The Richmond Tragedy.

93 Some three weeks ago we noticed briefly ment of his life. the death of a Mr. D. M. Hoyt, by the hand of a Mr. Myers, of Richmond, Va. Hoyt was suspecand his brother, and another man, as accessories, for the murder of Hoyt, was still progressing at Richmond at the last dutes. A very large number of letters were produced, in the course of the investigation, from Mrs. Myers to Mr. Hoyt, couched in the most criminal language, calling him her "only love," and a hundred other such expressions, and vowing "eternal constancy to him, and to him alone." The following statement would seem to give rise to doubts as to the guilt of Hoyt-and if not guilty, then the affair is certainly a very myss

S. Burr, who were present, as accessories. The following was the evidence of James Evans, before the jury.

him to call on me and obtain my services, in my official capacity, as a magistrate of the laws are likely to inflict. the city of Richmond. I proceeded to Mr. Hoyt's office, and on arriving there found him in bed. He intimated to Dr. Carmichael that he was desirous of mak. ing a statement on oath of the occurrence of the morning. I swore him after the following form? 'You do solemnly and truly swear, in the presence of Almighty God, that the statements you are now a you God." He then proceeded to make a statement, which I put down in writing on erected, being part of Lot No. 79 in the him and subscribed to by witnesses. The plan of said town. following is the statement :

State of Virginia-City of Richmond. to wit :-

This day, D. Marvin Hoyt, being duty sworn, deposeth and saith : While being asleep, between the hours of six and seven o'clock this morning, some one knock ed at the door of my room, and I told them to come in, the office being open, the servant having just been in. The person entering was Wm. S. Bucr, who stated that he called upon a very unpleasant business. handing me a paper at the same time, and hoped I would sign it, as it would prevent any further difficulty-saying that the public were against me. While in the act of reading the paper, Col. S. S. Myers and his brother William entered my room. Col. Myers wished me to sign the paper immediately. I declined signing it. Wm. R. Myers immediately presented a pistol at my head, and snapped it; it mised fire. He pulled the trigger again, but whether it exploded I am unable to say. I immediately jumped out of bed, and while in the act of getting out, or immedialely after I got out, the pistol was fired survey containing 400 acres and 10 ps. two or three times, as I can recollect. received one or more balls in my thigh. soon after fell to the floor, and rolled down the steps, the two Myers' left the room .-Wm. S. Burr I have no recollection of having seen after the snapping of the pispol. While lying on the floor, and not expecting to live many minutes, and in the presence of the two Mvers', I said that I was innocent of any crime, and the ladv in question also-and I now repeat the same, and shall to the moment of my death. D. M. Hoyr.

Witnesses-E. H. Carmichael, Frederick Boyden, Thompson Tyler, E. B. Pendleton, M. B. Poitiaux, ir.

After Mr. Hoyt had signed the paper, and attested to the truth of the statements, I retired beyond his immediate presence. and told the doctor it might be a matter of some consequence to ascertain from Mr. H. what were his convictions in relation to his situation—whether he made this of Decatur. statement under the impression that he would die, or had any hope of living. The that his mind was very much composed; 433 acres 153 perches. The interest of not live. I returned to Mr. H's. bedside in company with Dr. Carmichael, and ask. ed the question, whether the statements the name of Thomas Grant situate in the belief that he would die, or in the hope that he would live. He answered-"I make the statements under the impression that I am to die. I never was placed in a situation of this kind before, therefore I cannot tell-but I make them under the belief that I cannot live long, and I now repeat them, and shall to the moment of my death." His last remarks were delivered in an under tone, not speaking very loud at any time, but sufficiently loud to be heard by all in the room. I never saw any one exhibit more composure than did Mr. Hoyt during the delivery of his statements of this murder, or what you choose to call it. When I arrived at his room, he was lying on his left side, and a large quantity of blood had collected around him in the bed, which was in front of the door. A bible was in the office in a private place.

The following is a copy of the note handed to Mr. Hoyt for his signature.

I, D. Maavin Hoyt, of the city of Rich mond, do hereby pledge myself to leave the said city forthwith, & never to return the terms and conditions of sale to any apto it; acknowledging at the same time the penalty for any violation of this pledge to the to each parcel, show the drafts, and be the forfeiture of my life.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 28, 1846. Mr. Hoyt, it was also stated, reiterated the truth of his affidavit up to the last mo?

As the question now seems to be only whether Mr. Hoyt was or was 'not guilty ted of having guilty intercourse with the with the of improper intercourse with the wife of wife of Myers. The trial of Myers, as principal, Mr. Myers, the fact of his murder being admitted by the accused parties, it may be proper to give publication to the fellowing statement which we find in the

New York Commercial Advertiser : "We had some conversation last evening with the gentleman of whom we have before spoken as acquainted with Mr Hoyt, and cognizant, to some extent, of the refirst spoke with him he has discussed the whole matter with an intimate friend of competent artists, will, hereafter, grace our columns Mr. Hoyt, a resident of this city, and whom Mr. Hoyt had taken into his confi-The Baltimore Sun of the 14th instant dence on the subject. We shall not make original tales of the first American writers, grace the 83y5: We yesterday announced that the correspondence of this paper. We eschew the common practice of copying stories from foreign magnizines, rendered a verdict of murder against, Mr. if the account we now have is true—and the correspondence of this paper. We eschew the common practice of copying stories from foreign magnizines, except in rare instance—pictures of American life, and the romance of this paper. We eschew the common practice of copying stories from foreign magnizines, and the rendered a verdict of murder against, Mr. if the account we now have is true—and the romance of this paper. We eschew the common practice of copying stories from foreign magnizines, and the rendered a verdict of murder against, Mr. if the account we now have is true—and the rendered a verdict of murder against, Mr. if the account we now have is true—and the rendered a verdict of murder against, Mr. if the account we now have is true—and the rendered a verdict of murder against, Mr. if the account we now have is true—and the rendered a verdict of murder against, Mr. if the account we now have is true—and the rendered a verdict of murder against, Mr. if the account we now have is true—and the rendered a verdict of murder against, Mr. if the account we now have is true—and the rendered a verdict of murder against the rendered a verdict of murder against the rendered averdict of the between the lady and Mr. Hoyt will prove it clearly—then Mr. Myers and his assistants have murdered not only an honorable gentleman, but one who was acting an hoter, News from New York, General News, Foreign
ter, News from New York, General News, Foreign James Evans being sworn, said - Last gentleman, but one who was acting an ho-Monday week, the 28th of September, be. purable and exemplary part in this very tween the hours of 11 and 12, . M. I affair. If what we are now told is true, was called on by Mr. Thompson Tyler, the knowledge of its truth must carry to Also reports of such of the pulic Lectures, for which who stated that Mr. Hoyt had requested the heart of Mr. Myers an agony of remorse more terrible than any punishment

> Sale of Real Estate. FAIR subscriber offers for Bale the following Real Estate, viz:

No. 1 -A LOT OF GROUND, in he borough of Clearfield, being 43 feet in front on Second street and extending back bout to make shall be the truth, so help alley passing on the south of it, and with 150 feet to the Market house lot, with an

> No. 2. - ALSO, A Lot of GROUND adjoining the above on the north side, being 43 leet in front on 2d street, and extending back 150 feet to the Market house. with a TWO STORY FRAME DWEL. COUNTRY-OUR WHOLE COUNTRY. LING HOUSE thereon erected, with a patriotism, no party lines in our politics, no secturian well and pump at the door, and other val. | sin in our religion. | EARLIEST AND BEST. As it is important to uable improvements, being parts of Lots have the latest news, our columns will always b

3. ALSO, His interest in the northern half of Lot No. 78, being 28 feet 8 inches in front on Second street, and extending back 150 feet.

TRACT OF LAND, situate in Law-mov In a word, we shall still remain THE FIRE-rence township, adjoining lands of Robert readers, in consequence of its Original Tales and Owens, John Mitchell and others, which Sketches; Original Verse and Essays; History and more or less, with a cabin house and cabin barn thereon erected, an Apple Orchard, and with between 50 and 60 acres of cleared land.

No. 5-ALSO, His interest in a tract of land warranted in the name of Joseph Forrest, situate in Woodward township, near the Clearfield creek, and by official

No. 6-ALSO, His interest in a tract of land warranted in the name of Peter Henry, by official survey containing 400 acres and 10 ps, situate close to said Clearfield creek, in the said township of Wood

No. 7-ALSO, his interest in a track of land, warranted in the name of Samuel over that number. Henry, by official survey containing 400 Paper' is not a reprint of any other. The matter with which it is printed is not taken, already set up. ward township, and near the Clearfield rom any daily paper.

TERMS OF THE WEEKLY PAPER.

No. 8-ALSO, His interest in a tract Five subscriptions, per five subscriptions, and land, warranted in the name of Hugh Twelve, do Ralston, containing by official survey 400 One copy Weekly Paper, and one copy of acres, situate within about two miles of the Clearfield creek, in the township of the town Mugazine. Woodward and Decatur--which tract is patented to the subscriber.

No. 9 -- ALSO, a tract of land in the name of Samuel Hambleton, patended by the subscriber, and containing by official bers are allowed a copy, graits, for their trouble.

A Biography of one of the Signers of the Declarasurvey 403 acres, situate in the township

No. 10-ALSO, His interest in a Doctor said I could ask him any question Jacob Cox, situate in the township of Detract of land warranted in the name of of that kind I chose without injury to him; catur, and containing by official survey that he had made some statements before, and that it was his impression that he could have being the one undivided I half thereof.

No. 11-ALSO, His interest in 358 acres of land, part of a tract warranted in Ferguson township.

No. 12-ALSO, His interest in a tract of land warranted in the name of Solomon Lyon, containing, by official survey, 387 acres-but there being an interference of an adjoining survey the quantity is believed to be not so muchsituate in Beccaria township, near the Clearfield creek. The interest of the subscriber being an undivided half thereof.

No. 13-ALSO, His interest in a tract of land, situate in Decatur township, adjoining lands of A. Goss, and others, containing about 100 acres, more or less, 50 or 60 acres of which are cleared, with a dwelling house and !stable thereon erected. The intercet of the subscriber being

the undivided third part thereof. No. 14,-ALSO, his interest in a tract of land in the name of Samuel Emlen, containing, by official survey, 433 acres. utuate on the Clearfield creek, chiefly is Woodward township, with about 20 or 30 October, next, the same will granted to acres of the tract on the west side of the some other competent person, agreeably to creek.

The subscriber will make known plicant; will make known to them the tiwill sell his title clear of encumbrances. ROBERT WALLACE.

Clearfield, July 20, 1846.

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To the Heirs and Legal Representatives of the Hon. Moses Boggs, late of Clear field county, deceased.

AKE NOTICE that application has been made to the Register of Clearfield county for letters of administration on the estate of the said deceased, and unless you come forward according to law, and take out letters of administration on said estate on or before the 24th day of acts of Assembly in such case made and

WM. C. WELCH, Reg'r, Register's Office Clear- ? field, Sept, 17, 1846.

ATS. Beaver. Russia, Silk, Leg horn and Palm Leaf at

NEW PROSPECTUS, 1846,

BOROUGH ORDINANCES Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Town-Council of the Borough same, That all Blacksmiths and others the 5th day of November next. whose business may require them to make fires near their shops, are required to make them at a time when the weather is calm. and not windy, and also to have their fires at least 50 feet from any dwelling or other house, under the penalty of not less than one nor more than ten dollars, for each offence, to be recovered according to

2d. Be it further ordained, &c., That any persons burning shavings or other matters on the streets, are hereby forbidlen to do the same except at a time when the weather is calm and not windy, and ROLLING MILLS. Patent Bellows, of then the fire not to be within 100 feet of Doughters & Wrights' plan, or the Gast any house, under the penalty of not less Iron Cylinder. They respectfully solicit han one nor more than ten dollars, to be ecovered according to law.

3d. Be it ordained, S.c., That the ordinances already in force, relating to the best now in use. planking the pavements, shall be extended Cherry street from Front to Second, of work done at the shortest notice. which the lot holders and those interested will take notice.

Passed Sept. 8, 1846. J. W. SMITH, Burgess. R. WALLACE, Clerk.

A CARD.

YAW THUISH BET

S to have your TEETH properly cared for ere they commence to pain you. for ere they commence to pain you, pay it unless compelled by due course of All scales of tartar should be carefully removed, and if there are any cavities in your teeth they should be properly filled. which will effectually prevent any further

And to you whose teeth are gone, Sure you cannot feel at home.

Therefore you had better call and get a new set put in, either on Pivot or Gold Plate. The above operation, together with Extracting Teeth, and roots of Teeth. will be performed in the most scientific manner by Dr. A. M. Hills, who may be found at the office of Dr. WM P. Hills in the borough of Clearfield, on every Saturday, and during court-weeks.

Prices Reduced. Ladies will be visited at their residence. f desired.

aug. 12-3 m.

CAUTION.

THE public are hereby cautioned a gainst buying a promisory note giv en by me to Simon Fulton, of Burnside township, for \$50, dated about the 18th day of April, 1845, as I have not received value for the same, and am determined not to pay it unless compelled by law.

JAMES RIDDLE. Burnside tp. Sept. 1, 1846. - pd.

TEACHERS WANTED.

NOUR Teachers wanted to teach Common Schools in Morris township. A reasonable salary will be given. and the cash paid at the end of every month, if required. None but good mor al persons, and otherwise well qualified, need apply. Application may be made to either of the undersigned Directors. WM. SHIMEL, Pro't.

S. C. THOMPSON, Sec'zv. MOSES C. EVANS, SAMÚEL HOOVER, JACOB BEAMS, CHRISTIAN EMIGH. Morris tp. Sept. 15, 1846-pd.

AGENT WANTED For this County.

置图IE business will be to procure sub keribers for, and sell, when publish ed, a lorge, new, splendid township Map of the STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA The qualifications required are a small capital of \$100, sobriety, integrity, in dustry, energy, and active business tal ents. Information of the terms of the a gency (which are liberal) will be given on application, POSTAGE PAID, to

ALEXANDER HARRISON. Superintending Agent, 81 South 7th Street, Philadelphia. Sept. 25, 1846 -6m.

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JAMES DURNSIDE. J. FRED. WEAVER. Jan. 24, 1846.

SECTION.

DERSONS knowing themselves in debted to the estate of Abraham Hess, jr. late of Boggs township, dec'd, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber, and those having demands against said estate will present the same duly authenticated for settlement.

GEO. HESS, Adm'r. June 6, 1846.

Summunumment LOOK AT THIS!

ANCERS of different & kinds can be cured by a vegetable plaster, (by M. Nichols, sen. of Clearfield town,) with but little pain, without cutting or eating them out, -and if not cured no pay will be asked. July 9-paid. 3 m.

Meeting of County Comm'rs.

ERSONS having business to transact of Clearfield, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the said board will be in session on Thirsday. with the board of Commissioners of

ATTESTED, H. P. THOMPSON, CPk. Oct. 22, 1846.

Randall & Weston. MUDL-WEIGHTS.

HD ESPECTFULLY inform the public that they are prepared to construct GRIST-MILLS, to be driven by Water or Steam-CLOVER-MILLS, PLAST. ER-MILLS, FULLING and SAW. MILLS, FURNACES, FORGES and a share of public patronage,

Mr. Weston is agent for Derkey's Patent Cast Iron Water Wheel-considered

Letters may be addressed to Cleardown Second street to the corner of Lo- field Bridge post office, or to Philipsburg. cust and Second, and on the South side of They will be promptly attended to; and July 20, 1846

CAUTION.

LL persons are hereby cautioned a gainst purchasing a note of Twenty Dollars, dated about the middle of April inst, given by the subscribers to Jesse D. Majors, of Boggs township, Clearfield county, as we have never received value for the same and are determined not to JOSEPH PETERS.

JONAS PETERS. Boggs tp. Aug. 22, 1846,

NOTICE.

OTICE is hereby given, that letters of Administration have been granted to the subscribers on the estate of John Hegarty, late of Beccaria township, Clearfield county. All persons indebted to the same will come forward and make pay. ment immediately, and those having demands against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

HENRY HEGARTY. WM. MULLEN,

Executors Sept. 3, 1546.

New and Cheap

WHE subscribers have just received and opened a new and very general assortment of GOODS, at their old stand, which they will sell cheaper than the same quality of goods have ever been sold in the county. Their stock consists of

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDIVARE, QUEENSWARE, BOOTS & SHOES, BONNETS, HATS & CAPS.

DRUGS. Je Ja Je. All persons that have yet examined our stock, pronounce them the cheapest and best ever offered in the county, -- and what every body says must be true."

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Any person wishing to buy goods for eash will find it to their advantage to give KRATZER & BARRETTS'.

Clearfield July 25, 1916. HIGHLY IMPORTANT!

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EONARD & MOORE have just re-A ceived at their old stand in the borough of Clearfield a general assortment of

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all of which they will dispose of on fair

term for Cash of Produce. Jul 25. ON THURUAS

LL persons are hereby cautioned a-gainst buying, selling, or in any waymeddling with the following property now

in possession of Thomas Thompson : 75 dozen rye, 20 dozen wheat, two-thirds of five acres of oats in the ground, two-thirds of two acres of buckwheat, one-quarter of an acre of corn, one acre of grass, 4 tons of hay, one rifle and 4 hogs, as the said property was sold to me at Constable sale on the 8th of Aug. 1846.

WM. SCHMIDT. Aug. 15, 1846-pd.

LIST OF LETTERS EMAINING in the Post Office at Clearfield, Oct. 1, 1846. Cox Wm. Dressler D. Daniel Wm. for Nancy Wait, Eynson John Galer Almira Hess John Lamb Freeman Reed Amos A. Sewell Samuel Shepherd J. C. Thompson James Thompson Rufus. Wallace John Wood Wm. Wade Monsieur, &c.-2

WM. L, MOORE, P. M.