ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE ORPHANS' COURT of Berks county, will be sold at public vendue, on Saturday, the 23rd day of May, A. D., 1863, at the Keystone House, in the City of Reading, said county: All that certain three-story BRICK HOUSE, with two-story back Building (brick) and lot or piece of ground, situate on the west side of South Eighth street, in said city, bounded as follows: North by property of Jacob Marshall, West by a 20 feet Alley, South by property late of Daniel Miller, deceased, and East by said Eighth street; containing in front on said Eighth street ninety-five (95) feet, and in depth East and West one hundred and seventy (170) feet. On this property are some 40 or 50 Fruit Trees, of various kinds of the finest qualities of fruit. This property will be sold whole or in lots to suit purchasers. Late the property of *John G. Marshall, M. D.*, deceased.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, when due attendance will be given, and the terms of sale made known by

SUSAN A. MARSHALL, Administratrix.

By order of the Court.—DANIEL HAHN, Clerk.

April 25—4t

Estate of Adam R. Kalbach, late of the Borough of Womelsdorf, dec'd.

WHEREAS, LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION on the estate of Adam R. Kalbach, late of the borough of Womelsdorf, Berks county, deceased, have this day been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same place; notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate, to make payment to the undersigned immediately; and those having claims against the said estate, are requested to present the same, properly authenticated, for settlement.

AMANDA M. KALBACH, Administratrix.

April 11-6t]

Sur Estate of John Jacob Heckman, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN INquisition or Valuation of the Real Estate late of John Jacob Heckman, of the Township of Windsor, in the County of Berks, deceased, will be held on Thursday, the 21st day of May, A. D., 1863, at 11 o'clock, A. M., on the premises in said Township of Windsor, Berks county, when and where all persons interested may attend, if they think proper.

ABRAHAM R. KŒNIG, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Reading, April 11, 1863-6t

Estate of David Gilbert, late of Hereford township, Berks county, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT LETTERS of Administration to the Estate of David Gilbert, late of Hereford township, Berks county, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, residing in the same township. All persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make payment without delay, and all having claims against the same, will present them, properly authenticated, for settlement.

April 18-6t] JESSE FRIES, Administrator.

Estate of Adam Heckman, late of the city of Reading, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT LETTERS of Administration to the Estate of Adam Heckman, late of the city of Reading, Berks county, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, residing in Alsace township, same county. All persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make payment without delay, and all having claims against the same, will present them, properly authenticated, for settlement.

April 18-6t*] JOHN HECKMAN, Administrator.

Sur Estate of Mary Paxton, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN INquisition or Valuation of the Real Estate late of Mary Paxton, of the City of Reading, in the County of Berks, deceased, will be held on Saturday, the 23rd day of May, A. D., 1863, at 1 o'clock, P. M., on the premises, in the said City of Reading and county of Berks, when and where all persons interested may attend, if they think proper.

ABRAHAM R. KŒNIG, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Reading, April 18, 1863-6t

Estate of Stephen Lengel, deceased.

WHEREAS, LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION *de bonis non et cum testamento annexo*, to the estate of Stephen Lengel, late of Heidelberg township, Berks county, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber; all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, will present them duly authenticated for settlement, to

MICHAEL LENGEL, North Heidelberg,

Administrator *de bonis non et cum testamento annexo.*

April 25, 1863-6t

SALE OF LAND.

1,200,000 ACRES FARM LAND

OF THE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY.

IT IS WELL KNOWN THAT THIS COMpany, in the few years since the construction of the Railroad, has sold a large number of Farms to settlers, who, mostly in a short time, enjoyed a degree of prosperity, which is sufficient evidence of the quality of the soil, and the facilities for disposing of its produce. The numerous villages which have sprung up in this short time also indicate the abundant resources of the country.

The land is rich PRAIRIE SOIL, often thickly wooded. Woodland can generally be purchased at short distances and low prices—sometimes of the Company. The various kinds of grain are successfully cultivated. Fruit, Grapes, &c., grow rapidly, and yield abundantly and of superior quality. The fruit market is probably the best in the West. For the raising of Cattle there is no better country to be found. Considering the infancy of the settlements, much has already been done for Schools.

The Company offers to settlers great advantages. The land is sold—Wood or Prairie,—at from $6 to $12 per acre, according to its distance from the Railroad. At the time of purchase, only the interest of the purchase money is required. For the 3 first years, likewise only the interest. At the end of the fourth year and the three following, each one-quarter of the capital; thus after the expiration of seven years, the whole amount is paid. On cash payments a liberal discount is allowed. Purchasers are exempt from taxes on the land for seven years.

☞ The undersigned has been appointed agent, and having personally examined the land, is able to give exact information. All communications to be addressed to

JOHN ENDLICH, Agent,

March 21-tf] Reading P. O., Berks county, Pa.

Desirable City Lots For Sale.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS AT PRIVATE Sale at moderate rates,

Five Building Lots on North Ninth street.

Five Building Lots on the west side of Moss alley, East of Ninth street.

Three Building Lots on the west side of North Tenth street, and Fourteen Building Lots on the east side of Moss alley.

The conditions will be made easy to purchasers, the proprietor being willing to leave two-thirds of the purchase money stand on the premises, if secured by Bond and Mortgage, and allow payment to be made in Instalments of 10, 20 and 50 Dollars, until the whole debt is paid, provided that one-third of the purchase money is paid on delivery of the Deed.

This is a rare chance for Laborers and Mechanics to secure homes, as the lots are in the neighborhood of the Steam Forge and Industrial Works; and as it is understood that all the Depots of the Junction Railroads will be put up near the property.

☞ Plans of the Lots may be seen at my office, or that of C. Oscar Wagner, Esq., Court street.

Jan 31-tf] FREDERICK LAUER.

FOR SALE.

TWO ONE AND THREE-QUARTER STORY BRICK DWELLING HOUSES, and a one and three-quarter story FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, adjoining each other, situate on the West side of Plum alley, between Penn and Franklin streets, in the city of Reading, bounded on the East by said alley, and on the West by other property of Second German Reformed Church. Each of the lots upon which said houses are built, extends in front on said alley fifteen feet, North and South, and will be sold eighty feet in depth East and West. Possession given on the 1st of October next. For terms and further information, apply to the undersigned.

GEO. K. LEVAN, Penn St., near Eighth,
JAMES B. BECHTEL, Court street,
C. W. L. HOFFEDITZ, Penn St.,
below Plough and Harrow Hotel,

Trustees of Second German Reformed Church.

March 21-tf.

Valuable Lots for Sale,

On the East Side of North Eighth Street, between McManus's Iron Works and the Steam Forge.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFER AT PRIVATE SALE, on moderate terms, 6 Building Lots, 22 feet 2 inches front, by 120 feet deep to a 10 feet alley. Also four Lots 20 by 100 feet, fronting on Cedar Alley. A good title, free from incumbrances, will be assured to the purchasers.

A. G. GREEN,
ABRAHAM KEPPER.

Inquire of A. G. Green, Court Street, where a draft of the property can be seen. [April 18-tf

New Coal Yard and Feed Store.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS LEASED THE Coal Yard, and Flour and Feed Store attached, (formerly carried on by John Selley), at the South-East Corner of Sixth and Spruce streets, which he has refitted and stocked with a superior article of Coal for family use, and the best brands of Flour, with all kinds of Feed and Grain, which he is ready to sell at the very lowest prices for CASH. Trusting by strict attention to business and by dealing in good articles, he will merit a share of trade from the citizens of Reading.

Coal, Flour and Feed,

delivered anywhere in the city. All orders left at my residence, on Franklin street, two doors above the Universalist Church, or at S. Herman's Agricultural Store, will meet with prompt attention.

Very respectfully,

April 11-tf] JOHN W. CHRISTMAN.

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Manufacturer of Iron Railings, Bell Hanger and Locksmith,

AT THE OLD AND WELL-KNOWN STAND, Court Alley, above Sixth street, near the Court House, Reading, Pa.

☞ Keys made, and all sorts of repairing done at short notice. [March 28-6mo

BLASTING ROCK.

THE SUBSCRIBER IS AGENT FOR MESSRS. Dupont's Powder in iron kegs, which has twice the strength of ordinary powder. Also for sale Safety Fuse, best Cast Steel, &c., &c.

J. L. STICHTER,

Feb 28-3mo] Fifth and Penn Street.

Garden and Flower Seeds.

FRESH GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS from Risley, Shaker's, Bloss & Co., Comstock, Johnson, and Rabbies & Co., For sale at PEOCOCK'S,

April 4] 40 South Fifth Street.

CARPETS! CARPETS!!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS JUST RECEIVED an assortment of CARPETS, to which the attention of purchasers is invited. Also—Marseilles and Domestic Quilts.

April 18] DAVID NEFF.

JUST RECEIVED,

2000 FLOWER POTS, AT THE OLD JAIL.

oct 4-tf WM. RHOADS, Jr.

PARTIES WISHING TO SELL OR PURchase Real Estate, will do well to call upon

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Office—Court street. [march 28

BOLOGNA SAUSAGES.—FOR SALE AT

PEOCOCK'S,

April 4] 40 South Fifth Street.

Philadelphia and Reading Rail Road.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT

OF PASSENGER TRAINS

APRIL 20, 1863.

(Passing Reading)

DOWN, TO PHILADELPHIA, at 6.00 and 11.10 A. M., 12 noon, and 4.20 P. M.

UP, TO POTTSVILLE, at 11.10 A. M. and 6.00 P. M.

WEST, TO LEBANON AND HARRISBURG:

Western Express from New-York, at 11.57 midnight.

Mail Trains, at 11.07 A. M., and 6.00 P. M.

On Sundays, the Down A. M. Train passes Reading at 9.20 A. M., and Up Train, at 5.37 P. M.

Both 11.10 A. M. and 6.00 P. M. up Trains connect at Port Clinton for Tamaqua, Williamsport, Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara and Canada.

The 11.10 A. M. Train only connects at Port Clinton for Wilkesbarre, Scranton and Pittston.

The Western Express Trains connect at Harrisburg with Express Trains on the Pennsylvania Railroad for Pittsburgh, and all points West; and the Mail Trains connect at Harrisburg for Lancaster, Chambersburg, Sunbury, Williamsport, Lock Haven, Elmira and the Canadas.

Through First-Class Coupon Tickets, and Emigrant Tickets at reduced Fares, to all the principal points in the North and West, and the Canadas.

COMMUTATION TICKETS,

With 26 Coupons, at 25 per cent. discount, between any points desired.

MILEAGE TICKETS,

Good for 2000 miles, between all points, at $46 35—for Families and Business Firms. *Season Tickets*, good for the holder only, for three months, in any of the Passenger Trains to Philadelphia, at $42 35 each. School Season Tickets one-third less.

☞ Passengers will take the Express Trains West, at the UPPER DEPOT, and all other Trains, at the LOWER or OLD DEPOT.

80 lbs. of baggage allowed each passenger.

☞ Passengers are requested to purchase their Tickets before entering the cars, as higher Fares are charged if paid in cars.

Up Trains leave Philadelphia for Reading, Harrisburg and Pottsville at 5.15 A. M., and 3.30 P. M., and at 5.00 P. M. for Reading only.

☞ Excursion Tickets, good for one day, by 6.00 A. M. Accommodation Train to Philadelphia and return, at $2 00 each, and to Harrisburg, good for three days, by all Passenger Trains, $2 25.

G. A. NICOLLS,

April 25, 1863-tf] *General Superintendent.*

EAST PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Summer Arrangement,

COMMENCING MONDAY, APRIL 20th, 1863.

Direct to New-York Without Change of Cars.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, April 20th, 1863, Passenger Trains will leave Reading daily, (Sundays excepted) for Allentown, Manch Chunk, Bethlehem, Easton, New-York, &c., &c., at 4.14 A. M., 11.15 A. M., and 4.20 P. M. from the

UPPER DEPOT.

The 4.14 A. M. train is the Eastern Express, without change of cars from Pittsburgh, and arrives in New-York at 9.15 A. M. This train will stop only at Lyons, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton and the principal stations on the Jersey Central.

The 11.15 A. M. Train will stop at all Stations between Reading and Allentown, and the 4.20 P. M. Train at all Stations, except Mertztown and Al Burtis.

The 11.15 A. M. Train arrives in New-York at 6.00 P. M., and the 4.20 P. M. Train at 10.15 P. M.

Trains will leave New-York daily (except Sundays) at 6 A. M., 12 noon, and 7 P. M., at the foot of Courtlandt Street, and arrive in Reading at 11.10 A. M., 6 P. M., and 11.57 Midnight.

Passengers are requested to purchase tickets before taking their seats, as higher fares will be charged on the cars.

EDWARD M. CLYMER,

April 18-tf] President.

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MOURNING SHAWLS,

Bombazine, Cashmere, Coburg, All-Wool De Laines, Bareges, Calicoes and other

MOURNING GOODS.

PIANO and TABLE COVERS, BALMORALS, together with a variety of other Goods, at a moderate advance.

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AT THE OLD-ESTABLISHED STAND OF

F. G. BOAS,

No. 6 West Penn Street, next door to the Union Bank of Reading,

WHO IS CONSTANTLY RECEIVING FROM New-York and Philadelphia the latest styles of

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Adapted to the Season. He has also received a large assortment of

TRUNKS, CARPET BAGS, VALISES UMBRELLAS, &c.,

which will be sold at the lowest cash prices. As he pays Cash for all his goods, he is enabled to sell them at the lowest prices.

☞ Three hundred dozen SHAKER HOODS on hand, which will be sold cheap.

☞ A large quantity of the best quality of BED FEATHERS received, to which the attention of Housekeepers is respectfully invited. Call and examine.—No trouble to show goods. [April 11-tf

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Now in store at No. 50 East Penn Street, between Sixth and Seventh, (one of the best stands in the city). Being the only store of the kind in Reading, and the stock having been laid in before the great rise in prices, this is a good chance for a person with a small capital; as I will sell for much less than the same goods can be purchased for at wholesale in New-York.

March 14-tf] W. S. HALL.

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B. J. WILLIAMS, No. 16 NORTH SIXTH Street, Philadelphia, Manufacturer of

VENETIAN BLINDS AND WINDOW SHADES.

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Capital, - - - - -		$400,000 00
Perpetual Preminms, - - -	$942,973 29	
Less Five Per Cent. - - -	47,148 66	
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Less for portion of time expired on policies over one year,	19,058 40	
Surplus, - - - -		$171,525 65 / 924,700 11
Total, - - - -		$2,392,116 39

Statement of the Assets of the Company, January 1, 1863.

First Mortgages, amply secured,		$1,993,931 46
Real Estate, (present value $155,322 47) cost		128,970 77
Temporary Loans, on ample Collateral Securities		$1,625 77
Stocks, (present value $98,375 16) cost - -		84,901 50
Notes and bills receivable,		1,549 50
Cash, - - - - - - -		75,312 03
		$2,369,291 03
Advance in Value of Real Estate over cost,		9,351 70
Advance in Value of Stocks over cost,		13,473 66
Total, - - - - -		$2,392,116 39

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April 4-1y] Agent for the Company, at Reading, Pa.

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CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE.

WE HAVE NOW OPEN A LARGE AND elegant assortment of the following kinds of

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French China Vases, 7 doz. pairs, all sizes, Gata Baskets, Card Receivers, Jewel Boxes, Cologne Bottles, Motto Coffees, Watch Holders, Inkstands, Cigar Stands, and a variety of other fancy goods suitable for the What-Not. Also

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Such as Wine Bottles, Decanters, Goblets and Wine Glasses, Liquor Sette, Cigar Stands, Card Baskets, Cologne Bottles, Cake and Fruit Stands in great variety, Castors, Salt Cellars, Candlesticks, Tumblers, &c., &c., and Common Glassware of every description; together with an extensive stock of

QUEENSWARE,

Consisting in part, of White Granite Tea and Toilet sets, Tea and Coffee Cups, Dinner, Breakfast and Butter Plates, Dishes of all kinds, Pitchers, Mugs, Bowls, &c., &c., with a full line of common ware, all of which we offer at unusually low prices. An inspection of our goods by our many patrons and the public, is respectfully asked.

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And all kinds of SPRING GOODS, to which the attention of buyers is respectfully invited.

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Many are aware of the cause of their suffering,

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Bear ample witness to the truth of the assertion.

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A trial will convince the most skeptical.

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Who have been the Victims of Quacks, and who have paid heavy fees to be cured in a short time. Have found they were deceived, and that the "*Potent*" has, by the use of "*powerful astringents*," been dried up in the system, to break out in an aggravated form, and

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Use Helmbold's Extract Buchu for all affections and diseases of the

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Whether existing in

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From whatever cause originating and no matter of

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And is sure to have the desired effect in all diseases

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With names known to

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Delivered to any address, securely packed from any observation.

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CURES GUARANTEED!

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H. T. HELMBOLD.

Sworn, and subscribed before me, this 23d day of November, 1854.

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CAPITAL, $50,000.

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WM. B. BRADBURY'S PIANO-FORTE ESTABLISHMENT,

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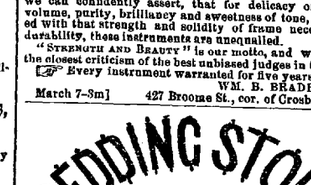

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