

LOCAL NEWS.

COMPLIMENTARY.—An old fellow being assured by his pastor that he could not be a good Christian unless he took up his daily cross, immediately caught up his wife and legged her about the room.

AN OLD MISTAKE CORRECTED.—A contemporary, who has probably been drafted, thus corrects an error in the modern quotations of the price of a desirable commodity: "An exchange says that 'sternal vigilance is the price of liberty.' No, sir—three hundred dollars is the price of liberty!" Shave his head and send him to the Dry Tortugas.

RETURNED FROM DEN.—Dr. Charles M. Worthington, Assistant Surgeon of the 14th Pennsylvania cavalry, who was captured by the rebels at White Sulphur Springs, Va., on the 27th of August last, was recently released from the Libby Prison at Richmond, and passed through this city on Friday on his return to his home in Cumberland county. He represents the sufferings and privations of the Union prisoners at Libby as severe in the extreme.

HARMONIC SOCIETY.—The members of the Harmonic Society are respectfully requested to take notice that the society will meet on this (Monday) evening at 7 1/2 o'clock, in the lecture room of the Baptist church. The officers would respectfully urge a full attendance of members, as important business will be brought before the society.

A. HUMMEL, Pres't.

G. W. PARSONS, Sec'y.

THE GHOST!—That wonderful spectral illusion, the Ghost, will be produced at Sanford's Hall to-night, for a limited period only, with all the original scenes and apparitions, under the supervision of Mr. Watkins. It will be the same as that brought out originally with such unparalleled success in London, Wallack's Theatre, N. Y., and the principal cities of the Union. Lovers of the marvellous and supernatural should improve the opportunity offered to-night.

LARGE RECEIPTS.—The receipts of the New York Central Railroad for September exceed a million of dollars, and the gross earnings of the road, for the year ending September, are in the neighborhood of \$11,000,000, against \$9,856,827 for 1862. The surplus or undivided earnings remaining over last year amounts to \$2,990,205, which, added to the earnings of the present year, gives the company over \$4,000,000 to disburse among the stockholders. The Central is a "big thing," and appears to be after the great Pennsylvania Central "right smart."

INFORMATION WANTED.—About eight weeks since a young girl named Ann Campbell, step-daughter of Mr. Michael Boyle, who resides in Susquehanna street, West Harrisburg, left the boarding house of Mr. Carver, in West Walnut street, (at which place she had been working), and has not since been heard of. The missing girl is about fourteen years of age, has short auburn hair, and blue eyes. Her mysterious disappearance and doubtful fate have deeply affected the mind of her mother. Any information in regard to her whereabouts or condition will be thankfully received by Mrs. Boyle, in Susquehanna street, and the informant liberally rewarded.

PHILADELPHIA AND ERIE RAILROAD.—Change of Time Schedule.—By reference to advertisement elsewhere, it will be seen that the summer time table on this road has been changed. Passenger trains northward will henceforth leave this point as follows: Mail train, 1:15 p. m.; Express train, 3:00 a. m.

A Good Move.—The Councils of Philadelphia have passed a resolution to give each man that volunteers under the President's last call a bounty of \$100. This, in addition to the liberal bounty and pay of the government, will make a very comfortable little sum, and will no doubt stimulate enlistments to such a degree as to exonerate the city from another draft. The example is worthy of imitation. Few men feel like leaving their families with the prospect of a hard winter before them, but thousands would cheerfully go if they could first see those of their own household comfortably provided for before enlisting. The necessity of fighting from their own door being removed, they could then enter the lists against the foes of their country, untrammelled by anxiety and care. If our citizens would avoid the calamity of another draft, it would be well for them to take some measures toward increasing the bounty of volunteers. The next draft will be full as large in our city as the last one. It would, therefore, even in a pecuniary point of view, be a stroke of good financial policy for our city authorities to adopt liberal measures for stimulating enlistments. We trust they will take some action in the matter at an early day.

AGGREGATE VOTE OF THE STATE.—The total number of votes cast for Governor at the late election in this State was 523,225, being an increase of 88,475 over 1862, when the number cast was 434,750. Of the entire number, 253,775 votes were polled for Woodward, and 269,118 for Curtin. If the Democrats are "foes" and traitors, as stigmatized by Stanton, Forney and other incorruptibles, what a snug little band there is of them! Two hundred and fifty-three thousand seven hundred and seventy-five "traitors" in the single State of Pennsylvania! They would fill every bastion on the continent, and still leave an overplus larger than Meade's army. It is alarming. The "government" ought to do something for this thing.

THE ABOVE FIGURES ARE COMPLETE, WITH THE EXCEPTION of Cameron county, the returns from which had not been received at last advices. It is included in the table at the figures of last year, viz: Dem., 126; Rep., 196.

THEATRICAL.—A crowded house greeted the Harrisburg Thespian Society on the occasion of their second performance, at Brant's Hall, on Saturday night. The attendance of so large and respectable an audience must have been gratifying to the gentlemen engaged in the enterprise, some of whom entered into it without misgivings as to its success. But all such fears may now be dismissed, as the Thespian is safely launched upon the tide of successful experiment, and, if properly piloted, will weather through the coming season.

All the actors acquitted themselves well. Considering the fact that the stage has heretofore been terra incognita to most of them, the acting may be pronounced as superior. In the "Golden Farmer," Mr. Jester gave a fair rendering of that unfortunate character. Mr. Taylor as "Tommy Twitchee" was "the right man in the right place." His personation of that rook-robbing and sadly neglected rascal, who, like Dinkens' "Magwithe," had been "kicked and cuffed and done everything, to except hanged," until he started with apprehension at the rattle of every leaf, was rich and laughable. He will excuse us for saying that he is an excellent villain. Mr. Morton did full justice to the ludicrous character of "Hammer," finding in it an excellent field for the display of his comic powers, and "bringing the house down" frequently. In "Old Mob," Mr. DeLuif gave a good specimen of the highwayman and desperado; his voice, dress and manner were well suited to his part. Miss Lowell as "Elizabeth," and also in her recitation of the poem, acquitted herself with discrimination and skill, and was frequently applauded. The parts of "Mrs. Hammer" and "Harvey" were well sustained by Miss Howard and Mr. Kimball respectively.

While not wishing to assume the office of critic or censor, we would suggest to some of the actors—two of them, at least—that the effect of their efforts would be greatly enhanced by a more careful regard to pronunciation. Some of the best passages in the plays were quite lost upon the audience by reason of the indistinct articulation of the speakers, and those in the back part of the house were deprived of whole sentences by the low tone in which they were uttered. We hope that an improvement in this regard will be manifested at the next performance, which will be given some evening this week.

INDICATIONS OF A SEVERE WINTER.—The weather prophets predict a severe winter, each one resting his prediction upon certain supposed infallible signs. The principal signs manifest this year are the movements of fishes and migratory birds early in the season, and the unusual care of amphibious animals to provide against cold. It is found that in Minnesota and the northwestern States the brook trout are leaving the shallow streams and breaking to the deep pools much earlier than usual, and that the muskrats are fortifying their hibernating habitations against the intense cold weather by another thick layer of mud. In the east it is discovered that the wild fowl are streaming southward unusually early this season. The hucks on the corn are also thicker than usual. These are regarded as almost infallible indications of a severe winter.

There have been weather prophets since the days of Jones, each one of whom had a particular sign by which to foretell the seasons. Most of them have been humbugs, only hitting the mark once in a dozen attempts. These popular signs might have worked well in former times, but "all signs fall now-a-days"—except larger bore signs. Yet it is undoubtedly true that an all-wise Providence has gifted his irrational creatures with an instinct which enables them to provide suitably against seasons of unusual intensity, and this instinct may extend even to the vegetable kingdom. And, although phenomena indicative of cold weather have frequently been observed of some species of animal or plants, yet not followed by cold weather, it has hardly ever been known that so many concurrent signs of long and bitter cold weather failed or proved deceptive.

We are therefore inclined to accept the indications of the weather prophets this time. If they should prove true, the ignorant, confounding effect with cause, will believe the cold weather was caused by the wild ducks and the muskrats and the corn hucks, whereas their instinctive preparations were but the effect of the coming cold. If proud man was but gifted with like unerring instinct, how nicely could he compute the exact amount of coal to lay in for the coming season!

THE \$300 EXEMPTION.—It is said on good authority that there is talk in military circles of an early repeal of one of the sections of the conscription act—that which provides for temporary exemption by the payment of three hundred dollars. This will be urged in December, and it is not improbable that when the next draft is made, should the quotas not be made up by volunteering, exemption by the payment of money will be impossible.

There has been a great misconception in regard to the money raised by the operation of the late draft, which has led to general a belief that volunteering would exclusively be resorted to. It is supposed that the Government will have a large fund from the exemption fees, and that it can dispose of it in no other way than in carrying bounties to volunteers. This money, however, is said to be already disposed of. Part of it is used in buying up able-bodied negroes in Maryland, and the same scheme it is said will be brought into play in other States wherever else it can be applied. This will soon use up the eight or ten millions which it is supposed the draft will realize. The other use for the fund is in the offer of bounties to veterans to re-enlist. The Government is naturally anxious to secure all the old soldiers whose term of service expires during the present year. It will thus be seen that no surplus fund is created by the late draft which can be available for volunteering purposes.

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PREBYTERIAN SYNODS.—Synods of both branches of the Presbyterian Church met in Washington, D. C., last week. That of the New School—The Synod of Pennsylvania—embraces the Presbyteries of Wilmington, the Third and Fourth of Philadelphia, and those of Harrisburg and the District of Columbia. The number of churches represented is between eighty and ninety, containing probably fifteen thousand communicants. The Rev. E. F. Adams, of Philadelphia, preached the opening sermon, and the Rev. William Aikman, of Wilmington, Del., was elected Moderator. The members of this Synod called at the White House in a body on Thursday last, and paid their respects to the President, and the visitors retired well pleased.

The other body is the Synod of Baltimore, of the Old School persuasion. This Synod represents five Presbyteries, viz: Baltimore, Carlisle, Winchester, Lewis (Eastern Shore of Maryland), and Presbytery of the Potomac. These contain an aggregate of one hundred and twenty ministers, one hundred and thirty-five churches, and twelve thousand and forty communicants.

Miss M. V. Wilson requests the ladies of Harrisburg and strangers to call and see her fall stock of trimmings and fancy articles, at her old stand, corner of Second and Walnut. oct23-1w

New FALL GOODS.—We have now received and are opening a beautiful assortment of new style dress goods and other goods.

Splendid assortment of new delaines. All colors of plain alpaca. New style of plaid dress goods. Fine black bombazines. Black and colored permatans. 5 pieces of black silks. 50 pieces of bleached and unbleached muslins. 10-4 heavy linen for sheeting. 5-4 heavy linen for pillow cases. 7-4 grey linen damask for table covers. White linen table covers and napkins. Black alpaca, all qualities. White linen and hemstitched pocket handkerchiefs.

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THE BOUNTIES OF VETERANS AND LAW RECRUITS.—A misunderstanding seems to exist in reference to the amount of bounty paid to veterans and law recruits respectively. A recent order from the Provost Marshal General provides that veterans re-enlisting shall receive \$402 bounty, while law recruits shall receive \$302. It would appear, however, that this order has reference only to the volunteer service, and not to the regular service as we see that Capt. Stetson, recruiting officer at this post for the 15th U. S. Infantry, is authorized to pay a bounty of \$402 to all recruits enlisting into that regiment. The 15th is in the Army of the Cumberland, and was formerly a part of Gen. Rosecrans' body guard. All persons enlisted at Capt. Stetson's rendezvous, first floor of the Buehler House (fronting Second street), are sent to comfortable quarters at Fort Adams, Rhode Island.

INJURED BY FLUID EXPLOSION.—Mrs. Weaver, of Lancaster, was seriously injured on Thursday evening last by the explosion of a fluid lamp. She had lit the lamp, and for the purpose of increasing the brilliancy of the flame, turned it bottom upwards, when the tube dropped out, igniting the lady in flames. Her screams brought neighbors to her assistance, who succeeded in extinguishing the flames. She was badly burned about the hands and arms. The use of this fluid is both dangerous and foolish, now that carbon oil, a safer and better illuminator, is cheap and plenty.

WONDERFUL WEATHER IN THE WEST.—A dispatch from St. Louis, dated on Friday last, states that one of the heaviest storms ever known in that region prevailed there on Thursday, ending with a clear freezing night. The mercury on Friday morning at 9 o'clock stood at twenty-four degrees, and remained below the freezing point all day!—This is a degree of temperature seldom reached in mid-winter. The storm extended over a large portion of Missouri and Illinois, and over six inches of snow fell. No such remarkable change has heretofore been known in that latitude.

Moses and Bernside.—On the occasion of a magic lantern exhibition recently, the scene of the Children of Israel crossing the Red Sea was given, and the small children were asked if they could tell what it represented. One little fellow immediately sang out, "Burnside crossing the Rappahannock!"

SPECIAL NOTICES.  
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DR. SWEEP'S INFALLIBLE LINIMENT is prepared from the recipe of Dr. Stephen Sweet, of Concord, N. H., and is a most happy and infallible remedy for all the ailments of the body. For all Rheumatic Disorders it is truly infallible, and as a curative for Sores, Wounds, Sprains, Bruises, &c., its soothing, healing and powerful strengthening properties, excite the just wonder and astonishment of all who have ever given it a trial. Over four hundred certificates of remarkable cures, furnished by it within the last two years, attest this fact. See advertisement. apilow-d&w

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DR. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS.  
The combination of ingredients in these Pills are the result of a long and extensive practice. They are mild in their operation, and certain in effecting all irregularities, painful menstruation, removing all obstructions, whether from cold or otherwise, headache, pain in the side, palpitation of the heart, whites, all nervous affections, hysteria, fatigue, pain in the back and limbs, &c., disturbed sleep, which arise from interruption of nature. DR. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS was the commencement of a new era in the treatment of those irregularities; an obnoxious and noxious medicine was displaced by a purgative drug. It was found that a good deal of the general health begins to decline.

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NEW DISCOVERY for the SPEEDY AND PERMANENT CURE of Seminal Weakness, Urinary and Vaginal Discharges, Gleet, Sexual Diseases, Emissions, Impotence, Genital Debility, and diseases of the Bladder and Kidneys. BELL'S SPECIFIC PILLS are warranted in all cases and can be relied on. No change of diet required. They do not nauseate, nor interfere with business pursuits. 1000 of 200 cases have been cured the past month. More than one hundred physicians use them in their private practice, and all speak well of their efficacy. They are entirely harmless on the system, and can be relied on in all cases arising from youthful indiscretion or self abuse, which often incapacitates the sufferer from fulfilling the duties of married life. A TREATISE of 64 pages, containing means of cure, sent free to all. Two stamps required for postage. The Pills will be sent by mail, securely sealed, on receipt of One Dollar, by J. BRYAN, M. D., No. 76 Cedar street, New York. Sold by all the principal druggists. (Communicated.)

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APARTMENTS Furnished and Boarding for Ladies and Gentlemen. Inquire of Mrs. KERR, Shoemaker's Row, Second street, nearly opposite the Buehler House. sep 23-1w

SOLDIER'S CAMP COMPANION. A very convenient Writing Desk; also, Portfolios, Memorandum Books, FOLDING BOOKS, ETC. SCHIFFER'S BOOKSTORE.

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To avoid imposition on, observe the Signature and Likeness of Dr. Stephen Sweet on every label, and also "Sweet's" in large letters on each bottle. Beware of cheap imitations of each bottle, without which none are genuine. RICHARDSON & CO., Proprietors, New York. For sale by all dealers. apilow-d&w

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Legal Notices.  
AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION. A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING CERTAIN AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendments be proposed to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, in accordance with the provisions of the tenth article thereof: There shall be an additional section to the third article of the Constitution, to be designated as section four, as follows: SECTION 4. Whenever any of the qualified electors of this Commonwealth shall be in any actual military service, under the requisition from the President of the United States, or by the authority of this Commonwealth, such electors may exercise the right of suffrage in all elections by the citizens, under such regulations as are, or shall be, prescribed by law, as fully as if they were present at their usual place of election. There shall be two additional sections to the eleventh article of the Constitution, to be designated as sections eight and nine, as follows: SECTION 8. No bill shall be passed by the Legislature containing more than one subject, which shall be clearly expressed in the title, except appropriation bills. SECTION 9. No bill shall be passed by the Legislature granting any powers, or privileges, or immunities, where the authority to grant such powers, or privileges, has been, or may hereafter be, conferred upon the courts of this Commonwealth. JOHN CESSNA, Speaker of the House of Representatives. JOHN P. PENNEY, Speaker of the Senate.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, Harrisburg, July 1, 1863. PENNSYLVANIA, SS: I do hereby certify that the foregoing and appended is a full, true and correct copy of the original Joint Resolution of the General Assembly, entitled "Joint Resolution proposing certain amendments to the Constitution," as the same remains on file in this office. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the Secretary's office to be affixed, the day and year above written. ELI SLIFER, Sec'y of the Commonwealth.

PROCLAMATION.—Whereas, the Court of Common Pleas in the Third Judicial District, consisting of the counties of Lebanon and Dauphin, and the Hon. SAMUEL LANDIS and Hon. MOSES R. YOUNG, Associate Judges in Dauphin county, having issued their precept, bearing date the 18th day of July, A. D. 1863, to the effect, to wit: "That the said Court do hold a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace at Harrisburg, on the 10th day of August, next, being the 10th day of August, 1863, and to continue two weeks; and do give notice to the parties, to appear at the said Court of Oyer and Terminer, and to be there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to show cause why they should not be committed to the custody of the Sheriff, to do those things which to their own appearance to be done, and those who are bound in recognizance are hereby requested to make known the names of their sureties, and those who are bound in recognizance or shall be in the Jail of Dauphin county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just. Even under my hand, at Harrisburg, the 19th day of July, in the year of our Lord 1863, and of the eighty-seventh year of the independence of the United States. J. D. BOAB, Sheriff.

ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES. Present on an order of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Dauphin county, to wit: notice to the Commissioners of said county, and to the property holders along the line of Cumber and street, from Seventh street to Eighth street, and Verbeke street, from Fulton street to Seventh street, to the city of Harrisburg, that upon the petition of the Mayor of said city, the Court has appointed six viewers to assess the damages caused by the construction, location, erection and use of the street railway, and to assess the same on SATURDAY, the 31st day of OCTOBER next, at 10 o'clock a. m. at which time all claims for damages against the street railway are hereby requested to appear on the ground if they think proper. JOHN W. BROWN, City Solicitor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration have this day been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Dauphin county, upon the estate of John B. B. B., late of Washington township, in said county, deceased. All persons having claims or demands against said estate are hereby requested to make known the same without delay, and those indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment to DANIEL SWAN Administrator, oct 12-1aw63 Washington township, in said county.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that letters of administration of the estate of Adam Bessler, late of Jefferson township, Dauphin county, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and all persons having claims against said estate will present them to the subscriber for a full discharge. JOHN HOOVER, Administrator of Adam Bessler, dec'd. Jefferson township, Sept. 25, 1863.—225-614 oct 1

Public Sales. PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE. In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Dauphin county, will be exposed to public sale on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29th, 1863. On the premises, a FARM situated in Susquehanna township, Dauphin county, about five miles from Harrisburg, on the Philadelphia and York road, bounded on the north by the line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, on the east by the line of the York and Dauphin Railroad, and on the south and west by the line of the York and Dauphin Railroad. The farm contains ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY acres, more or less, and is well improved with a CARRIAGE HOUSE and other out-buildings; all new and in first rate order. A PUMP in the Barn Yard and one in the basement of the House. A GOOD YOUNG ORCHARD, in full bearing, and containing about one hundred and fifty trees, all in first rate order. Cattle can have access to water from nearly every field; the whole well fenced and under a good management. There is also a new FURNACE HOUSE on the farm, stable and other out-buildings. Also, at the same time and place, a TRACT OF WOOD LAND situated within a few yards of the above described farm, containing TWENTY ACRES, more or less, well covered with timber and used with said Farm as a timber land, the Farm being all cleared. This is a first rate property and affords a chance to capitalists wishing to make investments, being situated near churches, schools, mills and markets. Also, on the premises, a large building, situated on the premises, situated on the public road leading from Hockersville to Elizabethtown, where the Colerock road crosses the public road, and the building is well adapted for six miles from Middletown, containing about 100 acres, and being situated near the York and Dauphin Railroad, and the York and Dauphin Railroad, and the York and Dauphin Railroad. This building is well adapted for a Warehouse, Bank Barn with Wagon Shed, Carriage House, Smoke House, Summer House, and all necessary out-buildings; a pump at the door with a fine running water, and a young Orchard of choice fruit trees in full bearing. This property is known as Mt. Harrison, or Folly's Store, and has been in the hands of the late Adam Bessler, one of the best business stands in this section of the country. The estate of Christian Foltz, deceased. On the 21st day of October, 1863, the estate of Adam Bessler, deceased, will be given and conditions of sale made known by J. W. BROWN, Administrator of said deceased. oct 24-1w Administrator of said deceased.

Public Sale. A BARE CHANCE FOR BUILDING LOTS. Will be sold on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31st, 1863, on the premises, three lots of ground, situated on Front street, next door to the Duck Tavern, West Harrisburg, each fronting 20 feet on Front street and down to low water mark; also, one adjoining lot of 47 feet fronting on Front street, and containing a frame house, with a never falling well with pump; all of which will be sold together or separately, to suit purchasers. Sale to commence at two o'clock in the afternoon, when conditions will be made known by CATHARINE SCHMIDT, Proprietress. oct 21-1d

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