

STAR OF THE NORTH

THINGS ABOUT TOWN & COUNTRY.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.
WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 14, 1864.

To our Patrons and the Public.

The present high price of paper, labor, printing material and every article entering into our business, has compelled us to look to a corresponding advance in our charges. Hence the undersigned, publishers of the *Star of the North*, will on and after the 1st of September, 1864, make an advance of fifty per cent. upon old rates.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.
One square of eight lines 1 time 1.00
" " " " 3 times 1.50
" " " " 1 month 2.00
" " " " 3 months 4.50
" " " " 6 months 6.00
" " " " 1 year 10.00
Executive's & Administrator's Notices, 3.00
Auditor's Notices, 2.00

JOB PRINTING.
Hand Bills one-eight sheet, 30 or less \$2.00
" one-fourth " " 3.50
" one-half " " 6.00
" full sheet, " 10.00

All notices of public meetings (except of political or religious) must be paid for at advertising rates.
Editorial or local advertising will be charged 20 cents per line. Obituaries accompanying notices 10 cents per line.
All transient advertising must be paid for at the time of insertion.

P. JOHN, Publisher Republican.
LEVI L. TATE, Pub. Democrat.
W. H. JACOBY, Publisher Star.
Bloomsburg, Aug. 10, 1864.

The President's Message will be found on our first page of this week's issue of the *Star*.

The regular December Term of the Federal Court of Montour County will commence on Monday the 18th inst. at Danville.

Who will bring us a Turkey for Christmas? Our coop at present has for its occupant nothing but a lonely chicken! The chicken as well as the cook needs reinforcement.

John K. Gorton sells cheap groceries, provender, &c. at his old stand on Main St. Purchasers can find many articles in his store that cannot be found in larger houses.

Good Fresh Beef can be bought at prices ranging from eight to ten cents per lb. in this market. Pork is some higher! We have heard of sales having been made at fifteen to seventeen cents per lb.

In today's *Star* will be found a pretty full account of the movements of both armies from the date of our last issue to the present. It is not uninteresting.

Henry Giora has replenished his store, at A. B. Erasmus' old stand on Main St. with a splendid assortment of notions, groceries, nuts, candies, &c. He sells cheap. Give him a call.

In our next issue we will publish the late Address of C. L. WARD, chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee. It is an able document, and of the right ring.

Snow fell on Saturday morning last, in this section, to a considerable depth. In consequence of the roads being very rough, more snow is needed to make good sleighing. The wheeling is hard and we observe there is not much of it being done.

Prof. BUZZ C. Belding designs teaching a dancing school in this place, to continue during the winter months—a term of thirteen lessons. He will meet his scholars at the Exchange Hotel, if a sufficient number are raised, every Thursday evening, during the season. His tuition, we understand, is \$5 a term, of 13 lessons.

We would direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement in today's *Star* headed "Claim Agency." It will be found that our young friend, CHARLES B. BANCROFT, of this place, has entered the business of collecting bounties, back-pay, pensions, &c.

SAMUEL SNYDER, the new Sheriff of this county, started to the Eastern State Penitentiary, on Monday last, with a prisoner who was convicted for stealing money at our late Term of Court. The convict received a sentence of one year two and a half months at hard labor and close confinement.

CAPT. CHESTER K. HUGHES, of GRANT'S Army, has recently received a promotion to the rank of Major, in the 143d Regt. P. V. He is spoken of as a "brave officer and soldier." From what we know of the promotion it has been earned through hard service Major HUGHES has a father and brothers living in this place. He is a noble looking officer.

One of the Soldiers sent to this county last Fall to put down an insurrection, as the Abolitionists of this place tried to make the Authorities believe was going on in the north, died a few days since, at the residence of our townsman, HENRY C. HARTMAN. This veteran soldier had been lying seriously ill for a considerable length of time. His name and age we did not learn.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING.—As this festive season is drawing near, the public generally are interested in knowing where they can make the cheapest and best purchases. On looking over the advertising department of our paper it will be seen that Mr. STONNER has not been unmindful of the demands so common and so certain to be upon him this season of the year; but that his Confectionery Store and Bakery is well prepared to meet all calls. He will sell all kinds of Toys, Notions, Candies, Sweet-meats, and rich cakes, at either wholesale or retail. Give his establishment a call.

PUBLIC SALE.

VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY!

WILL be exposed to Public Sale on the premises of the subscriber, in Jackson township, Columbia county, Pa., on **MONDAY, DECEMBER 19TH, 1864,** at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the following Personal Property to-wit:

TWO HORSES,
Two Colts, (coming 2 years old in the Spring). Two Milch Cows, three head of young cattle.

TEN HEAD SHEEP,
7 head of Hogs, (two fat), for killing; a lot of Poultry—ALSO, his entire Household and

KITCHEN FURNITURE,
and Farming utensils, consisting of the following articles—

ONE BUREAU.

One Table, One Cupboard, one clock, Beds and Bedding, one stove and pipe, pots, kettles, a lot of Queens' and Cutlery ware, ALSO, a lot of WHEAT, RYE, CORN, OATS and Buckwheat by the bushel; a lot of Potatoes by the bushel;

GRAIN IN THE GROUND.
Hay by the ton, Straw by the bundle, and a lot of loose straw. ALSO, One

Two-Horse Wagon,
three Ploughs, one Harrow, Cultivators, one Wind-Mill, a lot of Harness, together with a lot of other articles too tedious to mention.

Teams made known on day of Sale. An attendance will be given by
ISRAEL P. HEA H
MONES COFFMAN, Auctioneer.
Dec. 6, 1864.

E. & H. T. ANTHONY & CO.,
Manufacturers of Photographic Materials,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
501 BROADWAY, N. Y.

In addition to our main business of PHOTOGRAPHIC MATERIALS, we are Headquarters for the following, viz—

Stereoscopes and Stereoscopic Views.
Of these we have an immense assortment, including War Scenes, American and Foreign Cities and Landscapes, Groups, Statues, &c., &c. Also, Revolving Stereoscopes for public or private exhibition. Our Catalogue will be sent to any address on receipt of Stamp.

Photographic Albums.
We were the first to introduce these into the United States, and we manufacture immense quantities in great variety, ranging in price from 30 cents to \$50 each. Our ALBUMS have the reputation of being superior in beauty and durability to any others. They will be sent by mail, free, on receipt of price.

Fine Albums Made to order.

CARD PHOTOGRAPHS.

Our Catalogue now embraces over F. Thousand subjects (to which additions continually being made) of Portraits of Eminent Americans, &c., viz—about
100 Maj. Generals, 550 Statesmen,
200 Brig. Generals, 130 Divines,
273 Colonels, 125 Authors,
100 Lieut. Colonels, 40 Artists,
250 Other Officers, 125 Statesmen,
75 Navy Officers, 50 Prominent Women.

3,000 Copies of Works of Art,

including reproductions of the most celebrated Engravings, Paintings, Statues, &c. Catalogue sent on receipt of Stamp. An Order for one dozen Pictures from our Catalogue will be filled on the receipt of \$1.80 and sent by mail, Free.

Photographers and others ordering goods C. O. D. will please remit twenty five per cent. of the amount with their order.

E. & H. T. ANTHONY & CO.,
Manufacturers of Photographic Materials,
501 BROADWAY, NEW YORK
The prices and quality of our goods can not fail to satisfy.
Dec. 7, 1864.—Gmo.

REEVES' ORIGINAL, GENUINE & RELIABLE, AMBROSIA,

FOR THE GROWTH, BEAUTY AND PRESERVATION OF THE HAIR.
[Established 1860.]

Price, 75 cts. per bottle.

This preparation can show living evidences of its excellence.

SEE
Photograph and read certificate of Mrs. Wm. Sutton—hair five feet and one inch in length—used Reeves' Ambrosia about twenty months.

ALSO,
Photograph and certificate of Mrs. L. M. Neil—hair five feet 18 months—used the Ambrosia 18 months.

Thousands are using this preparation and offering willing testimonials.

These photographs, taken from life, have been awarded to extend the knowledge of the merits of this wonderful discovery—Hundreds have seen these ladies and heard the facts from their own lips.

Mrs. Maxwell's Testimonial.
New York Dec. 23, 1862.

Knowing positively that Reeves' Ambrosia produced a beautiful head of hair for Mrs. Lizzie Shepherd, of Brooklyn, New York, I was induced, thereby, to use it thoroughly. I needed something for my hair, it being short and thin—I had used one half dozen bottles when I could plainly notice an increase in its length, strength, and beauty. An experience of about two years has proved a complete success. My hair is now by measurement, four feet ten inches in length, nearly reaching the floor. I have allowed my photograph to proclaim the merits of Reeves' Ambrosia to the world.

MRS. WALLACE E. MAXWELL.

All enterprising Druggists have these Photographs and keep for sale, **REEVES' AMBROSIA** at 75 cents per Bottle.
Druggists who may not have our preparation, will send for it—it applied to. Principal Depot, 62 Fulton Street, New York.
Nov. 30, 1864.—Gmo.

HENRY ROSENSTOCK,
Sky-Light Ambrotypist,
ROOMS in the Third Story of the Exchange Block, (entrance above the Book Store), Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pa.
Bloomsburg, Nov. 23, 1864.

L. LYONS' PURE OHIO CATAWBA BRANDY,

Sparkling Catawba Wines,
equal in Quality and Cheaper in Price than the Brandy and Wines of the Old World.

For Summer Complaint, Cholera Infantum, Bowel Complaint, Cramp, Cholera and Diarrhoea.

A sure Cure is guaranteed, or the money will be refunded.

In support of the above statements, are presented the Certificates of Dr. James R. Chilton, chemist, New York; Dr. Henry Cox, Chemist, Inspector Ohio, Dr. J. B. Nichols, chemist, Boston; Dr. N. E. Jones, Chemist, Inspector, Carleville Ohio, Prof. C. T. Jackson, chemist, Boston; Dr. Chas. Upham Shepard, Charleston, S. C., and V. Z. Blaney, and G. A. Mariner, consulting chemists Chicago, all of whom have analyzed the Catawba Brandy, and commended it in the highest terms, for medicinal use.

Analysis of the Massachusetts State Assayer, Jan. 25, 1858.
When evaporated through clean linen it left no oil or offensive matter. In every respect it is a Pure spirituous liquor. The Oil which gives to this Brandy its flavor and aroma is wholly unlike fish, or grain oil. Its odor parades of both the fruit and oil of grapes. With acids, it produces others of a high fragrance. The substitution of this Brandy for Cognac Brandy, does away with the manufacture of Fictitious spirits, sold under this name both at home and abroad.

Respectfully,
A. A. HAYES, M. D., Assayer to State Mass., 16 Bowdoin St.
By the same, in 1861.

I have analyzed "L. Lyons' Pure Catawba Brandy," with reference to its composition and character, being the same as that produced in past years. A sample taken from ten casks afforded the same results with regard to purity, a slightly increased amount of the principle on which its flavor depends was determined by comparison with former samples.

The indications of analysis show that this Brandy is produced by the same process as most of the imported Brandy.

Respectfully, A. A. HAYES, M. D. State Assayer, 16 Bowdoin St.
Boston, July 20, 1861.

Manufactured only by H. H. JACOB & CO. (To whom all Orders should be addressed.)
Depot, 91 Liberty St., New York.
Nov. 16, 1864.—3m

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!
Toys, Notions and Knick-Knacks!
NUIS CANDIES AND SWEET MEATS.

AT B. STONNER'S BLOOMSBURG BAKERY AND Confectionery Store.

THE undersigned would respectfully inform the citizens of Bloomsburg and the public generally, that he has just received, at his Store, a large stock of ALL KINDS OF CHRISTMAS TOYS consisting of Candies made up into nearly every kind of shape, besides thousands of little notions manufactured out of wood, all of which are gotten up with a good deal of care, and with a view of being very appropriate for the season.

He has a LARGE CASE well filled with NOTIONS, such as Misses' Nails, different styles of combs, beads, buttons, gloves, belts, suspenders.

VAIETY OF SOAPS,
marbles, tops, little willow-work, needles, pins, knives, a good article of spectacles, together with hundreds of other articles, which he offers to the public at very low prices.

Give him a call, as all his efforts for sale are directed in demand on every family.

The catalogues are fast approaching and we know of no better place in this section to obtain a complete supply of Christmas Toys and gifts for children.

B. STONNER.
Bloomsburg, Nov. 23, 1864.

READING RAIL ROAD.
WINTER ARRANGEMENT.
NOVEMBER 7, 1864.

GREAT Train line from the North and Northwest for Philadelphia, New York, Reading, Pottsville, Lebanon, Allentown, Easton, &c., &c.

Trains leave Harrisburg for New York, as follows: At 3.00 and 8.15 A. M. and 1.45 P. M. arriving at New York at 10 A. M. and 2.45 and 10.00 P. M.

The above connect with similar Trains on the Pennsylvania Road, and Sleeping Cars accompany the first two trains with out change.

Leave for Reading, Pottsville, Tanawaka, Minersville, Allentown and Philadelphia at 8.15 A. M. and 1.45 P. M. stopping at Lebanon and principal Stations only.

Way Trains, stopping at all stations, at 7.25 A. M. and 4.40 P. M. Returning Leave New York at 9 A. M., 12 noon, and 7.00 P. M. Philadelphia at 8 A. M. and 3.30 P. M.; Pottsville at 8.50 A. M. and 2.15 P. M.; Tanawaka at 8.10 A. M. and 1.45 P. M. and Reading at 12 midnight, 7.35 and 10.45 A. M., 1.38 and 6.05 P. M.

Reading Accommodation Train: Leaves Reading at 6.30 A. M., returning from Philadelphia at 4.30 P. M.

Columbia Railroad Trains leave Reading at 6.40 and 11 A. M. for Ephraim, Litz, Columbia, &c.

On Sundays: Leave New York at 7 P. M. Philadelphia 3.15 P. M., Pottsville 7.30 A. M., Tanawaka 7 A. M., Harrisburg 8.15 A. M., and Reading at 12 midnight for Harrisburg.

Commutation, Mileage, Season, and Excursion Tickets, at reduced rates to and from all points.

Baggage checked through; 80 pounds allowed each Passenger.

G. A. NICOLLS,
General Superintendent.
Reading Pa. Nov. 30, 1864.

National Foundry.

Bloomsburg, Columbia Co.,

The subscriber, proprietor of the above named extensive establishment, is now prepared to receive orders for all kinds of machinery, for COLLIERIES, BLAST FURNACES, STATIONARY ENGINES, MILLS, THRESHING MACHINES, &c., &c.

He is also prepared to make Saws, all sizes and patterns, Plow-irons, and every thing usually made in first-class Foundries.

His extensive facilities and practical workmen, warrant him in receiving the largest contracts on the most reasonable terms.

Grain of all kinds will be taken in exchange for castings.

This establishment is located near the Lackawanna Railroad Depot.
PETER BILLMEYER.
Bloomsburg, Sept. 9, 1863.

The New York Weekly Herald.

THE CHEAPEST PAPER IN THE WORLD
THE extensive and comprehensive facilities in its possession enables the Proprietor of the Weekly Herald to guarantee the latest and most reliable information possible to be obtained, not only from all parts of the United States, but from all parts of the world.

In home correspondents engaged at very heavy cost, and connected with each naval and military expedition of the government, prove that it is determined to leave no spot unexplored by its operations, and no event to occur that shall not find immediate report in its columns. It costs the proprietor over one hundred thousand dollars yearly to maintain its corps of correspondents in the field.

Its collection of Foreign News the Herald has for years held a high position, and it will endeavor in the future to maintain the stand it has assumed. It has special correspondents stationed in all of the principal cities of the world.

Its telegraphic arrangements extend to wherever the electric wires are stretched, when the Atlantic cable is laid, which feat will soon be accomplished, telegrams will be received from Europe and Asia, as well as from the United States. Then our readers will have the events of the week in all parts of the civilized world regularly and clearly laid before them.

The proprietor devotes a portion of the paper to literature, Fashion, Agriculture, the Mechanic Art, Sporting Matters, Business, Theatrical and Financial Reports, Cattle Markets, General News, and reports of all events calculated to form an excellent metropolitan newspaper—a weekly photographic view of the events of the world—and all at a very low price.

The Weekly Herald is issued every Saturday morning, and furnished at the following rates:
One copy \$2.00 Five copies \$8.00
Three copies 5.00 Ten copies 5.00

Any larger number addressed to names of subscribers \$1.50 each. An extra copy will be sent to every club of ten.

Twenty copies to one address one year, \$25, and any larger number at same price. An extra copy sent to clubs of twenty.

Advertisements to a limited number will be inserted in the Weekly Herald.

The Daily Herald, Four cents per copy. Fourteen Dollars per year for three hundred and sixty three issues. Seven dollars for six months. Three dollars and fifty cents for three months.

JAMES GORDON BENNETT,
Editor and Proprietor,
Northwest cor. Fulton and Nassau Sts. N.Y.
There are no travelling agents for the Herald. 52-11

THE MAGAZINE FOR THE TIMES!
PETERSON'S MAGAZINE
The Best and Cheapest in the World for Ladies!

The popular monthly Magazine will be greatly improved for 1865. It will contain One Thousand Pages!
Fourteen Colored Steel Plates!
Twelve Colored Fashion Plates!
Twelve Colored Book Patterns!
Nine Hundred Wood Cuts!
Twenty four Pages of Music!

All this will be given for only Two Dollars a year, or a dollar less than Magazine of the class of "Peterson." It is Thrilling Tales and Novelties

Are the best published anywhere. All the most popular writers are employed to write originally for "Peterson." In 1865, in addition to its usual quantity of short stories, Four Original Copyright Novelties will be given, by Amy S. Stephens, Louise C. Moulton, Frank Lee Benedict, and the Author of "The Second Life." It also publishes

Fashions Ahead of all Others.
Each number, in addition to the colored plate, gives Patterns, Cloaks, and Dresses, engraved on wood. Also, a pattern, from which a Dress, Mantilla, or Child's Dress can be cut, without the aid of a man-monger. Also, several pages of Household and other Receipts.

TRY IT FOR ONE YEAR.
TERMS—Always in Advance.
One copy, one year, \$2.00
Eight copies, for one year, 20 00
Fourteen copies for one year 20 00

Premiums for Getting up Clubs:
To every persons getting up a club, at the above rates, a copy of the Magazine for 1865 will be given gratis; or, if preferred, the superb engraving (size, 27 inches by 20 inches.) "Washington Parting From His Grandmother."

Address, post-paid,
CHARLES J. PETERSON,
306 Chestnut street, Philadelphia.
Specimens sent gratis, when sent for.
Nov. 23, 1864.

THE NEW GROCERY STORE
[FORMERLY ERASMUS' OLD STAND]
ON MAIN STREET, BLOOMSBURG.

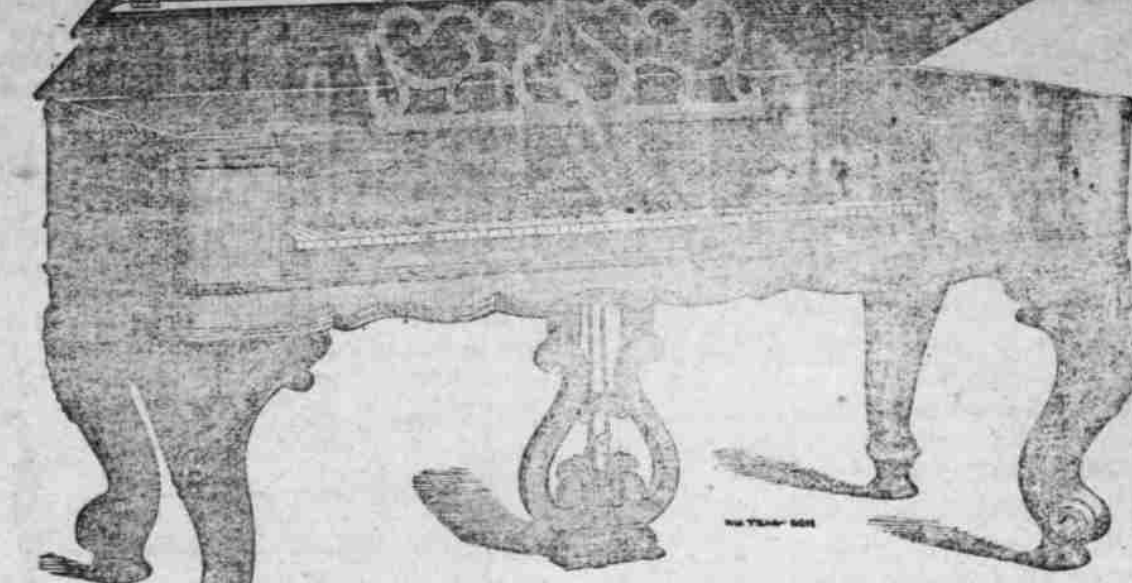
More Fresh Goods.
Just received at Henry Giger's New Store.

MOLASSES,
SUGARS,
TEAS,
COFFEE,
RICE,
SPICES,
HATS & CAPS,
FISH,
SALT,
TOBACCO,
SEGARS,
CANDIES,
RAISIN,
FEED AND PROVISIONS.

Together with a great variety of notions &c., too numerous to mention.

Butter, Eggs, Meat and produce generally taken in exchange for goods.

HENRY GIGER.
Bloomsburg, Nov. 23, 1864.



CPCVESTEN & CO.
PIANO-FORTE MANUFACTURERS,
499 Broadway, New York.

THE attention of the public and the trade is invited to our New Scale 7 Octave Rosewood Piano Fortes, which for volume and purity of tone are unrivalled by any hitherto offered in this market. They contain all the modern improvements, French, Grand Action, Harp Pedal, Iron Frame, Over-String Bass &c., and each instrument being made under the personal supervision of Mr. J. H. GROVETEN, who has had a practical experience of over 30 years in their manufacture, is fully warranted in every particular. The Grovesten Piano-Forte Received the Highest award of Merit over all others at the Celebrated World's Fair.

Where were exhibited instruments from the best makers of London, Paris, Germany, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Boston and New York; and also at the American Institute for five successive years, the gold and silver medals from both of which can be seen at our warehouse. By the introduction of improvements we make a still more perfect Piano Forte, and by manufacturing largely, with a strictly cash system, are enabled to offer these instruments at prices which will preclude all competition.

PRICES:—No. 1, Seven Octave, round corners, Rosewood plain case \$275. No. 2, Seven Octave, round corners, Rosewood heavy moulding \$300. No. 3, Seven Octave, round corners, Rosewood Louis XIV style \$325. A full simile of the above cut.

TERMS:—NET CASH, IN CURRENT FUNDS.
DESCRIPTIVE CIRCULARS SENT FREE.

July 13, 1864.—1y.

FITNAM CLOTHES WRINGER.
THE undersigned respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he has just received from the Eastern Cities, a large assortment of

SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING.
Fresh from the seat of Fashion, of all sorts, sizes and quantities, which will be sold cheap for cash or country produce.

—ALSO,—
HATS & CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

Together with a variety of notions and things too numerous to enumerate, to which he invites the attention of purchasers.

He is also prepared to make us clothing to order, on reasonable terms, and up to the latest fashions.

Call and examine our stock of goods.
ANDREW J. EVANS.
Bloomsburg, April 27, 1864.

Miller's Store.
Fresh Arrival
OF FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

THE subscriber has just returned from the cities with another large and select assortment of

Fall and Winter Goods,
purchased at Philadelphia and New York, at the lowest figure, and which he is determined to sell on as moderate terms as can be procured elsewhere in Bloomsburg.

His stock comprises
LADIES' DRESS GOODS,
of the choicest styles and latest fashions, together with a large assortment of

DRY-GOODS, MUSLINS, CLOTHS, AND VESTINGS.

GROCERIES, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, CEDARWARE, HOLLOWWARE, NAILS, IRON, BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS, &c.

In short, everything usually kept in country stores, to which he invites the attention of the public generally.

The highest price will be paid for country produce, in exchange for goods.

STEPHEN H. MILLER
Bloomsburg, Oct. 12, 1864.

NOTICE IN DIVORCE.
In the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County.

JOHN STINER vs ANNA MARIA STINER
AND now, to-wit: September 5th, 1864, the Court, upon motion of P. S. Richey, Attorney for Libellant, granted a rule upon the respondent to show cause why a Divorce a vinculo matrimonii should not be decreed in the above stated case, returnable at our court on Monday, December 5th 1864. **JOSEPH H. FURMAN, Sheriff.**
Bloomsburg, Oct. 26, 1864.

NEW MILLINERY GOODS
FALL AND WINTER.

Miss MARY BARLEY has just returned from New York and Philadelphia with an excellent assortment of Millinery Goods. She has the very latest fashions and the most approved styles of Hats and Bonnets, together with the most tasteful lot of Ribbons, Trimmings, &c. Give her a call and examine for yourselves.

MARY BARLEY.
Bloomsburg, Oct. 12, 1864.

Administrator's Notice.
Estate of Jacob Kindig, late of Fishing Creek township, deceased.

I, KEETER of administration on the estate of Jacob Kindig, late of Fishing Creek township, Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of Columbia county, to John Wenner, residing in township and county aforesaid. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them to the undersigned without delay, and all persons indebted to make payment forthwith.

JOHN WENNER, Adm'r.
Fishing Creek, Nov. 9, 1864.—Gm 22.

DO YOU WISH TO BE CURED?
DR. BUCHAN'S English Specific Pills, cure in less than 30 days, the worst case of