

# THE TIOGA COUNTY AGITATOR.

by the courts, and in the manner now required in the case of public fairs, and taverns; and subject to the state regulations, restrictions and penalties.

The desecration of the Sabbath by traffic so fruitful of evil, and so demoralizing in its results, is in direct opposition to the law of God, and the moral sentiment of the people; and is a reproach to the age in which we live. A stringent and comprehensive law, remedied in its provisions, and vindicating the great law of the Sabbath, in its physical and moral relations to man, is required, not only by the moral sense of community, but would be justified by every sentiment of humanity, every consideration of philanthropy, every impulse of pure and genuine patriotism. The history of intemperance is written in tears and blood. Pauperism, taxation and crime follows in its train. A remedy should be applied; and public sentiment, with the full force of its moral sanction, will approve all prudent and constitutional legislation of this subject.

The pardoning power—the harmonious blending of mercy and justice in our Constitution—will be exercised with a just regard to both these important principles. With every desire to extend mercy to the unfortunate and repentant transgressor, justice, in her stern demands, will not be overlooked by the pardon of the vicious and hardened criminal. This power has been conferred on the executive, not to overthrow the administration of justice, but to aid and promote it. It should be exercised with great caution, and only upon the most satisfactory assurance that it is due to the condemned, and that the rights and security of the public will not be prejudiced by the act. To prevent the abuse of this power, and to protect the executive from imposition, notice of the intended application should be published in the city or country where the trial and conviction took place.

Experience has demonstrated the impolicy of subscriptions by municipal corporations, to the stock of railroad companies. This is especially true in relation to county subscriptions. The practice should be avoided, or at least not encouraged, by future legislation.

JAMES M. POLLACK.

*For the Agitator.*

#### A Word About Licenses.

Mr. EDITOR:—I see by the papers, that applications for licenses are to be made at the next Court, the first Monday in February, and I wish, through your columns, to suggest to the friends of temperance and good order to send up petitions, signed by the voters and tax-payers of each township and borough, to the Court, praying them not to grant any such applications. Besides the very weighty reasons which have heretofore existed, why men should not purchase the privilege, and be legally authorized to deal out liquor, damnation and death, I wish to suggest two others which apply, especially at the present time.

The first is, that our taxes are already heavy enough, these hard times, without having them doubled by the rum traffic.

The second is, that if a Prohibitory Law is passed in the State of New York this present winter, which is highly probable, and we have licensed houses for the sale of liquor in this county, multitudes of rummies from New York will migrate here, and untold evils will be the result.

It becomes us, therefore, as a matter of self-defence, to pray our Honorable Judges not to open the flood-gates of ruin upon us at this time.

I know it is said that petitions and remonstrances will do no good, because our two Side Judges have made up their minds to grant license to all proper applicants, but I do not believe this is so; I do not believe the two worthy men who occupy these honorable stations, are prepared so far to repudiate democratic principles, as to grant a license in any place, contrary to the petition of a majority of the voters and taxpayers of any borough or township. It cannot be so. They will do no such thing.

Send up your petitions, you who do not want drunkenness, crime and wretchedness greatly increased in the place of your residence, and if our Judges will not regard the voice of a majority of the voters and tax-payers, let us know it, and it will prove them unfit to hold any office among a free people.

SENEX.

#### Important, Very.

ALL PERSONS knowing themselves indebted, for subscriptions to the "Wellsborough Advertiser," or otherwise, either by N. or Book Account, are requested to make immediate payment, or their account will be placed in the hands of proprietors for collection! Come one, come all and give us life in this our time of need.

W. D. BAILEY.

#### Dissolution Notice.

THE Co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscriber in the publishing business under the name of BAILEY & CO., will be dissolved by mutual consent. The books of the concern are in the hands of M. H. COBB for settlement.

W. D. BAILEY,  
M. H. COBB.

Jan. 20, 1855.

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#### SEVASTOPOL TAKEN AT LAST!

THE subscriber having recently received his block of goods for the season, offers a choice selection of

#### DEBY GOOD'S.

Consisting in part of Broad Cloths, Prints, Ginghams, Delaines, Sharmbras, Pinnettes, Alpacas, Velvets, Brown and Bleached Sheetings, Shirtings, Tickings, Drillings, Wedgings, Battings, Wickers, Vestings, Cravats, Stockings, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Cambricks, Laces, Trimmings, Grain Bags, Carpet Bags, Cotton Yarn, Twine, Carpet Warp, Umbrellas and Parasols; with a good lot of READY-MADE CLOTHING, consisting of Men's and Boys' Coats, Denim Overalls and Shirts, Vests, Etc. Etc.

#### Groceries.

Ryon, Hyson Skin and Young Hyson Tea; a large lot of Sugars, different grades and prices, Molasses, Syrup, Tobacco, Pepper, Spice, Coffee, Coconuts, Ginger, Soda, Cream-Tartar, Saleratus, Carding-Drugs and Dye Stuffs, Paints and Oils; Window Glass and Sash.

#### HARDWARE.

Axes, Shovels, Hoes, Cat Saws, Spade, Crowbars, Wrought and Cut-Nails, Hinges, Chains, Cow-Bells, Sheep-Bells, Mangle Forks, Hay Forks, Chain-Pumps, Paint, Horse, Shoe, Clothes and Hair-Brushes, Bed-cord and Haller-Rope.

CROCKERY, GLASS WARE & LOOKING GLASSES.

Pine and Cedar Pails, Brooms, Washboards, Clothes Pins and Corn Baskets.

Silk and Brush Hats, Caps and Bonnets, Boots and Shoes, Cloth, Sc. &c., comprising in all a large and well selected assortment of goods, selling at the lowest possible price.

THANKS for past favors, the subscriber would like about fifty-five acres more or less, with about forty acres improved, a frame house and barn thereon.

To be sold as the property of W. W. Mann, Esq.

ALSO—A certain lot of land in Sullivan township, bounded north by John McCleary and B. John, east by Levi Mayfield and Charles Smith, South by Seth Rutledge and —— Seymour, and west by S. H. Jennings, all of the Bingham allotments, containing about 181 acres, more or less, being lots No. 231, 190, and 191, of the Bingham allotments for Farmington township, with a title of five years, improved, two log houses, a frame, a house and a barn, with a well situated garden, Ad. to said as the property of Jno. W. Shore.

ALSO—A lot of land in Tioga township, bounded north by E. S. Dougherty, east by Stephen Shaf, south by Israel Main, west by E. S. Dougherty, containing about one hundred acres, about four acres improved, a frame house and barn thereon.

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ALSO—A lot of land in Middlebury twp., bounded north and south by Stephen Shaf, east by William French and west by Bingham lands, containing about forty acres, about sixty-five acres more or less, with about forty acres improved, a log house and barn thereon.

To be sold as the property of W. H. Mand, Esq.

ALSO—A certain lot of land in Charleston twp., bounded north by Culver, east by George Bochus, south by David Jones and west by James Hall, containing 50 acres, about 15 acres improved with a frame house and barn, and some fruit trees thereon. To be sold as the property of John Bochus 2d.

ALSO—A certain lot of land in Charleson township, bounded north by Culver, east by Geo. Bochus, south by David Jones, and west by James Hall—containing fifty acres, with about fifteen acres improved, a frame house, and some fruit trees thereon. To be sold as the property of John Bochus 2d.

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Jan. 11, 1855. Adm'r.

WANTED,

In exchange for Goods, Notes and Accounts, all kinds of Grain, Shingles, Lumber, Ashes, Pork, Butter, Lard, &c., at the highest market prices.

Knoxville, Nov. 27, 1854. VICTOR CASE.

#### Auditor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that it will attend to the duties of my appointment as Auditor in the matters following, etc. In the matter of the distribution of the proceeds arising from the sale by the Sheriff of the real estate of John Kinney, also of the proceeds of the Sheriff's sale of the real estate of E. H. Jennings, at my office in Wellsborough, on FRIDAY, the 2d day of February next, at 1 o'clock P. M. All persons interested are notified that their present and substantial title claim to said proceeds, or be forever debarred of claiming any part of the same: HENRY W. WILLETT, Auditor.

BY VIRTUE of an order of the Orphans' Court of the County of Tioga, will be sold at public sale at the house of Allen King in the township of Westfield in said county, on SATURDAY, the 3d day of February 1855, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following real estate—property of the late ALVAN EDMUND, dec'd, to wit:

A lot of land lying in the township of Westfield, bounded north by John M. Warren and land in possession of Cornelius Griffin, east by land in possession of John Barr, south by land in possession of John M. Harper—containing 73 acres and 6.10ths of an acre, with the neat allowed of six per cent, for roads, &c., to be the same or more or less. It being lot No. 62 of the allotment of the Bingham lands in Westfield Tioga county Pennsylvania, and part of warrant Nos. 1325 & 1326—a log house and frame barn on the same, and about 40 acres improved. Terms made known on day of sale. D. ANGELL.

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MRS. MCMAHON, (assisted by Mr. McMahon) will open a School for Young Ladies on Monday, February 11, 1855, in the first house south of B. B. Smith, Esq. A few pupils can be accommodated with rooms in the same building, in which they can board themselves.

TERMS:

Common English Branches.....\$3.00

Higher.....\$4.00

French, Latin and Greek with any above, \$3.00

For further particulars, enquire at the residence of REV. ISAAC MCMAHON.

Wellsboro Jan. 11, 1855.—W. CASE.

DRIED APPLES, PEACHES and BERRIES, for sale by [ ] Jun 22. V. CASE.

SHERRIFF'S SALES.

BY virtue of sundry writs of Vend. Expo. and Levier Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Tioga county, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House in Wellsboro, on MONDAY, the 3d day of February, 1855, at one o'clock P. M., to wit:

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