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NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of Reuben W. Weaver, late of Bloomsburg, Columbia Co., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned residing also in Bloomsburg. All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make payment without delay, and those having accounts to settle to present them to

NOTICE IN PARTITION.

To John Platt, William Platt, Daniel Platt, Jacob Platt, Johnson Platt, Cyrus Platt, Elizabeth Ann Platt, Margaret McHenry and Frances Strong, children and heirs of Benjamin Platt, late of Pine Township, in the County of Columbia, deceased.
You and each of you will take notice that an inquest will be held at the late dwelling house of Benjamin Platt, late of Pine Township, in the County of Columbia, deceased, on Friday the fifth day of January, 1858, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 6 o'clock p. m., of said day, for the purpose of making partition of the real estate of the said deceased, to such amount as can be done without prejudice to or spoiling of the whole, otherwise to value and appraise the same according to law. At which time and place you are requested to attend if you think proper.

S. H. MILLER, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office,
Bloomsburg, Dec. 14, 1857.

GRAND JURORS' REPORT.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Courts of Quarter Sessions of the peace in and for the County of Columbia:
The Grand Inquest of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania inquiring for the body of the County of Columbia, respectfully report, that they have examined the public buildings belonging to said County, and find them in good condition except a break in the brick wall above the kitchen door, and the ceiling on the porch is loose in places, which is recommended to be repaired; all of which is respectfully submitted this 9th day of December, A. D. 1857.

LEWIS SCHUYLER, Foreman.

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R. F. Clark's Law Office,
Bloomsburg, Pa.
November 18, 1857.

List of Letters

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Persons calling for the above letters will please say they are advertised.
PHILIP UNANGST, P. M.
Bloomsburg, Nov. 18, 1857.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of John Welliver late of Madison township, Columbia county, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned residing also in the said township of Madison. All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make payment without delay, and those having accounts to settle to present them to

JOHN A. FUNSTON, Administrator.
Jerseytown, Aug. 14, 1857.

ESTRAY.

CAME on the premises of Samuel Coleman, in Benton township, after harvest of SEVEN SHEEP,
and remained there four weeks; since that time they have been on the premises of Peter Karns, adjoining Coleman's farm, where they are at present. The owner or owners of said sheep are hereby notified to come forward and prove property; pay charges and take them away or else they will be sold according to law.

PETER KARNS & CO.,
Benton, Dec. 2, 1857.

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SOLOMON D. SNYDER,
REGINA SNYDER, Administrators.
Locust twp., Nov. 7, 1857.
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November 11, 1857.

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RICHARD TORRY,
Oct. 31, 1857.

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JAMES KESTER, Administrator.
Blackcreek, Luzerne Co., Oct. 23, '57.

NOTICE

TO the heirs and legal representatives of Yost Driesbach, late of Roaringcreek township, in the County of Columbia, deceased:

You and each of you will take notice, that at a Court of Common Pleas, held at Bloomsburg, for the County of Columbia, on the 5th day of May, A. D. 1856, the petition of Nathan Driesbach and Samuel Hanck was presented to the said Court, praying that the lands of the said petitioners, situate in the township of Roaringcreek, are now held in mortgage or pledge by two several mortgages, to wit: one mortgage in favor of Yost Driesbach made and given by the said Nathan Driesbach on the 30th day of March, A. D. 1852; one other mortgage in favor of Yost Driesbach aforesaid, made and given by Nathan Driesbach, dated the 21st day of September, A. D. 1852; the first of which mortgages is recorded in the office for the recording of deeds, &c., in and for the County of Columbia, in Mortgage book No. 3, pages 793-4, and the second of which is recorded in the same book, pages 79-8; that said mortgages remain unpaid; and that letters of administration on the estate of said Yost Driesbach have not been granted; and praying the said Court to grant a rule upon you to show cause why the first day of September Term of the said Court, A. D. 1857, why satisfaction of said mortgages should not be entered upon the record by the Recorder of Deeds, by the direction of the said Court; which rule, at the said September Term of said Court, was continued until the following December Term of the said Court: Therefore you are hereby required to appear on the first day of next December Term of said Court to answer the prayer of the petitioner in the case.

Witness my hand at Bloomsburg, in the County of Columbia, this 10th day of October, A. D. 1857.

STEPHEN H. MILLER, Sheriff.

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CHARLES W. HASSELT,
Bloomsburg, June 2, 1857.

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ESTRAY.
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WHITE COW,
with some brown spots upon her neck, head, and horns pointing downwards. Ward five dollars reward will be given for her recovery by the subscriber.
ELIJAH SNYDER,
Centre, October 7, 1857.

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Bloomsburg, July 15, 1857.

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