



The Jeffersonian

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 1867.

FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT:
Hon. HENRY W. WILLIAMS,
OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

The Borough Tax Duplicate Again.

The "nice young man" who, through Mr. Greenwald, runs the Monroe Democrat, — the Blacking Brush of the concern, — accuses us of opening our article of the 8th inst., on Borough Tax Duplicates, with "epithets and ridicule." — Bosh! We submit that that article is both courteous and parliamentary; but we submit to an honest public that the two articles in reply, from the personage above alluded to, are brimful of the most bitter, malicious, unprovoked and libelous epithets we have, in a long while, seen published in a journal making any pretensions to decorum. This peculiarly fine personage sets out by accusing us of using "lies and misrepresentations to justify our course." We plead not guilty, sir, and defy you to produce facts to controvert the plea. He then, drawing upon his imagination (which is, doubtless, vivified by his knowledge of the way things are done up for the Democrat), accuses Dr. Lantz of writing our article, and besides declares "that it was through him that the town-council was influenced to take the course it did." A wonderful man, indeed, is the Blacking Brush, and foolish too to rear so heavy a structure upon a foundation of mere sand. He next accuses the Secretary of the Council with lodging a complaint against Mr. Troch, and that, previous to that complaint, the Council were in favor of Mr. Troch. A little inquiry has satisfied us, and would have satisfied the leader of the Democrat junto, that this is false all through. The following are the facts: —

The Council met in their office that night, with two of the members fully impressed with the duty of supporting Mr. Rees, while another came fully resolved to support Mr. Troch, and another came neutral. The Secretary was asked what he knew of Mr. Troch as a collector. — He promptly stated that he knew nothing against him, except that he was looked upon as being what is called a slow collector. He was then asked how Mr. Rees stood on last year's duplicates, when he produced a report of Mr. Rees's collections, which showed, he remarked, that Mr. R. was one of the fastest collectors the Council had had for years. The Councilman in favor of Mr. Troch then stated why he thought Mr. T. should have the collection of the Duplicates, and then the other two stated why they thought Mr. Rees should be made collector; when the neutral member, after asking a few questions, asked for a vote, which was taken, he voting for Mr. Rees. Thus the matter was settled. The motive attributed to the Secretary, we believe to be as false, as the most earnest and solemn protestations of the Blacking Brush have, to our knowledge, on more than one occasion, proved themselves to be.

Such letters as the one which close with the following sentence, are truly refreshing. Of late we have been in receipt of an encouraging number of them, and as a consequence there have been large accessions of cash paying subscribers to the Jeffersonian.

"I want a good Republican paper to know how things are going in Monroe and elsewhere. I know no better one than yours to tell the truth."

Another, who has never heretofore taken a republican paper, says in his note accompanying his \$2 for a years subscription.

"I have been reading the namby pamby stuff of the Democrat for several years, and must have a change—something truthful and substantial. Send me the much abused but sure to be right Jeff."

The corner stone of the New Presbyterian Church, of this Borough, was laid on Wednesday, August 14th. After a hymn was sung and prayer offered, Mr. Reuleux R. Cress, the builder, assisted by Jeremy Mackey, Chairman of the Building Committee, set the stone in place. — Then followed an appropriate and excellent address by Rev. Myron Barrett, of Newton, N. J., under whose auspices, six years ago, the plans of the church were secured, and efforts made to build it. In the box, which is to be placed in the stone, were then put, with timely remarks and explanations by the Pastor, the following articles: —

The Jeffersonian, Monroe Democrat, Philadelphia Inquirer, Presbyterian, and N. Y. Observer. Also, a brief historical sketch of the church, a list of its ruling elders, its present officers, its Sunday-school organization, the list of subscribers to the new church, pieces of the coins, and currency now circulating, and a copy of the Holy Scriptures. Ere the box was closed the Pastor desired to have one more list of names to place therein. He wished to have every person there to give something, and if they would, their names would be preserved for future admiration. In response to this a number gave of their money, and quite a list was then made out by T. M. McIlhenny, the Treasurer of the church. The amount thus realized was 228 dollars.

After this the Rev. R. Pitts offered prayer, and the benediction was pronounced by Rev. D. M. Henkel.

It was also announced that dinner was prepared at the Fair House, and that all were invited. The ladies there made a beautiful display of their taste and handiwork, and provided abundantly for the wants of "inner man." The rain interrupted the "Fair and Festival" till Saturday, when crowds visited it, and left substantial profit to the Society. They realized a net profit of about 420 dollars.

We are glad to see a very neat sand stone water table being placed around the front of the new church, and feel assured that there will be like taste and beauty in the several parts of the building.

Del. Water Gap.

We are pleased to learn that our friend Luke W. Brodhead, the gentlemanly host of the Kittaninny House, is being repaid for his efforts to accommodate his guests, by having his house filled to overflowing, there being present some days over 230 persons, many of whom are compelled to secure lodging in the town.

Query. The above being true, why would not a like Hotel pay in our Borough? We have heard some whisperers a stock company attempting to build and keep it: why should they not?

The Fair and Festival in aid of the Presbyterian Church, at Water Gap, secured the unprecedented profit of more than \$1,100.

The "Gavel" at the Ladies Fair and Festival, held at the Fair House, was awarded to the United American Mechanics of this borough. The following is the vote on the occasion:

United American Mechanics	221 votes
Free Masons	60 "
Sons of Temperance	13 "
Odd Fellows	3 "

The Ladies kindly came to the assistance of the Mechanics, who are all good looking young men, and took an active part in their favor with the above result.

Rumor is now positive that A. J. President, listening to the demands of virulent ex-Rebels and Copperheads, rather than to the demands of common sense, has consummated the egregious folly of relieving Gen. Phil. Sheridan from his command. Gen. George H. Thomas, it is said, will be his successor.

This base falsifier has the audacity to state that Mr. Rees "acknowledges that he was \$1200 behind when Lantz prepared the article." We would have you understand, sir oracle, that we prepare our own articles; and by actual facts we happen to know you are lying again. — Mr. Rees's last receipt is dated August 5th, and we prepared our article after the payment was made and receipt taken. — Mr. Rees knew not the time our article was prepared, and, therefore, could tell nothing about the matter, if he had been so disposed. Further than this, Mr. Rees says he said nothing of the kind.

We are told by this Blacking Brush, again, that Mr. Troch's duplicates amounted to \$191.17 more than we stated they did. Our statement was taken from the County Auditors' published report, which will be found in the Democrat of year 1865, to be just as we reported it. If Mr. Troch's duplicate amounted to that much more than the County Auditors charge him, then he must have been that much further behind with his collections than we charged him with being. Ah! but, says Blacking Brush, Mr. Troch collected his two years that he had to collect them in were up! Suppose he did? What does it amount to? All the Council contended for was that Mr. Rees was the quicker collector and, therefore, the better of the two; and your figures show as well as ours that the Council were right, and go to justify their action. You state that in eighteen months Troch collected \$2457.54, while we have proved, by facts conclusive, that Rees, in less than a year, collected and paid into the Borough Treasury \$4969.67.

The Junto complain of the smallness of "Scribe Lantz's" tax. By referring to the duplicates of Borough Taxes for this year, we find that he pays within \$5 of as much Borough Tax as Blacking Brush, Greenwald and the little Captain united.

Such are the weak and flimsy, but base and malicious charges preferred by a sneaking villain to justify him in denouncing the Town Council and their Secretary as being recreant to their duty; and so easily are those charges torn to pieces and scattered to the four winds by the touchstone of truth. If, as is asserted, the "devil is the father of liars," and we doubt it not, then must the devil be credited with having a few able sons engaged in running the Monroe Democrat in this place; who, to use their own choice language, "are the blackest set of scoundrels that ever cursed a christian community."

The arrangement between the Democrat's Blacking Brush and the rest of the vampire clique, it would seem is that the responsibility of writing their scandalous articles should be laid upon those to whom character in the community was of least moment, and by dexterous lying they succeeded in drawing our first fire on the green Greenwald and his little Capt. — The smoke had hardly cleared away, however, when we discovered that Greenwald and the little Capt. were flat down, while just behind them, in the editorial and correspondents' sanctum, to our pro-

found astonishment, we saw a pair of tremendous long ears attacked to the head of a flighty disciple of Blackstone, who, void of argument and decency, was striving hard to make up for his deficiency by lustily braying "rascality," "politics," "niggerlogging," "favoritism," &c., &c., to the end of the chapter; and, recognizing the voice, and knowing no name so good, we wrote him down a raving storming ass.

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"A Lie." What is "a lie"? A few weeks ago, our neighbor, having nothing better to urge against Judge Williams as a man and a Judge, thought to prejudice the German element of the Commonwealth against him by publishing an article filled with such stuff as the following: —

"The nomination of Judge Williams, for the Supreme Court, in Pennsylvania, by the radical Republicans, is another acknowledgment on the part of the stolid Dutch element of the superiority of New England men, and more of the same sort. This was published with a grand flourish, and was attributed to the Salem (Mass.) Journal. A telegram from Salem states that no paper bearing that title is published in that town; and not a single Republican paper in New England either originated or published the article."

Again: "A lie." What is "a lie"? The Democrat, a week or two ago, insinuated that Judge Williams favored the doctrine of the Repudiationists of Allegheny County, and promised terrible things if this were denied by the Judge's friends. The records of that county go to show that Judge Williams was a most emphatic advocate of the payment of every cent called for by the bonds in contest, and never in the remotest degree favored repudiation.

Again: "A lie." What is "a lie"? The charge of the Democrat that Judge Williams, if elected Supreme Judge, would decide in favor of Negro Suffrage, without constitutional law to require such a decision. We are willing to concede that a Democratic Judge would decide almost any thing in accordance with the dictates of his partisan bias, but for a Republican Judge to be guilty of such malfeasance is beyond the range of possibility.

Again: "A lie." What is "a lie"? The assertion that Republicans procured the release of the Democrat's "pet lamb," Haines, from the penitentiary, when the facts point to Democratic leaders, as both the instigators and the accomplices of his release.

Finally, "A lie." What is "a lie"? The whole foundation and superstructure of modern Democracy. The spirit of truth has departed from the party, and its partisans can not even point out the evils which attach, necessarily to so great an organization as the Republican party, in a spirit of honor and candor. We might fill columns with evidence in support of this, but this is just as well, for the people are beginning to read more and more, and the more they read, the more intelligent they become, and the more effectually they become the more forcibly and impressively is the truth becoming impressed upon them as it shows by their votes.

We admire the Democrat's definition more particularly because it is among the truest that only once in a great while, and then by accident, illumines its columns. We repeat it

"A LIE — A lie is defined by Webster as a falsehood uttered for the purpose of deception; and intentional violation of truth; and the Book of Holy writ tells us that the devil is the father of liars."

Should the "father" happen to die, what a worthy successor might be found, without looking farther than the Democrat's sanctum.

A few months ago the argus of Democracy kept the country in a perfect uproar, with their howling against Sanford Conover, alias Downing, the perjurer, who had misled the government by his well sworn-to lies. Sanford was tried, convicted and is now in prison for his diabolical crimes against the truth. But he does not fancy being in *durance vile*, and as the best means of securing the President's pardon, has set to-work to gain A. J.'s favor by pandering to his passion for revenge. He has made a statement, all of which he is willing to swear to of course, in which he essays to show up a conspiracy "on the part of Congressman Ashley and others, to secure the President's impeachment, by means of perjured witnesses, who were to be manipulated by no less a personage than the experienced Sanford himself. Presto, and the Organs are again howling, but this time in a jubilant spirit over the bone which Sanford has thus thrown them. For particulars see article headed "Guilt of the impeachers," on third column of the 2nd page of last week's Monroe Democrat. For "of such is the kingdom of" Democracy composed.

Godey's Lady's Book.

For September is promptly on our table. We might exhaust the English language in a panegyric on the Book, and yet not say a word too much for its excellence as a mirror of Fashions, an entertaining companion in the lighter walks of polite literature, or as a promoter of sound morality. Thirty-seven years experience has made Godey the very prince of literary connoisseurs, and the Book the most useful and entertaining magazine published. Terms only \$3 per annum: 2 copies for \$5.50; 3 copies for \$7.50. — Every body should have it. Address L. A. Godey N. E. corner 6th and Chestnut St., Philadelphia. By the way our August number never came to hand, will friend Godey attend to it?

Three men were drowned in a "mash tub" at Metzler's distillery, in New York, yesterday.

George L. Walker, Real-Estate Agent, reports the sale of the following Real Estate: —

Harrison Carmer's Farm, in Stroud township, containing 50 acres.

George M. Shafter's Farm, in same township, containing 100 acres.

Mr. Walker has proved a very successful Agent, which is owing, in a great measure, to the energy displayed in the pursuit of his calling, and the promptness with which he meets all the requirements of his clients. These qualities combine to render him a favorite with those having lands for sale.

Choice Farms for Sale.

One Farm of 59 ACRES, 2 miles from Stroudsburg.

One Farm of 52 ACRES, 3 miles from Stroudsburg.

One Farm of 105 ACRES, 3 miles from Stroudsburg.

These are very desirable Farms, and will be sold very cheap and on Easy Terms. Apply to

GEO. L. WALKER,
Real-Estate Agent,
Stroudsburg, Pa.

Aug. 22—[1.]

The first of a series of sermons on the Reformation by Luther will be delivered on Sunday next, at half past ten o'clock, A. M., in the Court House, by the Rev. D. M. Henkel.

More Suffering, Sorrow and Death, are the results of Indigestion and Dyspepsia than from all other known diseases. Coe's Dyspepsia Cure is a sure and immediate remedy. It will stop distress after eating as soon as you take it.

The Question Settled.

The eminent men, Dr. James Clark, Physician to Queen Victoria, and Dr. Hughes Bennett, say that consumption can be cured. Dr. Wistar knew this when he discovered his now widely known Balsam of Wild Cherry, and experience has proved the correctness of his opinion.

Mr. EDITOR: HAVING recently been charged by A. O. Greenwald & Co. with falsifying, and been pelted with epithets too indecent for repetition here, for a fancied part I took in the selection of Collector of Borough Taxes, I desire to make this statement and submit the following proposition: —

I readily admit that I furnished a portion of the facts published in the Jeffersonian of the 8th inst. under the caption of "Borough Tax Duplicates, &c.," and knowing all such to be the simple truth do not desire to shirk the least responsibility therefor. But not being able to boast of an education received at the Five Points and not being a student of "Brick Pomeroy," it will not be expected of me that I should attempt to characterize their dastardly conduct in fitting descriptive terms, or in any way bandy epithets with them; and moreover, I am entirely unwilling, without any further demonstration on their part, to concede their superiority in that line and permit them, undisturbed, to remain masters of the *mine*, and allow the public to judge as to whom the epithets in question ought to be applied. For the public well know that assertions amount to but little without the proof; and that ridicule and abuse are generally an apology for brains and facts and ever the resort of vanquished knaves. They know, also, that it is by assertions, course ridicule and abuse that Greenwald & Co. have attempted to parody the facts set forth in the article alluded to in the Jeffersonian. Hence self-respect will admit of no reply, as such, from me. Like all fanatics, Greenwald & Co. see in, and attribute the faults to others which they themselves possess. However, I will state that I was never an applicant for any office under a democratic administration nor any other, yet the Deputy Collectorship of this County has been twice tendered to me. Nor can I allow the charge of falsifying the truth to go unchallenged. And to set the matter at rest or put it in a more tangible shape, I make this proposition to the parties alluded to. For every lie or misrepresentation of facts which I furnished for said article, that Greenwald & Co. can prove, by proper testimony, that I am guilty of, I will forfeit and pay \$20, which shall go to the benefit of the most needy soldier's widow in town or vicinity, while for every attempt at such proof and failure on their part to establish the same, they shall forfeit \$5, which shall be applied to the same purpose. And as judges of the facts, will choose three of the most radical democrats in town — namely: Judge De Young, Senator Burnett, and T. M. McIlhenny. They, also, to select the recipient of the forfeitures. The money to the amount of at least \$100 to be deposited in the Stroudsburg Bank, subject to the order of said judges, before the test commences.

Come Greenwald & Co. to the test, and let the public know where "lies and misrepresentations" come from.

I, in this matter, am fully aware what the truth is, and fear it not.

I challenge you to the test.

J. LANTZ.
STROUDBURG, August 22.

MARRIED.

On Monday, the 12th inst., at Allentown, Pa., by the Rev. N. S. Strassberger, Mr. A. O. GREENWALD, of Stroudsburg, Pa., editor of the Monroe Democrat, and Miss LORAIN L. BECKER, of Allentown.

Aug. 10th, 1867, at the Lutheran Parsonage, by the Rev. Henry Seifert, Mr. GEORGE H. NEYHART and Miss AMANDA MILLER, both of Hamilton, Monroe Co., Pa.

On the same day, and at the same place, by the Rev. Henry Seifert, Mr. ALBERT HEINEY and Miss HANNAH BRONG, both of Chesnut Hill, Monroe Co., Pa.

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Special Notices.

NOW FOR REVOLUTION. Don't be started. The country's safe. Nevertheless, immediate, instantaneous revolution is impending. Don't

BEAT THE DRUMS,

for this is a silent revolution. It is now going on

IN EVERY STATE,

including the married state, the single state, and all states of the human hair which are not in harmony with beauty. Of whatever undesirable tinge woman's ringlets or man's locks or whiskers may be, the evil is remedied instantly by

CRISTADORO'S HAIR DYE,

which is harmless as water, and certain to produce a natural black or brown in five minutes. Manufactured by J. CRISTADORO, 68 Maiden Lane, New York. Sold by all Druggists. Applied by all Hair Dressers. [August 22, 1867.—Im.]

NO CURE-ALL.

But if you want a medicine that will cure Chronic (not inflammatory) Rheumatism, Mumps, Sore Throat, Swellings, Old Sores, Bruises, Toothache, Headache, Insect Stings, Pains in the Back and Cheeks, Insensibility, Diarrhea, Dysentery, Colic, Croup and Vomiting, you have it in Dr. Tobias's Wonderful Venetian Linctus. It never fails when used according to the directions. Every drop of it is put up by Dr. Tobias himself, and he has done so for nineteen years. His medicine is known throughout the world. — The best physicians recommend it. Thousands of certificates can be seen at the depot, 56 Cortlandt Street. No family having children, should be without it in case of Croup. Thousands of children are saved by it annually. Use it when first taken according to directions, and you will never lose a child. Ladies will find it valuable in eradicating pimples and blotches. Only 50 cts. and \$1 per bottle. Sold by the druggists throughout the United States and in Europe. Depot, 56 Cortlandt Street, New York. August 22, 1867.—Im.

PERUVIAN SYRUP.

PROTECTED SOLUTION OF THE PROTOXIDE OF IRON, supplies the blood with its LIFE-ELEMENT IRON, giving strength, vigor and new life to the whole system.

If the thousands who are suffering from Dyspepsia, Debility, Female Weakness, &c., would but test the virtues of the Peruvian Syrup, the effect would not only astonish themselves but would please all their friends; for instead of feeling cross, "all gone" and miserable, they would be cheerful, vigorous and active.

A DISTINGUISHED JURIST WRITES TO A FRIEND

AS FOLLOWS:

I have tried the Peruvian Syrup, and the result fully sustained your prediction. I had made a new man of me, infused into my system new vigor and energy; I am no longer tremulous and debilitated, as when you first saw me, but strong, hearty, and with larger capacity for labor, mental and physical, than at any time during the last five years.

Thousands have been benefited by the use of this remedy from weak, sickly, suffering creatures, to strong, healthy, and happy men and women; and invalids cannot reasonably hesitate to give it a trial.

The genuine has "Peruvian Syrup" blown in the glass. A 25 page pamphlet will be sent free.

J. P. DINSMORE, Proprietor,
No. 36 DEY ST., NEW YORK.

SCROFULA.

The Rev. George Stearns, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says in the Bible Examiner, by way of apology for publishing a medical certificate in his magazine of the cure of his only son, of Scrofula, "after dissolution appeared inevitable." — "We publish the statement, not for pay, but in gratitude to God who has answered prayer, and in justice to Dr. Anders; being satisfied that there is virtue in the Iodine Water treatment, which the readers of this Magazine will thank the Editor for bringing to their notice."

Circulars free.

Dr. H. Anders' Iodine Water is for sale by J. P. DINSMORE, Proprietor, 26 DEY ST., N. Y., and by all Druggists. [July 25, 1867.—Im.]

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease Consumption — is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove to them a blessing. Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.
May 16, 1867.—Lyr.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A Gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence,

JOHN B. OGDEN,
42 Cedar Street, New York.
May 16, 1867.—Lyr.

AGENTS WANTED.—\$100-150-200—Male and Female, to introduce our NEW PATENT STAR SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINE. It is adapted for family use and Tailoring. It makes a stitch alike on both sides. Price only TWENTY DOLLARS. Extraordinary inducements to Agents. For full particulars, address

DUMONT & WILSON,
June 20, 1867.—3m.] Philadelphia, Pa.

Auditor's Notice.

Estate of JOHN OVERPECK, deceased.

THE undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Monroe County, to make distribution of the balance in the hands of George Shafer, one entitled to the trust, and among those who are entitled to the same, hereby gives notice, that he will attend to the duties of his appointment on SATURDAY, SEPT. 14, 1867, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Prothonotary's Office, in the Borough of Stroudsburg, at which time and place, all persons having any just claims or demands against said fund, will present the same or be forever barred from coming in for any share thereof.

THO. M. MCILHANEY, Auditor.
August 15, 1867.