RESOLUTION

PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendments are proposed to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, in accordance with the provisions of the tenth article thereof.

FIRST AMENDMENT.

There shall be an additional article to said Constitution to be designated as article eleven, as follows:

ARTICLE XI.

OF PUBLIC DEBTS.

Section 1. The State may contract debts, to supply casual deficits or failures in revenues, or to meet expenses not otherwise provided for; but the aggregate amount of such debts direct and contingent, whether contracted by virtue of one or more acts of the General Assembly, or at different periods of time, shall never exceed seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and the money arising from the creation of such debts, shall be applied to the purpose for which it was obtained, or to repay the debts so contracted, and to no other purpose whatever.

Section 2. In addition to the above limited power the State may contract debts to repel invasion, suppress insurrection, defend the State in war, or to redeem the present outstanding indebtedness of the State; but the money arising from the contracting of such debts, shall be applied to the purpose for which it was raised, or to repay such debts, and to no other purpose whatever.

Section 3. Except the debts above specified, in sections one and two of this article, no debt whatever shall be created by, or on behalf of the State.

Section 4. To provide for the payment of the present debt, and any additional debt contracted as aforesaid, the legislature shall, at its first session, after the adoption of this amendment, create a sinking fund, which shall be sufficient to pay the accruing interest on such debt, and annually to reduce the principal thereof by a sum not less than two hundred and fifty thousand dollars; which sinking fund shall consist of the net annual income of the public works, from time to time owned by the State, or the proceeds of the sale of the same, or any part thereof, and of the income or proceeds of sale of stocks owned by the State, together with other funds, or resources, that may be designated by law. The said sinking fund may be increased, from time to time, by assigning to it any part of the taxes, or other revenues of the State, not required for the ordinary and current expenses of government, and unless in case of war, invasion or insurrection, no part of the said sinking fund shall be used or applied otherwise than in extinguishment of the public debt, until the amount of such debt is reduced below the sum of five millions of dollars.

Section 5. The credit of the Commonwealth shall not in any manner, or event, be pledged, or loaned to, any individual, company, corporation, or association; nor shall the Commonwealth hereafter become a joint owner, or stockholder, in any company, association, or corporation.

Section 6. The Commonwealth shall not assume the debt, or any part thereof, of any county, city, borough, or township; or of any corporation, or association; unless such debt shall have been contracted to enable the State to repel invasion, suppress domestic insurrection, defend itself in time of war, or to assist the State in the discharge of any portion of its present indebtedness.

Section 7. The Legislature shall not authorize any county, city, borough, township, or incorporated district, by virtue of a vote of its citizens or otherwise, to become a stockholder in any company, association, or corporation; or to obtain money for, or loan its credit to, any corporation, association, institution, or party.

SECOND AMENDMENT.

There shall be an additional article to said Constitution, to be designated as article XII, as follows:

ARTICLE XII.

OF NEW COUNTIES.

No county shall be divided by a line cutting off over one-tenth of its population, (either to form a new county or otherwise,) without the express assent of such county, by a vote of the electors thereof; nor shall any new county be established, containing less than four hundred square miles.

THIRD AMENDMENT.

From section two of the first article of the Constitution, strike out the words, *"of the city of Philadelphia, and of each county respectively;"* from section five, same article, strike out the words, *"of Philadelphia and of the several counties;"* from section seven, same article, strike out the words, *"neither the city of Philadelphia, nor any,"* and insert in lieu thereof the words, *"and no;"* and strike out section four, same article, and in lieu thereof insert the following:

"Section 4. In the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and in every seventh year thereafter, representatives to the number of one hundred shall be apportioned and distributed equally, through the State, by districts, in proportion to the number of taxable inhabitants in the several parts thereof; except that any county containing at least three thousand five hundred taxables, may be allowed a separate representation; but no more than three counties shall be joined, and no county shall be divided, in the formation of a district. Any city containing a sufficient number of taxables to entitle it to at least two representatives, shall have a separate representation assigned it, and shall be divided into convenient districts of contiguous territory, of equal taxable population as near as may be, each of which districts shall elect one representative."

At the end of section seven, same article, insert these words, *"the city of Philadelphia shall be divided into single senatorial districts, of contiguous territory as nearly equal in taxable population as possible; but no ward shall be divided in the formation thereof."*

The legislature, at its first session, after the adoption of this amendment, shall divide the city of Philadelphia into senatorial and representative districts, in the manner above provided; such districts to remain unchanged until the apportionment in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

FOURTH AMENDMENT.

To be section XXVI, Article 1.

The legislature shall have power to alter, revoke, or annul, any charter of incorporation hereafter conferred by, or under, any special, or general law, whenever in their opinion it may be injurious to the citizens of the commonwealth; in such manner, however, that no injustice shall be done to the corporators.

In Senate, April 21, 1856.

Resolved, That this resolution pass. On the first amendment, yeas 24, nays 5. On the second amendment, yeas 19, nays 6. On the third amendment, yeas 28, nays 1. On the fourth amendment, yeas 23, nays 4.

Extract from the Journal.

THOMAS A. MAGUIRE, Clerk.

In House of Representatives, April 21, 1856.

Resolved, That this resolution pass. On the first amendment, yeas 72, nays 24. On the second amendment, yeas 63, nays 25. On the third amendment, yeas 64, nays 25; and on the fourth amendment, yeas 69, nays 16.

Extract from Journal.

WILLIAM JACK, Clerk.

Secretary's Office, Filed April 24 1856. } A. G. CURTIN, Sec'y. of the Com.

Secretary's Office, Harrisburg, June 27, 1856 }

Pennsylvania, ss:

I do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Resolution relative to an amendment of the Constitution," as the same remains on file in this office.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the seal of the Secretary's Office, the day and year above written.

A. G. CURTIN, Sec'y of the Commonwealth.

In Senate, April 21, 1856.

Resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, being under consideration,

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the first amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and were as follow, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Browne, Buckalew, Cresswell, Evans, Ferguson, Flenniken, Hoge, Ingram, Jamison, Knox, Laubach, Lewis, McClintock, Price, Sellers, Shuman, Souther, Straub, Taggart, Walton, Welsh, Wherry, Wilkins and Piatt, *Speaker*—24.

Nays—Messrs. Crabb, Gregg, Jordan, Mellinger and Pratt—5.

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the second amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and were as follow, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Browne, Buckalew, Cresswell, Evans, Hoge, Ingram, Jamison, Knox, Laubach, Lewis, McClintock, Sellers, Shuman, Souther, Straub, Walton, Welsh, Wherry, and Wilkins—19.

Nays—Messrs. Crabb, Ferguson, Gregg, Pratt, Price and Piatt, *Speaker*—6.

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the third amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the Constitution, and were as follow, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Browne, Buckalew, Crabb, Cresswell, Evans, Ferguson, Flenniken, Hoge, Ingram, Jamison, Jordan, Knox, Laubach, Lewis, McClintock, Mellinger, Pratt, Price, Sellers, Shuman, Souther, Straub, Taggart, Walton, Welsh, Wherry, Wilkins, and Piatt, *Speaker*—28.

Nays—Mr. Gregg—1.

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

On the question,

Will the Senate agree to the fourth amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the Constitution, and were as follow, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Browne, Buckalew, Cresswell, Evans, Flenniken, Hoge, Ingram, Jamison, Jordan, Knox, Laubach, Lewis, McClintock, Price, Sellers, Shuman, Souther, Straub, Walton, Welsh, Wherry, Wilkins, and Piatt, *Speaker*—23.

Nays—Messrs. Crabb, Gregg, Mellinger and Pratt—4

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

Journal of the House of Representatives, April 21, 1856.

The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, and on the first proposed amendment, were as follow, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Backus, Baldwin, Ball, Beck, (Lycoming,) Beck, (York,) Bernhard, Boyd, Boyer, Brown, Brush, Buchanan, Caldwell, Campbell, Carty, Craig, Crawford, Dowdall, Edinger, Fausold, Foster, Getz, Haines, Hamel, Harper, Heins, Hibbs, Hill, Hillegas, Hipple, Holcomb, Hunsecker, Imbrie, Ingham, Innis, Irwin, Johns, Johnson, Laporte, Lebo, Longaker, Lovett, M'Calmont, M'Carthy, M'Comb, Maugle, Menear, Miller, Montgomery, Moorhead, Nunnemacher, Orr, Pearson, Phelps, Purcell, Ramsey, Reed, Reinhold, Riddle, Roberts, Shenk, Smith, (Allegheny,) Smith, (Cambria,) Smith, (Wyoming,) Strouse, Thompson, Vail, Whallon, Wright, (Dauphin,) Wright, (Luzerne,) Zimmerman, and Wright, *Speaker*—72.

Nays—Messrs. Augustine, Barry, Clover, Cobourn, Dock, Fry, Fulton, Gaylord, Gibboney, Hamilton, Hancock, Housekeeper, Huncker, Leisenring, Magee, Manley, Morris, Mumma, Patterson, Salisbury, Smith (Philadelphia,) Walter, Wintrode and Yearsley—24.

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the second amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken and were as follow, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Backus, Baldwin, Ball, Beck, (Lycoming,) Beck, (York,) Bernhard, Boyd, Brown, Brush, Buchanan, Caldwell, Campbell, Carty, Craig, Fausold, Foster, Getz, Hamel, Harper, Heins, Hibbs, Hill, Hilligas, Hipple, Holcomb, Hunsecker, Imbrie, Ingham, Innis, Irwin, Johns, Johnson, Laporte, Lebo, Longaker, Lovett, M'Calmont, M'Carthy, M'Comb, Maugle, Menear, Miller, Montgomery, Moorhead, Nunnemacher, Orr, Pearson, Purcell, Ramsey, Reed, Reinhold, Riddle, Roberts, Shenk, Smith, [Allegheny,] Strouse, Vail, Whallon, Wright, [Luzerne,] Zimmerman and Wright, *Speaker*—63.

Nays—Messrs. Augustine, Barry, Clover, Edinger, Fry, Fulton, Gaylord, Gibboney, Hamilton, Hancock, Huncker, Leisenring, Magee, Manley, Morris, Mumma, Patterson, Phelps, Salisbury, Smith, [Cambria,] Thompson, Walter, Wintrode, Wright[Dauphin] and Yearsley—25.

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the third amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken, and were as follow, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Backus, Baldwin, Ball, Beck, [Lycoming,] Beck, [York,] Bernhard, Boyd, Boyer, Brown, Buchanan, Caldwell, Campbell, Carty, Craig, Crawford, Edinger, Fausold, Foster, Fry, Getz, Haines, Hamel, Harper Heins, Hibbs, Hill, Hillegas, Hipple, Holcomb, Housekeeper, Imbrie, Ingham, Innis, Irwin, Johns, Johnson, Laporte, Lebo, Longaker, Lovett, M'Calmont, M'Comb, Maugle, Menear, Miller, Montgomery, Nunnemacher, Orr, Pearson, Phelps, Purcell, Ramsey, Reed, Riddle, Shenk, Smith, [Allegheny,] Smith, [Cambria,] Smith, [Wyoming,] Thompson, Whallon, Wright, [Dauphin,] Wright, [Luzerne,] and Zimmerman—64.

Nays—Messrs. Barry, Clover, Cobourn, Dock, Dowdall, Fulton, Gaylord, Gibboney, Hamilton, Hancock, Huncker, Leisenring, M'Carthy, Magee, Manley, Moorhead, Morris, Patterson, Reinhold, Roberts, Salisbury, Walter, Wintrode, Yearsley and Wright, *Speaker*—25.

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the fourth amendment?

The yeas and nays were taken, and were as follow, viz:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Backus, Ball, Beck, [Lycoming,] Beck, [York,] Bernhard, Boyd, Boyer, Brown, Brush, Buchanan, Caldwell, Campbell, Carty, Craig, Crawford, Dowdall, Edinger, Fausold, Foster, Fry, Getz, Hamel, Harper, Heins, Hibbs, Hill, Hillegas, Hipple, Holcomb, Housekeeper, Hunsecker, Imbrie, Innis, Irwin, Johnson, Laporte, Lebo, Longaker, Lovett, M'Calmont, M'Carthy, M'Comb, Maugle, Menear, Miller, Montgomery, Moorhead, Nunnemacher, Orr, Pearson, Phelps, Purcell, Ramsey, Reed, Reinhold, Riddle, Roberts, Shenk, Smith, [Cambria,] Smith, [Wyoming,] Thompson, Vail, Walter, Whallon, Wright, [Luzerne] Yearsley, Zimmerman and Wright, *Speaker*—69.

Nays—Messrs. Barry, Clover, Cobourn, Fulton, Gibboney, Haines, Hancock, Huncker, Ingham, Leisenring, Magee, Manley, Morris, Patterson, Salisbury, and Wintrode—16.

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

Secretary's Office, Harrisburg, June 27, 1856. }

Pennsylvania, ss:

I do certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the "Yeas" and "Nays" taken on the Resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth for the session of 1856.

Witness my hand and the seal of said office, this twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

A. G. CURTIN, Sec'y of the Commonwealth.

Professional Cards.

Dr. J. Lawrence Hill,
DENTIST,

OFFICE in Chambersburg street one door West of the Lutheran Church, nearly opposite Grammer's store, where he may be found ready and willing to attend to any case within the province of the Dentist. Persons in want of full sets of teeth are invited to call.

REFERENCES.
Dr. C. N. Berluchy, " D. Horner, " H. S. Huber, " D. Gilbert, Rev. R. Johnson, | Rev. C. P. Krauth, D. D., Prof. M. Jacobs, " H. L. Baugher, " H. A. Muhlenberg, " M. L. Stoever.
July 4, 1848

DAVID A. BUEHLER,
Attorney at Law,

WILL promptly attend to Collections and all other business entrusted to his care. ☞ Office in the Diamond, adjoining the Store of A. B. Kurtz.
Gettysburg, Pa., Feb. 1, 1856.

EDWARD B. BUEHLER,
Attorney at law.

WILL faithfully and promptly attend to all business entrusted to him. *He speaks the German language. Office at the same place, in South Baltimore street, near Forney's Drug Store, and nearly opposite Danner & Ziegler's Store.*

WM. B. M'CLELLAN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
and Prosecuting Attorney.

OFFICE on the South side of the Public Square, two doors West of the "Sentinel" Office.
March 28, 1856.

D. M'CONAUGHY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
(Office removed to one door West of Buehler's Drug & Book-Store, Chambersburg street.)
Attorney and Solicitor for
Patents and Pensions,

Bounty Land Warrants, Back-Pay suspended Claims, and all other claims against the Government at Washington, D. C.; also American claims in England. Land Warrants located and sold, or bought, and highest prices given.

Lands for sale in Iowa, Illinois, and other Western States; and Agents engaged locating Warrants there.

☞Apply to him personally or by letter.

DAVID WILLS,
Attorney at Law,

HAS taken Mr. STEVENSON'S office North West Corner of Centre Square.

REFERENCE.—Hon. Thaddeus Stevens, Esq., Lancaster.

W. L. CAMPBELL,
Attorney at Law,

OFFICE on Chambersburg street, Gettysburg, two doors from Geo. Arnold's store, will attend to filing claims for BOUNTY LAND, under the late Acts of Congress, *Pensions, &c.* All business entrusted to his hands will receive prompt attention.

NEW HARDWARE STORE.

THE Subscribers would respectfully announce to their friends and the public, that they have opened a NEW HARDWARE STORE in Baltimore st., adjoining the residence of DAVID ZIEGLER, Gettysburg, in which they are opening a large and general assortment of

HARDWARE, IRON, STEEL,
GROCERIES,
Cutlery and Coach Trimmings,
Springs, Axles, Saddlery,
Cedar Ware, Shoe Findings,
Paints, Oils, & Dyestuffs,

in general, including every description of articles in the above line of business—to which they invite the attention of Coachmakers, Blacksmiths, Carpenters, Cabinetmakers, Shoemakers, Saddlers, and the public generally.

Our stock having been selected with great care and purchased for Cash, we guarantee, (for the Ready Money,) to dispose of any part of it on as reasonable terms as they can be purchased any where.

We particularly request a call from our friends, and earnestly solicit a share of public favor, as we are determined to establish a character for selling Goods at low prices and doing business on fair principles.

JOEL B. DANNER,
DAVID ZIEGLER.
Gettysburg, June 13, 1851.—tf.

100 BOXES BEST CONGRESS TOBACCO, in store and for sale by WM. BUEHLER,
No. 157 Franklin street

FAM AT PRIVATE SALE.

THE above Farm is situated about three-fourths of a mile south of Gettysburg, and contains about 44 acres of land. The improvements are a double log and frame HOUSE, weather-boarded, and a large brick bank BARN, and other out-buildings; two wells of water near the house, with pumps in. There is an excellent thriving ORCHARD, with choice fruit, and a variety of other fruit, consisting of Peaches, Cherries, &c. For further particulars apply to the subscriber in Gettysburg.

☞There are also Fifty Acres of Land adjoining the above property, that can be bought at a fair price.
Aug. 15.—6t   A. COBEAN.

Gentlemen's Wear.

CLOTHS, Cassimeres, Vestings, and Shawls, a large supply, to which the attention of all is invited. *If you desire to save money buy at* FAHNESTOCKS.

LADIES—Do you want a pretty dress, bareges, some shawl, or any new style ribbons, articles in our line? *If so you can find the latest styles, and most approved patterns at the cheap store of* FAHNESTOCK'S.

☞Blanks of all kinds for sale at this office.

BOOKS- STATIONERY, DRUGS & MEDICINES.

Increased Assortment.

A. D. BUEHLER has added to his former stock of Goods an unusually large assortment of Classical, School and Miscellaneous

BOOKS,

embracing all the text Books used in the College, Common Schools, and standard Classic authors, with the recent popular publications, constituting a larger assortment than ever before opened in Gettysburg. Also

STATIONERY

of all kinds; Cap, Letter and Note Paper, of the best quality, Envelopes, Gold Pens and Pencils, Pen-Knives, &c., with a large assortment of

Fancy Goods,

to which he invites attention, being prepared to sell at unusually low prices.

☞He has also largely increased his stock of—

Drugs and Medicines,

which can be relied upon as the best in the market.

☞Arrangements have been effected by which any article in his line of business can be promptly ordered from the city.
Gettysburg, Nov. 2, 1855.

AUCTION!

On Tuesday and Wednesday, 28th and 29th of October next,

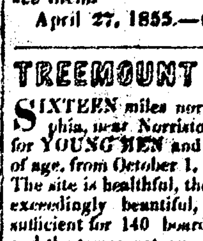
COMMENCING at 10 o'clock, A. M., of each day, the subscriber intending to quit business and remove to the West, will sell at public auction, at his store, at Flohr's church, in Franklin township, his entire stock of STORE GOODS. Persons desiring to make cheap purchases, will find it to their advantage to call, as goods will be sold at cost until the day of sale.

Also, at the same place, *on Thursday the 30th of October,* he will sell his household and kitchen furniture, including tables, chairs, bureaus, bedsteads, cupboards, stands, hathaway cook-stove, kettles, &c. Also a good milch cow.

Attendance will be given and terms made known on day of sale by
J. CALVIN COVER.
Sept. 23, 1856.

TAILORING.

Removed a few doors South of the old Stand.



J. H. SKELLY respectfully informs his old customers and the public generally, that he continues the TAILORING BUSINESS, at his new stand in South Baltimore Stree, where he will be happy to accommodate all who may patronize him. All work entrusted to his care warranted to fit and be of most substantial make. Thankful for past favors, he solicits a continuance of public patronage.

☞*The New York Spring and Summer FASHIONS are received.* Call and see them.
April 27, 1855.—tf

TREEMOUNT SEMINARY,

SIXTEEN miles north-west from Philadelphia, near Norristown, Pa., will be open for YOUNG MEN and BOYS above 14 years of age, from October 1, 1856, till June 1, 1857. The site is healthful, the surrounding prospect exceedingly beautiful, the accommodations sufficient for 140 boarders and 200 students, and the terms not exorbitant. The range of studies is extensive, the teachers experienced and able, and every reasonable effort is made to promote the physical, intellectual and moral welfare of the scholars. A Circular will be sent to order, with particulars and references if desired. SAMUEL AARON, *Principal*,
Norristown, Pa.
Aug. 29, 11856.—4m.

PROVISION HOUSE.

THE undersigned would respectfully announce to the Citizens of Gettysburg, that he has opened a Provision House in the room formerly occupied by Mr. J. J. Brinkerhoff in Baltimore street, nearly opposite the Star Office, where he will have constantly on hand—Flour, Feed, Groceries, Butter, Eggs, Lard, Cheese, Bacon, Chickens, Potatoes, Apples, Fruit of all kinds, Confections, &c.
WM. REEVER.
Aug. 29, 1856.—1y

15 HHDS. KENTUCKY LEAF TOBACCO, 20 Bales Havana, 25 do Sagua, 20 do St. Jago, 20 Cases Seed Leaf; Just received and for sale by
WM. BUEHLER,
No. 157 Franklin street.
Nov. 24, 1854.

SPOUTING! SPOUTING!

GEORGE and Henry Wampler will Make House Spouting and put up the same low, for cash or country produce. Farmers and all others wishing their houses, Barns, &c. spouted, would do well to give them a call.
G. & H. WAMPLER.

Flour for Sale.

IF you want a good barrel of Flour, call at HOKE'S STORE, as he has made arrangements to have always the best, which he will sell at 25 cents advance.
JOHN HOKE.
May 2, 1856.

Farm for Sale or Rent.

THE undersigned, desiring to relinquish Farming, will sell at Private Sale, on reasonable terms, the FARM on which he resides, about one mile from Gettysburg, on the Millerstown road, containing about **120 Acres**, with improvements.
☞If not sold, the Farm will be for RENT.
For terms apply to   J. N. BURKET.
Sep. 19, 1856.—tf

Notice to Assessors.

THE Assessors elected at the last Spring election are hereby notified to attend at the Commissioner's Office in the Borough of Gettysburg, to receive Blank Assessment Duplicates, and the necessary instructions as follows:—The Assessors for Union, Conowago, Berwick, Oxford, Hamilton, Reading, Mountpleasant, Germany, Straban and Mountjoy, will attend on *Wednesday the 15th of October next*, and the Assessors for the Borough, Cumberland, Freedom, Liberty, Hamiltonban, Franklin, Butler, Menallen, Tyrone, Huntington and Latimore, will attend on *Thursday, October 16, 1856.*
By order of Commissioners,
J. AUGHINBAUGH, *Clerk.*
Sept. 19, 1856.

OAKLAND NURSERY.

THIS Nursery is about ½ mile to the west of Gettysburg, where the various kinds of FRUIT TREES are cultivated and for sale by   D. M'MILLAN *Proprietor.*
Sep. 5, 1856.—6t

PARASOLS, Umbrellas, Fans—stacks of them—at   SCHICK'S.

Philadelphia Advertisements

FIRE PROOFS!

THE SALAMANDER SAFES OF PHILADELPHIA AGAINST THE WORLD!

EVANS & WATSON, No. 26 South Fourth street, Philadelphia, have had the surest demonstration in the following certificates that their manufacture of Salamander Safes has at length fully warranted the representations which have been made of them, as rendering an undoubted security against the terrific element:

PHILADELPHIA, April 12, 1856.
MESSRS. EVANS & WATSON:—Gents—It affords us the highest satisfaction to state to you that owing to the very protective qualities of two of the Salamander Safes which we purchased of you some months since, we saved a large portion of our jewelry, books, papers, &c., exposed to the calamitous fire in Ranstead Place, on the morning of the 11th instant.

When we reflect that these Safes were located in the fourth story of the building we occupied, and that they fell subsequently into a heap of burning ruins, where the vast concentration of heat caused the brass plates to melt, we cannot but regard the preservation of the valuable contents as most convincing proof of the great security afforded by your Safes.

We shall take much pleasure in recommending them to men of business as a sure reliance against the fire.
GEO. W. SIMONS & BRO.

PHILADELPHIA, April 12, 1856.
MESSRS. EVANS & WATSON:—I have to offer you my testimony in favor of the great security afforded to my entire stock of jewelry, books, papers, &c., during the recent disastrous conflagration in Ranstead Place, from the fact that the same were contained in two of the Salamander Safes manufactured by you.

Having fallen from the fifth story of the Artisan building, where they were previously placed, and exposed to a vast heat for a long time, the preservation of the valuable deposits seemed to every one who witnessed the opening and interior examination, a matter of profound astonishment.

To all who may require a perfect protection from the ravages of fire, I shall not hesitate to recommend the use of your Safes, as I consider they have now undergone the most trying test.   N. E. MORGAN.

PHILADELPHIA, April 12, 1856.
MESSRS. EVANS & WATSON:—Gentlemen—No doubt you will be deeply gratified to learn the good condition in which I discovered my book, policy of insurance, certificates of stock, and other valuable documents, when on Friday last I opened the Safe made by your firm.

With my knowledge of its great exposure both to the intensity of the heat from so hot a fire, as that which destroyed the Artisan building, as also from the force of the fall from its former elevated position in the third story, I could entertain but slender hopes prior to its interior inspection, that the contents which I once so highly prized would ever be of any service to me, but as these fears are now happily removed, I feel it only due to say to you, that I can henceforth recommend the use of your Safes to all who may wish to feel a confidence in the perfect security which such means provides against so frightful an element.
EDWARD GASKILL, Bookbinder.

Constantly on hand Patent Powder and Thief Proof Locks for Banks, Stores, &c.
April 25, 1856.—1y

"Philadelphia Advertisement."

EVANS FIRE AND THIEF PROOF SAFES!!

FOR Merchants, Lawyers, Farmers and Others, having *Books, Papers or other valuables*, to preserve from FIRE or BURGLARS. Day & Newell's (Hobb's) BANK LOCKS.

A CARD.—THE "FIRE PROOF SAFE," that preserved our *Books, Papers, &c.*, during the Great Fire at Hart's Buildings,' was purchased of OLIVER EVANS, 61 S. 2nd., St. Philad'a.   GETZ & BUCK.

"REFRIGERATORS & AND WATER FILTERS."

EVANS' Premium Ventilated Refrigerators for cooling and preserving *meats, butter, milk, water* and all articles for culinary purposes.

WATER FILTERS, for purifying *brackish* or *muddy* water, whether effected by rains, limestone, marl or other causes; can be had separate or attached to the Refrigerators—a small quantity of Ice cooling the whole, in the warmest weather.

PORTABLE SHOWER BATHS, for the use of *warm or cold* water.

WATER COOLERS, for Hotels, Stores & Dwellings.

STORE TRUCKS, for moving *boxes, bales, &c.*

SEAL PRESSES, COPYING do., DRUGGIST do.
OLIVER EVANS
No. 61. S. Second-st., (2 doors below Chesnut.)
(ESTABLISHED in 1835.)
Feb. 8, 1856.—1y

H. BYRAM.]   [T. MAY PIERCE.

FREE OF CHARGE!!!

TWO SPLENDID PARLOR ENGRAVINGS, entitled "Bolton Abbey in the Olden Times," a splendid steel engraving, from the celebrated painting by Landseer, and the "Departure of the Israelites from Egypt," a large and beautiful engraving from a painting by D. Roberts. The retail price of the above engravings is $3 per copy, but will be sent *free of charge* as follows:

The subscribers have established a BOOK AGENCY in Philadelphia, and will furnish any book or publication at the retail price free of postage. Any persons by forwarding the subscription price of any of the $3 Magazines, such as Harper's, Gody's, Putnam's, Graham's, Frank Leslie's Fashions, &c., will receive the Magazines for one year and a copy of either of the above beautiful engravings, free of charge, or if subscribing to a $2, and a $1, Magazine, such as Peterson's, and Challen's Ladies' Christian Annual, they will receive both Magazines and a copy of either of the above engravings.

Every description of engraving on wood executed with neatness and despatch. Views of buildings, newspaper headings, views of machinery, book illustrations, lodge certificates, business cards, &c. All orders sent by mail promptly attended to. Persons wishing views of their buildings engraved can send a daguerreotype or sketch of the building by mail or express.

Persons at a distance having saleable articles would find it to their advantage to address the subscribers, as we would act as agents for the sale of them.
BYRAM & PIERCE,
50 *South Third-st., Philadelphia.*
Nov. 30, 1855.—1y

HEERRING'S SAFE
AGAIN
THE CHAMPION!!

The only Safe which in every instance preserved their entire contents in the late extensive Fires.

AT the burning of the Artizan Buildings, April 10th, and in the GREAT FIRE in Market Street, May 1st, 1856, the genuine HERRING SAFE preserved the jewellery of Geo. W. Simons & Bro.; Books, Papers &c, of Fisher & Bro. and Edward Semans & Co., after remaining exposed to the burning ruins for nearly FORTY HOURS, and proving conclusively what we have always claimed for them their great superiority over all securities now known.

In these fires, the HERRING'S SAFE, standing side by side with those advertised as "warranted to stand 10 per cent. more fire than Herrings," came forth the acknowledged victor, not only preserving their contents in excellent order, but being themselves in a condition to go through another ordeal, while the boasted "Salamanders" of other makers were badly used up in every instance, and in some cases their entire contents completely destroyed.

To the public we would simply say, that, during the 14 years that Herring's Safe has been before them, more than two hundred have passed through accidental fires without the occurrence of a single loss.

We would, therefore, caution purchasers against the misrepresentation of interested parties. The Herring's Patent is the only Fire-proof Safe made in this city which is protected by a Patent Right, and we will guarantee it to resist more than double the amount of heat of any other Safe now known.

FARRELS & HERRING,
Sole Manufacturers in this State of "HERRING'S PATENT CHAMPION SAFES,"
34 *Walnut St. Philadelphia.*

N. B.—"Evans & Watson's Improved Salamanders," "Oliver Evan's," "C. J. Gayler's," and "Scott's Abestos," Iron Chests, (a large assortment having been taken in part payment for "Herring's,") will be sold at low prices.
June 13, 1856.—1y

NEW WHOLESALE
DRUG STORE.

N. SPENCER THOMAS, No. 26 South Second street, Philadelphia, Importer, Manufacturer, and Dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Chemicals, Acids, Dye Stuffs, Paints, Oils, Colors, White Lead, French and American White Zinc, Window Glass, Glassware, Varnishes, Brushes, Instruments, Ground Spices, Whole Spices, and all other articles usually kept by Druggists, including Borax, Indigo, Glue, Shellac, Potash, &c., &c., &c.—All orders by mail or otherwise promptly attended to. Country Merchants are invited to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. Goods sent to any of the wharves or railroad stations. Prices low and goods warranted.
March 7, 1856.—1y.

DIAMOND TONSOR.

JOHN W. TIPTON, *Fashionable Barber and Hair Dresser*, can at all times be found prepared to attend to the calls of the people, at the Temple, in the Diamond, adjoining the County Building. From long experience, he flatters himself that he can go through all the ramifications of the

Tonsorial Department

with such an infinite degree of skill, as will meet with the entire satisfaction of all who may submit their chins to the keen odeal of his razors. He hopes therefore, that by his attention to business, and a desire to please, he will merit as well as receive, a liberal share of public patronage. The sick will be attended to at their private dwellings.

THE LADIES' STORE.

A NEW SUPPLY OF FANCY GOODS!

MISS M'CLELLAN

HAS just returned from the city with a very large stock of

MILLINERY & FANCY GOODS,

to which she would invite the attention of her friends and the public, believing that an examination will satisfy them that her Goods are the best selected and most fashionable as well as the cheapest ever offered in this place. The assortment comprises

Cashmeres,
Silks, De Lanes,
Ginghams, alicoes, De
Bage, oburg loths, Muslin, Linnen, Sack Flannels, Bonnets and Bonnet Trimmings, Satins, Ladies' Dress Trimmings, Velvets, Artificials, Black Veils, Blue do., Gloves, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, French Worked ollars, ambric, Jackonet and Swiss Edgings, Insertings, Muslins, Sleeves, Mohair and Silk Mits, Black Lace and Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Braids, Fans, &c., &c.

☞Call and examine for yourselves.
Gettysburg, April 18, 1856.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AND MILL PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.

WISHING to retire from the farming and milling business, I will sell at Private Sale the following valuable Real Estate, known as

LOCUST GROVE,

situate about one and a half mile S. West from Littlestown, Adams county, Penn'a.

No. 1.—32 Acres of Mead-ow bottom of a superior quality of red gravel soil, well adapted to timothy, 2000 bushels of lime having been put on it. The improvements are a LARGE AND VERY BEAUTIFUL MERCHANT MILL, Saw Mill, Cooper Shop, two Dwelling Houses, a Store Room, two Bake Ovens, two Stables, three Hog Pens, Lime-kiln, and all necessary out-buildings. The Mill is built upon the most modern and improved plan. The dam and race are not surpassed by any. Four County roads centre at this Mill.

No. 2.—37 Acres of Slate Land,

very susceptible of a high state of cultivation 8 or 10 acres of which are heavily timbered, with about 10 acres of meadow. The improvements are a large and very complete GRIST MILL and Dwelling House. This property adjoins No. 1.

No. 3.—A Farm Containing

156 Acres mostly the red gravel soil, and produces well, 40 to 50 Acres of which are heavily timbered and about 20 Acres of meadow bottom. 10,000 to 12,000 bushels of lime have been put upon the land. An abundance of fruit trees upon the premises. The improvements are a Stone Dwelling House and Kitchen, Smoke House, a large Bank Barn, with Wagon Sheds, Corn Crib, Hog Pen, and all necessary out-buildings. This property is also a part of No. 1, and known as above. There is not a more desirable property in the county than LOCUST GROVE, either separately or together. Call and see it. These properties will be sold separately or together, as may best suit purchasers. I will sell on accommodating terms. Any person wishing to view the property will please call on Edward Stahle living on the premises, or myself in Gettysburg.
GEORGE ARNOLD.
Aug. 15, 1856.—$5

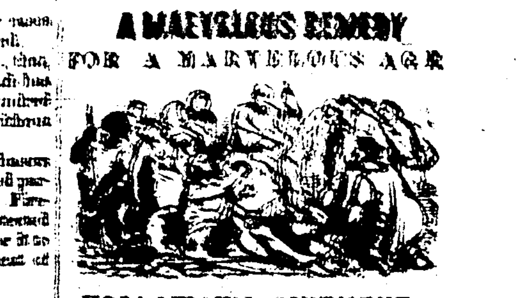
300,000 SEGARS of every description and Brands, all of which are offered lower than any other House in the city. And warrants all he sells to be of the best material. Call and examine.
WM. BUEHLER,
No. 157 Franklin street.
Nov. 24, 1854.

50 BOXES BLACK FAT in store and for sale by
WM. BUEHLER,
No. 157 Franklin street, Baltimore

TOBACCO.

100 ½ BOXES ½ L B. LUMP TOBACCO in store and for sale, at 11 cents by the box, at BUEHLER'S Old Stand, the cheapest in the city. No 157 Franklin st., Baltimore.

A MARVELLOUS REMEDY FOR A MARVELLOUS AGE



HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.

THE GRAND EXTERNAL REMEDY.

BY the aid of a microscope, we see millions of little openings on the surface of our bodies. Through these this Ointment, when rubbed on the skin, is carried to any organ or inward part. Diseases of the Kidneys, disorders of the Liver, affections of the heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Asthmas, Coughs and Colds, are by its means effectually cured.—Every housewife knows that salt passes freely through bone or meat of any thickness. This healing Ointment far more readily penetrates through any bone or fleshy part of the living body, curing the most dangerous inward complaints, that cannot be reached by other means.

ERYSIPELAS, SALT RHEUM AND SCORBUTIC HUMORS.

No remedy has ever done so much for the cure of diseases of the Skin whatever form they may assume, as this Ointment. No case of Salt Rheum, Scurvy, Sore Heads, Scrofula or Erysipelas, can long withstand its influence.—The inventor has travelled over many parts of the globe, visiting the principal hospitals, dispensing this Ointment, giving advice as to its application, and thus been the means of restoring countless numbers to health.

SORE LEGS, SORE BREASTS, WOUNDS AND ULCERS.

Some of the most scientific surgeons now rely solely on the use of this wonderful Ointment, when having to cope with the worst cases of sores, wounds, ulcers, glandular swellings, and tumors. Professor Holloway has, by command of the Allied Governments, dispatched to the hospitals of the East, large shipments of this Ointment, to be used under the direction of the Medical Staff, in the worst cases of wounds. It will cure any ulcer, glandular swelling, stiffness or contraction of of the joints ween 20 years' standing.

PILES AND FISTUL.

These and other similar distressing complaints can be effectually cured if the Ointment be well rubbed in over the parts affected and by otherwise following the printed directions around each pot.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:

Bunions	Lumbago
Burns	Mercurial Eruptions
Chapped Hands	Piles
Chilblains	Rheumatism
Fistulas	Salt Rheum
Gout	Skin Diseases
Sore Legs	Swelled Glands
Sore Breasts	Stiff Joints
Sore Heads	Ulcers
Sore Throats	Veneral Sores
Sores of all kinds	Wounds of all kinds
Sprains	Scalds

*** Sold at the Manufactories of Professor HOLLOWAY, 80 Maiden Lane, New York, and 244 Strand, London, and by all respectable Druggists and Dealers of Medicines throughout the United States, and the civilized world, in Pots, at 25 cents, 62½ cents, and $1 each.

☞There is a considerable saving by taking the larger size.

N. B. Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Box.
Nov. 2, 1855.—eow

CALL AND SEE US AT THE *NEW STAND.*

WM. T. KING respectfully announces to his friends and the public generally that he continues the *TAILORING BUSINESS* in the room adjoining the store of J. Lawrence Schick, and fronting on the Diamond. He has made arrangements to receive regularly the *LATEST FASHIONS*, and it will be his constant aim to give entire satisfaction to those who may favor him with their custom.

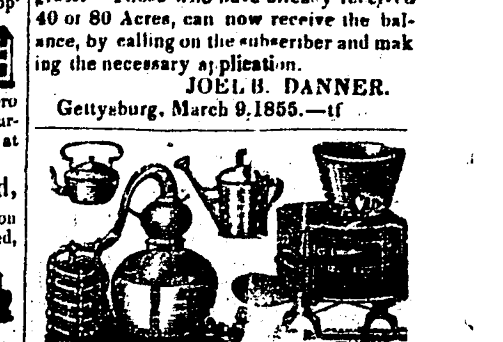
☞Country produce will be taken in exchange for work.
WM. T. KING.
Gettysburg, Sept. 58, 1855.

G. E. BRINGMAN,

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, has opened an office in the front room of his residence in Baltimore street, where he will be prepared to attend to Scrivening, Conveyancing, and collecting claims, promptly and punctually.
Gettysburg, April 20.—1y

BOUNTY LAND CLAIMS.

THE undersigned will attend promptly to the collection of claims for BOUNTY LANDS under the late act of Congress. Those who have already received 40 or 80 Acres, can now receive the balance, by calling on the subscriber and making the necessary application.
JOEL B. DANNER.
Gettysburg, March 9, 1855.—tf



TIN WARE! TIN WARE!

GEO. E. BUEHLER informs his friends and customers that he has a very large assortment of

TIN WARE

on hand ready for the Spring sale, made by experienced workmen and of good materials, which will be sold low for CASH or COUNTRY PRODUCE. ☞Call and see.
Gettysburg, March 10, 1854.

Gettysburg Female Seminary,

PRINCIPAL—MRS. REBECCA REYNOLDS EYSTER.

THIS Institution having now passed into the hands of Mrs. R. R. EYSTER, aided by her husband, the Rev. D. EYSTER, A. M., will commence the Fall term on the *Fourth Monday of September* (Sept. 22, 1856.)

The studies pursued in this Institution embrace all those branches of the Mental, Moral and Natural Sciences usually taught in any of our Female Academies or Colleges of the first order, together with the Latin, French and German Languages, Music and Drawing.

As the Institution is designed to be a Boarding as well as a Day School, the Principals are prepared to receive Young Ladies from a distance into their family; and parents and guardians may be assured that every arrangement will be made for their comfort.

The morality, refinement, and intelligence of the community, together with the remarkable salubrity of its climate, contribute to make Gettysburg a location peculiarly well adapted for an Institution of this kind.

For terms per session, list of studies, and references, see circular, or inquire of the Principals.
Gettysburg, Aug. 22, 1856.—tf

Buffalo Robes.

JUST received, and for sale cheap at SAMSON'S.