Challenge—Sunbury & Erie Rail-Road.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24, 1854.

A sharp personal correspondence has occurred between U. S. Senator Cooper of this State, Michael Ryan, Esq., editor of *The North American and United States Gazette*, in consequence of articles published in that paper reflecting on the city subscription to the Sunbury and Erie Railroad as having been obtained by false pretences and misrepresentation.—Mr. Cooper addressed a note asking Mr. McMichael if the language applied to him, Mr. McMichael's reply denied the right to question him, but said he was responsible morally and personally responsible for that as for everything that appeared in *The American*.

Harry Connally acted as the friend of Mr. Cooper. After the reply of Mr. McMichael to Mr. Cooper's letter, the correspondence was conducted by Mr. Connally, who stated that in prosecuting the correspondence further it might be inconvenient to do it here, and desired to know when and where it would suit his convenience to receive a further message.

After consulting his friend, Mr. McMichael replied that he was unable to perceive that Mr. Cooper had any right to invite him to receive a hostile message, and he should not by this example acknowledge himself, as a public journalist, personally responsible for strictures on public affairs, which he claimed the right to comment upon freely and frankly.

BIGLER AND THE STATE DEBT.—Some of the Locofoco editors are making a great blow, for political effect, about Bigler paying a portion of the State debt by the Sinking Fund System! That system, which was devised and enacted under Governor Johnston, does pay a portion of the debt, but Bigler's extensive loans in other quarters for out balances are good it may be able to accomplish. Just look at the facts! Not long ago Bigler had issued his proclamation declaring that the Sinking Fund System has extinguished nearly a million of Public Debt—Well, suppose it has, is he entitled to any credit for it? Not at all. That credit is due to Governor Johnston. And again, suppose Bigler had paid a million of the public debt; it will be remembered that he got an appropriation from the Legislature last winter, of about SIX MILLIONS OF DOLLARS; and getting rid of a million of paying out money for the State debt, we should call no great feat to be commended for. Locos may try some other tack than the State debt to make capital for their candidate. On that question his sheet looks rather dark.—*Lebanon Courier.*

A POEM.—Sidney Webster, Mister Pierces' Private Secretary, was in town last week, when the Maine election news came in. An old and leading Democrat, meeting Sid opposite our office, from which the "stars and stripes" had just been thrown to the breeze, hailed the private Secretary with that meant! "O," said Sid, "it means the Maine election, I suppose." "Well," replied the old Democrat, "I am surprised at the result there!" "Surprised I no," answered Sid, "the administration did not expect any thing!" "Won't you tell me, then, what it did expect?" "Well, I don't mind telling you, the administration do expect any thing!" The question was a poser; and Sid slopped.—*Ind. Dem.*

DEAD SHOT.—Gov. German of Minnesota, is a *terrible* fellow to write for the Minnesota Pioneer. At a recent council with the Chippewas he threatened any of them who should be found drunk, with the loss of their annuities, and said that what was thus forfeited should be divided equally among the sober ones. Hole-in-the-Day, a distinguished orator, remarked in reply, that it was just, but that the same rule ought to be applied to the agent, adding *it is a great man*, and had a great annuity. It might be taken from him and divided up the others, *for he got drunk very often.*

A little boy, only nine years of age, was arraigned before a Virginia county court, a few days since, for driving a team and wagon across the track of the Manassas Gap railroad. He was caught in the act by the conductor of a train, and confessed that he had placed the rail there to see the cars "bounce," as he had previously placed a stone for the same purpose.

ABOLITIONISM IN KENTUCKY.—Rev. John G. Fee, a Presbyterian clergyman in Lewis county, of the most ultra Abolition stamp, writes to the American Missionary that there are now organized in that State twenty anti-slavery churches.—He also states that an increasing demand for Union or anti-slavery preachers and documents inculcating Abolitionism.

The Whig and Free Soil papers of Beaver, Butler, Mercer, Lawrence and Crawford, speak in the most enthusiastic terms of Judge Pollock's reception and speeches in their respective counties.—They all commend his ability, sentiments and appearance, and predict for him an overwhelming vote.

The King of Prussia, sometime since, had a serious fall, and from what is said in some of the papers, he must have had a few scriptural red noses after it. He is undoubtedly what may be termed a fair drinking man. The King of Denmark is similar.

The Bishop of Victoria, describing his late tour in Southern India, says that there, he saw a native Christian, the judge's present, and educated in the Madras University, who gained the prize for the best essay on the evidences in favor of the Christian religion, and who yet remains a heathen!

Herman Blennerhassett, the second son of Harman Blennerhassett, of the island of Blennerhassett, on the Ohio river which bears that name, died in New York on the 17th ult., after a protracted illness. He was an artist of very considerable eminence. The only surviving member of the family of Joseph L. Blennerhassett, now lives in Troy, Missouri.

PARADOXICAL.—Vevay, Indiana, is the only town on the Ohio where a case of cholera has never occurred. There is also a well in the place. The inhabitants use cisterns water altogether. We see this in a late issue of our exchanges. It seems strange to us, that in the absence of any well, there should be so few sick.

POTATO ROT.—A Paris letter says that in several of the provinces in France, people are persuaded that the steam of the locomotives vitiates the air, and specially occasions the potato rot.

WANTED.—An intended bride, who is willing to commence housekeeping in the same style her parents began.

THE STAR AND BANNER.

GETTYSBURG,

Friday Evening, Sept. 29, 1854.

Whig State Ticket.

GOVERNOR.
JAMES POLLOCK, of Northumberland.

CANAL COMMISSIONER.
GEORGE DARSIE, of Allegheny.

JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT.
DANIEL M. SMYSER, of Montgomery.

FOR CONGRESS.
DAVID F. ROBINSON, of Franklin.

Whig County Ticket.

ASSEMBLY.
JAMES L. NEELY.

SHERIFF.
DANIEL MINNIGH.

PROTHONOTARY,
JOHN PICKING.

REGISTER AND RECORDER,
JACOB FULWEILER.

CLERK OF THE COURTS,
J. J. BALDWIN.

COMMISSIONER,
GEORGE MYERS.

AUDITOR,
ABEL T. WRIGHT.

DIRECTOR OF THE POOR,
JOHN HORNER.

CORONER,
ROBERT HOPKINS.

Locofoco Ticket.

Governor—William Bigler.
Judge of Supreme Court—Jer. S. Black.
Canal Commissioner—Henry S. Roth.
Congress—Wilson Reed.
Assembly—Moses M'Clean.
Commissioner—John Dutterer.
Director—Jeremiah Myers.
Auditor—Thomas A. Marshall.
Coroner—J. V. Hendrix.
Sheriff—Henry Thomas.
Prothonotary—Robert M'Curdy.
Register—Wm. F. Walter.
Clerk—Jacob Bashy.

American Ticket.

Governor—Benjamin R. Bradford.
Supreme Judge—Thomas H. Baird.
Com. Commissioner—Bloomfield M. Spicer.

Independent Candidate for Assembly.

WILLIAM B. WILSON

☞We are authorized to announce the withdrawal of Mr. Wm. Wilson, as an independent candidate for the Legislature.

Whigs are you assessed?

☞If you neglect this you may lose your vote. Let nothing prevent you from making a personal application to the Assessor of your borough or township, *at least ten days before the election.* Wm. B. MEALS is the Assessor for Gettysburg.

Whig Meeting to-night.

☞Our Whig friends, and all who disapprove of the present State and National Administrations, must not forget the meeting at the Court-house THIS NIGHT. Let there be a full turnout. Our Congress is doing good service throughout the county. On Monday night, he addressed a large and enthusiastic meeting at Fairfield—Tuesday night at Littlestown—Wednesday night at Gettysburg—last night at Fairfield, at all which places he made a most favorable impression. He is a capital speaker, and discusses the great issues of the campaign with a boldness and manliness that must command popular confidence. Tonight he speaks at the Court-house, after which he returns to Franklin county to labor there until the election. From every portion of the district we have the most favorable advices as to Mr. Robinson's prospects. We will beat Mr. BIGLER badly—but Adams county ought to do the best part of the drubbing. Friends of Freedom—of a Safe of the Public Works—opponents of the Nebraska swindle and Government corruption—turn out on the night and give your candidate for Congress a fair and full hearing.

The meeting will also be addressed by Col. McCURDY, of Chambersburg, and other speakers.

Electioneering Documents.

☞We need hardly caution our Whig friends to be upon their guard against electioneering documents put in circulation by the Opposition. The infamous falsehoods—base appeals to religious prejudice—and gross personalities—under which their presses are groaning, leave no room to doubt the desperate lengths to which Locofocoism will resort to maintain its tottering power. Publicly denouncing Know-Nothingism and courting an alliance with Catholicism—tampering with the Know-Nothing organization, and sprinkling their tickets and Committees with acknowledged members of the Order, to secure its support—we have the same game that was played in 1852, which SCOTT was denounced as a "Catholic" or "Church-burner," just as suited the purpose of those who made the charge—the object on all sides being to secure for Pierce the votes alike of Catholics and Protestants, Natives and Foreigners! As a sample of what the Opposition are now doing in this line, a friend from the lower part of the county last week handed us a copy of an infamous electioneering document of some 39 pages, entitled a "*A few words to the thinking and judicious voters of Pennsylvania.*" We understand that townships in the southern and eastern parts of the county—Mountjoy, Germany, Conewago, Union, Mountpleasant, Oxford, Berwick, &c.—are filled with them. It is mainly devoted to the "Know-Nothing" question—Now the great hobby of Locofocoism—and is made up of the vilest misrepresentations, mistatements, falsehoods, appeals to religious prejudices, by which the Opposition press is now characterized. A more scurrilous, infamous document we never saw put together—Hitherto, indeed, it is that the publisher has not dared to put his imprint to it, and it goes out into the community as a bantling so deformed and revolting that its parents are ashamed to own its paternity! And yet it is by such means alone Locofocoism expects to delude honest voters into the support of their candidates.

Voters.

☞If you cherish your own happiness and that of your families, go to the election, on the Tuesday of October next, and vote a ticket containing the words—"For a Prohibitory Liquor Law."

If you are desirous of guarding effectually against becoming a moderate drinker and drunkard, go to the election and vote—"For a Prohibitory Liquor Law."

If you desire to redeem the poor drunkard, who squanders his scanty means in the grogshop while his destitute family are starving, go to the election and vote—"For a Prohibitory Liquor Law."

If you desire to dry up the tears and shock the heart-touching sighing and grief and despair as the inebriate's home, and introduce sunshine in their stead, go to the election and vote—"For a Prohibitory Liquor Law."

If you desire to save thousands of American citizens annually from plunging into a drunkard's grave, go to the election and vote—"For a Prohibitory Liquor Law."

If you desire to be instrumental in preserving the refinement of society and the morality of your place of abode, go to the election and vote—"For a Prohibitory Liquor Law.

If you wish to protect your father, brother, son, from falling victims to utter ruin, go to the election and vote—"For a Prohibitory Liquor Law."

Look out for "Bogy-backs!"

☞We caution our Whig friends to be on their guard against all sorts of political "cards" between this and the election. But ten days of the campaign yet remain. The dodge of Locofocoism is scaled—Honesty is at this day of Locofocoism—and his friends *know it!* Hence their desperate efforts to turn the tide of popular feeling. You have already seen what they are willing to do. Look out for all manner of misrepresentation, falsehood and fraud between now and the election—These "cards" of political gamesters on the eve of elections are always to be mistrusted—but never more so than at this hour. Look out for them!

EXAMINE YOUR TICKETS!—As there will be an unusual number of mixed tickets circulated this fall, it will be well for our friends to be on their guard. Let every man examine his ticket from beginning to end, before he deposits it in the ballot-box.

Friends of Prohibition,

REMEMBER,—That the great question of Prohibition is to be settled by the votes of the people of Pennsylvania at the coming election. The Prohibition tickets will be printed thus:

PROHIBITORY LIQUOR LAW.

For a Prohibitory Liquor Law.

ALL SWORN.—The anti-Know Nothing pledge adopted by the Locofoco County Convention, has been signed by *all* the candidates on the Locofoco ticket—at least the *Compiler* publishes the pledge with the names of the candidates attached.—And yet it is a common street rumor, believed by everybody, that one of the Locofoco candidates on the Locofoco ticket—at least the *Compiler* publishes the pledge with the names of the candidates attached.—And yet it is a common street rumor, believed by everybody, that one of the Locofoco candidates is President of a Know Nothing Council, that one of the candidates who signed it is President of another Know Nothing Council—and that another of the candidates is a member of the order in good standing. *Vive la humbug!*

A young man, named Edward McDougall, was accidentally shot in the woods at Port Fairfield, Maine, on the 16th inst., by a comrade, who supposed him to be a bear.

Whig Meeting at Fairfield.

☞The meeting at Fairfield, on Monday night, we are told, was a very large and enthusiastic gathering. Hon. JAMES WILSON presided—Hon. ALEXANDER HAYES, Esq., of Gettysburg, was appointed Secretary. The President addressed the meeting in a few pertinent remarks, and then introduced Mr. ROBINSON, who spoke for an hour or more most eloquently and forcibly, advocating the sale of the Public Works, and denouncing the Nebraska iniquity. Mr. ROBINSON is an eloquent and impressive speaker, and his speech on this occasion, as well as at other meetings in the county, has done much good for the Whig cause.

OMISSION.—In announcing the degree conferred at the recent Commencement of the Pennsylvania College, we omitted to state that the degree of A. M. was conferred on DAVID SWOPE, of this place, of the class of 1851, and on Wm. H. MORRIS, Esq., of the class of 1847; also the honory degrees of A. M. on the following gentleman:—Dr. H. E. Muhlenburg, R. G. M'Creary, Esq., S. W. Mitchell, Esq., Stephen Herds, Esq., Dr. Geo. Duck, and Rev. A. L. Bridgman.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—We regret to learn that Dr. John W. SHILDS, of Fredericktick, Md., whilson a running excursion near Emmitsburg, on Tuesday last, met with his death. His dead body was discovered in a fence corner, on the road between Emmitsburg and Westminster, in the evening, by the stage-driver. The gun was lying close by, the discharge having entered his side. It is supposed that in attempting to cross the fence the gun was by some means discharged, producing instant death.

A DISHONEST STATEMENT.—The Locofoco papers are asserting that during the past year Governor BIGLER has paid off, by the judicious administration of the affairs of the Commonwealth, nearly one million of dollars of the State debt. It is not stated however that the floating debt of the State equals, if it does not exceed, this amount. The public debt of our State can never be decreased; so long as the public works are retained to drain the treasury for the benefit of rapacious office holders.

THE WORSHIP OF THE VIRGIN.—Our readers have already been made aware that Pope Pius IX. has summoned a grand conclave of the chief dignitaries of the Roman Catholic Church to meet at Rome, during the month of October, to settle the question whether the Virgin Mary was herself conceived without sin, and thus free by birth from every taint of human impurity and imperfection, and thus a divinity who may properly be made an object of human adoration. Hitherto this doctrine has been received as authoritative part of the Roman creed, and has been stoutly disputed within the bosom of the Church itself; but it is expected by the more zealous adherents of the doctrine that it will now be finally adopted and made obligatory on all the faithful.

EMPEROR SOULOUQE AND HIS ST. LOUIS MASTER.—It is stated that Soulouque, or Faustin I, the black Emperor of San Domingo, was formerly a slave of a citizen of St. Louis, who frequently receives friendly messages from him. The St. Louis *Democrat* states that a week or two since he was pleasantly surprised with the receipt of several bags of coffee and a package of sugar, accompanied by a very complimentary letter from his imperial majesty.

CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE FUGITIVE SLAVE LAW.—The Washington *Star* says that the Attorney General is preparing to carry the Booth case, in which the Supreme Court of Wisconsin decided against the constitutionality of the Fugitive Slave Law, up to the U. S. Supreme Court for final adjudication.

☞The ravages of the yellow fever in New Orleans are increasing. During the week ending the 17th inst., the total mortality was 530, of which no less than 409 were from the epidemic, while the extraordinary number of 100 deaths were from other diseases. This, the papers inform us, is an increase of 46 over the aggregate mortality of the preceding week, which was 484. The deaths by yellow fever averaged over 48 daily.

THE CROPS IN NORTH CAROLINA.—A planter in North Carolina, writing from Edgecomb county, says the crops in that region are 25 per cent. better than 1853. Corn crop fine. The cotton crop was uncommonly good. Sweet potatoes look fine, and will no doubt yield well. The hog crop will be fully an average one, and there is the greatest abundance of peas and pumpkins, in addition to the corn already mentioned, to fatten them in good time.

FREE COUNTRY! FREE SPEECH!—The Montgomery (Ala) Advertiser says of Harper's and Putnam's Monthlies:—"Our people would not for a moment sanction such means as Locofocoism expects to delude honest voters into the support of their candidates.

THE VOTE IN 1851.—Bigler was then elected by a majority of 8,465 over Wm. F. Johnson. The vote throughout the State was as follows:

William Bigler, Dem.,	186,409	
Wm. F. Johnson, Whig,	178,034	
Walter Chaney, Native,	1,869	
Wm. Elder, Abolition,	60	
Scattering,	3	
Total	366,460	

☞Mr. Wm. Frizzle, of Carroll county, Md., had his collar bone broken last week, by his horse stumbling and throwing him.

Barn Burnt.

☞Yesterday evening, between 6 and 7 o'clock, the large brick Barn, upon the property of Mr. JOHN MILLER, 5 miles East of Gettysburg, on the York pike, at present occupied by Mr. HEMLER, was destroyed by fire—the entire contents, comprising the whole crop of the present season, with a large amount of old grain, being consumed. The fire, it seems originated in the mow. Mr. Hemler was in the barn at the time, feeding, and the first intimation he had of the fire, was the alarm given by members of the family from the house, a little distance off. Mr. H. had no light with him, so that the cause is somewhat mysterious; probably the work of an incendiary. The barn was one of the largest and best in the county. It was insured, we believe, in the Cumberland Valley Company.

☞We observe in the Baltimore Sun a letter from Frederick, from which we clip the following paragraph. Mr. BAYUHN was formerly a resident of this place, in connection with the College:

"Billings have been received from Madison, Indiana, of the extreme illness of a young larger of this city, John Baugher, Esq., who accidentally fired a third story of a house in that place. The dispatch received gives little hope of his recovery."

☞Three several State Conventions have been in session at Auburn and New York, during the present week—Anti-Nebraska, Free Democratic and Temperance. The anti-Nebraska and Temperance Conventions nominated for Governor and Lieut. Governor, Myron H. Clarke and H. J. Raymond—the nominees of the Whig Convention. The Free Democratic Convention nominated Mr. Clarke but substituted for Raymond, Bradford B. Wood.—There is but little hope for the Administration in the empire State this fall.

FOREIGN IMMIGRATION.—The New York Journal of Commerce furnishes the following statement, showing the total immigration to that port from foreign countries from the first of January to the first of September of the present year, as well as the number respectively of Irish and Germans:

	Irish.	Germans.	Total.
January,	5,616	8,175	15,514
February,	633	2,703	4,446
March,	1,056	1,441	2,736
April,	12,651	13,371	31,148
May,	12,860	22,916	54,976
June,	5,679	14,301	25,807
July,	7,227	20,731	35,245
August,	8,898	25,672	39,416
	54,548	116,460	209,414

It thus appears that the Irish immigration is falling off, and the German immigration increasing enormously. Last year the latter surpassed the former for the first time, and the above figures show that it is still increasing in the ratio.

☞The steamship City of Philadelphia, which sailed from Liverpool on the 30th ult., went ashore on the 17th instant at Cape Race, the most south-eastern point of New Foundland, where she was totally wrecked. All passengers and crew, 175 in number, being finally saved after the endurance of much suffering and exposure, and a journey of one hundred miles to St. John's, in New Foundland. The steamer and her cargo, which is represented to be large and valuable, is said to be fully insured.

☞The debt of Philadelphia is some $16,000,000, 8,000,000 of which is subscription to railroad stocks in which the city has the deepest interest. The city authorities have advertised for loans, to be taken up in four months, when they have disposed of. The annual city revenue is $3,700,000; expenses $3,000,000; so it is expected a sinking fund to wipe out the debt will be created.

☞Coal of good quality has recently been discovered in Genesee, Michigan, 100 miles from Detroit. Ten thousand bushels have already been taken out, and it is now being mined at the rate of five hundred bushels per day and sold at the rate of ten cents per bushel. This is better than a gold mine for Michigan.

ANTI-KNOW NOTHING.—A Locofoco Mass meeting was held in Washington City, D. C., on Tuesday evening, in opposition to the Know Nothings, but when the vote was taken on the resolutions, the K. Ns. were found to be so largely represented among the Simon Pures that it was impossible to pass it.

☞By an arrival at New Orleans we have two weeks later from California.—There is nothing of importance from the Pacific coast; but from Mexico we hear that Alvarez is in successful march toward the capital, to which place the Government troops were retreating.

☞The Prohibition men of Schuylkill county have adopted JOHN B. McCREARY, Esq., as one of the Legislative candidates. This secures Mr. McCREARY's election, by being also on the regular Whig ticket. The Prohibition men in Schuylkill last fall polled over 1300 votes.

WISCONSIN.—Cadwalder C. Washburn, of Iowa county, has been nominated as the Republican candidate for Congress in the Second District, against Hoyt, Nebraska. The Madison platform was endorsed by the Convention and the doctrine of "Squatter Sovereignty" repudiated.

☞Bishop GARTLAND, of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Savanah, died in that City on Wednesday of yellow fever.

Rev. Dr. WAINRIGHT, Provisional (Episcopal) Bishop of the Diocese of New York, also died on Thursday last.

☞Col. SHIRZ has been nominated for Congress, by the Democrats in the Dauphin District.

[COMMUNICATED.]

County Temperance Convention.

Pursuant to notice, the friends of Prohibition assembled in County Convention on Saturday the 23d inst. Mr. ADAM WERT was called to the chair; R. W. EASHNAW and Rev. R. JOHNSTON were appointed Vice Presidents; and C. H. BUEHLER and WM. B. MEALS, Secretaries.

Rev. Dr. SCHMUCKER stated the object of the meeting, and offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That an Executive Temperance Committee of three members from Town, and one from each Township, be appointed, whose duty it shall be, to publish an Address to the Citizens of this County on the subject of a Prohibition Liquor Law; to procure several speakers to visit and address different parts of the County; and in general to attend to the interests of the temperance cause during the ensuing year.

The following gentlemen were appointed to constitute said Committee:—Rev. Robert Johnston, D. D., Brother, Dr. J. L. Hill, Wm. B. Meals, R. G. M'Creary, T. T. Titus, J. G. Reed, Rev. Mr. Eershaw, Rev. Sheads, James M'Ulmen, Wm. Crouse, Rev. John Ulrich, John E. Felty, Maxwell Shields, Abel T. Wright, Daniel Markley, Jacob Cover, Joseph Wagner, Phineas Rogers, Joseph Dyers, David Wertz, John E. Taney, John R. Hersh, Col. George Lefever, Barnard Biddinger, Henry A. Picking, Wm. Wright, Jesse Cline, Jacob Sterner.

On motion of Rev. Dr. STEVER,

Resolved, That the Committee be empowered to enlarge the number, if deemed necessary, and that five members constitute a quorum.

On motion the Convention adjourned to meet again at the call of the County Committee.

[COMMUNICATED.]

To the Friends of Prohibition in Adams County.

FELLOW CITIZENS:—The undersigned, in behalf of a Committee appointed at a meeting of the friends of Prohibition in Gettysburg, on the 12th inst., beg leave to address you a few words upon the important duty devolving upon the friends of Temperance at the approaching election. It may not be unknown to you that the Legislature at its last session, passed an act providing for an expression of the will of the voters in the Commonwealth in reference to the passage of a Prohibitory Liquor Law. In accordance with this act, therefore, it will be expected of each qualified voter at the coming election, to deposit a ballot either *for* or *against* Prohibition. Feeling convinced that the subject thus presented to your consideration, and claiming your earnest and prayerful attention, is of more importance than the ordinary questions decided at the ballot-box, we respectfully ask you to weigh the matter calmly and seriously before casting your vote. We believe that results the most momentous depend upon the decision which will be made by the Legislature of this State, if the people of Pennsylvania shall give to this question; results in comparison with which the interests of this or that political party are insignificant. It will be a direct vote upon a great principle, disconnected with all other questions, and one of a most unmistakable answer to the interrogatory—"Shall our State be cursed any longer with the traffic in ardent spirits or not?" If a majority of the votes cast shall be in favor of Prohibition, it shall be incumbent on the Legislature to enact a regulatory law, if a majority shall be found against it, the question will be left to the people to make their choice in the ballot-box.

We make our appeal to you, fellow citizens, as Christians, as patriots, as the guardians of the rising generation, as those who have the care of our land and of the country—as Christians, concerned for the welfare of souls and the cause of God—as thinking men, conscious of the terrible evils pressing upon society as the legitimate and necessary results of the Rum traffic—men of every name and party—and urge you to weigh well this important, all-absorbing question.—Cast it not aside as a matter of little moment. Great interests are at stake—interests affecting deeply the temporal and eternal welfare of our fellow-men. The responsibility is great—let us meet that responsibility fully and faithfully.

Everywhere our friends are gathering strength. The reflecting masses are on our side.—Truth and reason are for us. God and Heaven are for us, and who then can be against us?

To the polls, then, freemen of Adams county, on the 10th of October, and vote for Prohibition! Tickets will be furnished at all the election polls. Examine your tickets carefully, and see that the words—"FOR A PROHIBITORY LIQUOR LAW," are there. Come to the ballot-box as many millions will rise up call you blessed.

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The Angel Gabriel Locked up.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 27.—The wild, fanatical fellow, calling himself the Angel Gabriel, blowed his horn in Independence Square this evening, according to previous announcement, and a crowd was gathered to hear him, when the police under direction of Mayor Conrad, interfered, and removed him to the lock-up for hearing in the morning.

ANOTHER RIOT.—A serious riot occurred in Cincinnati on the night of the 25th inst., between a party of Protestants and Catholics, which for a time had caused much excitement in the city, and in feared may lead to further troubles. The difficulty was originated in the attempt to organize a Protestant Sabbath School in the Twelfth Ward, which was forcibly resisted by the Catholic population residing in the vicinity. They took possession of the house which had been rented for the purpose, and threatened death to any person venturing to come in. As you value your own life and property you value the welfare of your son and wish to shield him from a drunkards fate, and your daughter from the misery of a drunkard's wife, as you feel for the safety of society and wish to see the young protected from the wretchedness, ruin, and blighting breath of intemperance, we beseech you to come to the rescue, and aid us in putting down forever the traffic in ardent spirits.

We make our appeal to you, fellow citizens, as Patriots devoted to the glory, honor and good of the country—as Christians, concerned for the welfare of souls and the cause of God—as thinking men, conscious of the terrible evils pressing upon society as the legitimate and necessary results of the Rum traffic—men of every name and party—and urge you to weigh well this important, all-absorbing question.—Cast it not aside as a matter of little moment. Great interests are at stake—interests affecting deeply the temporal and eternal welfare of our fellow-men. The responsibility is great—let us meet that responsibility fully and faithfully.

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RIOTOUS FOREIGNERS SENTENCED.—In the court of Kings county, N. Y., last week, twenty-two persons charged with riotous conduct on Sunday, June 4, were brought up for sentence.—Ten of them were sent to the penitentiary for terms varying from one year to ten days; and another of the culprits, upon whose person a slung-shot was found, was sent to the State Prison for one year. The prisoners were of a party that attacked a procession of Native Americans in Brooklyn, at the time above mentioned.

CROUP! CROUP!!—This awful complaint is immediately cured, by Dr. TOBIAS' Veterinine or Cough Syrup. Sold by druggists everywhere. Depot 66 Cortlandt st., New York.

AGENCIES.—S. H. Buehler, and Samuel Forney, Gettysburg; J. M. Fink, Pleasant Hill; Spalding & Brother, Littlestown; John Bosler, Mt Pleasant; Samuel Fahnestock, Lower Marsh Creek; Jacob Lawver, Mill; Jesse Houck, Butter township; Andrew Cregler, Center Mill; Abel T. Wright, Benders ville; Jacob Pennyf, Middletown; Jacob F. Lemer, Arendtsville; H. W. Whitmore, Mummasburg; Philip Hunt, McKnightstown; Thomas J. Cooper, Franklin tp.; Jacob Mark, Cashtown; Jacob Swanger, East Berlin; J. Martin, New Oxford; J. R. Henry, Abbottstown; September 15—3m.

Chronic Diarrhea.

Colebrook, Aug. 19, 1853

Rev. A. R. L. Myers: Dear sir—I have used the bottle of Pain Killer you left me for Chronic Diarrhea, and found great benefit from it. It is now all gone, and I dislike to be out of it at this sickly season of the year; therefore, I wish you to send me a bottle as soon as possible. Respectfully yours.

MRS. S. T. CARRINGTON.

AGENTS.—S. H. Buehler, Gettysburg; Jesse Houck, Menallen P. O.; Abel T. Wright, Bendersville; Jacob Mark, Cashtown; Spalding & Brother, Littlestown; Aulebaugh & Spangler, East Berlin; Jacob Martin, New Oxford; H. R. Fink, Pleasant Hill.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 28, 1854

FLOUR.—The Flour market this morning was very quiet, and unsettled. A sale of 300 bbls. Howard street brands at $8 50 per bbl. There was no disposition to purchase except at a decided reduction. The stock of Flour remains very light. Wheat.—Prime red held at $2 50 per bbl, but no buyers. Corn Meal unchanged.

GRAIN.—Wheat dull—and with no inquiry to purchase. About 1500 bushels offered, and sales of white, good to prime, at 1 45 a 1 51 for choice do., $1 45 per bushel. Sales of red, good to prime, at 1 35 a $1 45; choice do., at $1 50 per bushel. Corn quiet—About 8,000 bushels offered, and sales of both white and yellow at 90 a 72 cents per bushel. Rye—Sales of Maryland at 1 10 a $1 12 per bushel. Penna quiet—Closer 9 87 a $7, and Timothy 3 50 a $3 75 per bushel.

PROVISIONS.—Mess Pork $16 per bbl. A sale of 300 bbls and tierces not made public. Bef unchanged. Mess pickled $9 per bbl. Sales of Ohio at 7½ a 7¾ cts, sales 8¼ cts, and hams 9 a 13 cts per lb. Lard in bbls 11 cts, and kegs 11½ cts per lb. Butter in kegs 18 a 19 cts, roll 17 a 23 cts per lb, as to quality. Cheese 10 a 11 cts per lb.

CATTLE.—Prices ranged from $3 50 to $5 per 100 net cattle, the top quoted for $5 and 25 sold, and averaging $3 75 cents gross.

HOGS.—We continue to note sales at from $8 12½ to $8 75 per 100 lbs.

SHEEP.—We continue to quote $3 50 per 100 lbs.

YORK MARKET.

YORK, Sept. 27, 1854.

FLOUR, per bbl., from wagon,	$8 50
WHEAT, per bushel,	70 to 1 00
RYE,	65
CORN,	60
OATS,	30
TIMOTHY SEED, per bushel,	3 50
CLOVER SEED,	4 00
FLAX-SEED,	1 40
PLASTER OF PARIS, per ton,	7 00

HANOVER MARKET.

HANOVER, Sept. 28, 1854.

FLOUR, per bbl., (fam wagon)	$8 40
WHEAT, per bushel,	1 40 to 1 60
RYE,	1 00
CORN,	75
OATS,	30
TIMOTHY SEED,	2 00
CLOVER SEED,	4 00
FLAX SEED,	1 25
PLASTER OF PARIS,	7.00

MARRIED.

On the 17th inst., by Rev. J. Sechler, Mr. MARTIN KINDIG, and Miss MARY A. LANLIS—both of this county.

On the same day, by Rev. P. Shaner, Mr. WILLIAM SHIRK, to Miss ELIZABETH ANN HAUSER, both of Adams county.

On the 19th inst., by Rev. J. A. Peters, Mr. WILLIAM E. MAURER, and Miss MARGARET SAPPINGER, both of Gettysburg.

On the 10th inst., by Rev. J. H. C. Doeh, Mr. FERDINAND F. BUCHSWORTH, and Miss SARAH J. SWITZ, both of Gettysburg.

On the 26th inst., by Rev. D. F. Rosenmiller, Mr. WILLIAM H. ROTHROCK, to Miss ELENORA F. FREYBERG, both of Gettysburg, Adams county.

DIED.

On the 14th inst., Rev. ABRAHAM ROTH, Senior minister of the Lutheran church, aged 73 years, 7 months and 13 days.

At Pewa, Wisconsin, on the 24th of August last, Mrs. MARY AGNEW, for many years a resident of Gettysburg, aged 50 years.

At Mount Joy, Penna., on the 25th of August, Mr. JOHN AGNEW, Jr., eldest son of the above, aged 20 years and 8 months.

At Westminster, on the 10th inst., JENNIE, eldest daughter of Mr. Jacob Myers, aged 11 years and 10 months.

On the 19 inst., Mrs. AMELIA, wife of Mr. Benjamin Deardoff, of Franklin township, aged about 25 years.

On the 18th inst., HANNAH C., daughter of Mr. John Kouts, of Franklin township, aged 15 years 6 months and 12 days.

NOTICE.

Isabella Russell, by her next friend Sam'l Bowen, vs. George Russell.	In Court of Common Pleas, Adams co. No. 7, Aug. Term '54.

WHEREAS, Isabella Russell did file her petition for a divorce *a vinculo matrimonii* against Geo. Russell, returnable to the first day of August 1854, and whereas an *alias* Subpoena issued in said case returnable to the first day of November next:—You the said Geo. Russell are requested to be and appear on the second day of the term of court, the 20th day of November next, to answer the petition of the said Isabella Russell, your wife, and to do and receive, if any you have, why she should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony.

JOHN SCOTT, *Sheriff.*

September 29, 1854.—4t

TWO TEACHERS WANTED.

THE School Directors of Hamilton township, will meet at the Public School house in the town of East Berlin, on *Saturday* the 14th day of October next, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of employing teachers to take charge of the town schools.

B. HILDEBRAND, *Sec'y.*

September 29, 1854.—3t

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LET THE FACTS BE KNOWN!

THAT ARM ARNOLD has just returned from the Eastern Cities, with the largest and best selected stock of goods for Men and Boys' wear ever before offered, which he is now making up at the *Old Stand*, where he will be ready all who wish to purchase *CLOTHING* made of

GOOD MATERIAL

and by good workmen, to call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere, as he is determined to undersell any Clothing Store or Shop in Adams county, or Country.

Having secured the services of one of the best *CUTTERS* in the country, he is prepared to make up clothing at the shortest notice and in the best manner. Opposite to Quickel's Hotel.

Friends of Temperance, rally! Sons of Adams! Let your votes be given against the traffic in ardent spirits.

ABM. ARNOLD.

September 29, 1854.

Queensware and Groceries.

ARNOLD is now receiving a large and well selected stock, which he will sell low. Call and see.

Journeymen Tailors Wanted.

☞The Subscribers will give employment to the largest number of

JOURNEYMEN

during the coming winter, if immediate application be made.

D. & R. MARTIN.

September 22, 1854.

TOBIAS' LINIMENT.

FOR the cure of Headache, Cholera Morbus, Toothache, Bruises, Sprains, &c.,—a most excellent remedy—for sale at the DRUG STORE of

S. H. BUEHLER.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

THE undersigned, Executor of the estate of GEORGE TOOT, dec'd, will sell at Public sale *on Saturday, the 21st day of October next*, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the valuable

FARM

of said deceased, in Cumberland township, Adams county, Pa., adjoining Lands of Hugh and Robert M'Caughey, Abraham Kime, the heirs of John Bauer, and other lands of said deceased, containing

156 Acres,

and 92 PERCHES, on which are erected a

LARGE DWELLING HOUSE,

with a Kitchen attached to it, a good stone Barn, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, and other out-buildings. Also a lot of WOODLAND, adjoining the above Farm, containing 14 ACRES and 3 Perches of fine Timber.