READING, PA.

WEDNESDAY, JANUABÝ 13, 1869.

Moder Martens which were so very tight in this city about the first of the year are grid nally !! losening up !! a little. Depositors have had their cases all attended to satisfactorily as they are auxious to have at the commencement of each succeeding year and now feel easier, as also, no doubt does the Bankers. It is customary for men in this county who have their money on deposit to make a grand rush the first day of January to see whether their money is all in the vaults of the Banks, and for the purpose of better satisfying themselves they present their checks, draw it out, count it ever, and, ton chances to one, immediately doposit it again. And this is one thing that makes money "exceedingly tight" in Reading on the first of the New Year. What makes it tight nearly all the time, is that about a million and a half of our money is kept in Wall street on speculation by private Bankers. Pive pe cent per annum is paid the depositor here and thousands of dollars are dolly sent to New York where it commands ten times that amount on speculation. This is what keeps money "tight" in Reading. When men learn to make safe investments of their money at home-loan it to their neighbors, who will pay agod percentage and invest it in improve ments at home—then money will be plenty and times will be good. Continue to send your mpney to New York and we shall look for nothing else but a tight money market. We simply throw these hints out for what they are worth -- nothing more."

. The above article we copy from the Dispatch of Monday. We deny that a million and a half of "our money" is in Wall street on speculation, unless it is furnished by the National Banks of Reading. It is foolish and absard to say of our business men that they go to the Bank on the first of January of each year, present their checks, draw out their deposits, and then again deposit their money, after having "counted it over." No plain Borks county farmer or thorough business man would be guilty of a trick of this kind, and we might add no honest man would do so, unless he feared that he could not draw his money. We do not think that the National Banks should complain of money being tight, because they receive very large favors, franchises, and do nations to the tune of at least eighteen millions a year from the national treasury, for which they do not render one cent of return.

Private bankers in Reading and elsewhere do business upon their individual credit. They ask no special privileges nor donations from the government. They stand, as all bankers their customers' business in a plain, straightforward way. They exact no conditions other Can the National Banks of Reading say as much? We ask how many persons have gone to one or more of these Banks and asked for a discount, who have been bluffed off and in-

We assert that National Banks do more in this country to make money tight than anything else. Look at their huge combinations to lock up money in New York city, with the object of aiding speculators in coal, flour and the other necessaries of life, to run up the prices so as to make the consumer, the poor man, pay for it, and then when the prices are highest in the dead of winter, make another unholy combination to reduce the wages of labor.

We bolieve with Thomas Jefferson, that banking should be carried on by private bankers who are controlled and governed by those rules, which regulate legitimate traffic, and not that a privileged fow should be upheld by the law to enrich thomselves at the expense of the

In conclusion, we say let Congress pass a law taking away the privileges they have conferred upon National Banks, and lot every one who desires enter into the banking business, and then we will have an easy money market and no complaint of times being hard. Do this, and the banker who is the most correct will recoive the greatest encouragement, and the many who will of necessity engage in the banking business will provent combinations in looking up money, so that the laws of supply and demand may control monetary interests.

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S REPORT. From the Report of the Adjutant General of the State of Pounsylvania for 1868, we

condense the following information: The Roster of the Commander-in-Chief and Staff, is as follows: Governor John W. Geary, Commander in Chief; Brigadier General . D. B. McCreary, Adjutant General and Paymaster General; also Acting Quartermaster General and Commissary General; Colonel William Modichael, Aide-de-camp; Colonel A. L. Pearson, do; Colonel Alonzo J. Wilcox,

The Adjutant General recommends that the minimum number of volunteers necessary to form a company be reduced to thirty-two noncommissioned officers and privates, as is the system in Philadelphia, instead of the present number of eighty-three men, rank and file; also that an annual tax of two dollars be imposed upon every person liable to military duty who is not a member of a military organization; the amount thus raised to be appropriated to the support of the volunteer companies. By this system, in Philadelphia, twenty dollars is paid annually to each member of a volunteer company.

Only forty-six countles have made returns of their enrolled militia—twenty have failed to do so, although by the act of August 22, 1864, the assessors who are required to make the en-

rollment are to draw their pay from the funds of the county when there is no brigade fund. An appropriation of \$4,500 in requested, for the purpose of regigunting sighteen pieces of artillery mow lying in the State Arsenal. An increase of the force of workmen at the Arenal, and the fitting up of a room as a depostory for State flags, is also recommended.

There are in the State at the present time wo companies of cavalry, four companies of artillery, and seventy-one companies of infaulty, of which twenty-five companies are kliown ds ""zódáves," two companies as 'rifles," and one company as "free rangers.'

The number of enrolled militin in Berks county is given at 11,069. The total number in the forty counties which have reported is the Adjutant General's reputation for military exactness. The total number of arms, accoutrements, &c., is not given-another instance of neglect or incompetency on the part of the Adjutant General, who in preparing such a report, should see that it is more explicit.

The commutation allowed on the expenses for disinterring and carrying to places of burial the bodies of deceased soldiers, where transportation was not furnished by the State, was \$5,863.96. The total amount of disbursements by the Adjutant General for the fiscal year ending November 80, 1868, was \$84,895.

There is no uniformed military organization reported in Berks county, which is partly owing to the fact that the project of organizing volunteer companies in this county has received no encouragement from either the Governor or the Adjutant General, and the letters written to those officials on the subject by several per sons in the county have remained unanswered, Whether this is because Berks is a Democratic county, and therefore unfit to be trusted with arms, we cannot say; but there is no doubt some such reason for the coldness with which these communications were received.

Amalgamation—A Disgusting Case—Mar rings of a Negro to a Pretty White Woman,

A strange couple came up from Erie, on the ake Shore Road, Saturday evening -exciting the disgust and intense curiosity of every passenger in the car. It comprises a sooty, greaty negro, and a pretty white girl, whom he had married the day before at Eric. The girl evidently felt a great deal of shame at her situaed out of the car all the time. Her Othello, however, was all passionate tenderness and attention. We have learned the antecedents of the from "down country" as he expressed it, which should, upon their individual merits. They do pair, which we lay before our readers: On were disposed of as soon as opportunity offer-Thursday, a tall, gaunt, very black negro, about ed. These were evidently the fruits of his forty years of age, registered at the Morton colleagues' labors in the lower counties. House, Eric, as "William Lindsey and wife, than the ordinary rules of business require. Ohio." He requested the landlord to give him the best room in the house, as his wife would hope no efforts will be spared to ferret out and arrive on the next train, and join him. His bring every one of them to justice. - Oarbon "wife" not putting in an appearance by the next morning, he went to Oberlin after her. It happened that the girl--Carrie Brown by name -however, was en route for Erie, to join her lover (ugh!), and the train that he was on passed hers. Arriving at Eric, and learning the state of affairs, Carrid remained in the depot till evening, when Lindsey returned from Ober-

> They then went to the hotel and asked to be shown to his room. The landlord asked the negro if the lady with him was his wife. Lindsey-answored him in the affirmative. The landlord then interrogated the lady who was a beautiful young girl. She said they were not yet married, but that they had come for the purpose of being married. The two were then told that they must produce a certificate of marringe before they could occupy a room togethor, whereupon they called upon the stev. Mr. Nutting, of Eric, and were married. The girl said she came from Boston, Mass.; that she had been living in the family of Prof. Allen, of Oberlin, and attending school; that she there met this man, her present husband, Wm. Delancoy alias Wm. Lindsey. He says he is a Wesleyan Methodist preacher. Prof. Allen know of her leaving to marry the negro, and was in favor of her marriage. They left Eric on Saturday morning for Oberlin. The bride is a very pretty girl, and was well dressed. Sho says her parents live in Boston. She has been in Oberliu since October last. The girl is about eighteen or nineteen years of age. De Lancey wore a tall stovepipe hat, and carried a cotton unbrella in his hand .- Oleveland Plaindealer.

Particulars of the Disturbance in Virginia.

The particulars of the negro disturbances near Kempsville, Princess Anne county, Va.,

Lieut. Farragut and force, while en route to the farm occupied by the negro squatters who were to be ejected passed an armed force of 75 negroes in the woods, who made no demonstration. Upon nearing the squatters' quarters a fresh party, variously armed, retreated to a house which was surrounded. Sergeant Cullen advanced to the door and was instantly shot, which so infuriated the troops that they returned the fire, and rushing into the house bayoneted one or two of the negroes. Three were killed outright. The troops were withdrawn from the scene of the affray after effecting the arrest of two of the ringleaders. A delegation of negroes then waited upon the officer and demanded the arms that were captured, which were refused. The spokesman retorted, "If that is the way things were going overy white man would be run out of the county." The citizens of Kempsville picketed that village, the woods being filled with armed negroes the entire night. Next morning they had disappeared, and with a view to a more speedy pacification the troops returned to the city. Approhensions are still cutertained of a renewal of the emeule, and great excitement continues

A FORMIDABLE GANG OF HORSE TORREST the peat year or two, Carbon, Lasanne Mon the past year or two, Caroon, Lands Harks The CARL.—I herewith inform roe, Northampton, Schuylkill, Backs Harks The CARL.—I herewith inform and Lehigh counties have been infiested with not stopped immediately at person or streams the these false more, my home thieves. Many valuable horses have been stolen, as well as carriages, buffalo robes, &c., and in but few instances recovered sgain by their owners. Those returned were brought back by the offer of a liberal reward, which was generally pocketed by some interested party, in the gang. About two months ago, two horses and a wagon were stolen at Riegelsville, Backs of the list that names will be atricken county. Bills were printed and sent out all over the county offering a reward for the recovery of the property and conviction of the thief, but no trace was obtained until about ten days ago, when a detective officer of Reading, who had heard of the theft, accidentally overheard not given, which oversight is not creditable to a remark made by two parties in conversation, that "the Riegelsville horses went to Hazleton.". The detective started at once for the latter place, and in a livery stable there found the horses. He questioned the attendant as to how the horses came there, and was told that the proprietor, Jacob Roth, brought them there. Roth was found and questioned, but could give no satisfactory answer as to how he came into possession of the animals, when he was placed under arrest and taken to Doylestown, locked up in jail and subsequently released on \$8,000 bail. About the same time, a suspicious character was arrested at Hazleton, who, becoming alarmed, divulged the whole secret of the existence of a most formidable gang of horse thieves. He gave the names of thirteen who were known to operate, nearly all of whom have been arrested. He also gave a description of the modus operandi: A horse stolen in this section of country was at once taken south from here and transferred to some member of the band, who would transfer it to another, and he still to another, when the animal would be sold to some unsophisticated individual, who, if ever called upon for the horse by the owner, of course, could not give the name of the party of whom he bought it. Carriages were taken to an isolated point near Hazleton, where all the appliances were ready, and they received a complete overhauling in painting and trimming, making so complete a change that the owner himself could not recognize his property. Robes and whips were also manipulated to avoid recognition, and thus their neferious work was carried on. A large amount of property has thus been stolen and disposed of, and no doubt the profits of the gang-were quite large.

Roth is a young man, formerly from Saucon township, Northampton county, whore his family is well known and highly respected, his father being a wealthy farmer and one of the most respectable citizens of the township. "A tion, for she kept herself doubly veiled, and look. few years since, young Roth went into the livery and horse jockey business at Hazleton. and was continually receiving fresh horses

The breaking up of this gang of villains will be gratifying news to all honest people, and we

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

70 SHARES OF

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FOR SALE,

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CITUATION WANTED.—As Bar-tender or Drive or of Express wagon, by a competent young man. Good reference given. Apply at the United States Hotel. Z. L. W. jaul 3 5 to 1.

Possession given immediately. Apply to J. MAITLAND, 430 Franklin street, or J. B. GRISSINGER, 415 Chestnut st. jan 18-3t\*

MACEDONIAN OIL TRIUMPHANT.

WILL YOU PLEASE READ THIS!

Reading, Pa., Jan. 12, 1869.—Mr. Wm. C. Krouse, No. 204 South Fifth street, says the M. M. Oll is the only thing which has given strength to his broken arm—has used it in his family for Earache, Neuralgia, and frosted feet, performing in each case a wonderfully quick and radical

cure.

E. FOX, Proprietor of Keystone House, certifies that three bottles of the Oil cured a strain in a Horse, valuing the cure at \$100.

JOHN HEMP, Policeman, says the Oil cured him of a severe fracture of the collar bone.

The above named persons are well known in this vicinity, and are living witnesses.

Having furnished such ample testimony at the times we advertised with the FOUR HORSE CHARIOT,

giving those popular open air

deem it unnecessary to add more names. The Magic Maccdonian Oll Co. will forfeit

if any dozen remedies combined will furnish as many good cartificates from prominent, citizens in the city and vicinity as these who have been cured by the use of the Macedonian Oil—call on PROP. RAYMOND.

The German and English lecturer of the Company, stopping at the Heystone House and purchase a bottle of the Oil, or receive advice and treatment free of charge.

Also—Sold by J. K. McCurdy, Doctor Ziegier, and S. S. Stovens.

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INTHE ORPHANS' COURT OF BERKS COUNTY—Writ of Partition Sur Real Estate of Peter Kern, late of said county of Berks, deceased.

To Joremiah Kern, Peter Kern, Solomon who was intermarried with—Harmony, the heirs of Joseph Kern, to wit: Jeremiah Kern, the petitioner, Polly, intermarried with George Spiegel; Anna, intermarried with Boas Smith; Sarah, intermarried with John Dorwart, and Lydia Kern, widow of Joseph Kern, deceased; Mary Ann, intermarried with John Dorwart, and Lydia Kern, widow of Joseph Kern, deceased; Mary Ann, intermarried with James F. Kline.—Thomas Kern's heirs, to wit: Edward Kern, and Levins, intermarried with Joseph Witman; the heirs of Jona's Kern, deceased, to wit: Poter Kern, William Kern, John Kern, Frank Kern, Dr. Joshua Kern, Mary Korn, widow of—Seager; Elizabeth, intermarried with Bev.—Hartman; and Barah intermarried with Jesse Varney; Maria, intermarried with Jesse Varney; Maria, intermarried with Charles Fisher; The heirs of Julia Ann, who was married to Michael Sieger, and who is since deceased, leaving issue; Peter Sieger, Thomas Sieger, Sally, intermarried with Aaron Bisenbart, Eli Bleger, since dochased, leaving a widow and two daughters, whose names are not known to the petitioner.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the above writ of partition, an inquest will be held.

al of the emeule, and great excitement continues in the vicinity.

A negro named Hodges, a former member of the Constitutional Convention, is reported to have occasioned the registance to the civil authorities by an inflammatory speech, in which he told them to "hold on to the property and fight to the last."

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NEW

ON of Reading, on the third Friday (the 19th ebruary, at No. 28 North Fifth street, at 7) or clock P. M. Three who have not haid up that due to the month of Lanuary, are requested to so at once to the Treasurer. J. O. Tubinds Also, those wishing information and chares, can do so by calling on the Treasurer, as only a few more of the latter are left for disposal.

By order of the Board.

J. ROSS MILLER, jan 11-td]

PUBLIC SALE

BANK STOCK:

By order of the Executors, I will sell on Satur 133 SHARES

PARMERS NATIONAL BANK STOCK. The property of the estate of David Levan, deceased. Conditions of Sale.: One half the purchase money can ramain the year, from the 1st April next. WM. Y. LYON,

LIBRARY HALL!

On Wednesday, January 13, THE WORLD FAMOUS AND RENOWNED

MOBRISMINSTRELS

Direct from MORRIS BROTHERS' OPERA HOUSE, Boston: Twis Troube appeared here last season with THE TRIP AROUND THE WORLD. JOHNNY HART, JOHNNY QUEEN, ADD RY MAN, DILLY SWEATNAM, ANDY CABLAND, And Sixteen First class Artists: ) jan 11-Stj. CHARLES A. MORRIS, Manager.

TARMONIE BUILDING AND SAVINGS AS-ISOCIATION.—The annual meeting of the Harmonie Building and Savings Association will take place at the public house of Gottliob Rohm, No. 835 Fenn street, Thursday evening, January 14, 1869, at 71/20 clock. Every member of the As-sociation is expected to be present, in accordance with article XX section 1, of the Constitution, in default of which the constitutional provisions of said Association will be enforced. jan 0-tid MICHAEL WALTER, Secretary.

TAILABLIE BEAR AST ATE AT PUBLIC SALE.

Will be sold at public sale of saturday, Ján.
16, 16:9, at the Keystone House, in the city of
Reading; at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, late the
well-known property of George Dell Keim, deceased, in North Fifth street, between Penn and
Court streets, on the east side, and now occupied
by James Davenger, restaurator, described as
follows:

follows:

A large three-story BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, so feet front and so feet deep, bounded on the north by property of the Reading Insurance Con and on the south by property of James Long, together with a three-story back furthing in the rear. The house is in excellent order, having been recently thoroughly refitted, and repaired; contains three ranges, and is commodious in all its apartments. It is well adapted to all kinds of business, and rents readily for \$1200 per annum. This is an excellent opportunity for capitalists.

Possession will be given, if desired, on the first of April next. Conditions made known on the day of sale by CHARLES B. MILLER.
W. Y. Lyon, Auctioneer. Jan 9-td.

MILLINERY AND DRY GOODS.

No. 317 Penn street, between Third and Fourth where I will pay particular attention to keep all the latest styles of LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S HAT AND BONNET FRAMES,

and a complete assortment of evolvthing per-taining to the Millinery and Trimbing line. I express my most hearty thanks for past favors, and very respectfully solicit the continuance of the same. Satisfaction guaranteed. jan 8-2md MRS. O. B. KELLER.

NOTICE.—The stockholders of the Liberty Building and Sayings Association, are hereby notified to pay their first monthly dues, on or before the fourth Wednesday of January, to the Treasurer, A.T. C. Keffer, No. 127 North Ninth The first sale of money will take place the 27th lay of January, at 7 o'clock P. M., at Benner Humma's saloon, No. 118 North Tenth street. Persons wishing shares can call on A. T. C. Kef-or, Benner Humma or L. Kremp, No. 143 North linth street. L. KREMP, Scoretary.

NOTICE.—A meeting of the Stockholders of the Reading Library Company will be held at the Hall, corner of Fifth and Franklin streets, on Monday evening, Jan. 18th, at 7½ o'clock, All others interested are invited to attend. W. MURRAY WEIDMAN,

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They have also a fine assortment of the latest styles HATS and CAPS, at low figures.

A? All kinds of customer work manufactured in the very best style, at short notice. The patronage of the public is respectfully so-licited.

A SSIGNMENT OF JACOB E. SNYDER.—All persons are hereby notified that
Jacob E. Snyder has made a voluntary assignment of all his real and personal property to
Benjamin Fraklin Snyder, in trust for the Danofit of the creditors of the said Jacob E. Snyder.
All persons who are indebted to Jacob E. Snyder.
All persons who are indebted to Jacob E. Snyder.
Fraklin Snyder, Assignee, and those having claims against the said Jacob E. Snyder, with the delivered to the ticket-holder on payment of ONE DOLLAR. Prizes will be immediately sent to any address, as requested, by express or return mail.

You will know what your Prize is defore you pay for it. Any Prize may be exchanged for an other of the same Value. The No Blanks.

TO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE ASSIGNMENT OF TAKES TO BLANKS.

REFERENCES.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—NOtice is hereby given that I have this day associated Mr. Albert R. Durham as a partner with
myself in my Drug busines, at No. 16 South Mith
street, Reading, Pa., in which place the business
will hereafter be conducted under the firm of
Mccurdy & Durham. Destring to express
my thanks to the public for their support and
courtesy during the past twenty years, I respectfully ask a continuance of favor to the new
firm.

Restling, Jan 1, 1889. ru. Reading, Jan 1, 1869.

In announcing our new firm, we desire to com-mend ourselves to the favorable consideration of the old friends of the house, and to the public generally.

J. K. MCCURDY,

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—PURSU-Oant to an alias order of the Orphans' Court of Berks county, will be sold at Public Vendue, on Saturday the 23d day of January, A. D., 1869, at the public house of Isuao Miller, in Spring townstell Daylor Court of Sunday, A. D., 1869, at the public Busha country. the public house of Isuac Miller, in Spring township, Berks county:

All that certain messuage, tonement and tract of land situate in Spring township. Berks county, bounded by lands of Joseph Grill, George Gelsinger, Israel Shirk, containing 75 acres and 63 perches. The improvements are a one story LOG HOUSE, Frame Stable, Stone Spring House, and other outbuildings. About two scres of the above is heavily timbered and three acres of mendow land with a good Oreliard of choice fruit. Late the property for life of Unharing and John Bollman, deceased.

Sale to commence at 10 clock in the afternoon, when due attendance will be given and the terms of sale means known by

of sale made known by
GKORGE ROLLMAN, Surviving Trustee.
By order of the Gourt.—Lavi H. Liess, Clerk.,
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ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—PURSUant to an order of the Orphans' Court of
Borks county; will be sold at public vendue, on
Tuesday, the Esth day of January, A. D., 1888, at
the into residence of John Rechiel, deceased, in
Heldelberg township, Berks county:
An undivided molety or half of a certain, messuage, tonement and lot or a plece of ground situate in Heldelberg township. Berks county,
bounded by lands of David Kehl, by property of
the School District of Heldelberg township, by a
public road and by the Dauphin turnpike, containing one acro and a half more or less, with
the appurtenances. The improvements are a
cone story PLASTERED it JURE, one story
Kichen attached, Frame Stable, Wagon Shed,
by Pig Sty, summer kitchen or house, wood
shed, pump and well of water, and other outbuildings. Late the property of John Bechlei,
deceased.

Held to commence at legicock in the afternoon.

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I SAAC BECHTEL, Adm'or.

the following accounts have been filed in the office of the Register, in and for the country of Berks, and that the same will be presented to the Orphans' Court for confirmation, on Saturday, the 2dd day of January next, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Court House, in the City of Reading.

1868.
Filed December 8. Account of John Pfleger, Executor of Elizabeth Hoffman, deceased.
Filed December 10. Account of Ignatius Shade, Administrator of Anthony Shade, deceased.
Filed December 12. Account of Augustus Koch el, Executor of Sarah Kochel, deceased.
Flied December 14: Account of Daniel Buskirk, Guardian of Sarah Spies.
Flied December 14: Account of Joseph Daysher, Administrator of Catharine Homan, deceased.

ceased.

Flied December 15. Account of William Krick,
Administrator of John Krick, deceased.

Flied December 18. Account of William Fisher,
Administrator of Daniel Fisher, deceased. Filed December 18. Account of Nicholas Jones and William Younn, Executors of Mary Jones, deceasen. "Flied December 23, Account of Reily L. Fisher, Guardian of Jonathan Schower. J. D. WANNER, Register. Register's Office, December 23, 1868-46

DUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE BEAL ESTATE.—Will be sold by the subscriber, at the public house of Jacob Graeff, in the village of Leesport, Ontelaunce township, Berks county, on Friday, the 22d day of January, A. D., 1869, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, to wit:

county, on Friday, the 22d day of January, A. D., 1869, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, to wit;
No. 1. Ali that certain Tract of Land situate near Leesport, Unfelaunee township, in the county of Borks, adjoining lands of Valentine Hartman, Leesport Iron Company and others, containing 10 acres more or less.
No. 2. A certain Tract of Land situate near Leesport, in the township of Untelaunee, said county, adjoining lands of Leesport Iron Company, Daniel Fisher and others, containing 5 acres more or less.
No. 3. All that certain messuage and piece of laind in the village of Leesport, in said county, adjoining property of Penrese Wiley, Helens Ulmar, and others, containing 1 acres and 4½ perches. The improvements consist of a large stream of the improvements of the improvements of the improvements of a large of the improvements of the import, adjoining property of Penrese Wiley, Tobias Clouser, deceased, and others, containing 40 acres strict measure.
No. 5. All that certain FRAME DWELLING HOUSE and lot of ground in said village of Leesport, in said county, containing 14 perches, strict measure.
No. 6. All that certain BRICK HOUSE and lot

All that certain BRICK HOUSE and lot or piece of ground in said village of Leesport, in said county, containing it perches, strict measure.

The above properties will be sold in the whole, or by lots to suit purchasers. Conditions of sale made known by.

FRANKIN MENGLE, jan 2-3t

made known by.

Jan 2-3t

TN THE COURT OF QUARTER
SESSIONS OF BERKS COUNTY.—In the matter of Sections 6th, 7th and 8th, of the Topographical Survey of the City of Reading.

And now to wit, December 18th, 1868, at a Court
of Quarter Sessions, held at Reading, in and for
the County of Berks, the Petition of Daniel Ermentrout, Esq., Solicitor of the City of Reading,
prescrited. Setting forth that drafts or plans of
the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of
the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of
said County, and by him filed in his office for
inspection and examination, and praying the
Court to fix a certain day or days, not less than
thirty days from the date of the publication of
the notice hereby authorized and ordered, to
hear any objections that may be made to the
said drafts or plans of any of said sections or
any part of any of them by any freeholders or
citizens of said city, and to adjudge and determine whether any, and what alterations shall be
made therein. The said Court do hereby fix the
25th day of January, A. D., 1809, as the day for
hearing such objections, if any shall be made,
and to determine whether any and what alterations shall be made therein, and in the absence
of objections, exceptions or alterations as aforesaid, to adjudge and decree the said plans or surveys, or any of them established fixed and confirmed. The said Court do further direct that
this order shall shall be published at least thirty
days previous to the said 25th day of January, A.
D., 1809, in at least two weekly newspapers, published in the city of Reading and County of
Berks, for four successive weeks.

W. J. WOODWARD, P. J.

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE. WILL BE Jacob E. Snyder, in Snydersville, Exeter township, Berks county, on Saturday, January 30th, 1821, the following personal property of Jacob E. Snyder, to wit: 1829, the following personal property of Jacob E. Snyder, to wit:

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said, to adjudge and decree the said plaus or surveys, or any of them established, fixed and court firmed. The said Court do further direct that this order shall shall be published at least thirty days provious to the said 25th day of January. A. D., 1869, in at least two weekly newspapers, published in the city of Reading and County of Berks, for four surcessive weeks.

Attest: I., M., Germart, Clerk.

By order of Select and Common Councils of the Clivy of Reading.

DANIEL EMBENTROUT, City Solicitor: Reading, Dec. 26-4t.

FIRSTATE OF JOHN BECHTEL, deceased, Letters of Administration to the estate of the above named decedent, have been granted to the subscriber. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them, properly authenticated, for settlement.

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