# THE JOURNAL.

CLEARFIELD, PA., JULY 22, 1857.

READ the dental notice of A. M. Hills. SEE advertisement in another column of

"Canvassers wanted." Mossop will sell off his entire stock at auction on court week. See advertisement.

TWe invite the special attention of our citizens to the letter of James E. Montgomery, Esq. The matter he treats of is of the most vital importance to the people of Clearfield county, and his suggestions should be acted upon immediately.

A LARGE number of new advertisements appear in the columns of this paper-Sheriff's Sales-Register's Notice-caution of Lewis J. Hurd-notice to those indebted to Cummings like arrangements are in demand. & Mehaffey to settle-notice relative to the estate of John Showalter, dec'd-caution of Hiram McCracken-caution of Stephen Graff,&c.

ACCIDENT .- On the 14th, we learn, Mr. Wm. Williams, of Jordan township, whilst in the act of placing a gun on a pair of hooks, one of which gave way and caused the discharge of the gun, was so severely injured by the bullet, which entered his hip and passed out below the knee, that amputation of the limb was deemed necessary and performed.

HAIL .- On Monday last, a heavy rain, accompanied by hail, fell in this neighborhood. nearly as large as walnuts fell, doing some in- habitant. jury to the corn and prostrating wheat, rye,&c. On Monday night, an unusually heavy rain fell here, overflowing meadows, and injuring the grass and hay.

THE HARVEST, &c .-- The harvest in this county is very backward. A good deal of grass was cut last week, but the frequency of ting a large part of it dried and into the barns. The wheat has been injured some by the weevil, but we are inclined to think, not as seriweather would soon ripen the wheat. One Rye has a pretty good appearance. The warm | charge. showers have been decidedly advantageous to corn, oats, &c., of which we may expect a good crop yet.

JOHN PLUMBE .- This individual, who committed suicide recently in Dubuque, Iowa, was formerly a resident of the neighboring town of Philipsburg, Centre county, and is well remembered by many persons there and here. He was at one time the owner of the iron works some six miles east of Philipsburg, and leis that place for the west about 1836. He and his brothers, we understand, owned a fine mill property near Dubuque, as well as some fine property in the town. The West Urbanna, Illinois, Press, gives the following sketch of mm: "Mr. Plambe was about the first to introduce the Daguerrean art into this country, and for several years had extensive establishments in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Boston and Albany. He was a gentleman, an able writer, and a man universally respected wherever known. We give him the credit of being the first man who publicly advocated the feasibility and need of a railroad route to the Pacific. We heard the project discussed by him long before it was referred Gleason and Soper, charged with horse steal to in our columns. He was not what the world | ing, and hung them. calls a good financier, or at least he never availed himself of little meannesses which tleman of that city has lost a member of his many others have seized upon, and by them family every 4th of July for the last four years. been raised to eminence. By never taking His two sons and his wife have died on that the advantage in business transactions, even day in successive years, and on the last 4th his when he had an opportunity, and being natu- little daughter, aged five years, was seized rally liberal and trusting, he confided in others, and often found his frankness taken advantage of by little souled men, who left him the loser financially, and as he was doing an extensive business. Mr. P. might have been a wealthy man, had he lived for himself alone, but when he was prospering he wanted all those around him to share in his prosperity, and as he gave others opportunities to swindle him, and never having retaliated in turn, or at all desired to, we presume that in his latter years he might have found himself in rather limited circumstances, which has no doubt had its effect in shortening his life. He was an ambitious man. but it was laudable and manly ambition which filled his soul. He saw opportunities of raising himself by others' downfall, but preferred to be the victim of circumstances, rather than swerve from rectitude, and allowed small lean souls to win. We knew him in Boston some fifteen years ago, and afterwards met him on the Pacific coast. His race is run, he has yielded up his life and laid him down in sleep. He was not a weak brother and unable to cope with the world ; had he willed, ticles in the Herald of late, which have tickled there would have been a way for him to affluence and position among his fellows, but, having a temperament peculiarly organized, he chose to stand aside and let the crowd pass | Fifty-nine Republicans were present. The heedlessly on its course." our young friend AUSTIN CURTIN bearing date and day in order to retain possession of the Freeport, Illinois, July 7th, informing us that Hall. Mr. HENRY McLAUGHLIN, formerly a citizen of Bellfonte, was accidentally drowned in the Pecatonica river, st Freeport, on Monday evening, the 6th inst. He was seine fishing at the time, and getting into deep water attempted tee, along with John P. Sanderson, sold the to swim, but was, it is supposed, attacked with State to Buchanan last fall, has been appointed the cramp, when he sank to the bottom, and by Buchanan to a position as Postmaster in was not seen again until about two hours afterwards, when, after much searching, his body was obtained. Mr. McLaughlin was engaged in the saddle and barness, and also the livery business, in Bellefonte for a number of years, and during President Polk's administration was Postmaster. He removed from this place to Elk Co., Pa., where he was engaged in the Lumber business, and a about a year ago started for Freeport, Illinois, where he owed his trade up to the time of his death.

CLIPPINGS AND SCRIBBLINGS. Coming-the "huckleberry" season. CF Dangerously ill-Col. Fremont, in New York city.

TCommences-our next Court, on Monday the 17th August.

Receding-the comet, tho' it is yet visible in the eastern heavens, before daylight.

17 Made their appearance-cherries, during last week. We have been unusually pi-us ever since.

TTA little fired-the chap that was feeling the sign-post to find the door-latch, not many nights ago.

DPUp-the milit try spirit in Curwensville, on Saturday evening last, so high, it is said, that it reached their hats.

CFW-u-g-h !-but we have had some warm weather recently. Ice-cream and other arctic-

DFLife is now defined as consisting of money, fast horses, and a fashionable wife. So, "ga-lang" at two forty, or "bile a buster."

CFCol. Cumming, of Missouri, appointed Governor of Utah, will take his family to that territory and make it his permanent residence. OFIn circulation-counterfeit fives on the Honesdale Bank. The vignette on the spurious notes represents a man, anvil, forge, &c., which is unlike the genuine.

OF Wild Pigeons are building nests in Delaware State, a circumstance, says the Wilmington Republican, which has not occurred In the vicinity of the borough, hail stones before within the memory of the oldest in-

BFOne county alone in this State-Schuylkill-has harvested from the coal beneath its soil the immense sum of \$190,000,000. There is nothing in the boasted wealth of California comparable with this.

CFThe Republican members of the New Hampshire Legislature held a meeting before the rains has prevented the farmers from get- the adjournment of that body, and nominated John C. Fremont as the Republican candidate for President in 1860.

CFRev. T. S. Simpson, Paster of the Cumously as was anticipated. A few days of clear | berland Presbyterian Church of Allegheny City, is on trial for the seduction of Miss Sallie farmer told us he expected to cut his to-day. Henderson, a young lady placed under his

> The people of Peru are so indolent that they open pea-pods with an oyster-knife. In driving horses they always have two to each quadruped-one to hold the reins, and the

other to cry "whoa." OPAn exchange paper says that a wreath of

black walnut leaves, suspended in a room, will drive out flics, and that they will not enter the room again until the wreath is withered. The experiment is worth trying.

BFIt has been thought that people are degenerating, because they don't live as long as in the days of Methuselah. But the fact is, provisions are so high that nobody can afford to live very long at the current prices. OF The papers are bragging of an invention by which leather can be tanned in ten minates. That's not much. We have seen the human hide tanned in five minutes, and some schoolmaster's can do it in less than two. DFA mob in Cedar county, Iowa, on the night of the 3d, broke into the jail, and notwithstanding the desperate resistance of the Sheriff and guard, took two prisoners named The Boston Courier states that a genwith convulsions and died.

IS THE NEGRO & CITIZEN ?- The telegraph resterday announced the decision of the U. a negro who had brought suit there.. The case OF THE COMMONWEALTH. was as follows: A man named Lamar while in a drunken frollic in Galena, in 1854, com- General Assembly met : That the following amondmitted a violent and unprovoked assault upon ments are proposed to the constitution of the coma colored barber by the name of Mitchell, who the tenth article thereof. was severely injured. Lamar was arraigned before a magistrate for the assault, fined a few dollars and discharged. The suit pending in lows :the U.S. Court was brought for private damages, and the defendant being a resident of Wisconsin, rendered it necessary that the action should be brought in that Court. Lamar put in a plea that Mitchell being a negro was not in view of the Dred Scott decision, a citizen of the United States and could not therefore sue in a United Sates Court. The counsel for Mitchell demurred to this plea, and the Court, atter argument, has decided that Mitchell being neither a slave nor the descendant of a slave is a citizen and competent to sue. Mc. Lean, the Circuit Judge, and Drummond, the District Judge, agreed in making this decision .- Pittsburgh Gazette, July 17th.

TTEstates in the environs of Boston have bee sold this season at a low figure, and in a great many cases at a minous loss to the owners. The causes are, hard times, forced sales, and the general stsgnation of business.

CFTwo indictments have been found against Gilson, late Sate Trasurer of Ohio, one for the embezzlement of State funds of the Seneca County Bank. An indictment has also been found against Boslin, the previous Trasurer, with several counts for embezzlement.

DIED-On last Saturday, Mrs. SARAH, wife of John Cessna, of Lawrence township, aged 37 vears.

On the 18th, in Grahamton, LAURA, daughter of Benj. and Mary J. Spackman, aged 2 years, 5 months and 8 days.

NOTICE TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PILGRIMS PROGRESS MUTUAL BUILD ING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION .- A Letting of the funds of the Association will be held at the house of John Sulfridge, in Girard township, en Saturday, the First day of August next, at 2 o'-clock, P. M. ISAAC S. SHIREY, Pleasant Hill, July 7. 1857. Secretary.

NOTICE .- All persons against whom James M. Leonard has obtained Notes. Judgments or any other acknowledgments of debts, on accounts of my books, are hereby notified not to pay such claims to him or to any Justice of the Peace in his favor, unless positively directed to do so by myself, as the said Leonard has no authority to

transact any business for me MICHAEL DINGES. Morris township, July 10, 1857-jul5-3t

A DMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.-Letters of Administration on the Estate of George Ellinger, late of Brady township, Clearfield county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the sub-scribers; all persons indebted to the said estate, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement. R. W. MOORE.

G. B. GOODLANDER, Luthersburg, July 11, 1857-61 Adm'rs.

PHILADELPHIA WOOD MOULDING MILL, Willow Street above Twelfth. North Side .- Mouldings suitable for Carpenters, Build-

## BY AUTHORITY.

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RESOLUTION PROPOSING AMEND-

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Represen

tatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in monwealth, in accordance with the provisions of

FIRST AMENDMENT. There shall be an additional article to said con stitution to be designated as article eleven, as fol-

## ARTICLE N

OF PUBLIC DEBTS. SECTION 1. The State may contract debts, to supply casual deficits or failures in revenues, or to eet expenses not otherwise provided for; but 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 re-pay the debts so contracted, and to no other pur-

ose whatever. SECTION 2. In addition to the above limited power, the State may contract debts to repel invasion appress insurrection, defend the State in war, or to redeem the present outstanding indebtedness of the State; but the money arising from the condan, Killinger, Knox, Laubach, Lowis, Myer, Sco-field, Sellers, Shuman, Souther, Steele, Straub, tracting of such debts, shall be applied to the purpose for which it was raised, or to repay such Welsh, Wilkins and Wright-24.

debts, and to no other purpose whatever. SECTION 3. Except the debts above specified, in cclions one and two of this article, no debt whatover 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 ression, 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 esignated by law. The said sinking fund may be

shall not in any manner, or event, be pledged, or loaned to, any individual, company, corporation, or association; nor shall the commonwealth here-

ter, Fausold, Foster, Gibboney, Gildea, Ilamel, Harper, Heines, Miestand, Hill, Hillegas, Hoff-man, (Berks.) Imbrie, Innes, Jacobs, Jenkins, Johns, Johnson, Kauffman, Kerr, Knight, Leisen ring, Longaker, Lovett, Manear, Maugle, M'Calpress domestic insurrection, defend itself in time Nichols, Nicholson, Nunemacher, Pearson, Peters, Petrikin, Pownall, Purcell, Ramsey, (Philadelphia.) Ramsey, (York.) Reamer, Reed, Roberts,

ted 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, associa-

stitution, to be designated as article XII., as follows :--

### OF NEW COUNTIES.

No county shall be divided by a line cutting off The yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the over one-tenth of its population, (either to form a provisions of the Constitution, and were as fol-) without the express asw. viz

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SPECIAL NOTICE .- Old Copper, Brass anything in our line. MERRELL & CARTER julyl

THOMAS G. SNYDER, MERCHANT, Bealer in Sawed Lumber. Shingler, Square Timber, et octera, KYLERTOWN, Clearfield Co., Pa. July 1, 1857-tf.

BENJAMIN COATES. WALTER BROWN COATES & BROWN, Cemmission Merch 43 Market Street, above Front St. Philadelphia.

A MBROTYPES.-P. C. PURVIANCE, Pro-fessor of Photographic Chemistry. Gallery at his residence on 2d Street, one door South of Mearell & Carter's Tin-ware establishment, Clearfield, Pa To Days of operation: Friday and Saturday of each week. june18'56

FOR SALE-An In proved Farm, with good buildings, at Ardry's dead water on Clearfield ereek, three miles from the county seat of Clear-field. For particulars inquire of A. T. Schryver, who lives on the premises, John and Lionel Weld, Mt. Pleasant, or Wm. A. Wallace, of Clearfield town. [July 8, 1857-3m.

CAUTION.-All persons are hereby cantioned against meddling with a certain yoke of Red Steers, about six years old, now in possession of Wm. Roles, as said steers were bought by me, and are in his possession on loan only. HENRY BAUGHMAN.

Boggs township, July 6th, 1857-3t

CAUTION .- All persons are cautioned against meddling with the following property now in possession of Isnac Wilson, of Knox township, as the same belongs to me and is only left with the said Wilson on loan :-- One light two-horse wagon, one long sled, and one grind-stone. HENRY HEGARTY,

Woodward township, June 11th, 1857.

PLASTERING .- The undersigned, having entered into co-partnership in the Plastering Business, in the Borough of Curwensville, announce to the public that they are ready to do any work in their line on the shortest notice and most reasonable terms, and respectfully solicit a share JOSEPH WHITE of patronage L. K. MeCULLOUGH. julys-1m

CADTION .- All persons are cautioned against meddling with the following property, viz one two-horse wagon, one cooking stove, one nineplate stove, one cow and one bay mare, now in the ossession of John J. McCracken, of Kuox township, as the same belongs to us and is only left with the said McCracken on loan. CHASE & SWAN. July 8. 1857-3t.

DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE .- Letters of Administration on the estate of Henry Korb, late of Brady township, Clearfied county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the subscri-ber, all persons indebted to the said estate, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same, will present them properly authenticated for settle-ment. FREDERICK KORB,

july8-6t*	Administrator.

NOTICE .- A NORMAL SCHOOL will be opened in Curwensville, on Tuesday the 11th day of August next, to continue a term of eight weeks for the purpose of qualifying those wishing to teach Common Schools, for that profession. Those who have taught, as well as those who have not, but who design to teach, may find it to their advantage to attend this school, as we wish to make the system of instruction in our Common Schools as thoro' as possible. L. L. STILL, Schools as thoro' as possible. County Superintendedt. july8

FOR SALE, THE FARM occupied by John F. Wiley in Ferguson township, containing 105. acres. 30 acres cleared; house, barn and other buildings thereon erected.

ALSO, 50 meres of land or the timber thereon, situate in Pike township within one and a half miles of the river on a good road to haul.

For further description and terms apply to L. J. CRANS Clearfield. May 20, 1857.

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

after 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, sup-

of war, or to assist the State in the discharge of any portion of its present indebtedness. SECTION 7. The legislature shall not anthorize any county, city, borough, township, or incorpora-

tion, institution, or party. SECOND AMENDMENT. There shall be an additional article to said con

ARTICLE XII.

Col. Thomas Hite and other citizens of Jefferson county, Va., set free eighty of their slaves on Thursday the 9th inst. The Colonel, as the agent of the owners, accompanied them to Middleburg, Pa., when handing each individual forty dollars in money, and equipping them all with sufficient clothing, they were set at liberty.

CT On Monday morning Mr. Warn took up his gill net, which had been set on the previous Saturday in twenty fathoms, or 120 feel of water, and took therefrom one hundred and fifty ducks. Many will, no doubt, think this is a fish story, but it is true, and shows the immense depth which these birds dive in quest of food. Oakville Sentinel.

DFThe Kansas correspondent of the St. Louis Democrat says that Brown of the Herald of Freedom, has lately gone over to the Border Ruffians with his paper, and is about to leave Lawrence, and perhaps Kansas, at an early day. This explains the tenor of the arthe Locofocos so much.

The Minnesota Constitutional Convention met at the Capitol, St. Paul, on the 14th. Democrats, 44 in number, organized a separate Convention for drafting a Constitution. The DROWNED .- We have received a letter from Republicans intend to remain in session night

> DFB. T. C. Morgan, of Pittsburgh, one of those "intense Americans" who could not vote for anybody but Fillmore ; and who, as a member of the "Straightout" State Commit-Omaha, Nebraska, said to be worth \$2,000. This was his reward.

OP On the 5th a disgraceful riot occured at Milnwood Academy; Shade Gap, Huntingdon county, Pennsylvania, which has resulted in the abandonment of the school by Mr. Woods, the principal. It appears that he endeavored to stop the selling of some whiskey to students, and, having made an example of one of them, fifteen or twenty of the other boys got drunk, He has a son and, we believe, a daughter still attacked the house of the principal, and kept living in Elk county.-Bellefonte Whig.

ers, Cabinet and Frame Makers, worked from the best and thoroughly seasoned material, always on hand. Any pattern worked from a drawing. The subscriber having purchased the entire in

terest, will continue the business with increased facilities. ¶ Agents wanted in the various towns in this portion of the State, to whom opportuni ties will be offered for large profits to themselves. SAMUEL B: HENRY. Philadelphia, July 15, 1857-3m.

WRIAL LIST, FOR AUGUST TERM, 1857

. (commencing 3d 2	lond	lay, 17th day.)
W. A. Wallace,	VS.	L. J. Crans,
M. Shirk,	vs	Wm. Jones,
Wilson,	<b>V8</b>	Williams,
M Enally,	W8	Comaford,
D. Adams,	VS.	Engle's adm'rs,
Philips' Executors.	VS.	J. Reams of al,
Mitchell & Mehaffey,	VS.	S. Tozer et al.
Hood & Miller,	VS.	Miller & Smith,
McGonigal.	VS.	Gaines,
Irwin & Hyman,	18	Blanchards,
Wilson,	VS	Mehaffey,
Thomas Carson,	VS	
John Draucker,	vs	B. Hartshorn,
Burtop.	VB	Brooks,
Lyon & Co.,	VS	Goss.
Hughes & Lloyd.	VS	Dunbar,
Mitchell & Mehaffey,	VS.	Construction of the second
Billington Trustee,	VS.	Goss,
Clearfield borough,	VS	Lawrence township,
Bloom,	. V8	Bloom.
GE	0. W	ALTERS, Proth'y.

SALES ! SALES !! SALES !!! SALES !!!! (BUT NOT SHERIFF'S SALES.)

AT THE "SHORT SHOE SHOP." FRANK SHORT informs his friends in general. and all man and woman kind in particular, that he has on hand a fine assortment of Gents' Gaiters, Ladies' and Children's Gaiters. Also, English Walking Shoes of his own manufacture, of French Patent Calf, French Calf without the Patand all other kinds of fine and coarse work constantly on hand, and the material to make anything in his line from a "eack" up to a backstrap Boot. Also, Findings of all kinds. (kit excepted.) Roan and Pink linings, Thread, Nails, Pegs, Heel-balls, Bristles and Moroccos; Bo Ladies' dressed and undressed Morocco French Morocco, Kid and Bindings of all kinds.

#### Come one! Come all! Give Shorty a Call!

and if you don't like the goods, don't soil them TERMS -One half CASH when you purchase, and the other half at the same time. FRANCIS SHORT.

june24-'57-3m. P. S. All old customers indebted to me, are requested to come forward and settle their accounts and save costs, as I am called upon to settle the other side of my books by my creditors, immedi-ately. If said customers have not got the "ready ately. they can give their notes. This is positive tin? FRANK SHORT ly the last notice.

# ORPHANS' COURT SALE -VALUABLE AW-MILL PROPERTY. Estate of Richard Curry. Sr., Dec'd.

In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Clearfield county, granted at May Term, 1857, there will be exposed to p iblic sale by outery, on the premises, on Monday the 10th day of August at 2 P. M., all that VALUABLE SAW-MILL PRO-PERTY and TIMBER STANDING, late the Estate of Richard Curry, Sr., dee'd, situate in Pike and Knox townships in said county, on Little Clear Creek, about one mile below New Millport. bounded and described as follows :- Beginning at a hemlock, corner of Wm. Rex's land, north 100 perches to a post, east 121 1-10 perches to post, north 140 perches to post, east 94 9-10 perches to post on Fitch & Boynton's land, south 240 perches to post and west by lands of Thompson & Sloppy perches to beginning, containing 205 acres and 216 112 perches and allowance, and having a saw-mil in good running order, with a new dam, and a small log house thereon, and having a large quantity of valuable pine and oak timber thereon, and a part of the land being valuable for farming purposes. Also, all the pine timber standing on 100 acres of land adjoining the same, now occupied by Geo. W. Curry, beginning the same, now occupied by Geo. W. Curry, beginning at sugar corner of Wm, Rex's land, east 121 1-10 perches by lands of Cur-ry's heirs to post, south 140 perches to post, west 121 1-10 perches to post, and south 140 perches to beginning. The title is indisputable. *Terms of Sale*.—One half on confirmation of the sale, and the balance in one year with interest, to be converd by indemnet upon the remainder.

secured by judgment upon the premises. JOHN S. CUERY,

WM. REX. July 1, 1857. Administrators

new county or otherw sent 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 con-stitution, strike out the words, "of the city of Phi-ladelphia, and of each county respectively," from section five, same article, strike out the words, "of Philadelphia and of the several conuties :" 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

thoreof insert the following : SECTION 4. In the year one thousand eight hun drod and sixty-four, and in every seventh year thereafter, representatives to the number of one hundred, shall be apportioned and distributed equally, throughout 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 suffi-cient 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 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 contigu ous territory as nearly equal in taxable population as possible ; but no ward shall be divided in the rmation thereof.

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

FOURTH AMENDMENT. There shall be an additional section to the first article of said constitution, which shall be numbered and read as follows : Section 26. The legislature shall have the pow

er to alter, revoke, or annul any charter of incor-poration hereafter conferred by, or under, any special, or general law, whenever in their opinion t may be injurious to the citizensof the commonwealth ; in such manner, however, that no injust tice shall be done to the corporators.

IS SENATE, March 27, 1857.

Resolved, That this resolution pass. On the first amendment, yeas 24, nays 7; on the second amendment, yeas 23, nays 8; on the third amendment, yeas 24, nays 4; on the fourth amendment.

yeas 23, navs 4. [Extract from the Journal.] GEO. W. HAMERSLY, Clerk.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 29, 1857. Resolved, That this resolution pass. On the

amendment, yeas 57, nays 34 ; on the third amend ment, yeas 72, nays 22; on the fourth amendment. yeas 83, nays 7.

first amendment, yeas 78, nays 12; on the second

Extract from the Journal ] JACOB ZEIGLER, Clerk.

Filed in the Secretary's office, May 2, 1857. A. G CURTIN.

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

#### SECRETARY'S OFFICE. HARRISBURG, June 22, 1857.

Pennsylvania, ss. I do certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original "Resolution oposing amendments to the Constitution of the mmonwealth," with the vote in each branch of the Legislature upon the final passage thereof, as appears from the originals on file in this office. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set

[L. S.] my hand and caused to be affixed the seal of the Secretary's Office, the day and year above written.

A. G. CURTIN. Secretary of the Commonwealth.

IN SENATE, March 27, 1857. The resolution proposing amendments to the constitution of the Commonwealth being under consideration,

On the question Will the Senate agree to the first amoudment The yeas and mays were taken agreeably to the

YEAS-Messrs, Anderson, Backhouse, Ball, Beck Bower, Calhoun, Campbell, Carty, Ent. Fausold Foster, Gilden, Hamel, Harper, Heines, Hiestand Hillegas, Hoffman, (Berks.) Housekeeper, Imbrie Innes, Jenkins, Johns, Johnson, Kauffman, Knight Leisenring, Longaker, Lovett, Manear, Maugle M'Hygin, Moorhead, Musselman, Nichols, Nicholson. Nunemacher, Pearson, Peters, Petrikin, Pow-nall, Purcell, Ramsey, (Philadelphia.) Ramsey (York.) Reamer, Roberts, Rupp, Shaw, Sloan, Tolan, Vail, Voeghley, Walter, Westbrook, Wharton, Zimmerman and Getz, Speaker-57.

provisions of the Constitution, and were as fol-

YEAS-Messrs Brower, Browne, Coffey, Ely, E-

vans, Fetter, Flenniken, Frazer, Ingram, Jordan,

Killinger, Knox, Laubach, Lewis, Myer, Scofield, Sellers, Shuman, Steele, Stranb, Welsh, Wilkins,

Wright and Taggart, Speaker-24. Navs-Messrs. Crabb, Cresswell, Finney, Gregg.

So the question was determined in the affirms

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Voeghley, Walter, Westbrook, Wharton, Williston,

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right, Zimmerman and Getz, Speaker-72. NAVS-Messrs, Arthur, Augustine, Backus, Bishop, Carty, Dock, Gildea, Hamilton, Hancock, Hine enkins, Knight, Leisenring. M Ilvain, Ramsey (Philadelphia.) Roberts, Struthers, Thorn, Walter, Warner, Wharton and Wintrode-22. So the question was determined in the affirma

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SECRETARY'S OFFICE

Harrisburg, June 22, 1857.

Pennsylvania, ss. I do certify that the above and foregoin true and correct copy of the "Yeas" and "Nays taken on the resolution proposing amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, as the same appears on the Journals of the two Hor the General Assembly of this Commonwealth for the session of 1857. Witness my hand and the seal of said of-

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