

GUNPOWDER FOR THE REBELS.—The Confederate government has been informed says the Charleston Mercury, that the Governor of Louisiana had taken possession of two hundred tons of sulphur in his State, for the purpose of making gunpowder for the army.

CLEARFIELD, PA., AUG. 7, 1861.

THE VOLUNTEER SOLDIERS.

The returning home of the three months men, is a matter of some conjuncture among the people. They cannot see the propriety of permitting the withdrawal of this efficient corps, at this time; thereby endangering the safety of the capital.

A SECESSION DAGGER.—A member of the N. Y. 9th brought with him a weapon which he captured in Secession, and which would do to put in some museum of curiosities along with the war tools of New Zealand savages, or the poisoned stilettos of Italian or Spanish bravos.

SUMMARY OF WAR NEWS.

JULY 20.—Gen. McClellan, it is said, has expressed the opinion that this will be an extended war, and asks as many batteries as it is possible to procure.

JULY 31.—The whole army embraced in the command of Major General Banks save three companies of the Massachusetts Second, is lying on the Maryland side of the Potomac, which is by a more healthful region than Harper's Ferry.

NOTICE.—We have placed our books in the hands of William Field, Esq. in the Borough of New Washington, for settlement, where all those having unsettled accounts are earnestly requested to call and settle before the 10th day of September next.

It is said, that Fort Fillmore, Texas, has been reinforced with ten companies; also that Col. Couly has fitted out such expeditions against Fort Bliss, now held by the Texans, as makes its capture certain.

There have been more arrests for treason at Washington, and the traitors are being well stirred up.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

To insure attention, the CASH must accompany notices, as follows:—All Cautions with \$1; Strays, \$1; Auditors' notices, \$1.50; Administrators' and Executors' notices, \$1.50; and all other transient notices at the same rate.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Austin Brown, late of Huston township, Clearfield county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

CAUTION.—All persons are cautioned against purchasing or meddling with the following property, now in possession of Wm. B. Thompson of Chest township: One yoke of oxen, one cow, one heifer, nine hogs, a quantity of hay and grain.

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STATEMENT OF THE Clearfield County Bank for the month ending July 31st, 1861.

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities. Assets include Bills discounted (\$23,506 51), Pennsylvania State loans (\$21,950 75), Specie (\$4,882 68), Due from other banks (\$9,222 27), Notes of other banks (\$707 00), Checks, drafts, etc. (\$16 30), Currents (\$1,239 46), Expense of plate engraving (\$674 75), Loss and Expense (\$747 48). Total Assets: \$61,619 20.

JAMES E. GRAHAM, Cashier. Clearfield, Pa., July 31, 1861.

Mr. Row.—Please announce the name of Isaac Glass of Woodward township, as a suitable person for Commissioner, subject to the decision of the County Convention.

Mr. S. J. Row.—I desire to announce the name of G. P. Guelich for Associate Judge, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

Mr. Editor.—Please announce Joab Rider of Karkhans township, for Commissioner, subject to the decision of the county convention.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—Please announce the name of William Williams of Jordan township for Treasurer, subject to the nominating convention.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—I desire to present the name of Wm. F. Irwin, of Clearfield Borough, as a suitable person for Associate Judge, subject to the action of the nominating convention.

Mr. Row.—Please announce the name of Jacob Mock of Kyrletown, for Commissioner, subject to the decision of the County Convention.

Mr. S. J. Row.—I desire to announce the name of J. B. Enally, Esq. of Clearfield Borough, for the Legislature, subject to the approval of the Republican county convention.

Mr. Row.—Please announce the name of J. W. Wright of Bearcreek township as a suitable person to represent this district in the next Legislature, subject to the approval of the nominating convention.

Mr. Row.—Please announce the name of DANIEL AYERS of Deatur township, as a suitable person to represent this county in the Legislature, subject to the nomination of the Republican convention.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—You will please announce John M. Chase of Woodward township as a candidate for the Legislature, subject to the Republican County Convention.

Mr. Editor.—Allow me to present the name of ROBERT GRAHAM of Guelich township, for Sheriff of Clearfield county, subject to the decision of the county convention.

Mr. S. J. Row.—I beg leave to present the name of THEOPHILAS G. MORE of Woodward township, to the people of this county for the office of Sheriff, subject to the Republican nominating convention.

Mr. Row.—Please announce Isaac Scofield of Brady township as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.

Mr. Row.—You will please announce John Carville of Brady township for the office of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Republican county Convention.

Mr. S. J. Row.—I beg leave to present the name of Daniel Livingston of Curwensville, to the County Convention; for Sheriff, subject to the action of that body.

Mr. S. J. Row.—I desire to announce the name of William Caldwell of Pike township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the County Convention.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—You will please announce Wm. McCullough Sr. of Lawrence township as a Union candidate for Sheriff; subject, however, to the nominating Convention.

Mr. Row.—Allow me to present the name of Joshua J. Tate, of Lawrence township, to the nominating Convention, as a suitable person for Associate Judge.

Mr. Editor.—You will please announce T. B. Davis of Ferguson township, for Associate Judge, subject to the Republican County Convention for nomination.

SECOND ANNUAL FAIR OF the Clearfield County Agricultural Society.

to be held at the Borough of Clearfield, on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th days of October, A. D. 1861.

ELLIS IRWIN, President; D. F. Eitelweir, Secretary; L. F. Irwin, Cor. Secretary; James Wright, Treasurer; J. F. Weaver, Librarian. Gen. A. M. Hills, Marshal. Wm. Ten Eyck, Chief of Police.

Free Admission, Entry Fees, &c. Single admissions, 15 cts.—children under 12 yrs 10c. Tickets for a single day, 25 cts.

Class No. 1.—Sweepstakes—Open to all breeders and competitors. Best bull, premium \$10.00—2d best, \$5.00.

Class No. 2.—Grade Cattle. Best cow, \$10.00—2d best, \$5.00. Best heifer, 5.00—2d best, 2.50.

Class No. 3.—Oxen. Best fat bullock, cow or heifer, over 2yrs old \$5 00 2d best, 2.50.

Class No. 4.—Horses—open to all. Best stallion, \$15.00—2d best, \$5.00. Best mare and colt 10.00—2d best, 5.00.

Class No. 5.—Thoroughbred horses—open to all. The premiums in this class are intended only for horses, whose pedigrees render them worthy of the society.

Class No. 6.—Riding, Draft, and Farm horses. Best saddle horse, \$3.00. Best matched carriage horses, Youatt on the horse and 3.00.

Class No. 7.—Trotting horses—open to all. Best time 3 in 5, trotting in single harness, Youatt on the horse, and \$30.00.

Class No. 8.—Horses owned in county. Best trotting horse or mare, under saddle, Youatt on the horse, 3.00.

Class No. 9.—Sheep and wool. Best buck, any breed, Allen's Farm Book & \$2.00. Best Ewe, any breed, Allen's Farm Book & 2.00.

Class No. 10.—Swine open to all. Best boar any breed, Young Farmers Manual & 2.00. Best breeding Sow, Farmer & Gardner and 2.00.

Class No. 11.—Poultry. Best coop spring chickens not less than 6, \$1.00. Heavy turkey \$1.00—Best display of chickens 1.00.

Class No. 12.—Plowing. Owner of team and plow, who plows green sward the best, Young Farmers Manual & \$3.00.

Class No. 13.—Plows, Rovers and Drills, Harrows and Cultivators. Best Plow for stable or sward, \$2.00.

Class No. 14.—Miscellaneous farming implements. Best Hoe, \$1.00—Best stump puller \$3.00.

Class No. 15.—Wheat, Barley, Corn &c. Acre of winter wheat, Farmer and Gardner & \$3.00.

Class No. 16.—Wheat, Barley, Corn &c. Field of Wheat 4 to 10 acres, American Ag. & 3.00.

Class No. 17.—Butter and Cheese. Best 15 lbs Butter, \$1.00—Best Cheese, \$1.00.

Class No. 18.—Flour. Best barrel Flour \$2.00—Best 50 lbs rye flour \$1.00.

Class No. 19.—Domestic Articles. Best Box or jar of Honey \$1.00. Best 10 lb maple sugar, 50c.

Class No. 20.—Domestic Manufactures. Best 10 yds flannel \$1.00—Best 10 yds satin \$1.00.

Best 15 yards rag carpet (wool chain) 1.00. Best woolen covered bed, Best 10 yds cloth 1.00.

Best pair of woollen knit stockings 50c. Best 1 lb linen sewing thread 50c.

Best specimen of Knitting, knitting or needle work by Miss Under 10yrs old 50c.

Best 1 lb stocking year 50—Best foot mat 50c. Best straw bonnet 50c.

Best pair cotton knit stockings 50c. Best straw hat, \$0.50—Best 10 yards cloth 1.00.

Best specimen of embroidery in lace 50c. Best specimen of embroidery in muslin, 50c.

Best specimen of needle work on Machine 50c. Best group of flowers in worsted, 50c.

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What more striking contrast could be presented—what one that would tell more favorably for the Union, than this between the freedom of the Northern soldier and the enslavement of the Southern? In the South we see men everywhere, not only drafted, but impressed.

JENKINSON DAVIS IN 1858.—In the summer of 1858 Jefferson Davis in a speech at Faneuil Hall, Boston, uttered the following language: "Among culprits, there is none more odious to my mind than a public officer who takes pains to support the Constitution—the compact between the States binding each other for the common defence and general welfare of the other—yet retains to himself a mental reservation that he will war upon the principles he has sworn to maintain, and upon the property rights, the protection of which are part of the compact of the Union."

MISSOURI STATE CONVENTION.—The State Convention which assembled at Jefferson City several weeks since, by a vote of 56 to 25, on the 30th of July declared vacant the offices of Governor, Lieut-Governor, and Secretary of State.

REBELS IN GOVERNMENT SERVICE.—The revelations which are being made before Mr. Potter's special committee on the departments are somewhat startling. Thus far he has evidence that secessionists still continue to be employed in most every department under government.

INHUMANITY.—The refusal of the Rebel army to receive our flag of truce to look after the dead and wounded is almost without a parallel. The battle-field could be approached and examined without our obtaining any knowledge of their batteries or other military operations.

AMERICA AT THE NEXT WORLD'S FAIR.—A resolution has passed the Senate and House of Representatives, appropriating \$2,000 in order that the President may adopt measures to insure a representation of the United States at the next World's Fair, to be held in London in 1862.

POLITICS IN OHIO.—The Republicans in Ohio have called their State Convention, and in place of a strict Party Convention they have taken advantage of the discontent that exists at the terms of the Democratic call, and invited a Convention of all loyal citizens who support the administration in its present war policy.

A LONG LINE OF PICKETS.—It is announced that Gen. McClellan has determined to extend the pickets all the way from the entrenchments opposite Washington to Harper's Ferry, a distance of over eighty miles. It is only by this means that communication between the secessionists in Maryland and the rebels in Virginia can be entirely cut off.

HAVERLOCK.—The name of the gallant Indian General is almost universally applied to the sunshades of our troops. Anybody who will study Egyptian paintings will see that shades of the same cut were used in the same way by the Egyptian troops before Moses' time.

STRAY SHEEP.—Came to the premises of the subscriber in Chest township in May last, some 20 small poor sheep; the owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take them away or they will be disposed of according to law.