Sunbury American.

H. B. MASSER, E. WILVERT. } Editors.

SUNBURY, DECEMBER 23, 1871.

OUR COUNTY AFFAIRS.—It is well understood by the people that there is a defect in our county affairs, and that there are matters which should be remedied. The auditor's reports for several years past have been somewhat muddled, and were anything but satisfactory to the tax-payers. Even some of the auditors themselves have acknowledged that a wrong existed which they had not discovered, and were unable to tell where it did exist. The county finances have been so loosely managed that it is likely to be brought into litigation with former officers. These deficiencies arose in the Commissioner's office, and the enormous list of expenditures were returned to the auditors to cover up tracks, so much so, that it has attracted the attention of the people generally. Whether this has been done ignorantly or intentionally, we are unable to say, but we believe that if the accounts of 1869 and 1870, were to be re-audited, and the original vouchers produced from the parties who rendered accounts against the county, that there would be a considerable reduction in the expenditure. It would be well if the present auditors were to demand the original bills presented, properly certified by the parties furnishing material and labor, as well as the accounts of the Sheriff's office, instead of relying on accounts kept by the clerk of the Commissioners. The Commissioners have no right, legally or morally, to grant an order for the payment of any bill without some evidence that it is correct, either by affidavit or by their own personal knowledge. The enormous frauds lately committed by the New York officials ought to open the eyes of all to the necessity of scrutinizing closely all bills presented for payment and not accept, as a matter of course, bills presented by anybody who may choose to make up a claim against the county. These are matters which interest every tax-payer, and we appeal to the auditors whom we believe to be men who will do justice, to give this matter a thorough investigation, and let the people have the report in full on the subject.

HON. J. B. PACKER, FOR GOVERNOR.—The Republican conferees of the Representative district composed of the counties of Juniata and Mifflin, at their meeting on the 9th instant, unanimously adopted the following resolution, offered by W. W. Davis:

Resolved, That the Delegate this day elected be instructed to vote for Hon. John B. Packer, of Northumberland, as the Republican candidate for Governor.

This move of our friends in the Juniata and Mifflin district, shows that an effort will be made to press the name of our townsman, Hon. John B. Packer, for the Gubernatorial chair. It is an evidence that the office is seeking the man, and we can endorse the proceedings of our friends as in good taste. Should Mr. Packer consent to be a candidate, and be elected, his administration would reflect much credit upon the old Keystone State. His ability as a lawyer and a statesman well fits him for the office. There are but few men in public life who stand as untarnished as Mr. Packer, and his great popularity among the laboring classes, would bring strength to the Republican ranks in this State. It is a well known fact too, that he was the only member of Congress in the State who was re-elected in 1870 by an increased majority, and that through his influence and energy, the Republican State ticket was carried in Northumberland county by over three hundred majority, while part of the county ticket was elected by over fifteen hundred majority upon local issues; being the first time that this county changed its political complexion since it was organized. These facts show that he is not only popular, but that where he is best known, he has the confidence of the people, and that his abilities as a statesman and a man of moral worth are appreciated by both political parties.

SENATOR WILSON, made a good hit when debating the resolution on Retrenchment last week. He said:

"There were Republican thieves as well as Democratic thieves, and a Republican thief was, to him, far the more hateful of the two, because he brought disgrace upon the Republican party."

This is rather hard on the Democracy. Why don't the *Democrat* quote this extract from the Republican Senator's speech?

As the county Commissioners will shortly select their subordinate officers for the next year, it might be well enough, if they desire to retain the good opinion of their constituents, to make an entire change and select new men for the different positions.

THE PRINCE OF WALES—STRONG HOPES OF HIS RECOVERY.—Contrary to general expectations, and after his death was hourly looked for, the Prince of Wales is reported to be recovering. For days every bulletin was expected to announce his demise, and deep sorrow prevaded Great Britain, and much sympathy was exhibited throughout Europe and America. The despatches of Saturday last are the first to give assurance of his restoration to health, and when they were made public in London they were received with much cheering and a profound feeling of relief.

TAMMANY.—The bill found against Mr. Tweed by the Grand Jury on Friday last for felony, was followed by his arrest the same night, and a writ of like nature was served on Connolly, in jail. The indictments are based upon misconduct in the Board of Audit. Mr. Tweed's bondsmen being unprepared, he was committed to the tombs, without bail, Saturday. A habeas corpus was sued out and heard before Justice Barnard the Supreme Court, accepted bail, and he was at once furnished.

GRANT'S message has been more generally praised at home and abroad, by friends and by foes, than any public document that has been put out for a score of years in the country. Like its author it is plain, practical and patriotic.

HON. John L. Spyrz, of Harrisburg, Pa., the newly-elected Treasurer of Dauphin county, died on Friday night.

From our Special Washington Correspondent.

PENNSYLVANIA REPUBLICAN RECEPTION—SPEECH OF HON. J. B. PACKER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 19, 1871.

DEAR WILVERT:

Last night the Pennsylvania Republican Association held its first of a series of sociables, to be given during the coming winter. This first reception was a complete success, and the "fair women and brave men" of our great State were there in numbers exceeding twelve or thirteen hundred. The entire Pennsylvania delegation in Congress were in attendance, with the single exception of Senator Cameron, who was unexpectedly detained in the Senate, probably watching Senator Trumbull in his attempt to perform a double summersault, and accept the "passive policy" of the hard-up Democracy. The President, Vice President, Secretaries Delano and Belknap, the Japanese Minister, and numerous other distinguished and eminent personages favored us with their presence.

Our mutual friend A. A. Shissler, Esq., President of the Association, and Chairman of the Reception Committee, escorted President Grant to the platform, and after the seating of the guests, delivered a neat and appropriate address, stating the object of the Association, and then introduced the speakers of the evening. Mr. Shissler acquitted himself creditably, and his efforts to make every one comfortable much pleased his numerous friends.

Hon. William T. Haines made the speech of welcome, in a very pretty address, which was eloquently responded to by the Hon. John B. Packer, on the part of the Congressional delegation. Senator Scott then delivered a short address, after which, all who desired, were presented to President Grant and Mr. Colfax by Mr. Shissler. This being through, dancing was commenced by those who wished "to trip it on the light fantastic toe," and continued to the "wee sma hours of the morn," and when the orchestra played the old tune of "Home," those remaining to hear it, expressed a wish for the speedy coming of the second sociable of our Association.

I send you a hurried and partial synopsis of Mr. Packer's address, which is as full as I could report it. The address was received with rapturous applause, and I hope will be as acceptable to your readers as it was to the Pennsylvanians, resident in Washington.

SPEECH OF HON. J. B. PACKER.

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Pennsylvania Republican Association.—In behalf of the Senators, and my colleagues of the House of Representatives, permit me to say we are profoundly sensible of the honor you have done us by your courteous invitation to attend this, the first of your exceedingly pleasant and delightful social and political re-unions: And permit me, also, to assure you, sir, that we are truly grateful for the kindness, cordiality and fervor of your warm hearted, old fashioned, Pennsylvania welcome!

Like many other organizations and societies which owe their origin to the exigencies and necessities of the peculiar circumstances by which the true men of the north found themselves surrounded at the Capital of their country, during the perilous and dark hours of the war, your "Association of loyal Pennsylvanians" has survived the rebellion, which it was designed to aid in suppressing; and it has long since attained that enviable position in public confidence and regard to which the intelligence and the integrity, the high character and the patriotism of its members so eminently entitle it.

Your co-laborers in the political vineyard at home, in recognition of your rights as Republicans and of your faithful and efficient services to the country, admit your representatives to seats around the council fires of the party, and none are more gladly welcomed, and to no delegate is more respectful attention given, in the conventions of our State, than to those whom you send as the representatives of the "loyal men of Pennsylvania resident at Washington."

When we had the pleasure of meeting on a similar occasion last year, our political skies were not entirely free from clouds; for while we had carried our State by a majority, upon the aggregate Congressional vote, nearly 2,000 larger than that by which we elected our Governor the year before, yet, from an over-confidence in our own strength, or perhaps an under estimate of the sleepless activity of our political foe, we had fallen behind in several of our districts, and some of our standards, on which victory had perched before and crowned with her brightest laurels, came out of that contest trailing in defeat.

But, sir, warned by that experience, and anxious to correct that wrong, the sturdy veterans in the Republican ranks rallied, with renewed vigor, last fall, and, with a determination that could not stop short of success, polled up a majority more than twice as large as any we have given at any State election since that of 1868. And that majority, won in a contest as warmly waged and as honorably and fairly conducted, upon both sides, as any we have ever had; that majority, won by the unwavering Union men of Pennsylvania, we tender as an earnest of the 40,000 majority they intend to give, when called into action by the Republican bugle blasts in next November. Yes, sir, I repeat, the great State of Pennsylvania, which, in its patriotic ardor, sent into the war, for the suppression of the rebellion and for the defence of the integrity of the nation, 400,000 as brave men as ever drew the sword or fired a musket; that State, which you have so truly and eloquently said always stands firmly by the Union, warmed by the same impulses, stands ready and eager to give to the great Captain of the war, her already designated and chosen leader of the Republican hosts in 1872, 370,000 loyal ballots as were ever cast by intelligent freemen, as a testimonial of their unstarted and increased confidence in his sterling integrity, tried patriotism, and approved statesmanship, and of their unquenched endorsement of his most successful administration.

You may well speak proudly, sir, of our grand old State, and of her matchless history.

Less than two centuries have elapsed since the colony was founded by deeds of peace; since William Penn, the Proprietary of the Province, and his provincial assembly, established and promulgated those wise and beneficent laws, under the happy and healthy influences of which the commonwealth has flourished and grown into the magnificent proportions and importance of an Empire!

Disregarding the political systems and governmental theories of the old world, and reverently trusting that, under the favor and guidance of Divine Providence, the great and essential principles of liberty and free government might be recognized and unalterably established, in their new home, the colonists united in a formal declaration of universal enfranchisement and universal liberty, involving the principle adopted as a part of the fundamental law, and as a cardinal doctrine in their political faith, that all men are born equally free and independent; that all power is inherent in the people, and all free governments are founded in their authority, and instituted for their peace, safety and happiness.

And there, sir, exiles as they virtually were, driven from the land of their birth by religious and political persecutions, their great leader, Penn, himself, having undergone imprisonment in the Tower, for refusing to abandon his advocacy of the liberty of conscience and freedom of speech, the door of his father's house having been closed upon him because of his refusal to take off his hat to the King of England and the Duke of York; there, in the wilderness, these pioneers, in the march of civilization and freedom, in the fall of 1682, more than one hundred years before the constitution of the United States was framed, rising above all unworthy feelings of resentment, and prompted by the noblest principles of their nature, even in the moment of their absolute power, and reaching almost the sublimity of inspiration, declared that *all* men have a natural and indefeasible right to worship Almighty God according to the dictates of their own consciences; that no human authority can control or interfere with the rights of conscience, and that *no preference* should ever be given, by law, to any religious establishments or modes of worship.

They declared too, that elections should be free and equal, and, centuries in advance of the civilization of Europe, and in defiance of what was then regarded by statesmen and philosophers as "the ripened wisdom of the ages," they declared that no one should be imprisoned for debt; they softened the severities of the penal code, abolishing the death penalty in every case, except that of wilful and deliberate murder, and, true to the cherished principles of universal equality, they swept away the established feudal rules of primogeniture, giving to all the children alike an equal share in the inheritance of their ancestor.

The familiar facts in our history may be trite, but they are suggestive, and cannot be too often referred to as explanatory of our wonderful success and advancement. Under our humane, just and liberal system of laws, thus wisely and hapily inaugurated, the population of Pennsylvania, which in 1790 had reached 434,000, now exceeds three millions and a half. In the development of our mineral, agricultural and other resources we have advanced as no other people have ever done before; with magnificent lines of railways and canals, attesting the public spirit and enlightened enterprize of our people, constructed at a cost of millions of dollars, for the transportation of our products, and like a net-work, extending in almost every direction across our State, we have in addition more miles of railroads in our mines, in the very bowels of the earth, than many nations of the old world, which were thickly populated when Pennsylvania was a howling wilderness, have within all their borders.

During the current year, not yet closed, we have taken from apparently inexhaustible mines, and sent to market, more than 17,000,000 tons of coal, and from the fullness of our internal reservoir, within the same period, have gushed forth two hundred and fifty million gallons of petroleum, which has been sent forth to *shed its light* upon most of the commercial nations of the world.

[Here Mr. Packer made somewhat extended reference to the great farming and agricultural interests of our State, the statistical portions of which I will send you in my next.]

So, too, in all the departments of the Arts, science and manufactures, as well as agriculture, the official statistics show that we are not behind any of our sister commonwealths, while, guided by an intelligent appreciation and proper apprehension of their great resources, and of the true and just relation of labor to capital, the industrious, frugal and enterprising people of our State have so prudently diversified their industries and wisely invested their means, that nothing but the most unwise and unjust legislation can ever arrest or retard the onward march of their wonderful progress.

And, sir, not forgetting, that from those to whom much is given, much will be required, the philanthropic citizens of Pennsylvania, through an admirable system of both public and private charities, are proverbial for their liberal dispensation of ample benefits and blessings upon unfortunate or suffering humanity.

So also, recognizing the vast importance of educating the sons whom the sacred trust of free government is to be committed, that they more fully know their rights and understand their responsibilities, our State opens the door of the school room to all her children, poor and rich alike, and bids them enter! Under the operation of her free school system this day, since the rising of this morning's sun, between the waters of the Delaware and the shores of Lake Erie, in more than fifteen thousand schools, taught by eighteen thousand teachers, eight hundred thousand of Pennsylvania's bright eyed boys and girls, the future men and women of our country, are receiving instruction in the lessons by which they are to be prepared for the performance and discharge of the important duties of life."

In closing, Mr. Packer paid a glowing tribute to the memory of Pennsylvania's sons who gave up their lives, that we might have an undivided country, praised those who had nobly volunteered when called to arms by the lamented martyred President Lincoln, and spoke feelingly of the soldiers' orphans who are being educated and protected by good old Pennsylvania.

I append a portion of the sociable committee:

Master of Ceremonies.—L. Harrison.

Floor Committee.—W. J. Whartenby, H. D. Wharton, James C. Weise, Israel Smith, E. B. Cottrell, E. R. Chapman, J. W. Stokes, H. C. Pearson.

Yours fraternally,

H. D. W.

If your horse is lame, sore or galled, you should use Johnson's Anodyne Liniment; wash the part with castile soap and warm water, rub dry, with a clean cloth, then apply the Liniment, rub in well with the hand.

Have the readers of the *American* ever used any of Parsons' Purgative Pills? If not, why not? they are the best family physic, besides being the greatest anti-bilious remedy there is in this country.

[FOR THE SUNBURY AMERICAN.]

An Acrostic.

May fortune's smiles thy every step attend,
And nearest thou find in every heart a friend—
Gladly do I wish you earth's profoundest joy,
Good in opportunity, and life without alloy.
If thou will but faithfully fulfill the mission of thy life—
Endless praise—thou'lt make an honored friend, an estimable wife.
So innocent from thought of aught that looks the least like wrong;
Truthful, loving, kind and, oh! poor fashioned song—
Oh! love for thee my darling, serves to make me raving mad;
Until thou knowest the secret of my heart I cannot but feel sad.
From that time on a new and better life I'll lead—
For thy dear heart and hand I surely then shall plead.
Enchanted by some magic spell is this unworthy heart of mine—
Robed in truth and purity it beats in unison with thine.

GEO. WEMLEY.

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Attention, Agents.

Great inducements offered live Agents, to sell the most popular work of the age, "Remarkable Characters and Places of the Holy Land," by

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with articles from the pens of T. D. Woolsey, L. L. D.; Right Rev. Thos. M. Clark, D. D.; Rev. Joseph Cummings, D. D.; Rev. Charles A. Stoddard; Rev. S. F. Smith, D. D.; Rev. William Adams, D. D.; Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, &c.

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Dec. 16, 1871—6m. Pottsville, Pa.

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At Astonishingly LOW PRICES. A Visit and Inspection of which COSTS NOTHING, will prove unquestionably that many Articles are

Worth Double the Prices Quoted.

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CONTAINING

7,961 Men's Over Coats.
6,649 Dress Coats.
516 Garricks and Capes.
5,113 Business Coats.
12,311 Business Pants.
1,813 Fine English Strip'd Pants.
3,875 Doeskin Pants.
2,519 Black Cloth Vests.
602 Velvet Vests.
578 Cashmere Vests.
14,406 Cassimere Vests.
583 Double-Breasted Short Overcoats.
523 Eng. Diagonal D. B. Overcoats

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CONTAINING

960 Youths' Overcoats.
3,000 Youths' Pants.
3,714 Youths' Vests.
1,872 Youths' Everyday Coats.
723 Children's Overcoats.
135 Children's Cape Overcoats.
180 Children's Garricks.
1,344 Children's Suits.
3,282 Boys' Pants.
2,676 Boys' Jackets.
733 Big Men's Coats.
1,205 Big Men's Pants.
986 Big Men's Vests.

78,259 Total Garments.

FIRST FLOOR (West—Arranged for Furnishing Goods and Coats. The Job Lots. "Less than Half-Price Lots." Piece Goods for Custom Work, which Share in our general reduction of prices.
SECOND FLOOR—3 DEPARTMENTS: Dress Pants, Second Dress Pants, Working Pants, Job Lots.
THIRD FLOOR—Overcoats, Top Coats, Garricks, Coachmen's Coats.
FOURTH, FIFTH and SIXTH FLOORS—Reserved Surplus Stock.

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FIRST—Store open from 7 a. m. to 8½ p. m., except Saturdays, when open at 6½ a. m. to 10 p. m. SECOND—All Goods Exchanged or Money Refunded. THIRD—A large staff of Salesmen and Ushers to the different Departments, in waiting to receive Customers. FOURTH—Orders by Telegraph or Letter from any quarter faithfully attended to.

In conclusion, for Solid and Substantial Bargains, this is an Unprecedented Opportunity. It will pay to come from any part of the Country, or to make up Clubs in Towns or Villages, as we mean to give Somebody all the Goods we have. We have had the Largest Sales the House has ever known, and to Wind up the Season, we can afford to almost shut our eyes to the prices.

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OAK HALL,
Sixth and Market Streets, Philadelphia.

Dec. 9th, 1871.

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The old resort in a full blaze of Novelties.

LICHTNER'S BOOK, STATIONERY AND TOY DEPOT,

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PRESENTS, PERFECT PRESENTS, PRESENTS OF EVERY CONCEIVABLE KIND,

Elegant, Useful, and at Reasonable Prices.

A CALL IS SOLICITED.

C. S. HAZELTINE, Prop'r.

Dolls. Dolls. Dolls. Dolls. Dolls. Dolls. Dolls. Dolls. Dolls. Dolls. Books. Books. Books. Books. Books. Books. Books. Books. Books. Books.

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Sunbury, Dec. 16, 1871.

Fun! Fun! Fun!

OPERA HOUSE, SUNBURY,

GEO. H. SHAW, - - MANAGER.

Tuesday Evening, Dec. 26, 1871,

THE WORLD FAMED

MARTINETTI RIVAL, PANTOMINE AND BALLET TROUPE,

In their new Fairy Trick Pantomine, entitled

Pat-a-Cake, Pat-a-Cake, Baker's Man!

with other Grand Features.

Beautiful Ballets, Sensational Gymnastic Acts, Infant Wonders, Songs and Dances, Graceful Groupings, &c.

W. A. HUNTLEY,

The greatest Banjo Artiste in America, will appear.

POPULAR PRICES, - - 50 and 35 Cts.

Tickets for sale at Hoeltzle's News Depot.

GEO. W. HUNTLEY, Agent.

Dec. 23, 1871.—tf.

"The First National Bank of Sunbury, Penn'a."

NOTICE is hereby given, that the regular Annual election of Directors of "The First National Bank of Sunbury, Pa.," will be held on TUESDAY, the 23d day of JANUARY, A. D., 1872, at the Banking House, in the borough of Sunbury, Pa., between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m. and 3 o'clock, p. m., of said day, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Congress.

S. J. PACKER, Cashier.

Sunbury, Pa., Dec. 23, 1871.

E. Hodgkins, Agt.,

DEALER IN

Hides, Tallow, Bones, Rags and CRACKLINGS,

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CASH PAID ON ALL PURCHASES.

Sunbury, Dec. 23, 1871.—6m.

CENTER OF ATTRACTION.

Everybody is invited to come and buy of the handsome assortment of

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SAMUEL F. NEVIN'S STORE,

in frame building, adjoining Moore & Dissinger's building, THIRD STREET, SUNBURY, PA. Just opened a fresh supply of Confectionaries of every description.

TOYS OF ALL KINDS

constantly on hand. The best RAISINS, FIGS, CURRANTS & DRIED FRUIT.

PURE RIO COFFEE, TEA & SPICES,

fresh Bread, Buns & Cakes, every morning.

FANCY CAKES, BISCUITS, CRACKERS, &c.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS!

Having fitted up a room expressly for serving up Oysters in every style, Ladies and Gentlemen will be accommodated with the best bivalves in market, at all hours during the day and evening.

Families will be supplied at their residence with the best Shell or Canned Oysters, as is desirable, at the very lowest prices.

Call and see my excellent assortment of goods and ascertain the prices.

S. F. NEVIN.

Dec. 16, 1871.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Abraham Shaffer, Dec'd.

THE undersigned, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Northumberland county, Auditor, to distribute the balance of the money in the hands of Aaron Spotz, Administrator of said Abraham Shaffer, deceased, will meet the parties interested for the purpose of his appointment at his office in Georgetown, Lower Mahanoy township, on FRIDAY, the 29th day of DECEMBER, 1871, at 10 o'clock, a. m., where all parties interested are requested to attend.

B. M. BURR, Auditor.

Georgetown, Dec. 16, 1871.—3t.

B. G. PETERS'

SALE STABLES,

Adjoining Harrisburg Stock Yards,

Horses Bought, Sold or Exchanged.

December 16, 1871.—6m.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

THADD'S S. SHANNON,

THIRD AND MARKET SQUARE,

Has in stock and constantly receiving Novelties in his line, consisting in part of a full line of

AMERICAN WATCHES,

Elgin, Illinois, Howard & Co., Waltham, Massachusetts, and Roy's AMERICAN WATCHES; Also, a full set of Ladies, and Gent's Gold and Silver Swiss Watches.

JEWELRY.

Roman Gold sets, pink coral and Gold sets, Ear-Rings, Necklaces and Pendants, Onyx and Jet Jewelry.

SILVER-WARE,

Solid Silver-ware of Sterling purity, made to order. Bridal and Presentation Pieces, Knives, Forks and Spoons in cases, also, a full line of Silver Plated Goods, Tea Sets, Ice Water Sets, Urn Stands, Cake Baskets, Coffee Urns, Forks and Spoons—treble plated, the best in the market.

SPECTACLES.

If you value your Eyesight, use the Perfect Lenses, ground from minute Crystal Pebbles melted together, and derive their name "Diamond" on account of their hardness and brilliancy. They will last many years without change, and warranted Superior to all others in use.

TABLE CUTLERY.

Ivory, Pearl and Metal handles in cases supplied to order.

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A full assortment of Eight day and Thirty hour Clocks, also Calendar Clocks of all descriptions. Engraving done at the shortest notice.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, repaired and Satisfaction warranted.

All goods will be sold at the very Lowest Cash Prices. Every body is cordially invited to Call and Examine for themselves.

Don't forget the place.

T. S. SHANNON.

Sunbury Dec. 16.—tf.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Election of Officers of the Accommodation Saving Fund and Loan Association, will take place on SATURDAY the 30th of December 1871, at room in Clement's building, Third street Sunbury, at 7 o'clock P. M.

N. F. LICHTNER, Pres't.

JACOB SHIPMAN, Secy.

BLACKSMITH WANTED.—A good Blacksmith or Carriagesmith will find constant employment by applying at the Carriage Shop of

J. G. SEASOLTZ.

Sunbury Dec. 16, 1871.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

IN pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Northumberland county, will be sold at public vendue or outcry, on the premises, on **Tuesday, the 26th day of December, 1871,** at one o'clock, p. m., the following real estate, late the estate of Jacob E. Maurtz, deceased, to wit: All those two contiguous lots of ground, being lots No. 1 and 2, in Masser's addition to the borough of Sunbury, bounded on the North by an alley, on the South by Race street, on the East by lot No 3, belonging to Andrew Hoover, and on the West by lot of IraT. Clement, containing together sixty feet front on Race street, and one hundred and thirty feet in depth to an alley, whereon are erected a one and a-half story frame dwelling house and other outbuilding, &c.

Terms of sale will be made known on the day of sale, by

DAVID CLEMENT, Administrator.

Dec. 2, '71.—3t.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

BY virtue of authority contained in the last Will and Testament of Henry Bohner, late of Jordan township, Northumberland county, deceased, the subscribers will offer at Public Sale, on **Saturday, the 30th day of December, 1871,** at 10 o'clock, a. m., at the residence of Nicholas Bohner, in said township, all that certain TRACT OF LAND, situate in Jordan township, said county, adjoining lands of Daniel Bohner, Elijah Byerly, Isaac Boyer and Elias Herkert, containing one hundred and eighteen acres, more or less. The same will be sold in one tract or in pieces to suit the purchasers.

Conditions of sale will be made known on the day of sale, by

C. G. GEIST,
ELIAS HECKERT,
Executors.

Jordan twp., Dec. 9, 1871.

RISING SUN HOTEL.

GRATZ,
DAUPHIN COUNTY, PENN.,
HENRY KAUTERMAN, Proprietor.

Travelers will find this a first class House. Charges moderate. The tables are supplied with the best in market. The choicest liquors at the bar.

Good Stabling and attentive ostlers.

Dec. 16, 1871.—3m.

ANTHRACITE COAL!

VALENTINE DIETZ, Wholesale and Retail dealer in every variety of ANTHRACITE COAL, UPPER WHARF, SUNBURY, PENN'A.

All kinds of Grain taken in exchange for Coal. Orders solicited and filled promptly. Orders left at S. F. Nevin's Confectionery Store, on Third Street, will recieve prompt attention, and money receipted for, the same as at the office.

Sure Cure for Tetter.

THE Subscriber, resident of Seven Points, Augusta township, Northumberland County, Pa., has a sure cure for Tetter, which he offers to those afflicted with this annoying disease. He was troubled with it for eight years, and nothing would cure it until he obtained this remedy. It has been tried in a number of cases, to his knowledge, (one case of 25 years standing) with entire success. Upon receipt of $1 00, he will send a box of the medicine, and directions to use it, or 6 boxes for $5, free of postage.

WILLIAM BAKER,
Augusta P. O., North'd Co., Pa.

August 12, 1871—7m.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Election of Board of Managers of the Sunbury Masonic Hall Association, will take place MONDAY, DEC. 25th, 1871, at the office of S. P. Wolverton, Esq., in the Borough of Sunbury, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12 m. of said day.

I. T. ROHRBACH,
Sec. & M. H. Association.

Dec. 16—2t.