

S. B. ROW. EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR. CLEARFIELD, PA., JAN. 26, 1859.

THE KANSAS FRAUDS PROVEN.

Our readers will recollect that, during the controversies relating to the Lecompton constitutional question, frauds of the grossest kind were alleged to have been perpetrated in several of the election precincts of Kansas, the most noted of which, perhaps, were those of Oxford, in the county of Johnson, where 1628 votes, as indicated by the fraudulent returns, were cast, whilst according to the censns taken afterwards there were only fortythree voters in the district. The charges of trand, although originating with men of distinction and high character, were at the time sedulously denied by the friends of the National Administration, which was using its departments compelled to abandon their acinfluence and its patronage to force the obnoxious constitution upon a protesting people. The truth of these charges is now, however, being established in such a manner as should remove all doubts from the mind of every right-thinking person. The proof of forged returns having been made for the precinct of Oxford, has just been presented to the country in a shape that is entirely reliable. It comes through Ex-Gov. Walker and Ex-Secretary Stanton, of Kansas, who have issued an address "To the People of the United States," relative to the returns from that precinct, which they rejected on the 19th Oct. 1857, in which they embody a letter from Mr. Batt Jones, one of the Judges of the election at Oxford, whose name purported to authenticate the returns. In this letter, Jones says that he never subscribed them, nor authorized any one to do so for him, and consequently they are a forgery, as alleged at the time by Messrs. Walker and Stanton, and as such were properly rejected by them. There is, however, more importance to be attached to this circumstance than may at first sight appear. "Upon the face of the Lecompton Constitution," say Messrs. Walker and Stanton, "it appears that this Oxford forgery wae incorporated into, and made part of that instrument, by the legislative apportionment avowedly based upon it." Besides this they have no doubt "that the census and registration, purporting to have been taken in the fifteen counties out of thirty-eight which formed the sole basis of representation in the Convention, were largely contaminated with fraudulent and fictitious names, designed to give control of the Convention to the same parties who were the authors of the subsequent frauds at Oxford, Shawnee, Delaware, Kickapoo, and elsewhere, perpetrated under the Constitution itself." Thus, it is clear, that the Lecompton Constitution was based upon fraud and forgery, and should, for that reason, as Senator Hammond, of South Carolina, said, "have been kicked out of Congress." And yet, as Messrs. Walker and Stanton remark, the President of the United States, with the full knowledge of all the facts, urged upon Congress the sanction of this forgery. We are somewhat curious to know what the advocates of the Lecompton swindle will have to say now that the Kansas frauds are being proven. A short time since, Hon. John Covode, the member of Congress from the Westmoreland district in this State, acting upon the President's opinion as expressed in his letter to the committee of the centennial celebration of the taking of Fort Duquesne, that of late privilege of the floor of the House was lostyears money had been employed to carry elections, offered a resolution asking the appointment of a committee to inquire whether vania to influence the election of Members of has had the effect of arousing the "vengeful wrath" of a number of pseudo-Democratic editors, who make it a pretext for pitching into him rough-shod, and in order to withdraw attention from the corrupt and nefarious practices of their own party, they charge him with having used large sums of money to carry his own election. We are well acquainted with A. T. Newbold, 3d Chas. K. Engle, 4th Joseph Mr. Covode ; we know him to be what it will Yeager, 5th Thos. P. Knox, 6th Chas. Kelly, keep some of his maligners busy to be, "an 7th Adrian Cornell, 8th George M. Keim, 9th honest man," and we feel satisfied that he John Strohm, 10th John P. Rutherford, 11th would despise using any but fair and legiti- Amos E. Knapp, 12th E. W. Sturdevant, 13th mate means in a canvass. Where he is well H. D. Maxwell, 14th Wm. Jessup, 15th H. N. known, a refutation of such a story as is allu- McAllister, 16th Jacob S. Haldeman, 17th W. ded to would be unnecessary ; but as the re- Heyser, 18th Elias Baker, 19th John McFarport might, perhaps, be credited where he is land, 20th Joshua Wright, 21st John Murdoch, not acquainted, we deem it but an act of jns. Jr., 22d John Young, Jr., 28d Thos. J. Power, tice to an upright and honorable man to stig- 24th Henry Souther, 25th James Miles. Admatize it as it deserves-a base fabrication. ditional members of the Executive Commit-The very fact of Mr. Covode asking for a committee to investigate the corruption that is alleged to have been practiced in this State, is of itself sufficient to refute the charge made against him by unscrupulous politicians. THE AMERICAN FREEMASON-an Organ of Ancient Craft Mason, conducted by J. F. large amount of interesting miscellaneous reading, the Constitution, Laws, Usages and Regulations of the order are to be treated in such a manner that each one may understand his duties and responsibilities as a Mason. Architecture, an epitome of Masonic events like Hummel's cider, "ish very goot, aver it for the month, &c. Price-single copy \$3 a ish all any more !" year-2 copies \$5-6 copies \$12-8 copies \$16.

THE RAFTSMAN'S JOURNAL.

LETTER FROM HARRISBURG. Correspondence of the Rattsman's Journal.

JANUARY 22, 1859. FRIEND Row :- Petitions from 'Pine' county that is to be, continue to pour in to such an resolution to hold evening sessions for debate extent that I presume by this time the name (i. e., buncome speeches). of every man residing within the proposed limits of the new county, is now before the Committee on New Counties and County Seats in both the House and Senate. The prospect | lution, introduced by Mr. Seward, calling for is that a bill will soon be before the committee, but what its fate will be, I am not prepared to say. There are but three applications for new counties up to this time. At length both House and Senate have taken action on the Tariff question, by passing a resolution instructing our Senators and mem- adopted. Finally the Senate, after ordering bers of Congress to vote for a modification of the bill to be printed, that they might see ver 30 or 32 feet high to the eave-only onethe present system, in order that Pennsylvania interests may be protected. The resolutions were offered by Mr. Lawrence, of Wash- Mr. Sherman of Ohio, appointing a Commitington, last weck, and referred to a select tee of Five, to inquire into the truth of charcommittee, which made the following report on Tuesday :--

The experience of the past and present most fully demonstrates that it is a wise and beneficent policy of the General Governmert which dictates the imposition of duties on such prointerfere and prostrate the trade on our own soil and among our own citizens. For want of such aid the country is filled with foreign products, the result of cheap labor; the monetary affairs of the nation disarranged by the exportation of specie to pay an indebtedness abroad, and the citizens and laborers in many customed employment; especially do our own coal and iron interests suffer : therefore

Resolved by the Senate and House of Represen tatives, &c., That our Senators in Congress be instructed, and our Representatives be requested, to labor for the passage (at the present session) of such an act as will not only tend to increase the revenue by the imposition of duties, but afford adequate protection to all the interests of the country injured by the productions of the cheap labor of other countries, but more especially to urge an increase of duties on coal and iron-in which so large a portion of our people are deeply interested.

Resolved. That the views of the President, expressed in his late Annual Message, in reference to the advantage of specific over ad valorem duties, as more uniform, less liable to frauds, and affording the most certain amount | Cobb of Alabama reported a bill amendatory of revenue and protection, meets our most hearty approval.

Resolved. That the Governor be requested to forward each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress a copy of the above preamble and resolutions, informing them of the House went into Committee of the Whole their adoption.

The following named gentleman composed the committee :- G. V. Lawrence, P. C. Gritman, Geo. W. Wood, Jro. J. Patterson, George Wiley, W. P. Wilcox.

The resolutions were adopted with but two dissenting voices-Messrs. Goepp of Northampton, and Laird of Erie.

The resolutions came up in the Senate on Wednesday and passed a final reading unanimonaly.

Quite a large number of gentlemen identified with the coal and iron business were in Stanton of Ohio, did not see the utility of "advantages" of a bond, which, it is said, was

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS. JAN. 17 .- Congress did little but listen to

speeches called forth by the announcment of Col. Harris's death. The House adopted a

JAN. 18 .- The Senate adopted a joint resolution permitting Mr. Townsend Harris to accept a gold anuff-box from England. A resothe correspondence between our Government and Spain relative to the purchase of Cuba, was adopted. The Pacific Railroad bill occupied the remainder of the session. A number of amendments were rejected, and Mr. | tural symmetry and beauty, will at once ob-Bigler's substitute, somewhat amended, was what shape it now wore, adjourned in despair. half the hight of its width, and one-third as The House adopted a resolution, offered by ges importing that the Navy Department here and in Philadelphia has been guilty of favoritism in the award of contracts, and has used the public money for partisan purposes .-Should the inquiry be put into the right hands, ducts of foreign nations as come in such di- and be prosecuted with proper diligence, some recreating discoveries may be made, even at this late day. In Committee, the House struck out the enacting clause of Mr. Coch-

rane's bill to codify the Revenue laws, and then concurred, as the Honse, thus defeating than from 20 to 25 feet in the clear. The lowthe measure by a vote of 108 to 84. Mr. Cox of Ohio, made a speech on the "Law of growth," and the "Genius of our institutions," in which he took ultra filibuster grounds, and talked a great deal of second-hand nonsense. He was for the annexation of the whole world, and "the rest of mankind." Mr. Hickman made a speech on the Tariff. The majority and minority reports of the Committee upon the Oregon bill were presented.

JAN. 19 .- The Senate refused to lay the Pacific Railroad bill on the table, by a vote of 38 to 19. Mr. Bell withdrew his motion to re-commit the bill. The residue of the session was occupied with a discussion on the constitutionality of carrying the road within the limits of the States. In the House, Mr. of the pre-emption laws, by which three months' occupancy of the land is required. An attempt to table the bill proved unsuccessful; but, the morning hour having expired, on the Consular and Diplomatic bill. Mr. Keitt made a Cuba-stealing speech; in the course of which he was, however, honest enough to say that he did not believe the island could be purchased. The appropriation for a Minister to Persia was stricken out of the bill, on motion of Mr. Colfax. Mr. Lovejoy of Illinois moved to strike out all the appropriations for the salaries of Ministers and Commissioners, excepting-on the suggestion of Mr. Clark-the Minister to Spain. Mr. If they change the plan, they will lose the

For the "Raftsman's Journal." NEW COURT HOUSE.

Ma. EDITOR :- 1 wish to say a few words more on the New Court House Question. Duand specifications, known as the Thorn plan. According to it, the lower story is to be 13, and the upper 15 feet-the partition walls to up into some seven rooms. The building is to be 96 by 60 feet dimensions-to the length will be added the porch projection. Any person who has a correct conception of architecserve that there is no sort of proportion in the above figures. The building would not be ohigh as it would be long. This would give it a low, squatty, unseemly appearance, such as would no doubt induce any mechanic, who has any pride of reputation, to disown it as a specimen of his workmanship. But there are other objections than those that reter to the mere external appearance. Nine-inch partition walls are entirely too frail for a court house as large as the one proposed-the walls should be sufficiently substantial to render the building solid beyond all peradventure. The court room, to make it comfortable, as well as to give it fair proportions, should not be less

the county offices-say Prothonotary, Register & Recorder, Treasurer and Sheriff-would occupy one side ; then cut off from the other an office for the Commissioners, and make a hall out of the remainder, which could be used for public gatherings, without asking the use of the court room. I have thus, briefly, pointed out some defects, which, in my humble opinion, would destroy entirely the fair appearance, convenience, and, in some measure, the utility of the building. If we are to have a new court house, let us have a respectable and | caused her death. creditable one-not a "botch." of which we will be ashamed. But, says some one, it you make these changes in the plan, the signers of a certain bond will be released from its conadvantages of that offer. As a matter of course, that will be the case; and, after examining the meagre and imperfect specifications, almost any person will conclude that a deviation from the plan is inevitable, and, perhaps. it may be that the signers of that famous document anticipated a release from its stipulations on that very ground-and if the Commissioners do go on and let the contract on the 29th, I will venture the guess that such will be the result. So far as the Commissioners are concerned, they stand in an unenviable position. If they get a house built on the plan

er floor should be divided off so that four of

before them, they will have an ill-proportioned, incommodious and discreditable building.

PENNSYLVANIA ITEMS. PREPARED FOR THE "RAFTSMAN'S JOURNAL."?

CENTRE COUNTY .- Two men, John Kennedy and Mr. O'Laughlin, on the line of the Bellefonte and Snowshoe Railroad, were injured ring the past week I had an opportunity of on the 12th January, by the explosion of a seeing, in the Commissioners' office, the plan blast, which had failed to go off, and which they then commenced working about. Although a number of workmen were around at the time, none were injured but the two named. O'Laughlin's injuries are slight, but it is be 9 inches thick, and the lower floor to be cut | feared Kennedy's will prove fatal. . . . Several men and horses made a narrow escape from drowning in the Bald Eagle near Milesburg, one day last week. They were cutting and hanling ice, and whilst on the ice it gave a way, precipitating men and terms juto the water. It was with much difficulty that they were rescued. . . . Mr. Clarke Brisbin, a resident of Potter township, met with an accident the following day. He was engaged hauling wood, and it is supposed that the horse frightened and ran away, as he was found in the woods greatly injured both externally and internally. . . . A series of religious revivals are in progress in the Lutheran church at Boalsburg, and in the Methodist churches at Howard, Unionville and Milesburg. . . . Mr. Daniel Musser, of Boalsburg, while out in the "Seven Monntains" on a hunting excurs on, came across three deers, and being an expert and experienced hunter, he succeeded in killing two of them at one shot. . . . Mr. John Fry, of Potter township, who was accidently shot by a friend, while bunting, some time since, is fast recovering.

INDIANA COUNTY .- On the 6th inst., Mr. George Devers, of Canoe township, had his left hand entirely blown away by the bursting of a musket. He, with a party of other young men, were at the time of the accident engaged at serenading Mr. Isaic Bowers and M iss Reed, who were married that evening. . Mr. John Simms and son, and Mr.Wm. Moses. of Blairsville, while at work mining coal in the bank of Mr. R. Smith, were severely injured on the 13th, by the falling of a large quantity of slate and rock. . . . On the 8th, Mr. Jacob Peelor, of Armstrong township, broke two of his ribs by a fall which he re ceived. . . . A few days since, Miss Sarah Jane Adams, of Burrell township, aged 16, died of ervsipelas. The first indication of the disease was a small pimple on the chin, which in a day or two spread over her face and neck and

MERCER COUSTY .- Rev. Wm. Smith, of Delaware tp., fell dead while in the act of winding his clock, on Sanday evening, 9th inst. He had preached a sermon that afternoon-his last. He fell into the arms of his ditions, and the county will lose the boasted daughter-dead. Disease of the heart was the cause of this sad exit. . . . A Mr. Hubbard of West Greenville, returned home from a hunting excursion in Tioneseta Forest, last week, having killed 13 deer.

> CLINTON COUNTY .- A young man while skating on the river at Lock Haven Tuesday alternoon the 18th, accidently fell in an air hole, and received a complete ducking .-Through the assistance of his comrades he was soon rescued from his unpleasant situation.

> JEFFERSON COUNTY .- A little son of Mr. John Condron, near Punxsutawney, came to an untimely death recently, by its clothes taking fire while its mother was absent at a neighboring house.

A meeting has been held in Grant county. Wisconsin, at which resolutions were passed pledging the people against the payment of doit has been prozen by experiment on many of the taxes, State, county, and town. The reasons worst cases to be found of the following complaints : assigned are that there has been much extrav-

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	-L. J. CRANS.
ay 20. 1857.	Clearfield.

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CARD.-MISS CONSTANT, late from the East C respectfully announces herself to the citi-zens of Clearfield, and the County generally, that she is prepared to give instruction in Music-Piano. Melodeon and Guitar-and also in the French on the 12th, which resulted in his death on-the following day. He was engaged hauling all who may be interested in the above to the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. McLeod. TERMS, S8 in advance. or S10 if not in advance. Dec. 8, 1858.

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COAL ! COAL ! !- The subscriber respectful-ly informs the citizens of the borough of Clearleld and vicinity that he has taken a lease of Judge Moore's Coal Bank, adjoining the town, where he will keep constantly on hand a full sup-ply of the article, either lump or mixed, to said purchasers. Persons in town can be supplied with it at their homes at six cents per bushel, or at the bank lower than ever A share of public patro age is solicited. PATRICK MULVANEY Clearfield, Sept. 1, 1858.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY .- The un dersigned respectfully informs his custo mers and the public generally that he has just received from the East, and opened at his establish-ment in Shaw's Row, Clearfield, Pa., a fine stock of Watches, of different qualities, and Jewelry of every variety, from a full set to a single piece, which he will sell at the most reasonable prices for Cash. All kinds of Clocks, Watches and Jew eiry carefully repaired and warranted. A continuance of patronage is solicited. November 10, 1858. II. F. NAUGLR.

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Read the new advertisements.

town, and immediately on the passage of the resolutions they made arrangements to go to Mr. Scales of North Carolina cried for rethe people will have upon the dignitaries at the Federal City remains to be seen.

If there is to be any local legislation for the benefit of your people, I must say that those who expect it are tardy about rushing it in. The bill abolishing the Canal Board came up in the Senate on Wednesday, but it was soon surrounded and hemmed in by barriers in the shape of amendments which gave rise to a lengthy debate, which ended in the bill being left in the hands of the committee, with leave to sit again. The fact is, some of the Senators have friends with "claims," and they did not wish to see the Board abolished on the 10th of February without some provision that the claimants, "their heirs, assigns, executors or administrators forever." may push these claims for all time to come.

I believe I told you about the Donnavan and Church affair. Yesterday a re-consideration of the vote on expelling Donnavan from the yeas 44, nays 40.

The everlasting "Record" business has been disposed of so far as the House is concerned, any money had been used last fall in Pennsyl- by a party vote, rescinding the contract made with Haldeman last session. So far so good, Congress, &c. This motion of Mr. Covode | but it still has to go through the Senate, and a party vote there would certainly shelve Bergner & Co.'s prospects.

> The State Agricultural Society held its annual meeting on Tuesday last and elected the following officers to serve during the ensuing year :- President, David Taggart ; Vice Presidents, 1st district, Geo. W. Woodward, 2d were delivered by Messrs. Purviance, Thomptee-Fred. Watts, Jas. Gowen, W. A. Stokes. Simon Cameron, Jacob Mish. Chemist and Geologist-Prof. S. S. Haldeman. Librarian, Henry Gilbert.

The abolition of the Canal Board came up again in the Senate on Thursday, when Mr. furney offered an amendment for the immediate abolition of the Board, inasmuch as the town was filled with buzzards who were en-Brennan, 221 Centre street, New York, is a the Commonwealth, which had no foundation monthly periodical that every member of the in fact. Several of these old condemned fraternity should have, if possible. Besides a claims were re-opened, and allowed by Messrs. Scott and Frazer, one of which created some lowing him a claim for upwards of \$5,000 for ben and Adrain on the part of Hon. Wm. this oil. wood furnished the State on the Portage Rail Montgomery, and Messrs. Lane and Niblack Road in 1856. The Senate passed the amended bill without a dissenting voice, and it was The magazine will also contain a history of the amendment yesterday. So the Board, with his cane was only a mistake. Mr. Mont-Yours,

yesterday, until 3 o'clock on Monday.

Ministers; Mr. Crawford of Georgia did. Washington in a body. What effect this u- trenchment. Mr. Lovejoy's amendment was nanimous expression of the representatives of finally rejected, but by only twelve majority. Motions to strike out the salaries of Ministers at Rome and Switzerland, prevailed. In the evening session, Mr. Humphrey Marshall of Kentucky, made an elaborate political harangue, ostensibly in reply to recent speeches of Messrs. Seward, Giddings and Washburn. Other members had leave to print their remarks-a practice to which Mr. Burnett sensibly objected.

> JAN. 20 .- The Senate passed the Invalid Pension bill. Mr. Benjamin reported a substitute for Mr. Mason's by which the warmaking power is conferred upon the Executive. The main difference between the substitute and the original bill is, that the President is by the former required to make an immediate report to Congress of what he may do under previous provisions. After further discussion of the Pacific Railroad bill, the Senate adjourned. In the House, the Committee on Mr. Sherman's motion to investigate charges of corruption in the Navy Department was announced. It consists of two Republicans, two Democrats, and one American, as follows: John Sherman (O.), Chairman; Wm. S. Groesbeck, Ohio, Chas. Ready, Tenn., Thos. S. Bocock, Va., David Ritchie, Pa. Taking up the bill amending the Pre-emption Laws, the House adopted Mr. Grow's amendment. prohibiting the exposure of public lands for sale unless returns of the surveys thereof shall have been made ten years or more previously, and then rejected the bill by four majority. In the evening session speeches

son and Phelps of Minnesota. JAN. 22 .- The time of Congress was taken up with the private calender.

JAN. 23 .- The Senate not in Session. The resolutions in favor of a protective tariff from the Legislature of Pennsylvania.

THE SCALPEL .- We omitted last week to notice the receipt of the January No. of this interesting and valuable quarterly, published in New York by Dr. Dixon. The Scalpel is not, as its name might seem to indicate, a medical the humbuggeries of modern practice in a cessive rain tor some days past. truly refreshing style. It is to be regretted gaged in digging out old rotten claims against that there are not more as independent and outspoken writers as the editor of the Scalpel.

> It appears by a card published in the newson the part of Hon. Wm. H. English, that English's hitting-Montgomery over the head gomery not having offered any insult which authorized the violence, and Mr. English

SPECIAL. N. B. Both Houses adjourned at l o'clock having apologized to Montgomery for his mistake, the difficulty is settled !

the inducement for using so much haste in advertising the letting. And this may not be all. procured a much better plan, and, perhaps, received a much more liberal proposal. Let them take which "horn of the dilemma" they please, they will suffer in the public estimation, notwithstanding they may have been actuated by the best of motives. OLDTOWN. -----

THE DONEVAN AND CHURCH AFFAIR .- OUT readers will recollect that C. M. Donevan, an ex-member of the State Legislature, on the 14th January, committed a most brutal assault and battery upon the person of Mr. Church. member elect to the House of Representatives from Philadelphia. After the adjournment of the House, Donevan met Church, whose seat he is contesting, in the street, and after an angry conversation, proceeded to assault him with a cow-hide. The parties were separated, and the next day the assailant was expelled from the floor of the House by a resolution of that body. Donevan, who is by no means a peaceable man, was bound over to answer the charge of assault and battery at the next sessions of Dauphin county. On last Friday the case came up, and after a hearing the Jury rendered a verdict of guilty.

PAY OF CONGRESSMEN .- The present session gives to members a thousand dollars a month, besides mileage and perquisites. Deducting the Sundays and hollidays, the present "short session will allow about 60 working days; for, by constitutional requirement, it must close amination, sent on receipt of 12 cents. Directors on the third of March next, which will give to members nearly fifly dollars per day for every day employed, exclusive of mileage."

A correspondent of the Hamilton, Canada, Spectator, says if a railroad should be built through the British dominions to the Pacific, it would cost £50,000,000, and for six months House, after considerable objection, received of the year the track would be covered with snow, and with water for another four months. Under these circumstances, he thinks it not prudent for capitalists to invest in the enterprise.

A letter from Madrid, Spain, says : "We have received news of a terrible catastrophe. The rich lead mines of Linares, belonging to publication-on the contrary, it dissects with the State, have fallen in, and it is said buried unsparing hand, and lays open in the plainest in their ruins more than 70 miners, of whom manner, the defects and deformities of the upwards of 30 have been taken out dead. The body professional, and cuts its way through falling in of the earth is attributed to the ex-

DuVall's Galvanic Oil .- Billious Cholic was cured in ten minutes-ask P. A. Brand, of Harrisburg, Pa. Piles of ten years' standing cured by one bottle, and many others of the little excitement. It was to A. M. White, al- papers over the signatures of Messrs. McKib- same character cured soundly by the use of

> Mr. Machodo has imported one hundred camels into Texas, with a view of their introduction, not only into the army, but for agricultural purposes.

What has become of the January No. of the Attantic Monthly ? Can the publisher tell ? We can't do without your valuable periodical.

agance in public expenditure-that Providence has withheld its usual bounties from the people, and that it is but just that the office hold-If they had taken more time, they might have ers should share in the general compulsory cconomy induced by the hard times.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A CARD .- A. M. Hills would inform his pat-rons that he will be absent from his office during the three first weeks in February on a Professional visit to Eik county. January 25.

CAUTION .- All persons are notified not to meddle with the following property now in possession of James M. Leonard, as the same belongs to me and subject to my order only, to wit One Roan Colt and a lot of Hay in the barr

B D. SCHOONOVER Morris township, Jan. 22, 1859-jan25-3rp.

WARM FOR SALE OR RENT .- The undersigned offers for sale or rent his farm of 50 acres of land; 25 acres of which is cleared and the balance well timbered with white oak, maple and hemlock; there is a good house and barn thereon. The property is situated 15 miles from Clearfield town on the Pike leading to Luthersburg. Those desirons of buying or renting, will please apply soon, as I am bound to pitch my "wig-wam" in the West, soon. Possessies will be my wig-wam" in the Wess, Apply to given at any time. Apply to C. R. MACUMBER,

Lawrence tp., Clearfield co., Pa., Jan. 26, '59-3m THO TEACHERS, DIRECTORS, AND PA-

RENTS .- The Practical Orthographic Chart, designed to exhibit the Natural and Organic Arrangement of the sounds heard in the English Lan-guage." and the "Key" to the same. "Containing Definitions and Forms for Orthographic Analysis are now published, and will be sent by mail. postpaid, on receipt of the prices, being as follows -One Chart and Key, 50 cents: One Chart in colors, and Key, 60 cents ; Two Charts and three Keys, \$1 ; Four Charts and eight Keys, \$2; Ten Charts desiring to supply their districts, will be allowed a reasonable discount on the above prices Less than one dollar may be remitted in postage stamps. Address, JOHN W. POULKS, Address, JOHN W. FOCUMARA, 199 Indiana, Indiana co., Pa. Jan. 26, '59.

DROPOSALS WANTED -- Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Co sioners of Clearfield county, in Clearfield, until the 29th day of January, 1859, for the building of a new Court House, 60 feet front by 96 deep, with offices beneath and court room above, with firs proof vaults for Prothonotary's, Register's and Commissioners' offices. Specifications can be seen at the office of R. J. Wallace, Clerk, for ten days preceding the 29th day of January, 1859. Propo sals are desired to express what the contract will be taken for, the contractors to take the ol i material of Court House and offices. All proposals must be accompanied by the name of a responsi ble surety, residing in the County of Clearfield. JOHN IRWIN.

GEORGE ERHARD, WM. MCCRACKEN, County Com-missioners. Attest-R. J. Wallace, Clerk.

Commissioners' Office, Jan. 12, 1859-jan 19.

OOK HERE ! LOOK HERE !!- The undersigned take this method of informing the public generally that they have entered into copartnership in the Blacksmithing business, can be found at the shop formerly occupied by Jaand cob Shunkweiler, on Third street, in the borough of Clearfield, where they will be pleased to see their old customers, and as many new ones as can make it convenient, to give them a call.

Bring on your hoes. your spades, and picks, Your log chains and your pulling sticks, Your sleds, your sleighs, your horse and mare, No three-year old, shall then go bare. Your spears we'll work up then just right,

To pruning hooks for every hight. Your swords too, shall then be wrought To plough-shares such as Cann ne'er bought

J. SHUNKWEILER Dec. 6, 1858. GEORGE W. ORR. SUGAR .- White and Brown sugar to be had at November 25. WM. F. IRWINS' Let of good Grindstones, with fixtures, for sale A JOHN PATION, Curwensville.

Price S1 per Bottle; Six Bottles for \$5. AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, has won for itself such a renown for the cure of every varie-ty of Throat and Lung complaint, that it is entirely unnecessary for us to recount the evidence of its virtues, wherever it has been employed As it has long been in constant use throughout this section, we need not do more than assure the people that its quality is kept up to the best it ever has been, and that it may be relied on to do for their relief all it has ever been found to do.

AVER'S CATHARTIC PILLS, for the care of Costiveness. Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Bysentery, Foul Stomach, Erysipelas, Headache, Piles, Rheumatism, Eruptions and Skin Diseases. Liver Complaint, Dropsy, Tetter, Tumors and Salt Rheam, Worms, Gout, Neuralgia, as a Dinner Pill, and for Purifying the Blood. They are sugar-conted, so that the most sensitive can take them pleasantly, and they are the best aperient in the world for all the purposes of a family physic. Price 25 cents per Box : Five Boxes for \$1.00.

Great numbers of Clergymen. Physicians, Statesmen, and eminent personages, have lent their names to certify the unparalleled usefulness of these remedies, but our space here will not permit the in sertion of them. The Agents below named furnish gratis our American Almonae in which they aro given; with also full descriptions of the above omplaints and the treatment that should be followed for their cure. Do not be put off by unprincipled dealers with other preparations they make more profit on. Demand Ayer's and take no others. The sick want the best aid there is for them, and they should have it.

All our Remedies are for sale by C D. Watson and M. A. Frank, Clearfield; E. F. Brenner, Morrisdale : C. R. Foster, Philipsburg ; John Bing, Unionville : Wm. Irvin, Curwensville ; Samuel Arnold, Luthersburg ; and by all Druggists, thro' out the country. December 29, 1858.

SHAWLS AND BONNETS, a full assortment at December 1. KRATZERS