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THE AGITATOR. HUGH YOUNG, Editor & Proprietor. WELLSBOROUGH, PA. Thursday Morning, Sept. 22, '59.

Republican State Nominations. AUDITOR GENERAL: THOMAS E. COCHRAN, YORK COUNTY. SURVEYOR GENERAL: GEN. WILLIAM H. KEIM, BERKS COUNTY.

County Nominations. FOR SENATOR: STEPHEN F. WILSON, of Wellsboro. FOR ASSEMBLY: L. P. WILLISTON, of Wellsboro. LEWIS MANN, of Coopersport.

The Test and the Price. There is a high road descending away from the summits of Success into the gulf of deserved defeat and Shame; and the name of this highway is INDIFFERENCE.

Williston and Mann. The Harrisburg Telegraph, compliments our Legislative candidates as follows: "The Republicans of Tioga and Potter counties have re-nominated L. P. Williston and Lewis Mann, for Assembly. They are excellent men and will of course be elected by overwhelming majorities."

A HARD CASE IN LAW.—Mr. C., a veteran lawyer of Syracuse, used to tell a story of a client, an impetuous old farmer by the name of Merrick, who had a difficulty with a cabinet maker.

It seems on the note falling due, that the obstinate cabinet maker had refused to pay him in any other way.—Olive Branch.

An extensive conflagration at Chicago on Thursday night last is said to have destroyed property to the amount of half a million of dollars, with insurance to half that amount in New-York and New-England offices.—Tribune of the 17th.

in a moment of calmer reason judgment will scatter your defence to the winds and bring you under condemnation; and conscience punish with a pitiless hand. Freedom has need of her friends now as she had need of them in 1856.

THE REIGN OF MUSCLE.—Muscle forever! Antiquity had its Aristides, its Plato, its Cicero, its Solon, its Demosthenes and its Pythagoras; the mediæval ages had—Rome—Rome, and the complicated machinery of the Church; the dawn of modern times had a Luther, a Zwingli, a Faust and a Guttenberg; yet later, the world rejoiced in a Washington and a Franklin; but this age is more prolific of wonders than all other ages and times—it has a great and harmonious Democratic Party, an organization which has successfully demonstrated its ability to be, to do, and to suffer, sans that whilom necessity, ARMS!

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CHANGE, only, is everlasting in the earth. A moment since and we were threading the mazes of a dream of summer; a leaf, crisp and pale dropped on the path and the vision vanished. To some, the seasons come and go, and teach nothing; to many, they are living teachers.

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PROVE ALL THINGS. DR. A. C. JACKSON, INDIAN PHYSICIAN. CAN BE CONSULTED AT THE FOLLOWING PLACES.

As he will not remain longer than the time he has promised, he has determined to leave Wellsboro, Pa., United States Hotel, Wednesday, September 22nd, at 10 o'clock, for Covington, Pa., "Covington Hotel," Thursday, September 23rd.

Lowell & Warner's COMMERCIAL COLLEGE. LOCATED OVER THE SHERMAN VALLEY HOUSE, BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

1859. NEW DIRECTORY. PARTICULAR attention is called to the fact that the subscriber will issue as usual the general information can be collected a FULL general

Great Bargains. THE household furniture of the Lummage firm is on sale in lots to suit purchasers if applied for immediately.

Military Encampment. THE uniformed Militia within the limits of the 2d Brigade 13th Division of Pennsylvania Militia (composed of the County of Tioga) are hereby notified to meet at the Armory at Wellsboro, Pa., on Friday the 23d inst., at 10 o'clock A. M. and to remain until the 25th inst., for the purpose of receiving their arms, accoutrements, and being inspected by the Major General.

For Sale. A FINE Buxton Sheep. Three years old. The owner wishing to change the breed of his flock would be willing to dispose of him. He would ported two years ago.

Religious Notice. THE North Branch Association of Universalists will hold its annual Session at Reading, Bradford County on Wednesday the 23rd and Thursday the 24th inst. Religious services will commence Wednesday at 10 o'clock A. M. and continue until the 25th inst. H. E. WHITNEY, Secy.

Caution. ALL persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing or negotiating for any promissory note payable to John Irwin or bearer as all his notes thus drawn, were feloniously stolen from the Township of Union, on the night of Tuesday, 30th of August, 1859. JOHN IRWIN, Secy.