

AN ACT OF JUVENILE HEROISM, by which a life in peril was rescued, is reported in the Boston Daily Advertiser yesterday, which deserves to be noticed. The account runs thus.

On Saturday afternoon, that part of Black Bay between the Providence Railroad and Beacon street, was covered with young skaters pursuing their beautiful but hazardous sport. A sudden cry announced that one of them, an Irish boy of eight years, had fallen in among the broken ice. The report spread instantly through the crowd of boys, but, for the hundreds among themselves there, the danger was too great for sympathy to pass into action. One youth, however, who, but a few weeks before, had found himself in the same perilous situation as this lad, from which he was fortunate to extricate himself without help, for which he called in and started forward alone, without hesitation, to rescue the sinking boy. The poor little fellow in the water was supporting himself by seizing upon the ice-piece after piece of which broke in his grasp. His preserver hastened forward over broken ice, till no foothold was left for him. The frightened boy was incapable of seconding his efforts, while the heavy boots and skates of the brave youth made his situation more hazardous every moment. Seeing a coachman near, he called to him to throw his reins, but was told they would be too short for his purpose. An ell pool was found by one of the spectators, & pushed forward on the ice till it came within his reach, the boy, who had sunk once, and was stiffened with the cold, was unable to clasp it in his hands, as he was desired, when his persevering friend, with a presence of mind and judgment which would have been admirable in a man, listened the end of the pole firmly by its hook into the dress of the drowning boy; and now swimming, their crawling over the icy fragments, dragged his prize after him into perfect safety.

This modest youth, who merely mentioned, on his return home, to account for his drenched condition; that he had got in at Black Bay, was greeted by Steven Curtis, son of James F. Curtis, well known for his gentlemanly superintendence of the Worcester Railroad.

The small pox is prevailing to an unusual extent at Saratoga, and in a number of instances has proved fatal.

The amount of coal transported from the Schuylkill region this season is 833,214 tons.

THE OLDEST INHABITANT?

The Picayune has found out who the oldest inhabitant is. An elderly chap speaking of his great knowledge of the Western country the other day, said he had known the Mississippi river ever since it was a small creek! He's the man.

IMPUDENT.

It is said that some fellow down East is about making old Mr. Tyler a present of a beautifully worked cradle.

NOBLE DOG.

A Mount St. Bernard dog, weighing 168 lbs, was sold to a gentleman in Toronto, Canada, a few days since, for 75 guineas.

Gen Samuel Hays, of Venango county has been appointed United States Marshal for the Western district of Pennsylvania, in the room of Henry C. Boston, Esq, deceased.

Mr. Detwold, of New York, has procured from the Mammoth Cave in Kentucky several of the eyeless fish which abound in those dark waters. They are to be sent to Paris, as a present to some curious Frenchman.

'RIGHT OF SEARCH.'

This seems still to be claimed by Great Britain with as much determination as before last war. Almost every week we hear of some new instance where our merchant ships have been boarded by British cruisers under the plea of searching for slaves. They pay no respect to our flag on the African coast, but treat it with as much indignity as they could the black flag of the pirates. Shall such things be? Shall we allow our rights to be trampled upon? our commerce subjected to insult & oppression? No, the spirit of a free people who own no master, will ere long be aroused, and make the eye of the British lion quail beneath its power. Much better would it be if England would turn her searching propensities to finding something equal to Dr. SHERMAN'S MEDICAL LOZENGES for the relief of her subjects. They have now been before the public for more than 5 years and there are no preparations like them to be found for searching out disease, and banishing it from the human frame.

Worms find no refuge or hiding place when they are used. Coughs, Colds and Constipation vanish away, and Headache, Palpitation and Nervous Affections cease the moment one of Sherman's Camphor Lozenges are taken into the stomach. There is no mistake in them; they will cure the different disease for which they are recommended sooner than any preparations now in use. Be sure and get the genuine, as the spurious article will invariably do more hurt than good.

The 21st of December, two hundred and twenty four years back, the first Christians explored Plymouth harbor and landed on its shores.

ESSENTIAL.

MARRIED—On Tuesday, the 31st ult. by the Rev. J. S. Miller, Mr. JOHN SECHLER, of Danville, to Miss ESTHER HAUSE, of Point township, Northumberland county.

On Wednesday, the 1st instant, by the same, Mr. GEORGE SAUNDERS, to Miss RUTH KOWNOVER, daughter of David N. Kownover, Esq. all of Danville.

OBITUARY.

DIED—In Franklin township, Columbia county; on the evening of the 29th of Dec., MARGARET, wife of Daniel Riegal, aged 61 years and 5 days.

List of Letters.

REMAINING in the Post Office at Catawissa on the quarter ending December 31st, 1844.
Kuhns Peter
Chapman Daniel M
Croll William
Davin Fanny
Fisher Israel 2
Fisher J P
Kellogg Chester
Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say they are advertised.
PAUL R. BALDY P. M.

List of Letters.

REMAINING in the Post Office, at Bloomsburg, on the quarter ending Dec. 31st, 1844.
J D Paxton
David Evernet
Mrs. Mary M Eckerd
Daniel McGurdy
John Reichendorfer
Calender Pot r
A Walters
Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say they are advertised.
J R MOYER P M

Wholesale Dealers and Retailers of Foreign Merchandise in the County of Columbia.

Take Notice,

THAT in compliance with an act of the General Assembly, approved the 7th day of April, A. D. 1830; and an act passed the 4th day of May, 1841 the Ass c te] Judges and Commissioners of the county of Columbia, will meet at the Commissioners office, in Danville, on Thursday the 23d day of January 1845, at 2 o'clock P. M. for said day, for the purpose of taking up the returns of the several constables of said county that are to be made to the Court of quarter sessions on or before the 20th day of January 1845; and to receive such orders as the Merchants, that may be thus returned, dealing as aforesaid, into that class that may appear right and just, agreeably to the provisions of the acts aforesaid, when and where you may attend if you thing proper either in person, by agent or attorney.

By order of the board.
E. MENDENHALL, Clerk.
COMMISSIONERS OFFICE }
Danville Jan. 6—1845 }

Black Smith Tools For Sale,

THE subscriber being desirous of quitting business, offers at private sale his Blacksmith Tools, consisting of a double set of all kinds of tools, usually used in country Blacksmith Shop, to wit: 3 pair of bellows, 2 anvils, 2 vices, hammer, tongs, and swedges of all kinds. The tools are all of the first quality and in good order. The shop in which I now work situated on main street, near the Episcopal Church, can be rented at a fair rent. Terms easy upon application to the subscriber, and possession given the first day of April.

N. B. All persons indebted to the subscriber are earnestly requested to make payment on or before the first day of April next as it is necessary that his accounts should be closed by that time.
JACOB BIDDLEMAN.
Bloomsburg, Jan. 4—1845

Register's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given to all legatees, creditors and other persons interested in the estate of the respective decedents and administrators, that the administration and guardian accounts of said estate, have been filed in the office of the county of Columbia, and will be presented for confirmation and allowance to the Orphans' Court, to be held at Danville, in and for the county aforesaid, on Thursday, the 23d day of January next at 2 o'clock P. M.

The account of Samuel Menges, administrator of the estate of John Robenhold, late of Lincroft township; dec'd.
2 The final account of David Masters late guardian of Russel P. Armstrong one of the children of Joseph Armstrong dec'd.
CHARLES CONNOR, Register.
REGISTER OFFICE Danville, }
Dec. 24, 1844; }

WORMS KILLS THOUSANDS.

CHILDREN are most subject to them, but persons of all ages are liable to be afflicted with them. Bad breath, paleness about the lips, flushed cheeks, picking at the nose, wasting away, leanness, pain in the bowels, joints or limbs, disturbed sleep, frightful dreams, moaning and sometimes of voracious appetite, are among the symptoms of worms. Many are doctored for months, for some other imaginary disease, when one box of Sherman's Worm Lozenges would effect a cure. D. Ryan, corner of Prince street and the Buxery, cured a man of worms that was reduced to a skeleton, and by only one box of Sherman's Lozenges: tells now as fat as an Alderman. The Hon. B. B. Beardsley has saved the life of one of his children by them. The sale of over 3,000,000 boxes has fully testifies them. They are the only infallible worm destroying medicine known. What family will be without them?

Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Whooping Coughs, Asthma, and all affections of the lungs, will find a healing value in Sherman's Cough Lozenges. They saved the Rev. Richard De Forest; the Rev. Mr. Streeter, Jonathan Howarth, Esq. and that worthy old hero, Leonard Rogers, from the consumptive's grave. They cured in one day the Rev. Mr. Dunbar, the Rev. Mr. Handcock; Wm. H. Attree Esq. of distressing coughs. They are the pleasantest cough medicine and cure the soonest of any known remedy.

Headache, Sea-sickness and Palpitation, relieved in from five to ten minutes by Sherman's Camphor Lozenges. Persons attending crowded rooms or travelling will find them to impart buoyancy of spirits and renew their energies. Those suffering from too free living will find a few of the lozenges to dispel the haze and looseness of spirits. Mr. Krath, of the Sunday Mercury, has repeatedly cured himself of severe headache by them. Captain Chadwick, of the packet ship Wellington, has witnessed their efficacy in a great many cases of sea-sickness. They operate like a charm upon the agitated or shattered nerves, as Sherman's Poor Man's Plaster does upon rheumatism, lumbago, pain or weakness in the side, back, breast or any part of the body. Mr. H. G. Daggars, 300 Ann street; Henry R. Goulding; 35 1/2 Chatham street; Moses J. Henriques Esq. and a multitude of others have experienced the wonderful effects of these Plasters. Price only 12 1/2 cents. Caution is necessary to see that you get the genuine Sherman's Lozenges and Plasters, as there are many worthless articles attempted to be palmed off in place of them, by those who would wring with you life for a shilling.

Dr. Sherman's warehouse is at 106 Nassau street.—For sale by
John R. Mayer—Bloomsburg
Wm L. Walker & co—Berwick
Low & Thompson—Lime Ridge
E & J. Lazarus—Orangeville
M. G. Shoemaker—Buck Horn
L. & A. L. Bisel—Jerseytown
Derr & M'Brade—White Hall
John Moore—Danville.
Stephen Baldy, Catawissa.
Jan. 4—1845—37. 6m.

New Goods,

Seasonable and Cheap.

EYER & HEFLEY

HAVE just received from Philadelphia, and are now opening a large assortment of NEW GOODS,

CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Their stock of goods consists in part, of Superfine common and coarse cloths, cassimers, Batines, Muslins, Silks, Satins, Mouseline de Laines, Lawns, Merinoes, Laces, American Nankins, brown Hollands, Flannels, Silk and cotton Velvets, Silk and cotton Handkerchiefs, Lady's and Gentlemen's White & colored Hose, Gloves and Mitts

GROCERIES

Consisting in part of SUGARS, COFFEES & TEAS of assorted qualities.

MOLASSES, FISH & SPERM OIL,

Tobacco, Snuff, Spices, Salt, Soap, Candles, &c. &c.

LIVERPOOL CHINA GLASS AND Queensware.

If every description that may be required.

Hardware, Cutlery &c, OF ALL KINDS.

Bar, Rolled Hoop and Band Iron and Wagon Tire of every description that may be called for.

A large assortment of Plane bits, chisels, Files, Shovels and Tongs, Knives & Forks, Pocket and Pen Knives, Table and Tea Spoons, coffee Mills, Flax seed Oil, and spirits of Turpentine; sweeping brushes, weavers brushes; shoe brushes, cloth brushes, corn brooms, &c.

The public are requested to call and examine for themselves before they purchase elsewhere. We sell cheap and no mistake.
Bloomsburg, Nov. 9, 1844.—29.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Conrad Hess late of Sugarloaf township, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the above mentioned estate, have been granted to the subscriber residing in the township of Sugarloaf. All persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims are requested to present them properly authenticated to
WILLIAM HESS, Ad r.
November 16, 1844.—30.

JUSTICE BLAFKES, EXECUTIONS & SUMMONS,

For Sale at this Office.

CHARLES R. BUCKALEW;

Attorney at Law. BLOOMSBURG, PA. Office South side of Main-st. opposite Eyer & Hefley's Store.

WILL ATTEND COURTS IN THE COUNTIES OF COLUMBIA AND LUZERNE.

LETTING.

PROPOSERS will be received by the Commissioners of Columbia county, at the house of Jacob Demott Esq., in Madison township, on Friday the 17th day of January next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. of said day; for building a Bridge, over Little Fishing creek; near Robert Montgomery's saw mill; in said Township, of the following description:

Stone Abutments 10 feet high from low water mark, 18 feet long; up and down the creek, 4 feet thick at the top and 6 feet thick at the bottom.

Wing walls on the north side, to be 20 feet long including Abutments; and on the south side to be 15 feet long, the superstructure to be a wooden brace Bridge 56 feet between the Abutments.

By order of the Commissioners. E. MENDENHALL, Clerk. COMMISSIONERS OFFICE. Danville Dec. 25—1844 }

List of Jurors.

For January Term, 1845.

Grand Jurors.

Bloom—Caleb Barton, Peter Menach George W Abbott

Catawissa—D. A. Bowman

Derry—William Hendershot, Thomas Morehead, Michael Snyder, Enos Miller, Robert McKee

Franklin—Jacob Shultz, Samuel Shick Greenwood—Daniel Fox

Liberty—John Hopper Mahoning—Edward Morrison, T. S. Hubbard, Sewell Gibbs, David Roberts

Montour—Stephen Lazarus, John Fry Madison—Charles Carnahan, John Moore

Roaring creek—Reuben Faringer, Amos Brown

TRAVERSE JURORS—Jan. 1845.

Bloom—Peter Ent, Peter Hinton, John Shuman, L. B. Rupert

Catawissa—Joseph Hartman, Peter Bodine Derry—Thomas Foster, Esq.

Fishing creek—John Allger, John M. Buckalew, Alexander Kremer, John Henry

Greenwood—Thomas Davis, Jonas Hayman, John Cool, Peter Girtton

Liberty—Daniel Cotner, Michael Shives Mahoning—Thomas Branden, James Gaskins, Joseph Hartman, Stephen Morse, Simon P. Kase, Sharpless Taylor

Montour—Benjamin Hunch, Peter Yohe, Stephen H. Miller

Madison—William Runyan Montour—George Kaufman

Orange—William Whitmyer, John Adenbach, Alfred Howell

Sugarloaf—William Kile Franklin—William Bird

Valley—James Boutman

LAP SHINGLES.

A few thousand LAP SHINGLES, and new TWO HORSE SLED,

for sale, or exchange for any kind of Country Produce. Enquire of the PRINTER.

Estate of MARY FORCE, late of Mt Pleasant township, Columbia county, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, resident in Mount Pleasant Township, in said county, has administered on the estate of MARY FORCE, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby requested to make them known to the subscriber without delay.
GEORGE KRAMER, Administrator.
Mount Pleasant township.
Dec. 9, 1844. 6w34

Estrays,

CAME into the enclosure of the subscriber, about the last of September, one RED HEIFER and a RED STEER, with white faces, supposed to be about two years old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take them away, or they will be disposed of according to law.
JOHN VANCE.
Orange township, December 6, 1844. 24

TAKE NOTICE,

THAT we have this day purchased at Constable sale as the property of Peter Eveland, senior, one clock—one bureau—one iron kettle—5 hogs—2 tons of hay—one black cow—one heifer—one sorrel mare—and grey mare—two sets of harness—one two horse wagon—500 shaves of rye—and one sled, and have left the same in his possession during our pleasure.
DANIEL PEELER
PETER EVELAND jr
Fishing creek October 13 1844 34

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that we have this day purchased at Constable sale, as the property of William Cunningham, the following property to wit: one bay horse one brown mare, set of horse gears, one cow one calf, three sheep, five hogs, one wagon and bed, two harrows, three ploughs one cutting box and knife, one cradle and scythe, one grass scythe, one and a half ton of hay, fifty bushels of corn in the ear, one lot of clover seed, half of seven acres of rye in the ground, half of six acres of wheat in the ground, two sleds, one clock, one lot of rye in the sheaf, one lot of fodder, fifteen bushels Potatoes, all of which we have left with said Cunningham; during our pleasure.
E. & J. LAZARUS.
Orangeville, Nov. 30, 1844.

SHERIFF SALES.

By virtue of a vendition exponas, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the court house in Danville, on Saturday the 18th day of January next, at 10 o'clock A. M. the following property, to wit.

A certain tract of land situated in Derry township, Columbia county, containing

10 Acres,

more or less, adjoining lands of Stephen Brearly and Daniel Musselman.

Seized and taken in and to be sold as the property of William Boyd.

ALSO, A certain tract of land, situate in Derry township, Columbia county, containing one hundred and twenty-nine acres, more or less, about one hundred acres of which is cleared land, adjoining lands of Stephen Ellis, James Johnson, Charles McKee and Jane Glerm, whereon is erected a

LOG HOUSE, A LOG BARN, TWO SHOPS,

and an APPLE ORCHARD. Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Jonathan Lodge.

ALSO, All the right title and interest of the defendant in a certain one story Frame House and lot of ground, situate in Roaring creek township, Columbia county, bounded by lands of Jacob Harner, deceased, and the main road leading from Catawissa to Puttville.

Seized taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Moses May.

ALSO, A certain lot of ground situate in the town of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, adjoining lot no. 71, on the north east, pine alley on the north west, west street on the south west, and numbered in the plan of said town no. 72, being one town lot.—There is erected on the premises a two story frame

DWELLING HOUSE,

a one story COOPER SHOP,

now occupied as a dwelling house, with the appurtenances.

Seized taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of William Kelly.

ALSO, A certain lot of ground situate, in the village of Orangeville, containing one half an acre, whereon is erected two FRAME HOUSES and one FRAME STABLE, lying on main street, numbered in the plan of said town, and adjoining lands of Isaac Kline and others.

Seized taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Charles M'Pherson.

IRAM DERR, Sheriff. Dec. 26, 1844 }

By virtue of a levavit facia to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the same time and place.

A certain one story and a half plank house, situate in the township of Hemlock, Columbia county, on the southern side of the road leading from Bloom, to Jerseytown, near the Buckhorn tavern, containing twenty five feet in front, on the road side aforesaid, twenty five feet in depth, and the lot or piece of ground & curtilage appertenant to the said building, bounded on the west by a lot of Daniel Neighart, on the south by lands of John McReynolds, and the east by land or Vanish Rees.

Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John Wilson.

IRAM DERR, Sheriff. SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Danville, } Dec. 26, 1844. }

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Hon. JOSEPH B. ANTHONY, President of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Court, of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and Court of Common Pleas and Orphans' Court in the eighth judicial district, composed of the counties of Northumberland, Union, Columbia, and Lycoming; and the Hon. William Donaldson, and George Mack, Esquires, Associate Judges in Columbia county, have issued their precept bearing date the 26th day of Nov. in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and to me directed, for holding

A Court of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery, General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Common Pleas and Orphans' Court.

IN DANVILLE, in the County of Columbia on the third Monday of Jan. next, (being the 20th Jay) and to continue one week:

Notice is therefore hereby given to the Coroner, the Justices of the Peace, and Constables of the said county of Columbia, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, with their records, inquisitions and other remembrances, to those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those that are bound by recognizance, to prosecute against the prisoners that are to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance, agreeably to their notice.

Dated at Danville, the 20th day of Dec. 1844 the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-four and in the 68 year of the Independence of the United States of America.

IRAM DERR Sheriff, SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Danville Dec. 20, 1844

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the subscribers, on note, book account or otherwise of over one year standing, are requested to call and settle the same in Cash or Grain, on or before the 1st day of February next. Those neglecting this notice, may expect to pay cost as we are determined to have our old business settled.

WM. M'KELVY & Co., Bloomsburg, Dec. 28—1844.

A FARM TO RENT.

THE Farm on which the late Conrad Hess resided situated on Big Fishing creek, Sugarloaf, will be rented, for ONE YEAR from the first of April next. Said Farm contains about

150 ACRES,

about 75 under improvement, with a good FARM HOUSE

AND BARN,

upon the premises. Conditions made known upon application to

WM HESS, Executor Sugarloaf, Dec. 27, 1844.

Dr. Jayne's FAMILY MEDICINES.

JAYNE'S HAIR TONIC.

This Hair Tonic has produced beautiful New Hair in the heads of hundreds who had been bald for years. It also purifies the head from Dandruff—Cures diseases of the scalp—Preserves the hair from falling out or becoming permanently gray

JAYNE'S CARMINATIVE BAL-SAM.

Is a certain, safe and effectual remedy for Dysentery, Diarrhoea or looseness, cholera morbus, summer complaint, colic, griping pains; sour stomach; sick and nervous headache, heartburn, waterbrash; pain or sickness of the stomach; vomiting; spitting up of food after eating and also where it passes through the body unchanged; want of appetite; restlessness and inability to sleep; wind in the stomach and bowels; cramp; nervous tremors and twitchings; seasickness; fainting, melancholy and lowness of spirits; fretting and crying of infants and for all bowel affections and nervous diseases.

Dr. JAYNE'S TONIC VERMIFUGE

Which is perfectly safe and so pleasant that children will not refuse to take it. It effectually destroys worms; neutralises acidity or sourness of the stomach; increases appetite and acts as a general and permanent Tonic and is therefore exceedingly beneficial in intermittent and remittent fevers and indigestion; &c. and is a certain and permanent cure for the fever and ague.

DR. JAYNE'S SANATIVE PILLS.

They may be taken at all times and in most diseases—In Inflammatory, intermittent, Remittent, Bilious, and every other form of Fever—Jaundice and Liver Complaint. For Dyspepsia they are really an invaluable article, gradually changing the vitiated secretions of the stomach and liver, and producing healthy action in those internal organs of the system.

commonly called 'Impurity of the blood,' also for Female Complaints, Costiveness, &c., and in fact every disease where an Aperient, Alterative, or Purgative Medicine may be required.

JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT.

It always cures Asthma—two or three large doses will cure the Croup or Hives of Children, in from fifteen minutes to an hours time. It immediately subdues the violence of Hooping Cough, and effects a speedy cure. Hundreds who have been given up by their physicians as incurable with 'Consumption,' have been restored to perfect health, by it.

In fact, as a remedy in Pulmonary Diseases, no medicine has ever obtained a higher, or more deserved reputation.

The above Medicine are all for sale at the store of JOHN R. MOYER, Bloomsburg. 86

CIRCULAR.

THE Temperance Associations of Pennsylvania, of every description, are hereby notified, that, in pursuance of the following resolution, adopted at the State Convention, held at Harrisburg, in January last, a State Temperance Convention will again be held at Harrisburg, on the FOURTH WEDNESDAY, being the 22d day of January next, 1845:

Resolved, That we recommend to all the Temperance Associations of this Commonwealth, to appoint Delegates, to meet in Convention, in the Borough of Harrisburg, on the second Wednesday of January, 1845, and that the said Societies furnish the Chairman of their respective Delegations with a Report, embracing the names of their Officers, and the number of Members belonging to the Association, together with any other information they may think proper to lay before the Convention.

It is also earnestly requested that all Associations which do not send Delegates to the proposed Convention, address a Letter to the President of the State Temperance Convention, at Harrisburg, containing the information desired by the resolution above stated; so that satisfactory Temperance Statistics of the whole Commonwealth, may thus be had.

Note—Owing to the meeting of the Legislature on the day preceding the Second Wednesday of January, (the day fixed by the last Convention for the next Annual Meeting) the Central Committee have deemed it advisable to change the time to the Fourth Wednesday, being the Twenty second of said month.

By order of the State Central Committee. Dec. 20, 1844.