ments, and emigrants. The sound policy pardon in case he voluntarily takes the oath. and our imperative duty to these wards of The Constitution authorizes the Executive to enlarged, and perpetuated. government demand our anxious and constant grant or withhold the pardon at his own ab-Christian faith.

Subsequent events have satisfied me of its invasion and domestic violence.

### Internal Improvements.

as to what can be done now. Augmented former unsoundness. interest is given to this subject by the actual But if it be proper to require a test of ad-

# The Agricultural Department.

ture, asking your attention to the developments in that vital interest of the nation. The Rebellion.

and there had been conflicts on both land and be a cruel and astounding breach of faith. from the sea and raise our blockade. We lic interest. had failed to elicit from Europeon govern-

### ments anything hopeful upon the subject. The Emancipation Proclamation.

no lawful power to effect emancipation in any is abridged by this proposition. State, and for a long time it had been hoped that the rebellion could be suppressed withdivided into distant parts.

emancipation proclamation, Maryland and would. Missouri, neither of which years ago would The objection to premature presentation of a slavery into our territories, only dispute now as to the best mode of removing it from with. in their own limits.

Of those who were slaves at the beginning of the rebellion, fully one hundred thousand are now in the military service of the United States, about one-half of which number actually bear arms in the ranks, thus giving the double advantage of taking so much labor from the insurgent cause and supplying the places which otherwise must be filled with so many white men. So far as tested it is difficult to say that they are not as good soldiers as any. No servile insurrection or tendency to violence or cruelty has marked the measures of emancipation and arming the blacks. These measures have been much discussed in foreign countries, and contemporary with such discussion the tone of public sentiment there is improved. At home, the same measures have been fully discussed, supported, criticised and denounced, and the annual elecfions following are highly encouraging to country through this great trial. Thus we have the reckoning: the crisis which threat

## A Reconstruction Proclamation.

and bloody collisions with our outlying settle- coerced to take ig; the man's only promised others the world must stand included for the attention to their material well being, to solute discretion, and this includes the power their progress in the arts of civilization, and to grant on terms, as is fully established by above all, to that moral training, which, under judicial and other authorities. It is also the blessings of Divine Providence, will con-proffered that, if in any of the States named, fer upon them the elevated and sanctifying the State Government shall be in the mode influence of the hopes and consolations of the prescribed set up, such Government shall be recognized and guaranteed by the United I suggested in my last annual message the States, and that under it the State shall, on propriety of remodeling our Indian system .- | Constitutional conditions, be protected against

necessity. The details set forth in the report of the Secretary will evince the urgent States to guarantee to every State in the As, With reference to said rebellion and treaneed for immediate legislative action. I Union a Republican form of government, and claring the forfeiture and confiscation of propcommend the benevolence of the institutions protect the State in cases as stated, is explicit erty and the liberation of slaves of all upon the established or patronized by the Government and full; but why tender the benefits of this in this district to your generous and foster- provision only to State governments set up in thorized at any time thereafter, by proclamathis particular way? This section of the ticipated in the existing rebellion in any State a retreating and demoralized army. At Constitution contemplates a case wherein the or part thereof, pardon and amnesty, with such Chickamauga Station. Hooker drove the The attention of Congress during the last element within a State favorable to a repubsession was engaged to some extent with a lican government in the Union may be too welfare. And, whereas, The Congressional declaration for limited and conditional pardon proposition for enlarging the water commu- feeble for an opposite and hostile element, nication between the Mississippi river and external to and even in the State; and such exposition of the pardoning power; Ann, the Northeastern seabaard which proposition are precisely the cases with which we are the Northeastern seaboard, which proposi- are precisely the cases with which we are tion, however, tailed for the time. Since now dealing. An attempt to guarantee and eral proclamations with provisions in regard to then, upon a call of the greatest respectabil protect a revised State government constructis now desired by some person or persons, hereity, a convention has been called at Chicago ed in whole or in prependerating part from upon the same subject, a summary of whose the very element against whose hostility and allegiance to the United States, and to re-inauviews is contained in a memorial addressed violence it is to be protected, is simply abto the President and Congress, and which I surd. There must be a test by which to sepnow have the honor to lay before you. That arate the opposing element, so as to build onthis interest is one which ere long will force ly from the sound, and that test is a sufficient iticipated in the existing rebellion, except as hereinafter excepted, that full pardon is hereby granted them, and each of them with the rewhile it is submitted entirely to your wisdom ever will make a sworn recuntation of his storation of all the rights of property except as

commencement of work upon the Pacific mission to the political body, an oath of alle-Railroad, under auspices so favorable to its giance to the Constitution of the United rapid progress and completion. Enlarged States and to the Union under it, why not navigation becomes a palpable need to this also to the laws and proclamation in regard to slavery? Those laws and proclamations were enacted and put forth for the purpose I transmit the second annual report of the of aiding in the suppression of the rebellion. Commissioner of the Department of Agricul- To give them the fullest effect there had to be pledges given for their maintenance. In

sea with varying results. The rebellion had I may add, at this point, that while I re- the been pressed back into reduced limits, yet main in my present position, I shall not attempt to retract or modify the Emancipation ment; all who have telt judicial stations under the arrival of our artillery, of which, agents of the so-called Confederate Government; all who have telt judicial stations under the repulse, we had not a single the tone of public feeling and opinion at home tempt to retract or modify the Emancipation and abroad was not satisfactory. With oth- Proclamation, nor shall I return to slavery er signs, the popular elections then just past any person who is made free by the terms of indicated uneasiness among ourselves, while the Proclamation, or by any act of Congress. amid much that was cold and menacing, the For these and other reasons, it is thought amid much that was cold and menacing, the For these and other reasons, it is thought kindest words coming from England were best that the support of these proclamations the army and navy of the United States, and the army and navy of the United States, and This time the enemy made but little restired in accents of nity that we were too shall be included in the oath, and it is beuttered in accents of pity that we were too shall be included in the oath, and it is beblind to surrender. Our commerce was suf- lieved the Executive mer lawfully claim it in blind to surrender. Our commerce was suf- lieved the Executive mer lawfully claim it in persons or white persons in charge of such, tion, leaving four pieces of artillery on fering greatly by a few armed vessels, built return for pardon and restoration of political otherwise than lawfully as prisoners of war, our hands, and all his killed and woundupon and furnished from foreign shores, and rights, which he has clear constitutional powwe were threatened with such additions from er to withhold altogether, or grant upon the other capacity.

And I do further proclaim, declare and make route just as our boys sent up the shout front to-night say that Lee's whole ar-

It should be observed also that this part of the cath is subject to the modifying and abrogating power of legislation and Supreme such State at the Presidential election of the success. The railroad from Cleave-corps.

Such State at the Presidential election of the success. The railroad from Cleave-corps.

An impression prevails, notwithstand-The Emancipation Proclamation, which judicial decision. The proposed acquiescence The Emancipation Proclamation, which judicial decision. The proposed acquiescence out aforesaid, and not having since violated off, and how Longstreet is to escape is a matter of speculation. It is yet impossigned period to the leginning of the new temporary State arrangement for the freed that the continuous time of the continuous this great advantages. signed period to the beginning of the new temporary State arrangement for the freed year. A month later the final proclamation people, is made with the view of possibly came, including the announcement that colmodifying the confusion and distressed destiwhich shall be announcement that coltories. Bragg is utterly demoralized, and he will be danned by the whole

From East Tennes ored men of suitable condition would be re- tution, which must at best attend all classes ceived into the war service. The policy of by a total revolution of labor throughout the ceived into the war service. The policy of emancipation and of the employment of black soldiers, gave to the future a new aspect about which hope and for and doubt somewhat more ready to give up the cause of the constitutional protect each of them against prisoners taken rushed under the folds that direction. It is a truth that is worth much to us, that the six thousand prisoners taken rushed under the folds that direction. It is helieved that the direction of the constitutional provision which declares to the Constitutional provision which declares the command. It is a truth that is worth much to us, that the six thousand prisoners taken rushed under the folds that the direction. It is helieved that pect, about which hope and fear and doubt somewhat more ready to give up the cause of pect, about which hope and fear and doubt somewhat more ready to give up the cause of invasion, and on application of the Legislature contended in uncertain conflict. According their affliction; and to this extent this vital or the Executive when the Legislature cannot to our political system as a matter of civil matter is left to themselves; while no power administration, the General Government had of the National Executive to prevent an abuse known that any provision which may be adopt-

## The Plan of the Re-Construction.

The suggestion in the proclamation as to out resorting to it as a military measure. It maintaining the political framework of the was all the while deemed possible that neces- States, on what is called the reconstruction. sity for it might come, and that if it should, is made in the hope that it may do good withthe crisis of the contest would then be presen- out harm. It will save labor and avoid great | constructing a loya! State government in any ted. It came, and, as was intended, it was foll confusion. But why any proclamation now lowed by dark and doubtful days. Eleven upon this subject? This question is best laws, as before the rebellion, be maintained, months having been passed, we are permitted with the conflicting views that the step might the conditions berein before stated, and such to take another review. The rebel borders be delayed too long or be taken too soon .are pressed still further back, and by the In some States elements for resumption have complete opening of the Mississippi river, the been ready for action, but remain inactive country dominated over by the rebellion is apparently for want of a rallying point, & Practical communication between them of B rather than B that of  $\Lambda$ ? and if  $\Lambda$  and B while been maintained. And for the same reaplan of action. Why shall A adopt the plan and Tennessee and Arkansas, has been so should agree, how can they know that the substantially cleared of insurgents' control general government here will respect the plan? shall be admitted to seats constitutionally rests and influence, that the citizens in each, and By the proclamation, a plan is presented to any extent with the Executive. And still owners of slaves and advocates of slavery at the beginning of the rebellion, now declare point, and which they are assured in advance, openly for emancipation, in their respective States. Of those States not included in the

tolerate any restraint upon the extension of plan by the National Executive, consists in the danger of commitments on points which could be more safely left to further developments. Care has been takan to so shape documents as eight hundred and sixty-three, and of the indeto avoid embarrassment from this source. In saying that on certain terms certain classes wlll be pardoned, with their rights restored, it is not said that other classes, on other terms, will never be included. In saying that The Rival Candidates.

The Rival Candidates in Containing of National Bankting to this increase, under circumstances renders ing it probable that the Union force canting in Candidates in Containing of National Bankting to this in of profound gratification; and while I do not repeat in detail what I have heretofore so earnestly urged upon this subject, my general views and feelings remain unchanged, and I trust that Congress will omit no fair oppor-

### the great consummation. The War Power Our Reliance.

In the midst of other cares, however imthose whose special thuty it is to bear the portant, we must not lose sight of the fact that the war power is still our main reliance. To that power alone can we look yet for a ened to divide the friends of the Union is time to give confidence to the people in contested regions that the insurgent power will not again overrun them. Until that confi-Looking now to the present and future, dence shall be established little can be done and with reference to the resumption of na- anywhere for what is called reconstruction.tional authority within those States wherein Hence our chiefest care must still be di- it killed more than it cured." that authority has been suspended, I have rected to our army and navy who have thus thought fit to issue a proclamation, a copy of far borne their harder part so nobly and well which is herewith transmitted. On examina- and it may be esteemed fortunate that in givtide of this preclamation, it will appear, as in ing the greatest efficiency to those indispentation of October last, HANNAH Giller, bound believed, that mathing is attempted beyond what is amply fissified by the Constitution. gallant men, from commander to spatial, account, for I am determined to say in other of her than the same of the proclamation of the proclamation, it will appear, as in ing the greatest efficiency to those indispending the proclamation of what is amply justified by the Constitution. gallant men, from commander to spatiant . True, a form of oath is given; but no man is who compose, and to whom more than to all

home of freedom disenthralled, regenerated,

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

DECEMBER 8, 1863. THE PRESIDENT'S PROCLAMA-

TION. reprieves and pardons for offenses against the treason against the United States. AND WHEREtion, to extend to persons who may have parexceptions and at such times and on such conditions as he may deem expedient for the public accords with the well established and judicial gurate loyal State governments within and for claim and declare and make known to all persons who have directly or by implication, parto slaves and in property in cases where the rights of third parties shall have intervened, and upon condition that every such person shall take and subscribe an oath, and thenceforward keep and maintain said oath inviolate, and which oath shall be registered for permanent preservation, and shall be of the tenor and efect of the following, to wit:

I do solemnly swear, in presence of Almighty God, that I will henceforth faithfully support protect and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Union of States. I will in like manner, abide by, and faithfully support er aid the cause for which they were enlisted.

The control of the resident made during the existing rebellion,

> of the Supreme Court, so help me God.
>
> The persons exempted from the benefits of foregoing provisions, are all who are or the United States to aid the rebellion; all who piece. are or shall have been military or naval officers of the rank of Colonel in the army, or Lieutenant in the navy; all who left seats in the United States Congress to aid in the rebelhave engaged in any way in treating colored and which persons may be found in the United States service as soldiers, seamen, or in any

known, that whenever in any of the States of Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessec, Alabama, Georgia, Flor da, South Carolina, a number of persons, not less than one teath of the number of the votes cast in the success. The railroad from Cleave-corps.

be convened, against domestic violence.

And I do further proclaim, declare and make ed by such State Government, in relation to the freed people of such State, which shall recognize and declare their permanent freedom and provide for their education, and which may yet be consistent as a temporary arrangemen with their present condition as a laboring, landby the National Executive.

And it is suggested, as not improper, that in the conditions herein before stated, and such others, if not contravening said conditions, which may be deemed expedient by those fram-

ing the new State government.
To avoid misunderstanding, it may be proper to say that this Proclamation, so far as it relates to State governments, has no reference to States son it may be proper to further say that when ever members sent to Congress from any State national authority has been suspended and loyal

loyal State government may be established within said State or any of them. And while the mode presented is the best the Executive can suggest with his present impressions, must not be understood that another possible mode would not be acceptable. Given under my hand, at the City of Washpendence of the United States of America the

ABRAHAM LINCOLN. By the President:

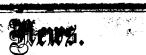
WM. H. SEWARD, Secretary of State

I trust that Congress will omit no fair oppor-tunity of aiding these important steps toward if he should hold the cow, which seemed to be uneasy, and the old man consenting readily, he took her by the horns and held fast till the operation was done. "Have you had Robinson (his rival)

around here lately?" he asked. "O yes! He's behind the barn, now, holding the calf!"

WATER CURE.—Here is Charles Lamb's opinion of a water cure :-- "It is neither new nor wonderlul, for it is as old as the Deluge, when in my opinion,

# RAN AWAY



The Battle of Ringgold Station.

ga, writes a correspondent of the Cincin-the War Department. nati Cazette, the glorious result of which you have ere this time fully laid before WHEREAS, In and by the Constitution of the United States shall have power to grant of the United States shall have power to grant columns, leaving a sufficient garrison at the ascent, by any of the roads that wind Chattanooga, and started in pursuit of along its front, can believe that 18,000 United States, except in cases of impeachment.

And Whereas, A rebellion now exists where by the layal State governments of several States have for a long time been subverted, and many persons have committed, and are now guilty of prosons have committed, and are now guilty of road. The object was, if possible, to the flying enemy. Sherman was on the men were moved upon its broken and road. The object was, if possible, to flank and gobble up the rear of Bragg's retreating army, and to prevent Long-street and Buckner from joining it. All terms and conditions therein stated and also declaring that the President was thereby au- small arms, eassons limbers &c. every and cut off their occupants. But when small arms, caissons, limbers, &c., everything, in short, that marks the track of spirit of the troops bore them bodily Chickamauga Station, Hooker drove the bristling rifle-pits, on the crest, and the enemy from his works, capturing pristhirty cannon enfilading every gully. oners and stores. No formidable resistance was made till we arrived at Ring-given simultaneously by Generals Shergold, on the Chattanooga and Dalton Branch railroad, the morning of the 27th. Here the enemy had taken position on tempt appeared to military prudence; Taylor's Ridge, at the foot of which is besides the Generals caught the inspirathe village. The position is a very tion of the men, and were ready themstrong one-much like Missionary Ridge in front of Chattanooga. Opposite the town is a pass, on each side of which their respective States; Therefore, I, Abraham town is a pass, on each side of which Lincoln, President of the United States, do prothe enemy had arranged his lines, exposing but little of his force to view.

Immediately on our arrival Hooker ordered Geary's and Osterhaus' divisions to scale the hill and charge the enemy, Chattanooga, dated yesterday, says:cut to pieces. The 7th Ohio had thir- 131 officers, mostly belonging to Major all acts of Congress passed during the existing teen officers out of fourteen killed and General John C. Breckinridge's comrebellion, with reference to slaves, so long, and wounded in that charge. Col. Creighmand, also passed through en route to ton, of the 7th, who was commanding Johnson's Island. be pledges given for their maintenance. In so far as not repeated, mondat, of held void ton, of the 7th, who was commanding by Congress, or by a decision of the Supreme ton, of the 7th, who was commanding my judgment they have aided and will further court, and that I will in like manner abide by the 1st brigade of Geary's division, was killed instantly while urging his men to When Congress assembled a year ago, the war had already lasted nearly twenty months, to relinquish a lever of power, but would also as not modified or declared void by the decision of artillery with which he played on us, but with little effect. The fight was then comparatively discontinued, until

At 12 o'clock our batteries began to play on the Ridge, seemingly with good effort, and at the same time a column of sistance, but skedaddled in every direction, leaving four pieces of artillery on ed, besides a number of prisoners, of victory on the hill. We captured my is on this side of the Rapidan. some stores and small arms in this place, recognized as the government of the State, and and he will be damned by the whole the State shall receive thereunder the benefits Confedracy, and, of course, kicked out of the bayonet. Officers cursed and rallied in vain. There was one continuous current of desertion during the whole

### Rebels Retreating from East Tennessee--Thanksgiving Proclamation.

engagment, and the end is not yet.

A dispatch from Chattanooga, dated the 7th, says :- Sheridan's cavalry ar-State, the name of the boundary, the subdivi-sion, the Constitution, and the Federal code of rived at Knoxville on the evening of the 3d. Longstreet raised the siege on the night of the 4th, retreating toward Bristol, via the Morristown railroad to Rich-

and ninety thousand prisoners.

## Going into Winter Quarters.

NEW YORK. December 8.—The Herald's army dispatches, dated Culpepper. vesterday, say: Our infantry are apparently going into winter quarters. The cavalry is busier than ever, scout-Pleasanton.

The Richmond Enquirer has the report that Hardee only temporarily comburg. mands Bragg's army; that Johnson will take premanent command.

Meade's Recent Movements. wounded and missing in Gen. Mende's in the Court House, Waynesburg, Pa. recent movement is 1,350.

### Storming of the Ridge-in the Bettle Before Chattanooga -- A Missele of Daring.

The storming in the great battle before Chattanooga, on the 26th, is thus After the battle in front of Chattanoo described by an officer in his report to

The storming of the Ridge by our

up the impracticable steeps, over the dan and Wood, because the men were not to be held back—hopeless as the atselves to undertake impossibilities.

### Later from Chattanooga--Hardee Falling Back--Arrival of Rebel Priso-

Cincinnati, Dec. 8 —A dispatch from which they did as bravely as ever troops General Hardee was slowly falling back

pelled to fall back. The fight on the 2,130 rebel prisoners from Chattanooside of the ridge was by far the most des- ga passed through Indianapolis yesterperate of this week. Geary's division day en route to Rock Island. Twelve held their ground till they were literally hundred more are expected there to-day. wounded in that charge. Col. Creigh- mand, also passed through en route to

### Latest from Charleston.

Gen. Gillmore still continues to throw shells into Charleston at the rate of twenty per day, and it was evident that they were doing considerable damage. The shells were seen to burst at night. All the inhabitants of Charleston had been moved to the rear of the city.

No flag now floats over Sumter, and only an occasional shot is fired from

### Lee's Whole Army Reported North of the Rapidan--The Rebels Reinforceed by Longstreet's Corps. The Time's special to Washington

dated Dec. 6th: Rumors from the It is also reported that he has been

the so-called act of secession, and excluding all sible to estimate the great advantages Alexander Railroad, some distance this

## From East Tennessee.

Our losses in the late battle at Chattaof the stars and stripes with an eagerness not altogether inspired by the point

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1. That quotas be apportioned to the sub Districts in 1. That quotas be apportioned to the sub Districts in 1. check given by his cavalry to Foster's the several Congressional districts which may be adopted advance, on Clinch river, has enabled him to move his infantry and artillery recent call of the President for 300,000 men. with no fear of being headed off.

## Read and Save Money.

Fifth arrival of Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps, at the Greene County Boot, Shoe, and Hat Store. J. C. Lightcap's honorable competition is the life of trade. Having accumu-BANK STOCK lated an exceeding large lot of goods in my line, I will sell lower for two weeks, giving mond, and South of Bristol. Long- all a chance who may wish to get cheap street retreats along the North and goods. All sensible persons will avail them-South banks of the Holston river, Foster's selves of this rare chance, as I am determined in cavalry following on the South, and not to be undersold by any in town or coun-Sherman on the North side. General try; but, on the contrary, will sell goods of Grant has captured, since the war began, same grade, 20 per cent cheaper than can four hundred and seventy-two cannon be got elsewhere. For proof of this asser-A dispatch from Washington of the 7th says: The following has been received at the headquarters of the army; satisfied I will charge you nothing for my

RITCHIE & PHELAN.

### Notice to Persons Subject to the Draft.

All persons who claim exemption from the next Draft on account of Alienage, Non-Resing for guerrillas. It is rumored that idence, Unsuitableness of Age, Election of Gen. Meade will be relieved by Gen. Parents, or otherwise, can have their papers D. R. P. HUSS.

### Drafted Men, Take Notice! The undersigned is prepared to furnish ex-Killed, Wounded and Missing in emption papers for those elaming exemption for the several causes named in the Con-The complete list of the killed scription Law. Office in the Register's Office

G. W. G. WADDLE.

# OR CONCENTRATED LYE,

W AR makes high prices; Saponifier helps to reduce them. It makes SOAP for FOUR cents a pound by using your mitchen grease.

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The Lost Found. DR. S. S. PATTON has returned, and is now at his room, prepared to wait upon those wishing any July 1, '63.

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# Java Coffee!

SUPERIOR TO ANY IN THE MARKET!

ed host of assailants, and such a determined resistance, that they were commined to fall back. The fight on the

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2 130 rebel prisoners from Chattanoomelled to fall back. The fight on the Grocers throughout the Unite | State A liberal discount to the trade.

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LUXURIANT HAIR BY USING

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1. It will, in nature's own manner, restore Gray Hair to its original color.

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8. It will cure all Diseases of the Scalp. It is not a Dye; contains n) Nitrate of Silver, or any other ingredient injurious to either Skin or Hair. Price, ONE DOLLAR.

For sale by all respectable Druggists. SIMON JOHNSTON, General Agent, Cor. Smithfield and Fourth Sts., Pittsburgh. 16, '63,

# The Draft.

Office of A. A. Provost Marshal General, } Hairisburg, Dec. 4, 1863. CIRCULAR NO. 76.

recent call of the President for 300,000 mea, that they will be exempt from the pending draft, should one be rendered necessary in January next.

2 That the several sub-Districts receive credit for all such volunteers as may have been mustered into service of the United States since the draft, and that the number as crediting he deduced from their results. the number so credited be deducted from their proportion of the quota assigned the State under the recent call.

J. V. BOMFORD.

Dec. 16, 1863

A. A. Pro. Marshai Gen. cail. Dec. 16, 1863

FOR SALE!

in Waynesburg, on Tuesday, the 22d day of December (being Court Week), at 1 o'clock, P. M., fiteen shares of ORIGINAL SPOCK in the Farmers' and Drovers' Bunk of Waynesburg.
TERMS, Cash in hand.

Tazewell, Tenn.—Major General Halleck: Longstreet is in full retreat up the valley. Your orders about following with the cavalry shall be obeyed. My divisiou of cavalry attacked the enemy's cavalry in one of the gaps at Clinch mountains yesterday afternoon, and are pushing them vigorously. Cavaliers from Knoxville arrived last night. The road is clear. Sherman arrived here yesterday. J. G. Foster, Maj. Gen.

The following proclamation was issued by the President on Monday; Reliable information being received that the insurgent force is retreating from East.

Satished I will charge you noting from the to fix will ask particular attention to myet attention to myet death we warrant will ask particular attention to yet given notice of any intention to withdraw the popular Loan from Sale at Para, and until ten days nor my ordered home-made work, which we warrant, and if it does not prove as represented, repairing done free of charge. On this kind of work you can save 25 per cent. We keep no cheap auction work that will fall to pieces as soon as it gets wet. I now inform you, as I have done before, that I do not ask large profits, but my motto is, "quick sales and small profits, and no humbug."

Look Out for the Draft!

Persons claiming exemption from the strength of which are surgent force is retreating from East.

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will enable the content states to resume spice pay-ments upon all liabilities.

The Loan is called 5-20's from the fact that whilst the Funds may run for 20 years yet the Government has a right to pay them off in Gold at par, at any time

after 5 years.

The Interest is paid half yearly, viz:—On the first days of November and May.

Subscribers can have Coupon Bonds, which are payable to bearer, and are \$50, \$100, \$500, and \$1000; or Rigistered Bonds of same denomination, and in addition, \$5,0.0, and \$10,000. For Banking purposes and for investments of Trust-monies the Registered Ronds are preferable. Bonds are preferable.

These 5-20's cannot be taxed by States, cities, towns,

Banks and Bankers throughout the Country wil continue to dispose of the Bonds; and all orders by mail or otherwise promptly attended to.

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JAY COOKE, Subscription Agent, 114 SOUTH THIRD STREET, PHILADELPHIA. Philadelphia, November 25, 1832 -- 60

1864] PITTSBURGH ALMANACS. [1864 TEN gross of this popular Annual just received and for sale by the gross, doz. or single one. Call at the Book store. You can't keep house without one. Dec. 2, '43.-41.

Diaries for 1864.

VALUABLE FARM

A FARM containing TWO HUNDRED AND FOUR ACRES, more or less, about 170 of which are cleared, and situated on the waters of Maddy Creek, in Jefferson and Cumberland townships, Greene Co., Pa., adjoining lands of lasac Weaver, Wm. Cree, and others, is for sake, and with be sold on reasonable terms on the nemices.

### Tuesday, January 5th, 1864.

This land is of excellent quality, in good condition and repail well timbered, well watered, and has This land is of excellent quality, in good condition and repair, well timbered, well watered, and has erected thereon a comfortable Dwething thouse, newly fitted up, a good Frame Barn, with ample stabling, a Sheep Shed, and a Steam Saw Mill in good running order. There are also a Smoke House, Lee House, Spring House, Wool House and other necessary out buildings, ait new. There is a good vein of COAL on the farm, and bank open, convenient to the Saw Mill. Good fruit of all kinds. A bearing apple orchard, and two young orchards of select fruit. Church, School house and Flouring Mill convenient.

For terms of sale apply to the subscriber at his residence on the farm. dence on the farm. ROBERT WYLIE. Dec. 1, 1863.

## II SEPPING CRAPES.

### Prosperity, Washington Co., Pa.,

Or to wait until he calls on them, as it is his intention to visit all parts of the county the present winter. Grates, with this improvement can be seen at the Hamilton House in Waynesburg and at the Messenger office.

DAVID DEVORE,

December 9, '63.-3t.

### REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Guardians have ordered their several accounts to be published for settlement at Det. Term, 1663, and that said accounts will be filed according to law, and presented to the Orphan's Court of said county and State of Pennsylvania at said Term, on Wednesd.y. the 23d of Dec. at Dec., at 2 o'clock, p. m., for confirmation and allowance. d allowance.

N. B. Said accounts must be on file thirty days pre-

(widow of said John Rinehart. Account of Heath Johns, Ex'r of Thomas Johns, Sr., Account of Jane Fordyce Administratix, and Garrard

deceased.

Account of Justus Garard, Executor of the last Wil

Dye, dec'd.

Account of James Call, Esq., and Andrew Wilson, Ex'rs of Wm. Wilson, dec'd.

Account of John T. Hook and Elizabeth Kent, Administrators of the estate of David Kent, dec'd.

Account of George Kent, Ex'r of the last Will and Tesment of George Kent, dec'd.

JUSTUS F. TEMPLE, Register.

Waynesburg, Oct 28, 1863.

# Sheriff's Sale.

DY virtue of a Writ of Venditioni Exponas, issued D out of the Court of Common Pleas of Greene county, and to me directed there will be exposed to public sale in front of the Court House in Waynesburg, on Saturday, Dec. 19th,

at one o'clock, p. m., the following property, viz: All the right, title, interest, and claim of David A. Worley, John Lindsey and Godfrey Gordon, of, in and to a certain tract of land situated in Marios and Franklin tps, anjoining lands of Abraham Bahzell and Benj. Campbett on the West; W. T. E. Webb on the north; C. A. Black, Jno. C. Flenniken, Joseph Yeater, and E. M. Sayers, on the cast; and the "commons" and Robert Adams on the south; containing minery five acres, more or less, on which are erected a two story brick house, frame barn, smoke house, wash house, and other out buildings; there is a good orchard of apple and other full trees on the premises, and nearly all of the land is cleared and under a good state of cultivation, with abundance of timber and water on the premises. Also at one o'clock, p m., the following

alley, bring 50 feet on Main street and 180 feet on Fruit alley, and bounded on the south by Cherry alley, and on the east by a portion of the same lot, it being a part of lot No. 131, in the plan of said town, on which are erected a two story brick house, 50 feet in front and 35 in depth, with a large porch, a large frame stable, ware room, and other buildings, with a kitchen on the porch and a well of good water.

Taken in execution as the property of Defendants at the suit of the Faurers' and Drowns' Hank of Wayness.

# SHERIFF'S SALE.

Saturday, Dec. 19th, 1863. at one o'clock P. M., the following property, viz:—All the right, title, interest and claim of Defendant of in and to a certain parcel of ground situated in the borough of Waynesburg Greene county, Pa., ironting on the North of Franklin street, one hundred and twenty feet and to wanty by Eighbrill, after the large.

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of, in and to two certain lots of ground in the berough
of Waynesburg, Greene county, Pa., being lois mumberad 196 and 197, in the original plan of said town;
bounded on the North by Greene street, on the West
by Whiskey street, on the South by South t., and on
the East by Cumberland st. And on which is erocted
a building used as a Foundry, blacks and shop, plow
shop, saw mill, and other buildings.

Taken in execution as the property of Simcon Dunn;
at the suit of William T. E. Webb and Joj 1C. Flenniken.

THOSE LUCAF Singeriff. iken. Thos Lucas sherif. Waynesburg, Dec. 2, '63.

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THOMAS LUCAS, Bherdf.

## Important Notice.

24тн District. Pa., Dec. 2d. 1863. Any person claiming exemption from the

next Draft, on the ground of alienage, non-residence, unsuitableness of age, and manifest permanent physical disability, may appear be-fore the Board of Euroliment, on or beiograthe 20th inst., and if he can show to the satisfac-tion of the Board that he is not liable, his namo will be dropped from the rolls. No cases, other than these specified, will be heard.

SAPONIFIER.

FAMILY SOAP MAKER.

Pittsburg-Pitt St. and Duquesne Way Nov. 25, 1863.-3 mo.

crumbling face, unless it was his fortune to witness the deed. It seems as awful as a visible interposition of God.

Neither Generals Grant nor Thomas intended it. Their orders were to carry the rifle-pits along the base of the ridge, and cut off their occupants. But when this was accomplished, the unaccountable to witness the deed. It seems as awful as a visible interposition of God.

WM. FLEMING. No. 139 WOOD Stree PITTSBURGH. P.A., has established a NEMING. No. 13

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which they did as bravely as ever troops moved against a foe; but when near the top they were met by such an unexpect—
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WE will expose to Sale in front or the Court House

J. A. J. BUCHANAN. W.M. KENT, Executors of the last Will of Thos. Kent, dec'd.

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Another candidate came upon "a poor white man," who had a vote to give, if he did have to do his own milking.

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Parents, or otherwise, can have their puper-properly made out by calling on the under-one and a-half perent, on the amount of income, when the income of the holder exceens Six Hundred dollars per annum; all other investments, such as in come from Mortgages, Railroad Stock and Bonds, etc. antst pay from three to five per cent tax on the in

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PUBLIC SALE

## Layton's Improvement

ME subscriber is now in Greene county putting up Grates in Layton's improved style, by which double the heat is secure t at a saving of one-third in fuel. All Grates set in this manuer are warranted to give satisfaction, and not to smoke. Persons wishing to introduce this improvement would do well to address the subscriber at

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons concerned, IN that the following Executors, Administrators and thandians have ordered their several accounts to be

Account of Thomas Rinehart and Arthur Rinehart Ex'rs of John Rinehart, dec'd. Also the account of Thomas Rinehart, Adm'r of Margaret Rinehart, decd

Account of Jane Fordyce Administratix, and Garrard Fordyce, administrator upon the Estate of Corbly Fordyce dec'd Account of Joseph Whislatch Administrator of James Whillatch, dec'd.

Account of Jacob S. Moore Administrator of the Estate of William King dec'd.

Account of Michael Funk, late of Morris tp., dec'd Account of Michael Funk, late of Morris tp., dec'd Account of William L. Gregg, Executor of Aaron Gregg, deceased.

Account of John A. Stone and James A. Black, administrators of Thomas Board deceased.

Account of Win. Lang, administrator of bewis Martin deceased.

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abundance of timber and water on the premises. Also a lot of ground in the Borough of Waynesburg, being situated on the corner of Main or high street and Fruit aftey, bring 50 feet on Main street and 180 feet on Fruit

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THOMAS LUCAS, Sheriff.
November 25, '63-ts.

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feet; on the west, by Richnill street, ninety feet, on the south by lot of Jesse kinehart, and on the East by lot of Benjamin Campbell, being the North half of lots No. 43 and 41, in the original plan of said burough, and ias erected thereon one Frame Cottage House Kitchen, and other out buildings, a well of water, and

Kitchen, and other sections as the property of Pe or Brown, at the suit of the Administrators of W. H. Babbir, dec'd.

THOS. LUCAS, Sheriff. Nov. 25, 1863.

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## PROV. MARSHAL'S OFFICE, NEW BRIGHTON,