

Cattawissa, Jan. 18, 1841.

HENRY WEBB, Esq.

Dear Sir—The officers and members for the past year, of the "Cattawissa Sabbath School," assembled at the Cattawissa School house, in the town of Cattawissa, on the evening of the 31st of December last past, when the reports of the different officers for the past year were read and adopted by the meeting. It was then, on motion of the Rev. Wm. J. Eyer,

Resolved—That the thanks of this meeting be presented to Stephen Baldy, Esq. for his unremitting diligence and faithfulness in the discharge of his duties as Superintendent of the Cattawissa Sabbath School Union, and that we hope that we shall still have his influence and his prayer.

And it was furthermore ordered that the report of Stephen Baldy, Esq. be printed by a resolution of said meeting. After the above proceedings were had; the following named gentlemen were elected officers of said School for the present year, viz: Joel E. Brady, Superintendent; C. O. Brobst, Assistant Superintendent; C. E. Rock, Librarian; S. W. Leyburn, Secretary; and Joseph Brobst, Esq. Treasurer.

I therefore take the liberty of forwarding to you, a copy of the Superintendent's report, and the resolution ordering it to be published, should you deem the same worthy of publication, you will confer a favor on the officers and members of the Cattawissa Sabbath School &c. by inserting the same in your paper.

A. W. LEYBURN,
Secretary of C. S. S. U.

REPORT

Of the Superintendent of the Cattawissa Sabbath School Union. Read before the Society Dec. 31, 1840.

Fellow Christians—By our Constitution it becomes my duty to make a report of our School to this meeting. In doing so, I beg your attention for a few moments.—At the commencement of the year which in a few more hours will be ended, we had 60 Scholars enrolled on our Books, which we have now raised to the number of one hundred and eleven. We had 52 Sessions of the School, being one Session each Sabbath. The largest number of Scholars at any one Session was 94 and the lowest number was 38, averaging through the year, 65 Scholars. We had at the commencement of the year 10 Teachers and now we number 14. We have added to our Library about 70 volumes of book, besides a great many small books which we did not number. Our Library contains about 470 books. We had through the year many good Sessions of the School. At sometimes we had some difficulty for want of Teachers, during the said year I promoted two of the female Scholars from the Bible class to Teachers and can say that I have no reason to regret it, as those two Teachers thus far have done exceedingly well. I can not too much praise the conduct of many of the Teachers, and feel under many obligations to the other officers of the School, for their aid and assistance, and in particular to the kind and obliging assistance I have at all times had when required of my assistant, Joel C. Brady. The School, by the assistance of my fellow laborers, is at present in a most excellent and flourishing condition; for all this we claim no praise, but owe it all to the praise and glory of our Heavenly Father the giver of all good, for without his aid and assistance, we of ourselves could do nothing. We have had three Pastoral visits to our School during the year by our worthy friend the Rev. Mr. Eyer, which visits we do believe had very good effect, and I hope will in future be continued whenever convenient. We have also attended to our monthly concert, which has been well attended at times and I hope will not be neglected hereafter.—During the year passed, we have had abundant reasons to bless our God, for the health and prosperity with which he has blessed us. Not any of our officers or Teachers have been afflicted for any length of time, and but very few of the Scholars have been kept from School on account of sickness. The citizens of our town & vicinity have given liberal donations in support of the School, which has enabled us to add to our Library a number of excellent books, which are eagerly received and read by the Scholars. By the report of the Treasurer, A. W. Leyburn, Esq. you will find that we still have a small sum in our Treasury. Having now given you a strict account of our doings for the present year, I now surrender my office into the hands of those who put me into the possession of the same, and at the same

time would inform you that I would decline a re-election, but would also at the same time say to you, that it is not my intention to leave the School altogether, but whenever convenient will attend and lend a helping hand. That the Lord our Heavenly Father may continue to bless and own our dear Sabbath School, is the prayer of your unworthy friend.

STEPHEN BALDY.

Editors in the county, who feel an interest in Sunday Schools are requested to publish the above.

Slavery in Connecticut.—There are 8111 free colored persons in Connecticut, according to the late census, and 54 claimed as slaves. In 1830 there were 8064 free blacks and 25 slaves. The increase of free colored persons in the last ten years, if this statement be correct is 47; or a little more than 1/2 of one per cent. There are very few States in the Union where the slave population has increased in so rapid a ratio. We leave it to the Abolitionists explain this phenomenon.

The Jews in Poland and Russia.—According to a St. Petersburg letter, measures have been taken to assimilate the dress of the Jews, both in Poland and Russia, by offering rewards to such as adopt the costumes of the Israelites of Moscow.

Condition of Greece.—Late London papers contain letters from Greece of the most discouraging character as to the condition of that country. It is said that Greek citizens are imprisoned on the most frivolous charges, that terrible cruelties are practised; and the Slave Trade is carried on with the tacit consent of King Otho, who appears to take very little interest in the general prosperity of his people.

Native Skill.—An improved clock has been invented by A. W. Crane, of Newark, N. J. It runs 378 days, with one winding, and is said to be an ingenious piece of mechanism.

Painted Horses.—A short time since a gentleman of Virginia bought a pair of crow black horses, which, after a few days' service, proved to have been artificially colored.

A Pardon.—The United States Marshall received from President Van, a pardon for George Wilson, convicted and sentenced to the Eastern Penitentiary in 1830, as an accomplice of Porter, the mail robber, who was hung.

Harrison Times.—The women and children engaged in some of the Allegheny cotton factories have been obliged to "turn out" against an attempted reduction of their wages. This is log cabin encouragement of domestic manufactures!

Bicknell's Reporter estimates the losses sustained by the Bank of the United States, at fourteen millions, seven hundred thousand dollars.

IMMENSE!

MARRIED.—By the Rev. D. S. Tobias, on the 14th inst. Mr. ISAAC KELLER, to Miss ELIZABETH M'KICKEN, both from Orangeville.

On Tuesday last, by the Rev. I. Bahl, Mr. PENRY BELLAS, to Miss RACHEL KIRKENDALL, both of Milton township.

In Danville, on Thursday the 14th inst. by the Rev. R. T. Nixon, Mr. GEORGE W. FOREST, to Miss SARAH ANN HARTMAN, all of Danville.

OBITUARY.

DIED.—In Huntingdon, Luzerne county, on Tuesday last, ALFRED G. W. BUCK-ALLEN, a son of Mr. J. M. Buckalew, after an illness of three days.

In Brier creek, on Monday morning last, of Typhus Fever, Miss ESTHER KNORR, daughter of John Knorr, aged about 18 years.

A PUBLIC MUSICAL CONCERT
WILL be given by the
BLOOMSBURG BAND
at the Academy, in Bloomsburg, on Tuesday evening next, at 7 o'clock. The Ladies and Gentlemen are invited to attend.
CHARLES MOODY, Secretary.
January 23, 1841.

NOTICE
Is hereby given that an Election for Directors of the BLOOMSBURG RAIL ROAD IRON COMPANY will be held on Saturday the 27th day of February next at 10 o'clock A. M. at No. 27 South Third Street Philadelphia.
JOSEPH PAXTON Pres.
Cattawissa, Jan. 23, 1841.

BLOOMSBURG Philomathian Society.
THE Ladies & Gentlemen of Bloomsburg are respectfully invited to attend a meeting of the Society, at their room in the Academy, Saturday, this Evening, January 23d, at half past 6 o'clock.
The subject for that evening's discussion is the following:
"Which has had the greatest influence upon man, Ambition or Superstition."
It is also expected that a Lecture will be delivered, by a member of the society, during the evening.
J. H. DOWNING, Sect'y.
January 23, 1841.

NOTICE To the Supervisors of the Roads.

THE Commissioners request the Supervisors in the several townships of Columbia county, to attend to the filling up of the abutments of the County bridges, in their respective districts, when repairs of that kind are required—in this way such repairs can be made at trifling expense to the townships and generally more promptly and economically than it is possible for the Commissioners to have it done at the expense of the county.
JOHN M'HENRY,
JOHN DIETRICH,
CHRISTIAN WOLF,
Commissioners.
Jan. 9, 1841.

LIME For Sale.

THE Subscriber has on hand several hundred bushels of Lime, and intends keeping a constant supply, which he will sell, or exchange for country produce, Lumber or Cattle of any description. He is in want of a quantity of Chestnut rails.
ADAM STROUP, jr.
Hemlock township, Jan. 16, 1841.
38—2m.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm of M. S. & W. Mears, is this day dissolved.
All persons are forbidden to give any credit to said Firm from this date.
The books of said firm are in the hands of John Coovenhoven, Esq. for collection to whom all payments must be made.
WILLIAM MEARS.
Orangeville, Jan. 12, 1841.

STRAY.

CAME into the enclosure of the subscriber about three months since a MERINO BUCK. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away.
VALENTINE KRESLER.
Bloom, township, Jan. 16, 1841.

BOOK BINDERY.

THE undersigned having purchased the Book-Binding established in Milton, informs the public that he is now prepared to do all kinds of Binding in the cheapest and most substantial manner.

BLANK BOOKS

Of all descriptions will be done to order at the shortest notice.
All kinds of country produce will be taken in exchange for work.
H. L. DIEFFNBACH.
Milton, Dec. 5, 1840. 32

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of sundry writs of alias venditioni exponas, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Danville, on Monday the 25th of January, 1841, at ten o'clock A. M. the following property, viz:

A certain tract of land situate in Madison township, Columbia county, containing one hundred and four acres, whereon is erected a

LOG HOUSE, AND LOG BARN.

about ninety acres cleared, and a fine large meadow, a good orchard. Adjoining lands of Richard Fruit, John Swisher, John Funston and others.

Seized upon in execution and to be sold as the property of Phineas Welliver, by JOHN FRUIT, Sheriff.
SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Danville, }
Dec. 30, 1840.

CURE YOUR COUGH BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.—REMEMBER, delays are dangerous. Thousands die annually from that dreadful disease CONSUMPTION, which might have been checked at the commencement, and disappointed of its prey, if proper means had been resorted to. The very many who have thus been snatched from that fatal ravener, by the timely use of Dr. SWAYNE'S COMPOUND SYRUP OF WILD CHERRY, bear testimony to this day, announcing the cures, the wonderful cures, performed by the use of this invaluable medicine. For sale at Tobias' Health Emporium Bloomsburg. Nov. 7, 1840.

SPLENDID AND NEW.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform his customers and the public generally, that he has just received from New York:

Plates of Fashions
and drafts for cutting garments, by which he is enabled to cut in the newest fashions not only of New York, but of London; and make up in the first style for Autumn and Winter wear.

The Subscriber returns his sincere thanks for past favors, and respectfully solicits a continuance, promising on his part, every exertion to render general satisfaction.

BERNARD RUPERT.
Bloomsburg; Nov. 28, 1840.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining at the Post Office at Bloomsburg at the end of the quarter ending on the 31st of December 1841.

- Mary Abbott
- John Bowyer
- Cyrus Barton
- John Beiz
- Joseph E. Barkley
- Andrew Criveling 2
- James Cocks jun.
- James Cocks
- Jane Doan
- Margaret Dawson
- Aaron Drumheller
- Peter Doyle
- Aaron Fulmer
- John Fry
- James Grimes
- Dr. H. Gearheart
- Gen. A. Green
- Alexander Crivelin
- or Andrew Crivelin
- Paul Hopper
- Ely or Delilah Hopper
- John B. Hess
- Charles Hagenbuch
- Simon Hagenbuch
- Lewis Hollans
- David Jones
- Henry James
- William James
- John W. Jones
- Isaac Johnson.
- John Lyn.
- Samuel Mellick
- M. McDowell Esq.
- Robert McQuad
- Cain Mayer
- Sarah Oni
- Danie. Palmer
- Richard Plumer
- Daniel Pealer
- John Pursel
- Daniel Pursel
- Lewis Rots
- Peter Rupert
- J. H. Robison Esq.
- Tho. A. Starkey
- F. B. Swaby Esq.
- George Stetler
- Charles Sailor
- Dr. Tho. H. Swaby
- Daniel C. Schmeck
- Maus & Squires
- Chester Smith
- John Townsend
- Philip Unangst
- A. Vallerchamp
- George Sigler
- Rebecca A. Waldren
- Westly Wert
- Jacob Woolever
- Israel Wells & Co.

B. RUPERT, P. M.

Those inquiring for any of the above letters will please say it is advertised.

TRAVERSE JURORS.

- For January Term, 1841—2d week.
- Bloom—Samuel Boone, Charles Hagenbuch, Lewis Maus, William Sloan, Henry Webb
- Cattawissa—John Kaefer, Jesse Yocum, Michael Fornwalt
- Derry—James Lake, Samuel Lard, James McNinch, Thomas Robison, James McCormick
- Fishing Creek—Alexander Coleman, John Hess, John Lazarus, Thomas Peeler, Phillip Dodder;
- Liberty—Hugh Montgomery
- Limestone—Jonas Barrigar
- Madison—Thomas Barber, George Derr, James Giron, Joseph Heller, Lewis Schuyler, Joseph Sheep, Caleb Thomas
- Monteur—Jacob Heinbauch
- Mahoning—William Colt.
- Mount Pleasant—James Mordon, Jr
- Orange—John Auten John Edgar,
- Roaring Creek—Michael R. Hower
- Sugarloaf—James Hill, James Kite
- Valley—Joseph Maus

ATTACHMENT CASE.

Notice to the debtors and creditors of the estate of Thomas Parker, late of Greenwood township, that the subscribers have been appointed Trustees of said estate and that said Trustees will attend at the public house of Joseph Lemon in Greenwood aforesaid, on Monday the 25th day of January next, and at the public house of Richard Fruit in Jerseytown Madison township, on Saturday the 30th same month, for the purpose of receiving and auditing the respective claims against said estate, when and where those having claims will present them with their evidence &c. also all persons indebted to said estate are required to make payment, and all those having in possession any property of the estate aforesaid are required to make immediate surrender of the same.

JACOB EVANS,
BENJAMIN EVES,
CALEB THOMAS;
Dec. 30, 1840. } Trustees

TAILORING BUSINESS.

E. HOWELL, & Co.
Inform their friends and customers, that they have removed their shop into the building next door to the office of the Columbia Democrat, nearly opposite St. Paul's Church, Main-street, where they will at all times be ready to receive orders for cutting and making all kinds of garments, and they assure the public that all work entrusted to them, shall be done in a fashionable and workmanlike manner.
N. B. Particular attention paid to cutting.
Bloomsburg, Oct. 16, 1840.

NEWSPAPERS AT HARRISBURG.

The Harrisburg papers have issued their annual proposals for furnishing their sheets to all who may be desirous of possessing themselves of a news paper printed at the Capitol of the state. Not having room to publish their prospectus at large, we have copied below their terms. The Reporter, Keystone, and State Capitol Gazette, are Democratic, and the Intelligencer, federal.

TERMS OF THE REPORTER.
For the session, twice a week, in advance, \$2.00
For the whole year, 3.00
Any person forwarding five session subscribers, and the money, shall have a sixth copy for his trouble.
W. D. BOAS.

TERMS OF THE KEYSTONE.
During the session semi-weekly 2 00
For the year 3 00
Any person forwarding us \$2.00 shall receive the Keystone from the time of subscribing to the close of the session—or six copies will be sent to any one office for \$10 00.

All Post Masters are invited to act as agents for the Keystone, in receiving subscribers and remitting money to us; and any one signifying his willingness to act as such, shall receive a list of our subscribers in his town and neighborhood, with our terms of agency.
BARRET & PARKE.
Harrisburg, Nov. 19, 1840.

TERMS OF THE STATE CAPITOL GAZETTE.

The State Capitol Gazette will be published twice a week during the sittings of the Legislature, and once a week for the remainder of the year, at the following prices:
The session only, (twice a week,) \$2 00
The whole year, 3 00
Postmasters and others friendly to the Democratic cause, are respectfully requested to receive subscriptions to this paper.—Any person procuring us five good subscribers, shall be entitled to the sixth copy gratis; or any person procuring five good subscribers and forwarding \$10 free of postage shall be entitled to the remainder for his trouble, and in the same proportion for a larger number.
HENLOCK & BRATTON.

TERMS OF THE DAILY AND SEMI-WEEKLY PENNSYLVANIA INTELLIGENCER

During the ensuing session of the Legislature, the Pennsylvania Intelligencer will be published Daily and Semi-Weekly, on the following terms:
Daily during the session \$3 00
Semi-Weekly do. 2 00
Daily during the session and semi-weekly during the remainder of the year, per annum, 4 00
Semi-weekly during the session and weekly during the remainder of the year, per annum, 3 00
The Daily paper will be published on a sheet sufficiently large to contain full reports of the doing of both branches of the Legislature, sketches of Congressional proceedings and the general news of the times, together with miscellaneous articles on a variety of subjects.

The Semi-weekly paper will be published on a sheet of double-medium size, and will contain as much reading matter as any paper ever published in Harrisburg.

THE ESTATE OF ELIZA RITTER, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Letters of administration on the above estate have been granted to the subscriber, residing in Bloom township, Columbia county. Therefore all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased, are requested to make immediate payment, and all those having claims will present them.
WILLIAM RITTER, Admr.
Bloom, Jan. 2, 1841.

Reckless and malicious Slander Refuted.
—Mr. Editor: Sir—I received a letter from New York at Mauch Chunk, P. A., stating that I had been advertised in the Sun and Herald as decamped from Port Chester, N. Y. and Elizabethtown, N. J. with my customers watches, rings, &c. I have returned for the express purpose to refute the malicious slander. I here declare the charge to be entirely false and dare the cowardly wretch to bring forward one person who will swear that I have carried off his watch from Port Chester, or any other place were I have resided. The article in question was put in your paper at a time when the author knew that I was out of town, and knew that I would not hear of it until the public took it for truth, not seeing a contradiction. A man who will wantonly trifle with a fellow beings character out of malice towards him, should be held up to public scorn and contempt. Devoa V. Binger was the author of this article. I would put the public on their guard against this fellow, as he may be guilty of the like offence towards others. I will refer to the annexed named gentlemen for the truth of my assertions:—Eli Darling, B. Bolden, J. M. Burger, A. J. Burger, Port Chester. Martin L. Noo, W. Bunnell, Elizabethtown N. J.
By publishing the above you will confer a favor on one who wishes nothing more than his just due.
Yours, &c. JAMES COCKS, jr.