune than they reorganized, unless the old plant, &c., probably at 5s. in the pound, and starting in this way from a position of advantage. The result is that some concerns in the table cutlery trade have works, machinery, and organization such as Sheffield never knew. The sale of some of these concerns for the year ending June 30 to your letter Sheffield manufacturer, manufacturers fail to export to this market, amounted to $[illegible]. Among these Sheffield makers, there are fourteen.

"The manufacturers, either alone or in combination, must adopt the machinery, system, patterns, and style of the Yankee knife without reserve. If it were practicable for one set of manufacturers to confine themselves to the recovery only of the table knife trade, another to the recovery of butcher knives, another to scissors and scissors and so on, so as to concentrate the attention of each class on one subject, it would be much better, especially if it was preceded by the visit of a practical man or two to this side to examine and report to the interests of the whole. There is this great difficulty, however, in the way,—I know the impracticability of most of the manufacturers in the foreign table knife trade. What the means of one man may not suffice to do, those of all can may in the form of a limited liability company. Combination of capital among manufacturers, the unreserved adoption of the machinery, styles and quality to use here, and the hearty co-operation of the workmen through, and I believe, would bring back the business to Sheffield, but without that the adoption these works would be useless. If they be looking for a revival in the American demand for scale and round tang medium table knives and forks get into some other trade the better. As time goes on the break down in the protective tariffs of this country (which is inevitable), and the approach of gold to par will be a Sheffield manufacturers very slow, but there is a question of time, and whether any of these will [illegible]. Nothing short of the [illegible] in its coarser [illegible].

"The collapse which has come upon these immovable knife trade, in an appreciable degree, overhead a [illegible] knife trade. Combination of capital [illegible] of machinery, common [illegible] per cent., [illegible] and a spelling fair material effect to [illegible] buyers with [illegible] are all at work, and must be beat in the same way. What would the little masters of Sheffield think of a little [illegible] by one company being started (near New York) to make cutlery, with a capital of $[illegible]? And yet that is a fact—an undoubted fact, probably."

Such is the effect of protection to our home industry, and it is no wonder that English manufacturers are spending millions of dollars in buying up presses, paying lecturers, and influencing members of Congress to break down our protective policy.

The same writer states that the large supply of Sheffield cutlery purchased by planters for the use of the slaves, will not sell now, because the negro requires a better article, and purchase American manufactures altogether.

Our telegraphic columns give the particulars of a terrible steamboat disaster on the Mississippi river, by which over two hundred lives are reported to have been lost. Another horror added to the many that have gone before.

THE PURITY OF THE BALLOT-BOX.

Good laws well executed are productive of benefit to communities and to the people. The Registry Law passed at the last session of the Legislature prevented the perpetration of much fraud at the late election, and the result in Philadelphia and Luzerne county, for instance, proves it. For the reform it has produced and will continue to produce, let us all be thankful.

Still, at the late election, frauds through the connivance of election officers, crept in, and there is one instance in our own county so glaring and so unblushing, that in the interest of the purity of the ballot; to furnish an example and warning for the future, and to show election officers they must discharge their duties honestly, fairly and impartially, we would strongly urge the prosecution of the election officers in the case. We allude to the matter of ballot-box stuffing at the late election in Norwegian Township.

We will state the case clearly, so that our citizens may see that there is ample ground for proceeding as we suggest.

According to the election papers of Norwegian Township as handed in to the Prothonotary and Clerk of the session, there were 232 votes polled.

Now let us analyze the vote as returned to the Board of return Judges, and see how many were legal and how many were stuffed in by the connivance of the election officers:

Whole number of legal voters	232
The vote for Governor was—	
Asa Packer	173
John W. Geary	54
	227
Five below the legal number.	
The vote for Supreme Judge was—	
C. L. Pershing	181
H. W. Williams	54
	231
One below the legal number.	
The Legislative ticket averaged 244.	
Stuffed in the ballot-box, 12 illegal votes.	
The vote for Prothonotary was—	
Wm. Garrett	60
Wm. J. Matz	191
	251
Stuffed into the box, 19 illegal votes.	
The vote for Treasurer was—	
J. T. Werner	69
Edward Bradley	183
	252
Stuffed into the box, 20 illegal votes.	
The vote for Recorder was—	
B. F. Crawshaw	64
J. F. Junkurth	185
	248
Stuffed into the box, 17 illegal votes.	
The vote for Register was—	
C. E. Beck	58
Chas. McGee	195
	253
Stuffed into the box, 21 illegal votes.	
The vote for Clerk of the Sessions was—	
S. A. Losch	69
C. F. Rahn	182
	251
Stuffed into the box, 19 illegal votes.	
The vote for Commissioner was—	
J. R. Davis	69
Peter Miller	182
	251
Stuffed into the box, 19 illegal votes.	
The vote for Director was—	
Wm. Shoener	55
F. McGuigh	196
	251
Stuffed into the box, 19 illegal votes.	
The vote for Auditor was—	
F. W. Reber	69
S. G. De Turk	182
	251
Stuffed into the box, 19 illegal votes.	
For Township Officers, the returns were as follows:	
SUPERVISOR.	
Martin Curran	82
Thomas Brennan	157
	239
Stuffed into the box, 7 illegal votes.	
TREASURER.	
John Hanney	93
James Marsh	159
	252
Stuffed into the box, 20 illegal votes.	
TOWNSHIP CLERK.	
Patrick McDonald	114
James McCullin	158
	272
Stuffed into the box, 40 illegal votes.	
AUDITOR.	
Edward Pugh	86
Uriah Barnes	157
	243
Stuffed into the box, 11 illegal votes.	
SCHOOL DIRECTORS.	
Patrick Larkin	84
Wm. L. Lener	84
John Larkin	85
James Barry	158
John Purcell	157
John Gallagher	157
Stuffed into the box, 10 illegal votes.	
JUDGE OF ELECTION.	
Martin Fahey	83
Wm Kelley	157
	240
Stuffed into the box, 8 illegal votes.	
INSPECTOR OF ELECTION.	
Patrick Murry	88
William Owens	157
	240
Stuffed into the box, 8 illegal votes.	
CONSTABLE.	
John Lynch	157
Peter Turney	157
	314
Stuffed into the box, 82 illegal votes.	

Here is evidence, plain and conclusive, of fraud, which could not have been perpetrated without the connivance of the election officers of Norwegian township. Comment is unnecessary. The facts speak for them selves. We therefore, in the interest of a fair election, of the purity of the ballot, and common justice, ask that these officers who have been guilty of a crime, be prosecuted and punished. It is necessary as an example and to teach them and all election boards disposed to play false in violation of their oaths of office, that they cannot in the future do it with impunity.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

All books and periodicals noticed in this department can be had at Bannan & Ramsey's Bookstore, at publishers' prices.

GOOD HEALTH.—The November number is on our table. The contents are Our Drinks; Structure and Care on the Ear; The Abuse of Physical Exercise; Animal Parasites of the Human Skin; First help in accidents; Fish Breeding; Terrestrial Magnetism; Sleepiness in Infants; Connection between Food and Animal Energy; The Use of Fruits and Coffee, &c., &c. The number is an admirable one. Published by Alexander Moore, No. 21 Franklin street, Boston. Monthly 20 cents; yearly, $2.

BLACKWOOD'S MAGAZINE.—The September number has been republished by The Leonard Scott Publishing Co., 140 Fulton street, New York. The contents are, Lost Preterites; On the Limitation of Enlistment and Army Reserves; A Year and a Day.—Part V; Mr. Mill on the Subjection of Women; A Night with the Volunteers of Strathkinahan; Cornelius O'Dowd inimitable papers; The Winding up.

PACKARD'S MONTHLY.—The November number of this magazine, has the following table of contents; Bayard Taylor's Second Home; Facts about Working Women; The Wall street Menagerie; My First Fifty Miles Ride with the Cavalryman; A Frontier Desperado; Birth-place of Rip Van Winkle; Pharisee John: An Evening with the Progressives; Valets de Place; Women and Education; An Hour with a Life Convict; A Statistical View of the Woman Question; Thanksgiving Day. S. S. Packard, publisher, 937 Broadway, New York. One dollar a year—single copies, 15 cents.

Local Affairs.

Weekly Almanac.

Nov.—'69.	SUN RISES	SUN SETS	MOON'S CHANGES.			
30 Saturday	6	22 4	58			
31 Sunday	6	23 4	56	New M. 3	8	58 ev.
1 Monday	6	20 4	57	First Q. 10	9	22 ev.
2 Tuesday	6	21 4	54	Full M. 19	2	22 mo.
3 Wednesday	6	21 4	54	Last Q. 25	1	19 ev.
4 Thursday	6	24 4	53			
5 Friday	6	26 4	63			

METEOROLOGICAL TABLE.

Temperature for the Week.

State of the Thermometer for the week ending Thursday.—Kept for the MINERS' JOURNAL by W. S. Luther.

Oct.—1869.	6 A. M.	NOON.	6 P. M.
22 Friday	34	54	42
23 Saturday	41	45	44
24 Sunday	40	46	44
25 Monday	25	36	31
26 Tuesday	34	40	36
27 Wednesday	36	40	34
28 Thursday	30	38	36

To-morrow.—Forty-fourth Sunday of the year and twenty-third after Trinity. Day's length, 10 hours and 29 minutes.

The Rev. Sardes will preach in the 2d Presbyterian Church, Market street, to-morrow morning at 10½ o'clock. All are cordially invited. Seats free.

Only 20 cents for a Superior Oyster Stew at Potts' Ladies & Gents Restaurant, No. 171 Centre street. Prices reduced to suit the times. Call and see for yourselves.

Masonic.—The indications are that the Convocation here, on Tuesday next, will be largely attended. A special train has been chartered to run from Tremont.

Applications for Life Insurance in the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York are respectfully solicited by James Wooly, New Philadelphia, Schuylkill County, Pa. Assets of the company, over $32,000,000. 1f

Flower Gardens.—They look very lawless just now. Excepting chrysanthemums and belated dahlias, their glories are mostly gone. The honey bee, after the first of October, folds up his "sucker" like a telescope, and lies back upon the earnings from the clover and the rose.

Carpetings cheap at Focht's, 261 Centre street. 42-tf

Central Express.—Persons who send packages by express, will probably, be interested in learning, that on and after Monday next, the express messenger who has heretofore left here in the 9 o'clock train for Philadelphia, will leave at 5.45, A. M., and returning, leave Philadelphia at 5.15 P. M., reaching here between 9 and 10 o'clock.

Be sure to call on the Agent of the Continental Life Insurance Company of New York, before insuring elsewhere. 13-tf

Insure in the PENN MUTUAL Life Insurance Company, of Philadelphia, PURELY MUTUAL. Assets, invested, $2,500,000, all the profits divided among the policy holders every year. Dividends 50 per cent. Every information furnished on application, personally or by mail to Joseph H. Richards, Agt, Minersville, Pa. tf

A most delightful and instructive lecture was that delivered last night, at Union Hall, by Mr. Dickinson, on California, a trip thither, on Salt Lake City and the Mormons, on the Yo Semite Valley, Colorado, etc. We consider it without exception one of the best ever delivered in this Borough. We will refer to it more at length in to-morrow's JOURNAL.

Dress Goods cheap at Focht's, 261 Centre street. 42-tf

The County Institute.—The seventh annual session of the Schuylkill County Teachers' Institute will be held in Mahanoy City, commencing on Sunday morning, November 8th, at 10 o'clock, A. M. For full particulars in reference to the programme of proceedings for the session, and other matters of interest to those teachers who contemplate attending, we refer to the advertisement in another column, of Jesse Newlin, County Superintendent.

Weather Strips.—Every one to whom comfort is alike an object with the saving of fuel should keep out the searching blasts from door and window by means of weather strips. People who have never applied them will be astonished at the immensity of the improvement in the temperature of their houses. They are detachable, and last forever. They are cheaper than either cough syrups or rheumatic mixtures.

Try R. B. Morris's black Teas, and be convinced of their quality. tc

Anniversary of the Reformation.—The three hundred and fifty second anniversary of the Reformation will be celebrated in the Lutheran churches on to-morrow. It was on the 31st of October, 1517, that Luther nailed his ninety-five Theses to the door of the church at Wittenberg, and openly attacked the doctrine of indulgences.

We understand that interesting and appropriate services will be held in the Market street Lutheran church at 10½ o'clock. All are invited.

Shawls cheap at Focht's, 261 Centre street. 42-tf

M'll Marie Zoe and her New York Company will commence a series of dramatic entertainments in Union Hall, this Borough, on Thursday evening next, November 4. They will open with the military drama, entitled the French Spy. During the play M'lle Zoe (as the Arab boy,) will execute a terrific sword combat, in which it is said she has no equal. She is considered the most proficient swordswoman on the stage. Each evening's performance will conclude with a roaring farce.

The best cook stove in the market, the Iron Sides, can be had at Solomon Hoover's house furnishing store, No. 285 Centre street. 22-tc

Pennsylvania National Bank.—On the 27th inst., at a meeting of the Directors of this Bank, J. Albert Huntzinger, Esq., tendered his resignation as President, which was accepted. G. H. Dengler, Esq., having also, tendered his resignation as Cashier, he was on motion, unanimously elected President. Wallace F. Ryon, Esq., was elected Cashier.

Mr. Dengler has been connected with the Bank ever since its organization, and will make we do not doubt, a most efficient President.

Mr. Ryon is also, a capable gentleman, and will discharge the duties of Cashier, doubtless, with fidelity and satisfaction.

Mr. Joseph Dengler, a competent gentleman, has been elected Teller of the Institution.

The Continental Life Insurance Company of New York, is not in any way connected with any other company either life or fire. It is the most successful Life Insurance Company of its age. 13-tf

The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the Pottsville Post Office, October 29th, 1869:

J. W. Bradbury, John Burke, Jane Burke, Mary Barkley, Mary Bock, Catharine Broggan, Eva. R. Brandon, Susan Charde, Mrs. L. M. Eckwald, Mary Ann Harley, Martha Hopkins, Thomas Hogan, Maurice King, Frederick Laminet, Owen Loftus, Walter Lawton, Daniel McGlincey, John McElwee, Thomas McNellis, Maggie Monroe, George O'Brien, John Power, Rev. Thomas Pugh, William Quinn, Frank Reinhart, Wm. Hallsted, Catharine Robinhold, B. B. Seidel & Co, John L. Snyder, Peter Shuman, Emily S. Skillen, John Thommsson, Rev. Thomas Thomas, Mrs. Maria Thomas, Elizabeth Urob, Thomas Waddell, W. E. Wilson.

Insure your life in the North American Mutual Life Insurance Company of Phila. It possesses a substantial capital; $100,000 of which in Government Bonds, is deposited with the Auditor General of Pennsylvania, as a security for policy holders. Rates low and dividends annual. For further information apply to Luther S. Kauffman, General Agent, Minersville, Pa. 25-tc

Death of a Soldier.—Mr. Valentine Kimmel, late a brave soldier of Company H, 48th Pennsylvania Regiment, died in Shenandoah City on Sunday last, in the 28th year of his age. Mr. Kimmel was a member of the Shenandoah Post, G. A. R., and of the Odd Fellows.

His remains will be interred this afternoon in Presbyterian Cemetery, this Borough, from the residence of his parents, Howard Avenue.

The members of Gowen Post, No. 23, will meet at their room this afternoon, at 1 o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral. All honorably discharged soldiers are invited to meet at the room and proceed with the Post to the house.

The dying request of this brave soldier, was that he should be buried with the honors of war, and it is to be hoped that a large number of his late comrades-in-arms will meet at the Post room this afternoon and assist in paying the last honors to a good soldier and worthy citizen.

Hydrophobia.—This terrible disease is quite prevalent in this county at this time. A number of persons and animals have been bitten. Several cases of animals being bitten have occurred in this Borough lately. About three weeks since a dog owned by Mr. A. Moore, residing in Market street, exhibiting signs of hydrophobia, bit two of Mr. Moore's pigs, in the rear of No. 416 Market street. He also bit a number of dogs, and a couple of children, but not sufficient to draw blood. The animal was shortly after killed. On Thursday last eighteen days after it was bitten, one of the pigs exhibited signs of hydrophobia, and yesterday, when we saw it, it was affected by spasms. At noon it was killed. The other pig was not affected. Two dogs in the vicinity were also known to have been bitten, were shot yesterday.

The Chief Burgess, we understand, contemplates issuing a notice, requiring all owners of dogs to either muzzle or tie them up. We think it highly necessary to prevent any catastrophe to our people from the running at large of any animals that may possibly be affected by the virus.

Handsome Cologne Toilet Setts, &c., suitable for wedding and other gifts, just received, for sale cheap, at Trexell's China and Glassware store, 256, Centre street. tf

Coming Winter.—Its suggestions are thickening, and most of them are unwelcome. First come the frosty nights and mornings, followed by the dark and dismal rains, which make overshoes and overcoats a necessity. Next comes a dispatch from "out west" announcing a temperature of ten degrees below zero among the Montana hills—and this on the twentieth of October! And at this moment the hills in parts of northern New England are already white with snow. It may be, albeit the weather still continues clear, that we shall get a touch of snow here among our Pennsylvania hills yet before the close of October—though such visitations are commonly a good deal later here than in New England. All the indications we have had so far this month, point not only to a severe, but an uncommonly early winter. These dark and chilling storms make one involuntarily wish for the power to fly with the birds that follow the sun in his southward flight to the lands where the reign of summer is unending.

On next Monday evening, the Minersville Literary Society will discuss the question "Should the United States undertake to control the political movements of this continent?" It is expected that the discussion of this question will be unusually attractive, and all persons, whether members of the Society or not, are urged to attend. The meeting will be held in Moorhead's Hall and will be opened at 7½ o'clock.

We learn from a member of this Society that next Monday will be the fourth anniversary of its organization, and that it has kept up a continued course of lectures and debates during the whole period of its existence. It has never suspended operations for a longer time than two months, and that but once; it started with a half dozen members, but is now supported by over one hundred of the best citizens of the town, and it possesses a very valuable library for circulation amongst its members. We congratulate our friends of Minersville upon their success in establishing their literary society, and though they will have many difficulties to meet, we urge them to continue their labors in this direction, for nothing tends so much to elevate the intellectual standing of a community as a well conducted literary association.

Blankets cheap at Focht's, 261 Centre street. 42-tf

A Horrible, Desperately Wicked Act—Three Boys hold a Fourth over a Fire and Roast Him.—We have heard of an act perpetrated on the 25th instant, near this Borough, which surpasses in cool ferocity and fiendishness anything that ever took place in this County. It seems that on that day, three boys belonging to this Borough or Mt. Carbon, it is not yet definitely known, went out on the road between this Borough and Cressona, until they reached a point about a mile beyond Hillside. About a quarter of a mile from the house of a laborer named Hornickel, several children were playing, among them his son Frederick, between 11 and 12 years of age. The boys when they reached this spot, built a fire, seized and dragged Frederick to it, and most horrible to state, held the little boy over it, until he was actually roasted. Then they fled.—When found the injured boy was in a terrible condition, and it is feared that he is burned internally by inhaling the flames. He has not been able to talk since the occurrence and is in a critical condition.

We understand that the motive for the inhuman act is supposed to have been revenge for information that Frederick had given of some boys who had recently robbed a neighbor's spring house.

One arrest has been made, and after a partial hearing before Squire Frailey the accused was held for a further hearing on Wednesday next.

That mere boys should be guilty of such a fiendish act, seems incomprehensible, but the facts of the case are to that effect. If discovered and convicted, the incarceration in prison for a life-time, would not be too severe a punishment.

The celebrated Hickory coal at Pottsville coal yard. 18-tf

Don't forget to call at Potts' Ladies and Gents Oyster, Ice cream and Dining Saloon, where hot coffee, tea, oysters in every style, as well as other refreshments can be procured at all hours. Parties always furnished with Oyster suppers at short notice and moderate prices. No. 171 Centre St., second door from Mahantongo. tf

Tableaux of Erin.—This beautiful and most interesting Entertainment closed a most successful Engagement in Pottsville, on the 23rd. The spacious Hall was crowded nightly, and from the frequent bursts of applause which greeted the painting, the music, the singing and the acting. The Entertainment can safely be set down as a complete success. The rendition of the beautiful ballads of Ireland by Miss Annie Irish was most enthusiastically received as was also the charming character of Kathleen as performed by Miss Sadie McGill, also the character of Wobbleton by Mr. Barnum was portrayed in a style which stamps him as a master of his profession. The great feature of the whole is the character of Dublin Dan, the Guide, as performed by Mr. John H. Burke, who kept the audience in one continuous shout of laughter, with his truthful and natural acting of the rollicking young Irishman, who acts as guide to the party.

But the Tableaux itself has certainly merit enough to it without the music and fun which accompanies it. "Good wine needs no bush," and the Tableaux of Erin needs no word of praise from us. As the Entertainment will visit every available locality in this County, we heartily recommend it to all and every one of the numerous readers of our Journal.

The Case of a Father and Two Sons being Bitten by a Mad Dog.—A day or two since we stated briefly the fact that Mr. Jonathan Hoffman, who keeps a hotel near the Broad Mountain, on the State road between Donaldson and Schwenk's tavern, had with his two sons been bitten by a mad dog. The full particulars are thus given in yesterday's Tremont News:

On Monday morning very early, Mr. Straup, a huckster from the valley, stopped at Hoffman's hotel on his way to market. Mr. Hoffman had not yet arisen, and Mr. Straup threw himself on a lounge in the barroom to wait till the proprietor should arise. No soon er had he done so, than a large dog came in by the barroom door, made a spring for the couch. Mr. Straup quickly threw a robe over his body, and on which the dog alighted without doing any harm, and again withdrew. Mr. Straup then got up and opened the door, and the dog ran out; meeting a pig in his way he bit it severely, and passed on to the stable, where he inserted his teeth into one of the legs of a handsome mare. Mr. Straup then ran back, and that the dog was mad, and hurried in to inform the owner of his strange proceeding. Mr. Hoffman came into the room in a few minutes, and passed behind the bar; the dog entered almost simultaneously from some quarter, sprang across the bar, caught Mr. Hoffman by the breast and before he could be torn off, had bitten out a piece of the flesh. The two sons it seems were bitten in trying to tear the dog from their father, the elder one is 26 years of age, and was bitten through the hand; the younger is 16 years of age, but we have not learned on what part of the body he was bitten; we learn, though, that it was but slightly. Dr. Schoppe, of Germanville, was sent for, and we believe he entertains hopes of curing the son, but can give no encouragement to the father. We understand, too, that a little girl of the same family was bitten by the dog some time ago; but at that time they had no idea of its being mad.

The dog was afterwards secured and killed.

Beautiful Banner for the Workingmen's Benevolent Association, District No. 8, Girardville.—A day or two since we had the pleasure of examining at the store of Fisher Brothers, this Borough, a really magnificent silk banner, neatly inscribed and illustrated, gotten up by that firm, upon the order of the Workingmen's Benevolent Association, District No. 8, of Girardville, this County.

The banner which is about three feet broad and five long, is composed on one side of blue silk and on the other of crimson, is trimmed with rich gold lace and fringe, and is otherwise neatly ornamented. The banner is hung on a staff which is surmounted by a gilt eagle with outspread wings and in his beak, streamers of white ribbon.

The blue side bears the following inscription:

THE WORKINGMEN'S BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION,
DISTRICT No. 8,
Girardville, Pa.
[picture of safety lamp.]
IN GOD WE TRUST.
MINERS' AND LABORERS' UNION.
[picture of pick, shovel and drill.]
"United we stand, divided we fall."

On the other, or crimson side, is the following inscription:

"MAN'S INHUMANITY TO MAN MAKES COUNTLESS THOUSANDS MOURN."
WE WANT FAIR BALANCES UPON OUR BEAMS.
[picture of a pair of scales.]
PROTECTION TO AMERICAN INDUSTRY.
[picture of miner at work with a pick, and a burning lamp on his cap.]
THE LABORING MAN IS THE NOBLEST WORK OF GOD.

We understand that the District which is the possessor of this fine banner, will have a parade soon, and that it expects to turn out about 800 men in line. Each man will wear a rosette, red, white and blue, with gold star in the centre, surmounted by the figure 8 in silver.

District No. 8 is point of display, promises at its forthcoming parade to carry off the palm.

Court of Common Pleas.—The following is a list of names of Traverse Jurors, drawn to attend the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Schuylkill, on Monday the 22d day of November, 1869, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon:

Geo. G. Jacoby, merchant, Shenandoah.
Joseph M. Reichert, yeoman, New Philadelphia.
Jas. Fuller, miner, Tremont Township.
Michael Merkle, merchant, Minersville.
John L. Coho, carpenter, North Manheim.
Henry Hesser, clerk, Schuylkill Haven.
Richard Nash, engineer, Cressona.
James Wren, founder, Pottsville.
Wm. Seasold, carpenter, Mahanoy Twp.
Wm. Smith, engineer, Cressona.
Geo. Berger, merchant, Mahanoy City.
Wm. Mantz, innkeeper, West Penn.
Danl. H. Albright, Esq., Cressona.
Charles W. Saylor, merchant, Sch. Haven.
Jac. F. Heim, Esq., Branch.
Anthony Lally, yeoman, Ashland.
Chas. Haines, merchant, Union.
Jac. Frantz, miner, St. Clair.
Nathan Bolich, drover, Ashland.
Jos. Gombler, farmer, West Penn.
Francis Roth, carpenter, Mahanoy City.
Robert C. Wilson, farmer, Butler.
Nathan Fehr, merchant, Mahanoy City.
John L. Bond, innkeeper, North Union.
Abner Klees, boss, Butler.
George Freed, blacksmith, Sch. Haven.
Charles C. Leader, merchant, Schuylkill Haven.
Adam Snyder, innkeeper, Sch. Haven.
William Landefeld, cabinet maker, Ashland.
Obed Kerr, merchant, Mahanoy City.
Jeremiah Hummel, plasterer, North Manheim.
F. B. Dreher, Esq., Mahanoy City.
Frank Rhoads, watch-master, Cressona.
Danl. B. Artz, teacher, Hubley.
A. A. Reed, boss, Mahanoy township.
John Pounder, machinist, Butler.

Second week—On Monday, November 29th, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

John Fegely, innkeeper, Tremont Borough.
Peter C. Klock, carpenter, Ashland.
Moses Wolfgang, mason, Ashland.
George W. Cole, operator, Tamaqua.
Solomon Kuhn, boss, Tremont Borough.
Frank H. Garrett, merchant, Ashland.
Benjamin K. Fisher, yeoman, Porter.
Henry Barr, blacksmith, Tamaqua.
Abraham Brant, yeoman, Branch.
Henry Bast, merchant, Ashland.
William Flammer, farmer, North Manheim.
Wm. H. Burchfield, sadler, Ashland.
Edward Brown, farmer, South Manheim.
David A. Smith, tailor, Pottsville.
Joseph H. Richards, merchant, Minersville.
Collins Reifsnyder, farmer, Upper Mahantongo.
Jacob Kantner, agent, Cressona.
Nathan Weiss, tobacconist, Pottsville.
Clark Sayre, merchant, Mahanoy City.
David Mantz, farmer, West Penn.
Abraham Bressler, farmer, Hegins.
John M. Kestler, farmer, West Penn.
Philip Breutsel, boss, Ashland.
Henry Hell, operator, Tremont.
George W. Slater, agent, Pottsville.
Thomas Martin, boss, Foster.
F. B. Kaercher, agent, Pottsville.
Chas. W. Barker, yeoman, Pottsville.
Peter Steigerwalt, farmer, West Penn.
David P. Brown, superintendent, Pottsville.
Michael Derr, laborer, Butler.
Adam Knll, baker, St. Clair.
August Loeper, miner, St. Clair.
Jacob Eisenroth, yeoman, Mahanoy Township.
Benjamin Koch, boatbuilder, Auburn.
Samuel Everett, butcher, Mahanoy Township.

Household Soap, a new article. For sale at R. B. Morris's. Try it. tc

"California, and a Trip Thither."—This is the title of a lecture which was delivered on Thursday night at Union Hall, this Borough, by Mr. John Dickinson, brother of Miss Anna Dickinson. Mr. Dickinson has lectured but seldom, but we predict for him a successful career in that line in the future. He is a pleasing speaker and his plain, unassuming yet forcible style engages the interest of the listener from the start, and holds the attention to the end. He is one of those few, who appear in public, with whom you part company with a feeling of regret, and unwearied. The lecture of Thursday evening was decidedly, one of the most interesting and instructive to which we have ever listened.

Mr. Dickinson has lived for ten years in California and is thoroughly familiar with that State, its mineral and agricultural resources, the charms of mountain and valley scenery, its social customs, and in fact with everything appertaining to that wonderful country of the Pacific coast. He says that in 1854, while yet a lad, incited by love of adventure wrought up by reading the tales of Cooper and others, he started for the West—then so vague a thing in the minds of many. To some it was Pittsburgh, to others Cincinnati and Indiana, while Chicago was esteemed the jumping off place. Now, Chicago is almost an Eastern city. Mr. Dickinson described the toils and privations incident upon a journey across the plains in ox teams. For six weeks they toiled to reach Fort Kearney, enduring untold fatigues, often up to their shoulders in water to assist their teams to cross streams. He was laid up with fever for a week in an ox cart. What a contrast now in the means of crossing the continent. He was lately at the point where they started in 1854 with their ox carts. He was about to pass over his same ground in a palace car. As he sat on the luxuriously cushioned seat, he drew from his pocket a time-table. It was then 4 o'clock in the afternoon. It told him that at 2 o'clock next morning, or in ten hours, he would be whirling past Fort Kearney. The suggestive thoughts which must have crowded upon the mind of Mr. Dickinson, at that moment, we can comprehend. Mr. Dickinson speaks highly of the construction of the Union Pacific Railroad. It is as good a road as there is in this country.

Mr. Dickinson gives a glowing description of the vast mineral wealth which lies buried in the hills of Colorado, but says the master mind is yet to come to show how the ore can be profitably reduced. There is wealth enough in Colorado, so pay all the national debts in the world. The scenery around Denver is unsurpassed for magnificence.

His description of Salt Lake City, the form of government, the system of polygamy, etc., is the most lucid to which we ever listened. The women submit to polygamy not because they like the system in itself, but because they believe that in being sealed to a man and bearing children they add not only to his, but to their own glory and happiness in the future state. Not to have been a mother on earth is to imperil their future. In short it is their religion. Mr. Dickinson thinks that the Pacific Railroad in place of affecting Mormonism disastrously, will strengthen it, as the Gentile population which formerly came in contrast with it, will be carried past it to the Pacific coast. The road runs not closer to the city than forty miles, and those who visit it do so from curiosity. Trading with the Gentiles is strictly prohibited, so that the Mormons will shortly have the entire trade of the country under their control.

Of California Mr. Dickinson says that to the visitor it will appear more strange and foreign than England, France, Germany or even Norway. It is as large as Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, New York, and all the New England States, except Maine. Girt by hills that run parallel with the Pacific Ocean and that have no break except at the Golden Gate, the temperature near the coast, for instance at San Francisco, is remarkably equable, about 50 degrees in winter and 60 degrees in summer. Throughout the year the variation is only from 10 degrees to 12 degrees. Grain, vegetable and fruit crops are most prolific, and cheap. One can have strawberries on his table from April to December. As an instance of the fertility of the soil, Mr. Dickinson mentioned that a ministerial friend of his had bought some three hundred acres of land in a valley, whose wheat producing capacity was then unknown. He paid for it $1.75 per acre. The first year he raised $3600 worth of wheat on it, and sold it for $35 an acre. Of the gold mining he says that surface digging is almost "played out," and that it is confined almost entirely to quartz mining which requires capital and expensive machinery. He gave a vivid idea of the magnificence of the big trees, and said that it was worth a trip to California to see them alone.

Mr. Dickinson concluded his lecture by giving a graphic description of that incomparable work of the Almighty Hand, the Yo Semite Valley. It stands alone in the laboratory of nature, unique, incomparable, bewildering in its majesty and beauty. It is about eight miles long, from a quarter to half a mile broad, while its granite sides rise almost perpendicularly to a height ranging from half a mile to a mile. A little stream which flows into it, makes its first leap from a height of 1700 feet, falling in such fine, transparent and sparkling spray, that it is termed the Bridal Veil, then it takes another leap of 800 feet, and finally another of 500 more. Tongue cannot describe the wonders and beauties of this Valley. It must be seen.

Mr. Dickinson had intended in his lecture, we understand, to say something of the Chinese, now flocking into this country, but time would not permit. We undoubtedly lost much information on this subject that he might have imparted. We have only given a rough sketch of the lecture, and have in this brief notice merely touched upon some of the points of Mr. Dickinson's most excellent lecture. It is one that should be heard generally throughout the East, for its value and interest. We feel much gratified that we had an opportunity of hearing it, by the visit of Mr. Dickinson to our Borough.

THE GALAXY.—The contents of this admirable magazine for November, are as follows:—Susan Fielding, chapters 33, 34 and 35, Illustrated; The Prince Suwarof; The English Universities; Put Yourself in His Place, chapter 20, 21 and 22, Illustrated; The Fire-Send; Imperialism in America; How the Blood Circulates; Over and Under; The Play of the Period; An Editor's Tale; The Galaxy Miscellany; Drift-wood; Literature and Art; Nebulae. Sheldon & Co., 498 and 500 Broadway, New York. Subscription, $4 a year.

CONSCIENCE MONEY.—At the Treasury Department, up to this date, $112,981 81, conscience money, has been received. The Treasurer will recommend that it be placed to the credit of the general sinking fund.

A GRAND WEDDING.

Marriage in High Life—A Daughter of Bishop Simpson Changes her Name—The Rite Performed with Great Eclat—Distinguished People Present.

At the Spring Garden Street M. E. Church, Philadelphia, between 8 and 9 o'clock, on Wednesday evening, a daughter of the well-known Bishop Simpson was joined in matrimony to a gentleman who also enjoys a wide-spread and enviable fame; and as, in addition to the celebrity of the high contracting parties of their relations, all the incidents of the ceremony itself were upon a style of grandeur, the marriage may fairly be termed one of the most interesting that has been solemnized in Philadelphia for many days.

Although the ceremony was announced to come off at eight o'clock, crowds of people began assembling in the vicinity at as early an hour as six o'clock, so that by the former hour at least two thousand people had collected. Those who happened to have been fortunate enough to secure cards of admission experienced the greater difficulty effecting an entrance.

Once inside the church the scene was pretty in the extreme. On the thither side of the chancel rails were bows and arches of flowers, aquaria brilliant with gold and silver fishes, and twining wreaths of evergreens, forming all a fitting foreground to the bright and gay picture presented by the happy guests around.

Shortly after 8 o'clock, Mr. Charles H. Jarvis, organist of the church, took his seat and performed a number of operatic and other airs while the immense assemblage was being seated.

In the midst of the music there was a considerable flutter among the audience. This excitement was occasioned by the entrance of President Grant and lady. The curious had been disappointed, as the Presidential party, consisting of himself and lady, Gen. Dent and Senator A. G. Cattell, had surprised everybody, inasmuch as they came into the auditorium from the rear of the chancel, and only those who occupied front seats were given the opportunity of seeing the President and his wife. Mrs. Grant was neatly attired in a blue silk dress, black lace mantle, and a handsome white bonnet. They took seats in the front pew, which had been specially reserved for them, and were at once the object of general attraction.

Bishop Edmund S. James, who had been selected to solemnize the rite, was already seated within the Church, when, shortly after half past 8 o'clock, the bridal party entered the Church, the maids of honor, attended by groomsmen, coming up the main aisle.

The bridesmaids were dressed in white organdie, with ruffles, cuffs, and long trails. The trimmings of the dress and the sashes were of the same material without relief, each of the ladies wearing handsome illusion veils and wreaths of orange blossoms.

The attending gentlemen were dressed in full black suits, white vests and neckties, and white kid gloves.

The bride was dressed in a plain white corded silk, with long train, Pompadour waist trimmed with white lace, long white illusion veil, wreath of orange flowers, and ornaments of pearl. She leaned on the arm of her father, Rev. Bishop Simpson, while the groom attended Mrs. Simpson, attired in a silver colored moire antique.

Miss Libbie Simpson (sister of the bride) wore a white Enani dress, trimmed with ruffles and green silk.

On arriving at the chancel the party proscrated themselves in silent prayer, after which the nuptial ceremony was performed in the prescribed form by Bishop James.

The utmost silence was observed, and the answers to the usual interrogations were given by both parties in a clear, distinct voice particularly so by the groom, when he said: —"With this ring I thee wed, and with my worldly goods I thee endow, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost."

Being pronounced man and wife, a solemn prayer was offered by the Bishop, calling on God to bless the union of the couple, and the benediction of the Church being given, the ceremonies terminated and the assemblage left the church.

So great was the number of carriages, the multitude of people, and the general excitement incident to the event, that it was at least half an hour before the President and distinguished guests of the bridal party could be seated in their carriages.

The opportunity was seized by the assemblage generally to present their respects to the President, and this being over, the specially invited guests were driven to Bishop Simpson's residence, No. 1807 Mount Vernon street, where a reception was held which continued until midnight.

The bride was the recipient of handsome presents valued at many thousands of dollars, including a grand parlor organ, escritoire, silver tea sets, whole services of solid silver, some six dozen silver spoons and forks, table linen, silver pitchers and goblets, oyster tureens and salvers, coffee urns, cake and fruit knives, handsome Bibles, toilet sets, medicine chest, napkin rings, pearls, paintings, work-basket, gold and silverware of peculiar kind and construction, with many other art cles, making in the aggregate over one hundred in number, and being a rich and rare collection.

In addition to these, checks were drawn for sums of $100 on the Bank of North America, by James Long, and $500 by John Evans, of Colorado, on the First National Bank of Denver. A $100 greenback was also presented by Mrs. Thomas Price, of Philadelphia.

The happy couple will sail from New York for Havre on Saturday, in the steamer Pereire, Mr. Weaver having been appointed American Consul at Brindisi, Italy.

THE AVONDALE SUFFERERS.

Investment of the Fund for Their Relief.

The Trustees of the Avondale Fund for the relief of Widows and Orphans met yesterday at Plymouth, E. O. Wadhams, President, in the chair. The Treasurer gave security in the sum of $50,000, and the Assistant Treasurer in the sum of $10,000, for the faithful performance of their respective duties. The salary of the Secretary was fixed at $200 per annum, and that of the disbursing officer at $400 per annum. The Board adopted the following:—

Resolved That all persons and corporations having moneys collected for the aid and relief of the sufferers of the Avondale calamity are requested to forward the same to Henderson Gaylord, Esq., Treasurer of the Board of Trustees of the said fund, at Plymouth, Pa. And that all persons holding unpaid subscriptions are respectfully requested to collect and forward the same as speedily as may be practicable.

H. Gaylord, Treasurer of the fund has acknowledged receipts up to October 23, 1869, $63,850.80.

The Board directed the investment of $45,000 of the fund, as follows:

$25,000 in registered five-twenty bonds of 1868.

$10,000 in bonds of the Pennsylvania and New York Canal and Railroad Company.

$10,000 in first mortgage bonds of the Delaware and Lackawanna, and Western Railroad Company.

It was resolved by the Board that the report of the committee appointed to confer with a committee of the Miners' Association be received and ordered to be filed; and that, while the Trustees of the Avondale Fund warmly sympathise with the object of the Miners' Association, and will give them all the influence in their power as individuals, they cannot devote any of the Avondale Relief Fund to any other persons than those connected with and dependent upon those who were killed at Avondale on the 6th of September, 1869. Adjourned.

THE following anecdote of the rebellion, which comes to us from a trustworthy source, has never before been in print, but it will be read with peculiar interest at this time. During the memorable battle near Atlanta, on the 22d of July, in which our troops fought first from one side of their fortifications and then the other, a rebel officer at the head of his men, more daring than his followers, succeeded in getting close up against the Union works, when a certain stalwart Colonel of Iowa Volunteers, begrimed with the smoke of battle, leaped from the narrow parapet, and extending his powerful arms, grasped the gallant rebel by the collar, hoisted him bodily in the Union lines, and sent him to the rear a prisoner of war. The rebel, who turned out to be Col. Lampley, of the Forty-fifth Alabama, died a few weeks afterward of chagrin at the inglorious way in which he was captured. The captor was Colonel Belknap, of the Fifteenth Iowa, now Secretary of War.

A GERMAN photographer has invented a method of making seals and stamps with the portraits of his customers. A thin layer of gelatine, sensitized with bichromate of potash, is exposed to the action of light under a photograph positive, while the parts acted on are rendered insoluble in water. The gelatine film is immersed in water, and the parts not acted on by the light swell up, and we obtain a picture in the relief of which a plaster can be taken. A galvanic plastic copy being taken of the cast, we have a metallic facsimile of the photograph, which can be employed as a seal. This process suggests a method of obtaining perfect likenesses of persons in metallic checks for the use of the printer, and also an admirable way of illustrating scientific books.

"THE MAN WHO LAUGHS."—Not Andy, for he is the most wretched individual now in the country. He won't have an opportunity next winter, to get off his daily scold. Poor, contemptible, miserable, A. J.

THE ELECTION.

The following table will show the full vote for Governor and Supreme Judge in Pennsylvania:

COUNTIES.	GOVERNOR. Geary.	Packer.	SUP. JUDGE. Williams.	Pershing.
Adams	2 622	3 009	2 642	3,063
Allegheny	17,868	13,801	18,948	12,442
Armstrong	3,459	3,079	3,421	3,077
Beaver	3,096	2,402	3,076	2,390
Bedford	2,465	2 632	2,478	2,830
Berks	6 971	13,831	6 984	13,490
Blair	3,484	2,773	3 485	2,768
Bradford	6 633	3,686	6,537	3,567
Bucks	6,505	7,061	6,560	6,993
Butler	3,250	2,994	3,281	3,001
Cambria	2,690	3,187	2,418	3,220
Cameron	474	423	471	425
Carbon	1,940	2,625	1,977	2,560
Centre	3 102	3 464	3,098	3,447
Chester	8 230	6,146	8,244	6,124
Clarion	1 785	2 831	1,761	2 823
Clearfield	1,799	3 015	1,797	2 992
Clinton	1,830	2,509	1,842	2 500
Columbia	1,845	3,714	1,860	3 679
Crawford	6,107	4 865	6,072	4,795
Cumberland	3 514	4,408	3 587	4 398
Dauphin	5,660	4,328	5,704	4,295
Delaware	3,852	2,295	3,541	2,191
Elk	475	968	465	936
Erie	6,496	4,336	6,426	4 250
Fayette	3,840	4,229	3,838	4 179
Forest	368	293	374	287
Franklin	3,698	4,008	3,707	3,974
Fulton	680	1,065	683	1064
Greene	1,643	2,932	1,627	2,981
Huntingdon	2,825	2 368	2,834	2 349
Indiana	4 008	2,070	3 970	2,058
Jefferson	1 967	2 039	1,987	2,029
Juniata	1 254	1,642	1,247	1 639
Lancaster	13,804	8,316	13 766	8 264
Lawrence	3 217	1,492	3,194	1 476
Lebanon	4,027	2,696	4,046	2,663
Lehigh	4,655	6,133	4,564	6,077
Luzerne	8,690	9,696	8,464	9,687
Lycoming	4,053	4,587	4,068	4,467
McKean?	880	696	879	697
Mercer	4,529	3,785	4,514	3,761
Mifflin	1,640	1,702	1,630	1 701
Monroe	659	2 692	665	2,675
Montgomery	7,863	8,447	7,376	8,434
Montour	1,068	1,556	1,059	1,562
Northampton	4,023	7,449	4,044	7,316
Northumberland	3,497	4,000	3,406	4,069
Perry	2,439	2 408	2,452	2,403
Philadelphia	51,202	46 902	51,828	45,485
Pike	315	1,054	292	1,049
Potter	1,834	708	1,818	677
Schuylkill	7,902	8 901	7,724	9,027
Snyder	1,719	1,315	1,721	1,318
Somerset	2,940	1,700	2,908	1,685
Sullivan	408	759	403	754
Susquehanna	4,061	2 982	4,098	2,890
Tioga	4,835	1,225	4,321	1,112
Union	1,786	1,207	1,791	1,192
Venango	3,507	3,241	3,519	3,172
Warren	2,430	1,679	2,404	1,648
Washington	4,476	4,731	4,470	4,628
Wayne	2,275	2,715	2,255	2,678
Westmoreland	4,853	6,195	4,855	6,186
Wyoming	1,452	1,772	1,475	1,794
York	5,545	8,326	5,581	8,312
Total	290,551	285,956	291,298	282,487
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Majorities	4,596		8,799	

Total vote polled in the following years:

	REP.	DEM.	TOTAL.
1869 —Gov.	290,552	285,956	576,508
" —Judge.	291,296	282,487	573,773
1863.—Adj. Gen.	331,461	321,739	653,200
" —Pres.	342,280	313,382	655,662
1867.—Sup. Judge	266,824	267,747	534,570
1866 —Gov.	307,274	290,096	597,270

GRANT IN THE SOUTH.

A Washington letter in speaking of the state of affairs in Virginia, and the conduct of the Administration in not interfering with the late canvass in Virginia, says that the Radicals have not the exclusive confidence of the Administration, but says it is otherwise in Texas and Mississippi. The writer says:

"In Mississippi the scalawags are on the Conservative side, as also in Texas, and the administration has turned its cold side upon them. Reconstruction is largely the work of Congress; but the fact that Grant's conception of this subject has been fair, is evidenced in the fact that every candidate and party in each of the Southern States claims to be fighting the President's battles. There is not one faction nor party in any of the late rebellious States which is abusing the administration, and the name of the President is mentioned more respectfully in the Southern presses than in the North. Toward the South Gen. Grant is still the friend in armor,—behaving toward a rebellious but vanquished people in the only manner which will win the respect of a disbanded soldiery; righteous magistracy."

This, we believe, is correct, because in Mississippi, where Gen. Grant's brother-in-law is the candidate for Governor on the Conservative side, the influence of the Administration is thrown in favor of the Radicals, and such is also the case in Texas.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 25.—The Governor today issued the following proclamation:—

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

"The year which is drawing to a close has been one free from pestilence; health has prevailed throughout the land; abundant crops reward the labors of the husbandman; commerce and manufactures have successfully prosecuted their peaceful paths; the mines and forest have yielded liberally; the nation has increased in wealth and strength; peace has prevailed, and its blessings have advanced every interest of the people in every part of the Union; harmony and fraternal intercourse restored are obliterating the marks of past conflict and estrangement; burdens have been lightened; means have been increased; civil and religious liberty are secured to every inhabitant of the land, whose soil is trod by none but freemen. It becomes a people thus favored to make acknowledgement to the supreme Author from whom such blessings flow, of their gratitude and dependence, to render prayer and thanksgiving for the same, and devoutly to implore a continuance of God's mercies.

"Therefore I, Ulysses S. Grant, President of the United States, do recommend that Thursday, the 18th day of November next, be observed as a day of Thanksgiving and of praise and of prayer to Almighty God, the Creator and Ruler of the Universe. And I do further recommend to all the people of the United States to assemble on that day in their accustomed places of public worship and to unite in the homage and praise due to the bountiful Father of all mercies, and in fervent prayer for the continuance of the manifold blessings he has vouchsafed to us as a people.

"In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed, this 5th day of October, A. D. 1869, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-fourth.

U. S. GRANT.

By the President,
HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State."

The President of the United States having issued the foregoing proclamation, I do most earnestly advise that the people of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, for the reasons therein given, strictly observe its recommendations.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Commonwealth, at Harrisburg, this 23d day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine and of the Independence of the United States the ninety-fourth.

JOHN W. GEARY.

By the Governor:
F. JORDAN,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

THE fact that Judge Williams ran ahead of Gov. Geary at the late election, was not caused by his being more popular than the Governor, but because he got more democratic votes in consequence of Pershing's obscurity as a lawyer and unfitness for the position of Supreme Judge. That's the true reason.

A SCHISM is said to exist in the Mormon Church, which threatens trouble when the will and intellect of Brigham Young shall have been removed.

THE ONE GRAY HAIR.

The wisest of the wise
Listen to pretty lies,
And love to hear them told;
Doubt not that Solomon
Listened to many a one—
Some in his youth, and more when he grew old.

I never sat among
The choir of Wisdom's song;
But pretty lies loved I
As much as any king
When youth was on the wing,
And (must it then be told?) when youth had quite gone by.

Alas! and I have not
The pleasant hour forgot,
When one pert lady said,
"O Landor! I am quite
Bewildered with affright:
I see (sit quiet now), a white hair on your head!"

Another, more benign,
Drew out that hair of mine,
And in her own dark hair
Pretended she had found
That one, and twirled it round;
Fair as she was, she never was so fair.

FOREIGN ITEMS.

THE most talented young sculptor in Paris is an American.

LORD STANLEY, in a recent address at a trades' hall, in Liverpool, remarked that it was natural for workmen to combine for a share in the profits of their industry, and declared that he expected a more extended application of the co operative principle in the future.

It is considered certain in medical circles in Brussels that poor Carlotta will not outlive the present year.

SIR D. BREWSTER shows that Euclid knew the fundamental principle of the stereoscope, which was also described by Galen fifteen hundred years ago. Nothing new under the sun.

THE King of Italy's four predecessors all abdicated in favor of their successors, namely: Victor Amadeus I in 1730, Charles Emmanuel II in 1802, Victor Emmanuel I in 1821, and Charles Albert in 1849; and it is rumored that this traditional policy will also be adopted by the present king in favor of Prince Humbert his son.

ACCOUNTS are given in some of the foreign journals of the healing properties of a new oil. It is easily made from the yolk of eggs, and is said to be much employed by the German colonists of South Russia as a means of curing cuts, bruises, scratches, &c. The eggs are boiled hard, the yolks removed and crushed and then placed over a fire and stirred carefully till the whole substance is on the point of catching fire, when the oil separates and may be poured off. Hen eggs are considered the best, and nearly two teaspoonfuls of oil may be gained from a single yolk.

THE Jews of Berlin have contributed more for church purposes than all of the Protestant churches taken together.

MR. GEORGE PEABODY has written home that he had a pleasant voyage to England, and that the condition of his health remains unchanged.

A BERLIN antiquary claims to have received the coffin in which Juliet was buried at Verona, and recently gave a party, when Shakespeare's play was read over the alleged remains of Romeo's inamorata.

LORD PALMERSTON never visited the most important seaport of the British Empire—Liverpool—which the railway has brought within four hours of Broadlands, his country abode—until the year before his death.

THE ABSURDITY OF IT.

It is all very well for the poets to tell,
By way of their songs adorning,
Of milkmaids who rouse, to manipulate cows,
At five o'clock in the morning;
And of manny young mowers, who bundle out of doors—
The charms of their straw-beds scorning—
Before break of day, to make love and hay,
At five o'clock in the morning!

But between me and you, it is all untrue—
Believe not a word they utter;
To no milkmaid alive does the finger of Five
Bring beaux—or even bring butter,
The poor sleepy cows, if told to arouse,
Would do so, perhaps, in a horning;
But the sweet country girls, would shoe their curls,
At five o'clock in the morning!

It may not be wrong for the man in the song—
Or the moon—if anxious to settle,
To kneel in wet grass, and pop, but alas!
What if he popped down on a nettle!
For how could he see what was under his knee,
If, in spite of my friendly warning,
He went out of bed, and his bones and his head,
At five o'clock in the morning!

It is all very well such stories to tell,
But if I were a maid all forlorning,
And a lover should drop in the clover to pop,
At five o'clock in the morning;
If I liked him, you see, I'd say "Please call at three;"
If not, I'd turn on him with scorning;
"Don't come here, you flat, with conundrums like that,
At five o'clock in the morning!"

EVADING THE REVENUE LAWS.

One of the most commendable of the features of President Grant's Administration, is the determination evinced that officials shall strictly discharge their duties, and that people who make it a point to evade paying to the Government their just dues, shall be made to pay. The most noted place in the country for evading the Revenue Laws, is unquestionably, New York. We observe that Judge Benedict, of that City, has made some suggestions in regard to the prosecution of those guilty of this evasion, which should be acted on, for the entire country is interested in a strict collection of the revenue. The Judge stated, that although smuggling was of very frequent occurrence at that port, there had not, if his memory served him rightly, been a case of conviction for fifteen years. It is stated that the aggregate of foreign purchases which are received there monthly, without paying duties, is very heavy. Subordinate officials aid the smuggling of goods. The editor of the Commercial Advertiser, says:

"We recall one case which came to our knowledge a few days since, of a Custom House official who for years has been in collusion with an importer here. For every package of goods he has aided the latter to get through the Custom House he has received a handsome percentage, given in the way of presents. Finally, these two worthies fell out, the importer charging the official with demanding too heavy pro rates, and he threatened to expose him unless these demands were made more moderate."

A few dollars slipped into the hands of an examining official or clerk often insures one's baggage against a rigid scrutiny. Thousands of persons on returning from a foreign trip yearly bring home with them large purchases, with the expectation of evading duties in this manner. Last year a New Yorker boasted that he made enough in this way to pay nearly all the expenses of his European trip. A few days ago, we observe, that Collector GRINNELL came down like a thief in the night on the various weighers in his employ, and it is not doubted that he will feel it incumbent on him to make a thorough investigation of all the departments of the New York Custom House.

This prevalence of dishonesty is undoubtedly due, to a great extent, to the immunity from punishment to which Judge Benedict alludes. Officials have felt that no complaints would be made by those receiving the benefit of their dishonesty, and so they have gone on from year to year defrauding the Government and lessening the revenue to the extent of hundreds of thousands of dollars. Let Judge Benedict's advice be followed, and a few summary examples be made of offenders, and a very perceptible increase of Custom House receipts will at once be realized. The Judge well said: "It is the certainty of punishment, rather than the severity of it, which if effective in the prevention of crime; and when it comes to be known that all offenders against the laws of the United States are promptly indicted by the Grand Jury, and that while no man suffers punishment under these laws without due proof of his guilt, no man escapes punishment by reason of his wealth, his position or his power, the effect will be to diminish the number of offences—to improve the efficiency of the civil service and to increase the revenue."

Furthermore the tens of thousands of persons who evade the income tax, by making false returns, moving from one State, county or ward to another, should be looked after. A great many have come to regard the evasion of this five per cent. tax as not only not disreputable but praiseworthy as an evidence of shrewdness and sharpness. And this, too, is owing to the absence of convictions. If those dishonestly disposed were made to feel that the returning of false income reports, or the returning of no income reports at all was a dangerous procedure, the revenues from the income tax would annually amount to many millions more of dollars in not only New York, but in other States. There is too much demoralization growing out of this evading the Revenue Laws. The strong hand of the law should put a stop to it everywhere throughout the county.

Do not be troubled because you have no great virtues. God made a million spires of grass where he made one tree. The earth is fringed and carpeted, not with forests, but grass. Only have enough of little virtues and common fidelities, and you need not mourn because you are neither a saint nor a hero.

THE EARTH CLOSET.

BRIGHT & CO., Agents.

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FEMALE MEDICINES.—Diseases of women successfully cured by applying to ISABELLA MARIANO, M. D., 225 North 12th street, Philadelphia, Pa. [Oct. 17, '68—42-1y

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Oct 14th, '69 41 3m

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MARSHALL'S ELIXIR.

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Children Cry for Holloway's Vermifuge Confections.

they are so delicious. The doctors and mothers say they are the most safe and effectual remedy for those pests the WORMS. The genuine bears the signatures of the proprietors on the wrapper of each box. Twenty five cents per box. Johnston, Holloway & Cowden, 602 Arch St., Phila. June 5 '69—23-1y

AVOID QUACKS.—A victim of early imprudence, causing nervous debility, premature decay, &c., has discovered a simple means of cure, which he will send free to his fellow sufferers. Address J. H. REEVES, 78 Nassau street, New York. Oct 9, '69 41-3m

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April 3, 1869 14-1y

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RUSHTON & CO.,
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Oct 30, '69 44

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603 and 605 CHESTNUT Street,
PHILADELPHIA.

Sept 25 '69 39 3m

Religious Intelligence.

NOTICE.—Preaching in the A. M. E. Church, Laurel street, Sunday, Oct. 31st, 1869, at three P. M., and 7½ P. M. Subject of the evening, "The Judgment," by the pastor. H. J. RHODES.

NOTICES.

First Presbyterian Church. Third and Mahantongo Streets. Rev. J. W. Feriseca, Pastor. Sabbath services—Morning, 10½ o'clock; Evening, 7½ o'clock. Sabbath School at 2 o'clock, P. M. Prayer Meeting—Sabbath Morning, 9½ o'clock. Lecture—Thursday evening, 7½ o'clock.

Pastor's residence, No. 70, Centre street.

Parents and citizens are cordially invited, and always heartily welcome. Seats will be provided promptly for all who will be pleased to attend any of the services.

English Lutheran Church—Rev. D. Steck, Pastor.—Sabbath Services.—Preaching morning at 10 o'clock; evening at 7. Sabbath School 1¾ o'clock. Thursday evening, Lecture and Prayer at 7½ o'clock. Tuesday evening, Young Men's Meeting for prayer and other religious exercises.

Strangers and the public generally are invited to attend all those meetings.

Evangelical Church, Callowhill street.—Rev. L. H. German, Pastor, will preach German every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, and English in the Evening at 7 o'clock.

Union Prayer Meeting, every Sunday morning, from 8¾ to 9½ o'clock, in the frame Church on Second street, between Market and Norwegian Sts. All are invited.

Second Presbyterian Church, of Pottsville, will worship regularly every Sabbath, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. in the Concert Chamber, 2nd Second Church Building, Market street. All are invited. Seats free. Sunday School, 2 P. M.

The Trinity Reformed Church (English), Market street, between Third and Fourth streets, Rev. J. A. Hoffheins, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10 A. M. and 7½ P. M. Seats free.

Sabbath School 1¾ P. M. Lecture and Prayer Meeting Thursday evening 7 o'clock; Catechetical Class Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Pastor's study in the Church building.

Methodist Episcopal Church, Second street. Rev. A. Dickson, Pastor. Preaching Sabbath morning at 10 o'clock, and in the evening at 7¾. Sabbath School meets at 2 o'clock, P. M. Prayer Meeting every Tuesday evening at 7½ o'clock. Class Meeting on Sabbath, after morning service, on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evening at 7½ o'clock.

Baptist Church, Mahantongo St., Rev. A. H. Sembower, Pastor. Residence 144 Norwegian St. Preaching every Sabbath at 10½ o'clock A. M. and 7 o'clock P. M.

Sunday School every Sabbath afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening, at 7½ o'clock.

Bible Class every Friday evening, at 7½ o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend. Seats free.

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

MARRIED.

REINOEHL—MARKS—On Oct. 16th, in Pinegrove, by the Rev. C. S. Haman, Mr. LEVI REINOEHL to Miss LUBIE MARKS, both of Pinegrove, Pa.

SHAPPALL—BOYER—On Oct. 21st, 1869, by the Rev. H. A. Neitz, Mr. JOSEPH SHAPPALL, to Miss ELLEN BOYER, both of Cressona, Pa.

SMITH—GALBRAITH—On the 21st inst., by the Rev. Joseph McCool, Mr. THOMAS SMITH, to Miss JANE, daughter of Mr. Noble Galbraith, both of Silver Creek.

KLINE—SPEER—On Oct. 19th, by the Rev. D. Steck, Mr. Geo. H. Kline, to Miss Kate Speer, both of Pottsville.

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

DIED.

LAWTON—Died suddenly in Philadelphia, Oct. 26th, 1869, FRANCIS NICHOLAS LAWTON, eldest son of Alfred and Mary K. Lawton, aged 13 years, 10 months and 25 days.

MOLLY—On the 23d inst., in Pinegrove, CHARLES MOLLY, aged 52 years.

BUSSEL—On the 13th inst., in McKeansburg, SARAH, widow of the late Daniel Bussel, in the 83d year of her age.

MATTHEWS—On the 22d inst., near Blossburg, Lycoming county, WILLIAM MATTHEWS, a native of Glamorganshire, South Wales, and brother-in-law of Rev. Wm. Morgan, of this Borough, aged 64 years.

Mr. Matthews was formerly a resident of Pottsville, but removed to Lycoming County, about 30 years ago.

PITT—At Stockton, Luzerne County, on the 23d inst., Mrs. JANE PITT, after a lingering illness, aged 54 years. She leaves a husband.

RICHARDS—At Manheim, Lancaster Co., Pa., Oct. 27, 1869, Mrs. CATHARINE RICHARDS, aged 71 years. Funeral at Pottsville, on Tuesday, Nov. 2d, upon the arrival of noon train.

HOLMES—In St. Clair, Oct. 26, 1869, Capt. DAVID HOLMES, aged 50 years and 5 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 28, at 1½ o'clock, from the residence of his brother.

Obituary.

At a special meeting of Post 148, G. A. R., Shenandoah City, held Oct. 24, 1869, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, The Grand Commander of us all in his all-wise Providence, has by death removed from our midst our beloved comrade, VALENTINE KIMMEL; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That we bow with humble submission to his decree, and see in it the wisdom and goodness of him who doeth all things well.

RESOLVED, That by his untimely death, the Post has lost a good comrade, his amiable disposition had endeared him to all who knew him.

RESOLVED, That as a testimonial of respect for our late comrade, we will wear the usual badge of mourning, and drape our Post room for a period of thirty days.

RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions be handed to the afflicted friends of the deceased, and that a copy be sent to the MINERS' JOURNAL of Pottsville, Pa., for publication.

GEORGE BELL,
B. F. BARLETT, } Committee.
W. B. PRITZ,

MANSELL—In Shenandoah, on Sunday, 24th inst., EDWIN, youngest child of Thomas and Jane Mansell, aged 1 year and 4 months.

Little Eddie has gone, where sweet vernal flowers,
In beauty and verdure, perpetually bloom;
To a land of fair fields, and beautiful bowers,
Set free from all sorrow, and trouble and gloom.
So fare you well Eddie, and in wake your rest,
In God's own sweet Heaven eternally blest. J. & C.

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Here is now a chance open to get a good Monument cheap.

P. F. EISENHUTH.

August 21, '69 34-3m

THE undersigned offers at private sale the following real estate, situate at the public road running from Pinegrove to Schuylkill Haven, about four miles from Pinegrove, between Samuel G. DeTurk's new store and the Red Lion Hotel, in Washington township, Schuylkill County, Pa., bounded by lands of S. G. DeTurk, H. Crist, H. K. Warner and Isaac Batdorf, containing 50 acres more or less. The building consists of a large dwelling and Summer House, a good stable, barn, wagon shed, spring house, smoke house, pig sty, and other necessary outbuildings. There is a pump at the porch of the summer house, and one in the barn yard. There is two apple orchards on the farm, and abundance cherry, pear, peach, and walnut and other fruit trees. To see it, apply to

J. W. HOFFMAN, Schuylkill Haven.
[illegible] the premises. Oct 2 '69 40-4t

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F. W. SHEAFER, Pottsville, Pa.
Oct 9, '69 41-6t

LEGAL NOTICES.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

In the matter of ETIEN & LOMISON, Bankrupts.—DAVID LOMISON, of Donaldson, Schuylkill County, in said District individually and as a member of the late firm of ETIEN & LOMISON, composed of himself and Adam Etien, bankrupts, having petitioned for his discharge, a meeting of creditors will be held on the 15th day of November, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M., before Register JOHN P. HOBART, at No. 154 Centre street, in Pottsville, that the examination of the Bankrupt may be finished, and any business of meetings required by sections 27 or 28 of the Act of Congress transacted. The Register will certify whether the Bankrupt has conformed to his duty. A hearing will also be had on Wednesday, December 1st, 1869, before the Court at Philadelphia, at 10 o'clock A. M., when parties interested may show cause against the discharge.

Witness the Hon. John Cadwalader, Judge, and the Seal of said Court, at Philadelphia, the 8th day of September, A. D. 1869.

[L. S.] G. R. FOX, Clerk.

Attest: JOHN P. HOBART, Register.
Oct 31 '69 44-2t

U. S. MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
E. D. OF PENNSYLVANIA,
PHILADELPHIA, Oct 23, 1869.

This is to give Notice: That on the 20th day of October, A. D. 1869, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of THOMAS W. SWEENEY, of Reading, in the County of Berks, and State of Pennsylvania, who formerly carried on business in Philadelphia, Pa., under the firm name of T. W. SWEENEY, Jr., said firm being composed of himself and R. Hallman, and Isaiah Weiss, both of Minersville, Pa., and who has been adjudged a Bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of H. MALTZBERGER, No. 46 North 6th street, Reading, Pa., before H. MALTZBERGER, Esq., Register, on the 18th day of November, A. D. 1869, at 9 o'clock, P. M.

E. M. GREGORY,
Oct 30, '69—44 2t] U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.

In Bankruptcy—Assignee's Notice of Appointment.—JACOB H. SCHRIVER, Bankrupt. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of Jacob H. Schriver, of Pinegrove, in the County of Schuylkill, and who on the second day of June, A. D. 1869, was adjudged Bankrupt, upon the petition of his creditors, in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. Dated at Pottsville, Schuylkill County, Pa., the twentieth day of October, 1869.

CHRISTOPHER LITTLE,
Office—14 Mahantongo St.
Oct 23, '69 43-3t

In the Court of Common Pleas of Schuylkill County.

George Liedenmuth vs. Adam Liedenmuth, Mary Klinesman and Jacob Klinesman her husband, John Liedenmuth, Henry Liedenmuth, William Liedenmuth, Hannah Fertig and William Fertig her husband, Christina Liedenmuth, Sarah Liedenmuth, Mary Hohl and John George Hohl her husband.

131, Sept. Term, 1869. Breve de partitione Faciendâ.

And now October 18, 1869, the said writ having been returned by the Sheriff, the Court approve of the same and confirm the said inquisition, valuation and appraisement, and on motion of William R. Smith, Esq., of counsel with the plaintiff, the Court grant a rule upon all parties in interest to accept or refuse the Real Estate mentioned in said return at the appraised value thereof, and order notice of said rule by publication in "The Press," published in the city of Philadelphia, and the MINERS' JOURNAL, published in the Borough of Pottsville, once a week in each for six weeks consecutively. Returnable Monday, December 6th, 1869.

[Extract from the Record.]
THOS. J. McJAMANT,
[SEAL.] Prothonotary.
GEO. C. WYNKOOP, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Oct. 23, '69 43-6t

CHAS. F. GEE vs. SARAH E. GEE } 12 September Term, 1869. Alias Subpoena for a Divorce.
Sed. June Term, '69.

To the Respondent above named:—
You are hereby required to appear at a Court of Common Pleas to be held at Pottsville for the County of Schuylkill, on the first Monday of December next, to answer the complaint of the Libellant in the above stated case.

GEO. C. WYNKOOP, Sheriff.
[oct 16 4tw]
Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, Oct. 16th, 1869.

JOHN STERNER vs. FIANNA STERNER } 401, September Term, 1869. Alias Subpoena for a Divorce.
9, June Term, 1867.

To the Respondent above named:—You are hereby required to appear at a Court of Common Pleas to be held at Pottsville for the County of Schuylkill, on the first Monday of December next, to answer the complaint of the Libellant in the above stated case.

GEO. C. WYNKOOP, Sheriff.
[oct 16 4tw]
Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, Oct. 14, 1869.

JAMES FLYNN, vs. ELIZABETH FLYNN } 183, September Term, 1869. Alias Subpoena for Divorce.
431, June Term, 1869.

To the Respondent above named:—You are hereby required to appear at a Court of Common Pleas to be held at Pottsville for the County of Schuylkill, on the first Monday of December next, to answer the complaint of the Libellant in the above stated case.

GEO. C. WYNKOOP, Sheriff.
[oct 16, 3tw]
Sheriff's Office, Pottsville, Oct. 16th, 1869.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Penna.

In the matter of LEWIS P. BROOKE, Bankrupt.

LEWIS P. BROOKE, of Pottsville, Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania, individually and as a member of the late firm of J. BEURY & COMPANY, composed of himself and J. BEURY, having petitioned for his discharge, a meeting of creditors will be held on the 9th day of November, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M., before Register JNO. P. HOBART, Esq., at his office, No. 154 Centre street, Pottsville, Pennsylvania, that the examination of the Bankrupt may be finished, and any business of meetings required by sections 27 and 28 of the Act of Congress transacted.

The Register will certify whether the Bankrupt has conformed to his duty. A hearing will also be had on Wednesday, the 24th day of Nov., A. D., 1869, before the Court at Philadelphia, at 10 o'clock, A. M., when and where parties in interest may show cause against the discharge.

Witness the Hon. John Cadwalader, Judge of the said District Court, and the seal thereof, at Philadelphia, the 9th day of October, A. D., 1869.

[L. S.] G. R. FOX, Clerk.

Attest:—JOHN P. HOBART, Register.
oct 16 3tw

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY TO THE ESTATE OF REBECCA LESSIG, late of the Borough of Orwigsburg, Schuylkill County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned.—All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims against the same will present them without delay to JAMES LESSIG, Executor.

Oct 2 '69—40-6t Orwigsburg, Pa.

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H. C. JOHNSON, 633 Arch St., Philada.
October 9, '69 41-4t

[COMMUNICATION.]

FURS! FURS! CHEAP AND GOOD.

Where there are so many Fur Stores as there is in the city of Philadelphia it is difficult for the uninitiated to determine where to buy. Those who are versed in the different qualities of Furs, however, know where to go, and those readers of this paper, who are not acquainted with the various grades of Furs, we would advise them to go to an establishment of the best reputation, where they can purchase with the greatest confidence, and be satisfied that they are honestly dealt with. We know of no better or more reliable store than that of Messrs JOSEPH ROSENBAUM & CO., No. 510 Arch Street, PHILADA., being their new location, where we are confident from their long experience in the Fur business that persons can get good Furs and the worth of their money.

Their New Store is the centre of attraction on account of the good light in which they show off all their goods.

On Saturdays they do no business.

The most fashionable Furs this season will be the Mink Sable, and this is the most serviceable Fur, and they have them in various styles and qualities, and for prices to suit all; and since a lady does not wish to buy a good set of Furs every season, it is very essential to know where to go to purchase good Furs.

To see the silky fineness and darkness and elegance of finish of all their Furs will well repay a visit to this establishment, and all their Furs are warranted to be genuine as represented.

A Mink Sable set cost from $15 to $75, and some very rare dark sets bring a little higher; but from $80 to $50 will buy an excellent dark set, and those sets last a lady from eight to fifteen years.

Then there is the Hudson Bay Sable, the Siberian Squirrel, Royal Ermine, German Fitch and Chinchilla and Ladies' Hoods and other high and low priced Furs in endless varieties.

Remember the name of JOSEPH ROSENBAUM & CO., and the number 510 Arch street, between 5th and 6th, north side, Philadelphia.

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LARGE STOCK
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Hardware and Iron Store,
Oct 30 '69 43-1t

Carpets and Oil Cloths!—We would invite the attention of our friends and the public, to our large stock of CARPETS, which has been selected with great care, and to which we have added all of the new and choice Tapestry, Brussels, Three Ply and Ingrain Carpets; also all the new and varied styles of OIL CLOTH, from 8 ft. to 24 ft. wide—cut to fit rooms of any size. WINDOW SHADES in great variety, Fringed and plain holland. Cocoa and Canton Mattings, Rugs, Mats, Stair Rods, Druggets, &c. All will be sold at the lowest rates. Call and examine our stock.

THOMAS C. LIPPINCOTT,
Successor to PHINEAS HOUGH, Jr.,
No. 902 North Second Street, above Noble, west side,
Sept 18, '69—38-3m] PHILADELPHIA.

FOR SALE & TO LET

FOR SALE in Philadelphia, an old established, completely stocked, DRUG STORE, located near the Reading R. R. Depot. Excellent Dwelling attached at a low rent on a lease. Address WM. DICKSON, 619 Walnut Street, Philadelphia. Oct 30, '69—44 3t

Very Desirable Coal Leases can be procured on the lands of the Tremont Coal Company, near Tremont, Pa., on the Mammoth, Skidmore, Buck Mountain, Primrose and other Veins. Run from one and a half to two miles. The points are of easy access and not expensive to open. Apply to

DANIEL HOFFMAN, Engineer,
Office—cor. 3d and Mahantongo Sts., Pottsville, Pa.
Oct 23, '69 43-tf

FOR SALE on easy terms, a 3 three story Brick Cottage on George street, Pottsville, containing 9 rooms, including Bath room with hot and cold water, gas on 1st and 2d floors, a good cellar and garden well stocked with choice grapes. For particulars inquire of the owner. W. WINDSOR, M. D.
Oct 23, '69—43-3m*] Exchange Hotel, Pottsville.

FOR RENT.—In consequence of an early removal to our new store, we offer for rent the store at present occupied by us, for the unexpired term of our lease, until April, 1872.

CHAS. WOLTJEN & BRO.,
310 Centre St., Town Hall Building, Pottsville, Pa.
August 21, '69 34 tf

FOR SALE.—Timber leave on 1000 acres of woodland in Lebanon County, six miles south of Pinegrove, along the line of the Lebanon and Pinegrove Railroad. The timber is principally oak. Apply to MASON WEIDMAN, Pottsville, Pa., or to W. MORRIS WEIDMAN, Union Forge P. O., July 31, '69—31-tf Lebanon Co., Pa.

FOR SALE.—A Farm of 200 acres with improvements and stock, situate on the line of the Schuylkill and Susquehanna Railroad, 14 miles from Pottsville. 100 acres of the land are under cultivation, 75 acres are covered with chestnut sprouts of 16 years growth, which would make excellent prop timber.—25 acres are covered with heavy timber. The improvements consist of a substantial house, a new Swiss barn, out houses, and a new saw mill with water power.—Stock consists of horses, cows, grain, hay, and farming implements. The price asked can be realized from the timber alone. Terms easy. Apply to JOHN M. SHEAFER, Esterly's Building, Pottsville, or to FERGUS G. FARQUHAR, No. 190 Centre St., Pottsville. August 7 '69—31-tf

DWELLING HOUSES FOR SALE.—1 story brick, Mahantongo St. 3 Three story brick dwellings, 8th street. Apply to H. C. RUSSEL, Real Estate Agt., 15 Mahantongo St. Jan 1, '69

OFFICE FOR RENT.—A desirable office, 2d story, corner Centre and Market Streets. Apply to LEWIS C. THOMPSON & CO. 39-tf

FOR RENT.—Two Offices in Russel's Office Building, corner Second and Mahantongo streets. Possession April 1st. Apply to HENRY C. RUSSEL, Real Estate Agent, 15 Mahantongo Street. 17-tf

FOR SALE.—A First class White Ash Colliery in the Mahanoy Coal Field; lease 18 years to run. A Splendid Farm, 200 acres, on the Susquehanna River.

A property lot in Second street, suitable for private residence.

Town lots in Mahanoy City.

To Lease—Mammoth Skidmore and Primrose Veins, near Mahanoy City.

For Rent—An office in Silver Terrace.

Apply to FRANK CARTER, Real Estate Agent, Silver Terrace, Pottsville.
Sept 18, '69 38 tf.

FOR RENT.—A brick dwelling and the store room and stable lately occupied by J. J. Conner, & Co., Ashland. Possession given immediately. Apply to J. J. CONNER, Pottsville.
April 1, '69 14-tf

FOR SALE.—31 new and 6 old Slope Wagons, 4 Dirt Dumpers, 3 new Water Wagons, all heavily ironed, to suit 40 inch track. GEO. W. SNYDER,
Jan 1, '69—1 Pottsville.

FOR SALE.—A Five Ton Locomotive, suitable for a foot gauge road. Has been used for conveying coal and coal dirt at the mines, and is in good order. Apply to GEO. W. SNYDER, Pottsville.
Jan 1 '69

FOR SALE OR TO LET.—The Steam Mill, situated at Schuylkill Haven, formerly carried on by Wm. H. Seyfert. The Mill has three pairs of burrs, one pair of choppers and a 40 horse power engine—all in good order. Possession given on the 1st day of April, 1869.

SOL. FOSTER, JR.,
Office No. 168 Centre St., Pottsville, Pa.
February 20, '69 8 tf

GENERAL NOTICES.

NOTICE of Dissolution of Co-Partnership.—The Co Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of PRICE & BRO., Mahanoy Plane, Schuylkill County, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The affairs of the late firm will be settled by H. H. Price, who will hereafter continue the business.

H. H. PRICE,
Oct 23, '69—43 6t*] J. P. PRICE.

Notice to Contractors.—Proposals will be received by the Tremont Coal Company up to November 15th, 1869, for driving a Tunnel at Donaldson, Schuylkill County, from the face of the present tunnel, to the top bench of the Lykens Valley Vein, a distance of about two hundred yards. The tunnel is to be driven for single track, and will be a continuation of the present tunnel and of the same dimensions. The Company will furnish rails and the track. For precise dimensions and further particulars apply to

DANIEL HOFFMAN, Engineer,
Office—cor. 3d and Mahantongo Sts., Pottsville, Pa.
Oct 23, '69 43 3t

Notice is hereby given that I have this day bought of George Gwynner, of Port Carbon; the butcher wagon, the horse, harness, and other personal property heretofore used by him in the butchering business. Notice is further given that I will leave it for carry on said business at the old stand of Gwynner, and that said Gwynner is now in my employ. [43 3tw] ADAM KULP.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The partnership heretofore existing between THOMAS and WILLIAM C. WREN, in the manufacture of powder at the Indian Powder Mills, Schuylkill County, was dissolved on the 14th of August last by mutual consent. The accounts of the late firm will be settled at their old office by the members thereof, and the business will be continued hereafter by THOMAS WREN.

THOMAS WREN.
WILLIAM C. WREN.
Oct 2 '69—40 6t

COUPONS.—THE COUPONS OF THE FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS OF THE WILMINGTON AND READING RAILROAD CO., maturing October 1, will be paid, free of taxes, on and after that date, at the Banking house of WM. PAINTER & CO. No 36 S. THIRD St., Phila.

WILLIAM S. HILLES, Secretary and Treasurer.
Oct 2 '69 40-1m

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the next Legislature to Charter a Bank, to be called "THE POTTSVILLE SAFE DEPOSIT BANK," to be located in the Borough of Pottsville, County of Schuylkill, State of Pennsylvania, with power to accept trusts, receive deposits and make discounts, with a capital of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, with the privilege of increasing the same to two hundred thousand dollars.

Pottsville, May 21, 1869. 21-6m

NOTICE.—Manufacturers and users of Steam Pumps are hereby cautioned against the manufacture, sale, or use of any Pumps that are an infringement on Allison's Patent, dated September 24, 1867, as they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

I have already commenced suit against several parties, and will prosecute all other infringements.

Port Carbon, April 8, '69. ROBT. ALLISON.

Parties in want of Pumps can be supplied at reasonable prices by the undersigned.

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Oct 9, '69 41-3m

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C. LITTLE, Agent.
February 6, '69 6-1y

EARTH CLOSETS,
Fixtures and Commodes in Stock.
BRIGHT & CO., AGENTS.
July 24, '69

REMOVAL.—Edward Morrison, [illegible] of boots and shoes, has removed his retail store from Railroad st., to No. 136 Centre St., nearly opposite Exchange to Brewery, where will be found every kind of goods in his line of business, [illegible] of his own manufacture, adapted especially for the ladies' trade, also a full stock of Men and Boys' goods from Philadelphia and the East, at low prices.
Oct 16, '69 42-tf

WANTED.—A Teacher to take charge of the Pottsville Night School, to commence Nov. 1, 1869. Salary, $50 per month. Apply to J. A. M. PASSMORE, Chairman of Committee on Night School.
Oct. 16, '69. 42-2tw

CABBAGE CUTTERS.—For making cold slaw and sour krout, just to hand. Also, cider stands for putting down cole slaw. For sale cheap by L. C. THOMPSON & CO.