

# STAR OF THE NORTH

BLOOMSBURG, PA.  
Wednesday Morning, Aug. 19, 1863.

A raw bushel of pie apples will be re-received on subscription, at this office if brought soon.

The weather has been extremely hot for some weeks past, commencing with the last week in July. Frequent showers generally at night, fail to keep us cool.

The article handed us from the pen of E. W. W. on "Improvement of the mind" will appear on the first page of next week's paper. The article is a good one.

Our excellent watchmaker and fellow townsman, HENRY ZEPPELIN, will please accept our thanks for that bottle of superior domestic wine presented us. Mr. Zeppelein understands making a good article of wine. He is one of the best if not the very best of his class in this section of country.

RETURN.—We are happy to announce the arrival home of W. Wirt, Esq., of this place, who was down in North Carolina Swamp and on the Peninsula, serving as a soldier for the last nine months, among the Drafted Militia of this State. Esq. Wirt looks hale and hearty, much improved to what he was when we seen him with his Regiment last June at the White House, on the Peninsula.

Pharmozon.—Wellington H. Ent, son of Hon. Peter Ent, of Light Street, this county, has lately been promoted for meritorious deeds and worth as Colonel of the 6th Pennsylvania Reserve. Col. Entros graduated from first Lieutenant in the "Iron Guards," until he reached the position he now holds, having filled every office from a Lieutenant in his old company to Colonel of the Regiment, which post of honor and responsibility he now fills. He is said to be very popular with his Regiment, and without an excellent young man of fair promise, besides a true patriot and soldier.

We send our paper to-day to nearly all our old patrons, hoping they will patronize it as heretofore. So far we have received good encouragement, much better than we could expect in so short a time. Any subscriber receiving the Star who is not desirous of continuing his support to the paper, will please return the first number. We hope to see but few copies returned; instead of returning any it would be much better for the editor, thereby enabling him to print a more readable paper, if each and every subscriber would send him an additional name. See how many will do this. Try the plan, we are sure you can send us one new name each.

THE MILITIA COMPANIES which were out in the "emergency" from this county, have all returned. Capt. Robison arrived with the "Lowerberg Guards" on the first of last week. Major Knorr also returned, looking well. Columbia county did her part in sending out troops for the "emergency."—Gen. Lee's army was handsomely whipped, driven out of Pennsylvania and Maryland, across the Potomac, into Virginia, by Gen. Meade's army, supported by Gen. Couch's corps. The effect produced upon the rebel Chieftain by the raising of these State Militia was so small matter towards accomplishing a victory for our arms. Gen. Couch had good troops, and with a little drilling and camp experience would have made an effective body of troops, ready for and equal to any "emergency."

THERE SEEMS to be a full in our army at present, hence the lack of war news in the papers. General Meade is having his old Regiments filled up to their original number with the drafted men. The draft will pretty nearly fill up all the old Regiments, that is if the people respond pretty generally and too many of them do not take advantage of the Three Hundred Dollar Act and buy their exemption. Very few are entering the service from Philadelphia City and Lancaster county, the latter place being old Thad. Stevens' strong Republican hold.—The drafted men in these places are paying their Three Hundred Dollars. The draft has passed off quietly in several of the counties in this State. It has been made in the city of Harrisburg, and his some eight Printers in the different offices. The conscription has not yet been resumed in the city of New York, but is going on in the State. When the wheel will be turned in this county we are uninformed.

A DEMOCRATIC MEETING was held on the 8th inst., in Fishingcreek township, near the Forks, which was largely attended and well conducted. Speeches were made by Col. Freese, Col. Tate, and E. H. Little Esq. The meeting was a complete success, everything passing off in a harmonious manner, and the speakers being frequently applauded. The Democracy are alive to the camp-fires of this Fall's campaign are already burning, and threaten strongly of sweeping everything before it. We will elect Hon. George W. Woodward Governor of this State at the coming election by an overwhelming majority. His opponent, Andy Curtis, can not command the full support of the office-holders, jobbers and contractors, who have been and are still faltering upon his appointments. The returned soldiers his party count largely upon; but there is a mistaken idea connected with this count. They had better not build castles in the air for fear they might fall down, on the election day, and demolish the whole structure. Andy has a settlement to make with the soldiers before he can call himself their friend, as he has repeatedly done. We shall pay our respects to him during the campaign in a manner as he deserves.

A LOAD of good dry wood is wanted at this office. Will some one of our patrons bring us a load?

A. J. Evans' advertisement will appear in our next. He has embarked into the Clothing business quite extensively.

Mr. S. H. Miller, of this town, received a lot of New Goods a few days ago, which he will sell cheap for cash or produce.—Advertisement next week.

Our City advertisers who wish to continue their advertisements, will please drop us a line immediately on the receipt of this paper.

Those of our patrons who failed to settle their subscriptions during our absence, will greatly oblige the editor of this paper, as well as do a commendable act, by coming forward and settling their indebtedness to us immediately. We must have our money; we need it. Pay the printer if you wish to get smoothly through this month, say nothing of the other one. We do hope our delinquent patrons will heed this notice, as we do not intend to send a paper to any but those who pay. A word to the wise, &c.

THE PROVOST Marshal of this county has sent his Guards to Try, Pa. The squad numbered about 30 members, all invalid soldiers, gathered together and organized into companies by the Government for the especial purpose of doing garrison and Provost duty. There was no work for them in this county. The enrollment so far as we can understand passed off peacefully. The drawing will take place in a few days, so boys prepare yourselves!

WE MOST respectfully tender our sincere thanks to those editors who continued to send their papers to the Star office during our nine month's soldiering. We will promise to return the favor should ever an occasion offer itself, but do not wish to hear of any of our brother editors being drafted.—Playing soldier behind a goose-quill is more pleasant and much the healthiest! We prefer office drill to that of field, and do not blame any man who can honorably "get out of the draft!" Shoulder, Shoulder! Forward, march! is played out, for awhile with us. We would that some of our most patriotic friends enter the service and try their strength at making forced marches and capturing rebel armies. After serving a term of nine or more months they will be able to explain why Generals McClellan and Meade have been so slow in capturing, or to see a more desperate war, annihilating the whole rebel army, Lee and Davis included. This thing of capturing armies that are well handled is much easier talked about than done.

THE ABOLITION HURRAH was delivered as announced, by Ezra Eves on Thursday last, in front of the Court House, at this place.—The attendance is represented to have not been very large, but the speech is said to have come up to expectations. The speaker no doubt is troubled, as are all the Abolition stump speakers, with "negro-mania" on the brain. It is not a little singular that those leading Abolitionists in Washington have become crazy on this subject of Abolitionism as they have got their hands full with the negro. The African is only in the way and an expense to the Government instead of usefully filling important positions in the ranks of our army. Thousands of these blacks are being clothed and fed by our Government, and not one cent do they earn for themselves or any one else, but remain in perfect idleness. It is true at certain points some of them are employed by the Government, but not profitably.—The same amount of labor would be much better and quicker done by white men, thus making it the cheapest to have nothing to do with the Free American Citizen of African descent. The Southern negro needs his master if you would get much work done by him. The kind of work they are employed at in the South suits them, being raised and trained to it, besides it seems as natural for them to take to that particular labor as the young duck does to water. We mean the cultivation of tobacco, cotton, sugar-cane, and the manufacturing of these productions into merchantable goods. In the hot climate they are of service, at such work as we have mentioned. The African has been terribly disorganized by the breaking out of this rebellion—been induced to leave his master and in many instances his master has left him, making him discontented and miserable, dependent wholly upon the Government for protection and support. The negro slave was much better situated before the war broke out, and any person who knows of their present condition will readily admit this to be the fact.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.  
THE advertiser having been restored to health in a few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered years with a severe long affection, and that dread disease, Consumption is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.  
To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c. The only object of the advertiser in sending the prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.  
Parties wishing the prescription will please address Rev. E. A. WILSON, 81 Williamsburg, Kings co., N. Y.  
October 1, '62.—3m.

THE Confessions and Experience of a sufferer.—Published as a warning, and for the special benefit of Young Men, and those who suffer with Nervous Debility, Loss of Memory, Premature Decay, &c., by one who has cured himself by simple means, after being put to great expense and inconvenience, through the use of worthless medicines prescribed by learned Doctors. Single copies may be had of the author, C. A. LAMBERT, Esq., Greenpoint, Long Island, N. Y., or by enclosing a post-paid address envelope.  
CHAS. A. LAMBERT, Esq., Greenpoint, Long Island, N. Y., May 21, '62.—2m.

## Candidate's Column.

### SENATORIAL.

To the Democratic Electors of Columbia County:  
Friends and Fellow Citizens—Grateful for your former partiality and generous confidence, I would respectfully announce that I will be a candidate before the democratic County Convention for the nomination as a candidate for State Senator to represent the Thirteenth Senatorial District of Pennsylvania, composed of the counties of Columbia, Montour, Northumberland and Snyder.  
And respectfully solicit your support.  
LEVI L. TATE.  
Bloom township, Aug. 19, 1863.

### Register and Recorder.

Upon consultation with many friends in different parts of the county, I am induced to offer myself to the Democratic Convention, and to be a candidate for the office of REGISTER AND RECORDER in and for the County of Columbia; and I hereby solicit the favorable consideration of the Democracy at the primary Delegate Elections. It will be my aim to perform the duties of the office promptly, efficiently and conscientiously.  
JOHN G. FREEZE.  
Bloomburg, Aug. 19, 1863.

### Prothonotary.

To the Democracy of Columbia county:  
Profoundly grateful to you for your ready and generous confidence in my capacity, at the solicitation of many old and warm friends, I am induced to offer myself to the Democratic County Convention, and to be a candidate for the office of PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE COURTS, in and for the County of Columbia. Should I be nominated, I pledge myself to perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability.  
JACOB EVERLY.  
Bloomburg, Aug. 19, 1863.

### Prothonotary.

To the Democracy of Columbia county:  
We are requested to announce to the Democratic voters of Columbia county that JESSE COLEMAN, of Orange township, will be a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, and Clerk of the several Courts, of Columbia county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.  
Orange township, Aug. 19, 1863.

### Treasurer.

DANIEL McHENRY, Esq., of Fishingcreek township, we are authorized to announce, will be a candidate for Treasurer of Columbia County, at the approaching Election, subject to the action of the Columbia county Democratic Convention.  
Fishingcreek twp., Aug. 19, 1863.

### Treasurer.

HENRY BITTENBENDER Esq. of Fishingcreek township, we are authorized to announce, will be a candidate for the office of TREASURER of Columbia county, at the approaching Election, subject to the action of the Columbia county Democratic Convention.  
Fishingcreek twp., Aug. 19, 1863.

### Commissioner.

THOMAS J. VANDERSLICE, Esq., of Hemlock township, we are authorized to announce will be a candidate this fall for COUNTY COMMISSIONER, subject to the action of the Columbia county Democratic Convention.  
Hemlock township, Aug. 19, 1863.

600,000 MALE or FEMALE Agents to sell LLOYD'S new United States colored Map of the United States, Canada, and New Brunswick. From recent surveys completed Aug. 10, 1862; cost \$20,000 to engrave it and one year's time.  
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WANTED—Wholesale Agents for our Map in every State, Territory, Canada, England, France and Cuba. A number may be made with a few hundred dollars capital. No competition.  
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LLOYD'S Great Map of the MISSISSIPPI RIVER—Fronted by Capt. Burt and Wm. Bowen, Mississippi River Pilot, of St. Louis, Missouri, show every man's plantation and owner's name from St. Louis to the Gulf of Mexico—1,350 miles—very sand bar, island, town, landing, and all places 20 miles back from the River—colored in counties and States.  
Price \$1 in sheets, \$2 pocket size, and \$2.50 on linen, with rollers. Ready, Sept. 20th 1862.  
Navy Department, Washington, September 17th, 1862.  
J. T. LLOYD—Sir: Send me your Map of the Mississippi River, with price per hundred copies. Read Admiral Charles H. Davis, commanding the Mississippi squadron is authorized to purchase as many as are required for use of that squadron.  
GIBSON WELLES, Sec. of Navy.  
October 8, 1862.

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June 4th 1862.—3m

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L. T. SHARPLESS.  
Bloomburg, Sept. 17, 1862.

## GREAT EXCITEMENT

### AT STILLWATER.

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The undersigned would respectfully invite the citizens of Fishing Creek and the surrounding country, to his large and extensive stock of Goods, just received from the cities of New York and Philadelphia, all of which he will sell cheaper than here before. His assortment consists of  
Cloths,  
Calicoes,  
Muslin,  
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DANIEL McHENRY.  
Stillwater, May 14, 1862.

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July 23, 1862.—1y.

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General Superintendent.

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JOHN K. GIRTON.  
Bloomburg, May 21, 1862.

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