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HOW SEWING MACHINE.

Geo. Fairer, of Bellefonte, sells the celebrated Howe Sewing Machine, which has no superior in the market. Go to Fairer's store and see the most perfect and reliable machines at all prices. They are the oldest established machines in the world.

LEZRA P. TITZELL.
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MANUFACTURER AND DEALER
IN STOVES, TINWARE, &c.
His stock consists in part of
**SPEARS ANTI-DUST COOKING
STOVE,**
the best cook in the world.

The Celebrated Barley Sheaf.
Ironides Cook.
Oriental Cook.
Oriental Base Burner Parlor Stove.
Oriental Parlor Furnace.
Sears and Roebuck.
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Also great variety of Gas Burners, Egg
Cassons, and other Stoves and Heaters,
valuable for dwellings, Stoves for offices,
Shedding, &c.
A full line of Glassware and Self-Sealing
Fruit Cases on hand. Particular attention
paid to Keeling, Spouting and Jobbing.
Class each purchaser will find it an ad-
vantage to give him a call. His Store is
near the R. R. Depot.
June 19, 1868, Gm.

TINWARE! TINWARE!

J. REIBER,

Respectfully announces to the citizens of
Potter township, that he is now prepared
to furnish upon shortest notice, and at
cheap as elsewhere, every article in the line
of Tin and Sheet Iron Ware.

STOVE-PIPE SPOUTING.
All kinds of spouting done. He has al-
ways on hand buckets, cups, dippers, dish-
es, &c., &c.

SILVERPLATING.
for buggies executed in the finest and most
durable style. Give him a call. His charges
are reasonable. ap10/68,ly.

BUGGIES! BUGGIES!

J. D. MERRAY,
Centre Hall, Pa., Manufacturer of all
kinds of Buggies, would respectfully in-
form the citizens of Centre county, that he has on
hand

NEW BUGGIES,
with and without top, and which will be
sold at reduced prices for cash, and a re-
asonable credit given.

Two Horse Wagons, Spring Wagons, &c.,
made to order, and warranted to give satis-
faction in every respect.

All kinds of repairing done in short no-
tice. Call and see his stock of Buggies be-
fore purchasing elsewhere. ap10/68,ly.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF
Bellefonte, Pa.

(LATE HUMES, McALLISTER, HALE
& CO.)

E. C. HUMES, Pres't. J. P. HARRIS, Cash.

This Bank is now organized for the pur-
pose of banking under the laws of the United
States.

Certificates issued by Humes, McAllister,
Hale & Co., will be paid at maturity, and
checks of deposits at sight as usual on pre-
sentation at the counter of the said First Na-
tional Bank.

Particular attention given to the purchase
and sale of Government Securities.
E. C. HUMES, President.
ap10/68.

C. H. GUTELIUS,

Surgeon & Mechanical Dentist,
who is permanently located in Arons-
burg, in the office formerly occupied by
Dr. Neff, and who has been practicing with
entire success—having the experience of a
number of years in the profession, he would
cordially invite all who have as yet not
given him a call, to do so, and test the
truthfulness of this assertion. ap10/68,ly

MILLIKEN, HOOVER & CO.,

CENTRE COUNTY BANKING CO.

RECEIVE DEPOSITS,

And Allow Interest,
Discount Notes,
Government Securities, Gold and Con-
cess. ap10/68.

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Attorney-at-law, Bellefonte, Pa.
ap10/68.

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Office on High Street, Bellefonte
ap10/68,ly.

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ic Washman Office. ap30/68.

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Court House. may15/68.

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services. Office, Centre Hall, Pa.
ap17/68,ly.

JAS. McMANUS,

Attorney-at-law, Bellefonte, promp-
tly pays attention to all business entrusted
to him. July 3/68.

JOHN D. WINGATE, D. D. S.

Office on Northwest corner of Bishop and
Spring st. At home, except, perhaps, the
first two weeks of every month.
Bellefonte, Pa. ap10/68,ly.

P. D. NEFF, M. D., Physician and
Surgeon, Centre Hall, Pa.

Offers his professional services to the citi-
zens of Potter and adjoining townships.
Dr. Neff has the experience of 21 years in
the active practice of Medicine and Sur-
gery. ap10/68,ly.

H. W. WALLISTER, JAMES A. BEAVER,

M'ALLISTER & BEAVER,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
Bellefonte, Centre Co., Penn'a.

MILLERS HOTEL

Woodward, Centre county, Pa.
Stages arrive and depart daily. This fa-
vorite hotel has been refitted and furni-
shed by its new proprietor, and is now in
every respect one of the most pleasant coun-
try hotels in central Pennsylvania. The
traveling community and drovers will al-
ways find the best accommodations. Dro-
vers can at all times be accommodated with
stable and pasture for any number of cat-
tle or horses. GEO. MILLER,
July 9/68,ly. Proprietor.

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is published weekly, at \$1.50 per year
in advance; and \$2.00 when not paid in
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at a less rate.

All Job-work, Cash, and neatly and ex-
pediently executed, at reasonable charges.

CENTRE HALL REPORTER.

FRIDAY, OCT 2nd 1868.

FOR PRESIDENT:

HORATIO SEYMOUR,
of New York.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT:

GEN. FRANK P. BLAIR,
of Missouri.

DEMOCRATIC STATE NOMINATIONS

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL:

HON. CHARLES E. BOYLE,
of Fayette County.

FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL:

GEN. WELLINGTON H. ENT,
of Columbia County.

For Congress:

L. A. Mackey, Clinton county.

For President Judge

Charles A. Mayer, of Clinton county.

For Assembly:

P. Gray Meek, of Bellefonte.

For District Attorney:

Henry Y. Stitzer, of Bellefonte.

For County Surveyor:

William P. Mitchell, of Howard bor.

For County Commissioner:

John Bing, of Unionville.

For Auditor:

John Rishel, of Potter.

Armstrong is for having a privi-
leged class of nabobs in this country
composed of the rich, who shall pay
no taxes. Mackey says, the rich must
pay "equally" with the poor, according
to their "value," now, farmers, me-
chanics, and laboring men, choose ye
between Armstrong and Mackey.

Keep It Before The People.

That since the Radicals have had
possession of the State Government,
**SIXTY-FIVE MILLIONS OF
DOLLARS** have been received at the
State Treasury, only four millions of
which have been applied to the pay-
ment of the State debt.

KEEP IT BEFORE THE PEOP-
LE that since the Radicals came in
to possession of the State Government,
**TWENTY FIVE MILLIONS OF
DOLLARS** were received at the State
Treasury, which under the law, should
have gone into the Sinking Fund for
the payment of the State Debt, and
that **TWENTY-ONE MILLIONS** of
that sum went somewhere else.

KEEP IT BEFORE THE PEOP-
LE that the Radicals have increased
the rate of interest on the State Debt
from 4 and 5 to 6 per cent, making
the interest \$201,000 per annum more
than it was under Democratic rule.

KEEP IT BEFORE THE PEOP-
LE that during the ten years of
Radical ascendancy in the Legislature,
the expenses of that body were **ONE
MILLION, ONE HUNDRED AND
TWENTY THOUSAND DOL-**
LARS more than the preceding ten
years of Democratic ascendancy.

KEEP IT BEFORE THE PEOP-
LE that the Auditor General's office,
under Hartranft, has cost nearly \$20,
000 more than under his predecessors.

KEEP IT BEFORE THE PEOP-
LE that the Radical Auditor General,
Hartranft, and the Radical State
Treasurer, Kemble, paid out to spe-
cial committees of the Legislature,
nearly \$10,000, last year, in defiance
of the law forbidding the same.

KEEP IT BEFORE THE PEOP-
LE that General Hartranft, Mr.
Kemble, the Radical State Committee,
not a single Radical newspaper in the
State, **DARES DENY THESE
FACTS.**

KEEP IT BEFORE THE PEOP-
LE that we will forfeit one thousand
dollars to Auditor General Hartranft,
or any other Radical, if, upon a public
investigation, before an impartial
tribunal, the above statements are
found not to be true.—Patriot.

**The Indians Defeated by General
Sully.**

St. Louis, September 24.—A letter
from Fort Dodge, Kansas dated Sep-
tember 19, to the Leavenworth Con-
servative, says General Sully has driv-
en the Indians he was in pursuit of,
far south and beyond the borders of
Texas. He has had several fights,
whipping them badly, killing and
wounding seventy. The loss of the
troops has been slight.

The Democrats increased their vote
nearly four thousand in Vermont since
last year, and elected thirty seven mem-
bers to the Legislature, a larger number
than they have had for years. This is what
is called a Radical victory!

**THE MASS MEETING AT CENTRE
HALL.**

**GREAT OUTPOURING OF THE
PEOPLE.**

**CENTRE COUNTY IN A BLAZE
FOR SEYMOUR, BLAIR,
& MACKAY.**

**SPEECHES BY COL. MACKAY and
GEN. M'CANDESS.**

**Three Brass Bands and Several
Drum Corps in Attendance.**

THE POLE RAISING, &c.

On Thursday 24th, the Democracy
of old Centre, assembled in Mass Con-
vention at Centre Hall. The weather,
during the greater part of the week
was wet, and on the morning of the
24th, a clouded sky betokened more
rain, and about ten 10 o'clock it com-
menced raining, and continued to pour
down almost incessantly until next
morning; but as the rain kept pour-
ing down, the delegations of Union
loving Democrats and tax-payers kept
pouring into Centre Hall, on foot,
on horse-back and on wagons, and in
point of numbers, the meeting was a
grand success, notwithstanding thou-
sands, who had made preparations to
come, desisted on account of the weath-
er.

Almost every house in Centre Hall
was decorated with flags, evergreens
and patriotic mottoes. Three huge
flags, were suspended across the street,
and another large one waving from
the windows of the Reporter office,
inscribed with "Seymour, Blair and
Mackay." The ladies deserve great
credit for the taste they displayed in
preparing wreaths and ropes of ever-
greens.

Chief-Marshall Alex. Shannon, with
his assistants A. A. Kerlin, Laf. Neff,
John Conley and D. C. Keller, was
promptly on the spot in the morning,
with a large and magnificent escort of
men and ladies on horse-back, ready to
meet and receive the delegations—ev-
ery horse decorated with a flag and a
wreath of evergreen dotted with flow-
ers. At the head of the escort was
specially noticeable the tall and grace-
ful form of Mrs. Lafayette Neff, as
flag-carrier; the flag she bore was a
fine one, and though of large dimen-
sions, she proved herself a perfect mas-
ter of it as the escort flew back and
forth in its duty of receiving the dele-
gations.

About 10 o'clock the pole-raising
commenced on the corner of the vac-
ant Hoffer lot, and in a short time a
magnificent hickory pole, somewhat
over 100 feet, was raised, with a large
red, white and blue streamer waving
from the top, and farther down a large
revolving banner, with "Seymour and
Blair," inscribed upon it in large let-
ters, the work of our young friend, D.
F. Luse. It deserves mention here,
that a young Democrat, Mr. Calvin
Henry, climbed to a giddy height of
the pole, with the agility of a sailor,
and successfully loosened the ropes
by which the pole had been raised.

The Boalsburg brass band was on
hand at an early hour and proceeded
to Old Fort in company with the es-
cort to receive the delegations from
the lower townships, which were over
a mile long, accompanied by several
drum corps, with numberless flags and
banners streaming from horses and
wagons.

The delegation from the Bellefonte
side was somewhat late coming in, ow-
ing to a delay caused by a breaking
down of the Lock Haven band wagon;
but when it did get here, it came in
unexpected number, and with fine dis-
play, accompanied by bands of music
from Philipsburg and Lock Haven,
and proved that the people there
other side of our county, were as much
aroused to the importance of the cam-
paign as their brethren on this side.

Among the distinguished gentlemen
from abroad, who came with this dele-
gation, were Gen. M' Candless, Hon.
Wm. P. Jencks, Col. Mackey, and
C. A. Mayer.

The enthusiasm for Seymour, Blair,
and Mackey, was unbounded.

After dinner the meeting was organ-
ized by electing the following officers,
as reported by the committee on or-
ganization:

President—Gen. Geo. Buchanan.

Vice Presidents:

Haines—Jacob Hosterman, J. G.
Meyer.

Penn—Wm. Hosterman, Jac. Gop-
hart.

Miles—Maj. J. Reynolds, Gen. Jon.
Wolf.

Gregg—John Roush, John Rishel.

Potter—John Dauberman, Alex.
Kerr, H. Witmer, Maj. J. Neff.

Harris—R. F. Potter, James Jack.

Ferguson—Hon. Wm. Burchfield,
Fred. Krumrine.

Halfmoon—John L. Gray, John A.
Hunter.

Patton—Dr. John Bush.

Benier—Mich. Grove, C. Hile.

Spring—John G. Larrimer, John
Barnhart.

Bellefonte—S. T. Shugert, Felix
Mullen.

Walker—D. D. M'Kean, Geo. Sha-
fer.

Marion—P. W. M'Dowel, John
Garberich.

Liberty—S. Lingle, J. DeLong.

Howard bor.—Judge Allison.

Howard twp.—Capt. W. Randall,
Eph. Glenn.

Boggs: Joseph Neff, W. Marks.

Union: T. Loughry, Jno. Bing.

Huston: C. Chronister.

Worth: Capt. J. Morrison.

Taylor: John Coppenhaver.

Rush: J. L. Test, Jac. Kepler.

Snowshoe: J. H. Holt, D. H. Yen-
ger.

Burnside: G. B. Boak, B. Vedeffler.

Milesburg: Col. Jas. F. Weaver.

Millin County: Isaiah Coplin, G.
W. Graham, John Montgomery, An-
drew Reed.

Clinton County: M. B. Herring,
Hon. Wm. Parsons, Wm. Brown.

add by Secretaries:

Hon. P. G. Meek, Hon. C. T. Alexan-
der, E. L. Spangler, W. K. Alexander, J.
B. Fisher, Fergus Potter, Edw. Krainer,
John Grova, G. W. F. Gray, B. Weber.

Gen. Buchanan, upon taking the
chair, made a short but appropriate
speech, which was loudly applauded,
and on motion, a committee, consist-
ing of C. T. Alexander, J. G. Meyer
and Col. Love, was appointed to wait
upon Col. Mackey and inform him
that the meeting was ready to listen to
an address from him; the committee
soon returned with our gallant nomi-
nee and next congressman, who, on
mounting the stand, was greeted with
round after round of deafening cheers.

Col. Mackey, eloquently alluded to
our constitutional form of government,
and how strictly we should reveren-
ce the institutions framed for us by
fore-fathers, which have been the foun-
dation of our greatness as a nation.
He then stated that he was a candi-
date for congress, and that he was go-
ing to be elected, (wild applause); this
was the first time he was a candidate
for office, and the nomination had
been tendered him against his wishes,
but, the same having come with such
unusual unanimity, tendered by accla-
mation, he could not say "no" to the
demand of the people, and at their
bidding he had entered the campaign.
(Deafening cheers for Mackey, and
cries of "bravo.") He then alluded
to his former connection with the whig
party and his having belonged to the
republican organization, and gave the
most satisfactory reasons for leaving
the latter, and touchingly appealed to
his republican friends to think, before
voting and assisting to plunge the
county into ruin, by following the
lead of the radical congress. (Apt
plause.) The finances of the country
were referred to by this eloquent
champion of the people's interests, and
in a clear and masterly manner he
exposed the dangers to which we were
exposed, if the blundering policy of
the radical leaders were not checked;
but the crowning point of Mr. Mackey's
speech was as follows: "It is said
to appear as a very strange thing that
I should be a Democratic candidate
for Congress, because I was a bond-
holder and interested in a bank; fel-
low citizens, I Am Not a Bond-
holder, but the Bank with which I
am connected, holds
**100 Thousand Dollars worth
of Bonds, WE PAID GREEN-
BACKS FOR THEM, AND I
AM WILLING TO TAKE
GREENBACKS IN RETURN
AS PAY FOR THE BONDS."**

This noble language raised the wild-
est applause, hails, hankerciefs, um-
brellas, hats, were swinging in the
air, midst the deafening hurrahs from
thousands of lips. After some further
remarks Col. Mackey closed, midst
the deafening cheers of the vast assem-
bly. The Colonel's speech was a
telling one, and commanded the close-
st attention of Republicans as well as
Democrats.

The next speaker was Gen. Wm.
M' Candless, from Philadelphia, the
brave soldier and rising statesman.
We are sorry that space will not per-
mit us to give a synopsis of the Gen-
eral's powerful speech; his appeals to
the soldier; his lucid exposition of the
finances, &c. His spoke nearly two
hours, and held the vast crowd midst
the torrents of rain that were pouring
down, and whenever he spoke of clos-
ing on account of the rain to which
the audience were subjected, up came
shouts of "go on," "go on." He was
frequently interrupted by applause,
and during his speech he was sheltered
from the rain by umbrellas held over
him all the time by soldiers and con-
rades in arms, Col. Blair, Maj. For-
ster and Col. Jas. F. Weaver. At the
close of Gen. M' Candless' speech the
meeting adjourned.

Rail Road Meeting.

Pursuant to call, a Rail Road Meet-
ing was held in Millheim on Satur-
day afternoon, Sept. 19, 1868. The
meeting was organized by calling

Gen. Geo. Buchanan to the chair, who
in a neat and appropriate speech,
made known the object of the meeting.

On motion of R. H. Duncan, Samuel
S. Foster and Wm. K. Alexander
were chosen Secretaries. After an ex-
change of views by several members of
the meeting, in relation to the differ-
ent routes proposed for survey, a reso-
lution was offered by R. H. Duncan, to
the effect that a Committee of five be
appointed, viz: George Buchanan,
Samuel S. Foster, Geo. W. Stover,
Daniel A. Musser and Wm. K. Alexan-
der, to confer with influential citi-
zens in the East end of Big Valley,
interested in R.R. Roads, to ascertain
what they would do to assist in making
a survey of the several routes proposed
through the mountains between Mill-
lin and Centre Counties; this com-
mittee to call a meeting at any time
and place, as they deem proper to re-
port.

Our Candidate for Congress.

To the people of Clinton county, it
is perhaps unnecessary for us at this
time, to vindicate the claims, or speak
of the character and worth of L. A.
Mackey. There is not a business man
in the county who is not acquainted
with him, and can personally testify
to his character as a gentleman, his
honor and benevolence as a citizen,
and his competency and fitness to re-
present us at Washington. He came to
this county in 1841—two years after
the organization of the county, a poor
boy, and comparatively unknown. By
perseverance and honorable depart-
ment, he soon secured for himself a
reputation at the bar as a practicing
attorney. His liberality and kindness
called to his support, many warm per-
sonal friends. Farmers, business men,
and the laboring poor, alike claimed
him as their friend, and universal senti-
ment accorded to him honesty of pur-
pose and a disposition to assist in
making Clinton county what it is to day.

His charity and kindness have been
felt and realized by many, whose po-
verty claimed his attention and enlisted
his sympathy. During the hard times
through which we have passed since
1857, a number of our business men
can testify to his assistance, and date
the hour of their relief to his liberality
and forbearance. There is not, per-
haps, a christian church in the com-
munity, but what has been the recipi-
ent of his benevolence, and repeatedly
relieved his influence and support.
Poor clients have had their business
transacted and their wrongs redressed
without fee or reward.—Mechanics,
merchants, and laboring men have been
accommodated and sustained by the
generosity of a man who for thirteen
years has controlled the financial de-
partment of Clinton county. The sol-
diers who enlisted from this county
during the war, can truthfully bear
witness to his kindness and liberality.
Their families during their absence in
the field, have frequently witnessed
his aid and received support and com-
fort from his generous hands. No
public enterprise in this county, has
ever received Mr. Mackey's refusal.
Our schools, churches, railroads, lum-
bering interests, county improvements,
boon, and in short, all that makes up
the prosperity of the county, have re-
alized his assistance and found in him
a true friend.

Why shall we not, therefore, entrust
him with our interests at the capital?
Why shall we not to some extent, repay
him for his kindness and friendship
toward us? Shall party prejudice be
so strong, and men so ungrateful as to
smite with unnatural hand their true
friend?—Clinton Democrat.

A Lady's Tribute to Gov. Seymour.

The Revolution, Mrs. Cady Stan-
ton's paper, publishes this extract from
a letter of a lady in regard to the Pres-
idential nomination:

In private conversation Gov. Sey-
mour is instructive and interesting, and
is, if possible, more remarkable for his
elegance of manner and graceful cour-
tesy in the drawing room than for his
matchless eloquence and magnetic pow-
er as a public speaker. Although
most captivating in private life, he is
in no sense a man of forms or fashion.
In his presence the plainest persons are
placed at their ease—and feel at once
that they are with a kind and good man
Democratic in all his instincts, princi-
ples, and purposes. Simple and unost-
entatious, strictly temperate, he uses
neither strong drink nor spirituous li-

quors nor tobacco of the most refined
tastes and elevated morals; it is said of
him, by those who have known him
from his early youth, that he never
was under the influence of strong drink
—never known to tell an untruth or
utter a profane oath—to indulge in a
vulgar story, a coarse anecdote or an
obscene jest—nor did he ever violate
the proprieties of the Sabbath, or sit
at the gambler's table, or cross the
threshold of more fashionable vice.
Purity of life is with him a marked
characteristic. Educated in the Epis-
copal church, he has ever remained
faithful to its communion, adorning its
doctrines by a blameless life and mul-
tiple deeds of charity. Yet free from
sectarianism, he has contributed liber-
ally to the erection of every other
church and place of public worship in
the city of Utica and vicinity. An
active Trustee of Hamilton College (a
Presbyterian institution) he has been
made by it an LL.D., as well as by a
Methodist University in another State.
The children of the Orphan Asylum
have been guests at his house (which is
a house of prayer,) and it was notice-
able that, when the news of his nomi-
nation for President reached Utica, these
children spontaneously turned out in
procession, and manifested their joy in
many pleasant ways peculiar to the in-
nocency of children.

**Soldiers and Bondholders—Bonds
and Greenbacks.**

[From the Columbus (O.) States-
man]

General Meigs has issued Roll of
Honor No. 15, containing 18,300
names of deceased soldiers who died in
defence of the Republic, and were in-
terred in the national cemeteries at
Arlington and several places in Vir-
ginia.

We clip the above from a Radical
sheet.

Not one of these 18,300 soldiers,
whose lives were offered up in de-
fence of the Union received anything
but Greenbacks for the miserable pit-
tance Government allowed them.

A pension of ninety-six dollars per
annum is allowed to the family of the
private soldier killed in battle or dy-
ing in the service. This pittance is al-
so paid in Greenbacks.