

THE FARMER'S DEPARTMENT.



ON REAPING WHEAT.

To the Editor of the Virginia Herald. Sir,—As the time of harvest is approaching, I address, through your paper, my brother farmers, on the importance of allowing wheat intended for sowing, to be entirely ripe before reaping.

In the year 1829, having selected by hand some ears of Mexican wheat, and sowed it in the fall of the same year, it was forgotten last year, until my little son reminded me that it ought to be gathered.

Can the keeping in the bag, be the cause of this superiority? I believe not, because in several previous years, seed wheat has been kept by me in bags, and no similar result has taken place.

From my twenty-four years experience as a farmer I am always satisfied, that the smut is mainly attributed to unripe wheat. My seed wheat has been always riper than that of my neighbors, and during that period I have never seen but six smutted heads in my own crops.

In making this communication, the interest of wheat-growers is my sole object, and if, by it, their crops should be increased, it will contribute to the happiness of your obedient servant,

JOHN TAYLOR.

THE WHEAT CROP.

The Richmond Compiler of the 30th ult. observes: "Our accounts from the neighboring country, on the river, both above and below us are unfavorable to the crop. We have heard of a farm in this county, below this city which was expected to produce 3000 bushels, and will yield only perhaps, about 1500.

"Above us, on the best low ground of the James River, the damage is represented to us as being considerable. And the accounts we have received from several farms in Pittsylvania county are scarcely less gloomy."

THE WHEAT CROP.—The Franklin Pa. Repository which lately gave a very favorable account of the appearance of the wheat crops in that productive country, is this week constrained to speak of them very differently. The information since received is quite unfavorable to the crops. It appears that the fly, during the cold and dry weather in the early part of the last month, has made great ravages, and ruined many fields of the early sowed wheat beyond recovery.

The ravages of the Hessian Fly have been so great that many persons have turned their stock into their wheat fields; while others have ploughed their fields, and planted them in corn.—*Raleigh, N. C. May 19.*

Heaves in Horses.—Take one pound and a half of good ginger, for a horse, give two spoonfuls each day—one in the morning and the other in the evening, mixed with wheat bran. This receipt has been selling to the eastward for five dollars, where the efficacy of the above medicine has been proved in the cure of several cases of obstinate heaves.—*Genesee Farmer.*

THE CUT-WORM.—We have never heard such complaints of the ravages of the cut-worm, as prevail in our county at this time. They have been particularly fatal to the corn crops—large fields have been entirely destroyed. The Cotton has suffered no material injury from this source, but the continued coldness of the season has stunted its growth very much.—*Columbia (Ten.) Mercury.*

The spotted Caterpillar has committed great ravages in Pennsylvania. Whole forests have been stripped of their leaves. The same reptile has been seen in Massachusetts on fruit-trees. S. & Horticulturalists have shaken them from trees and then tarred the trunks to prevent their ascending. Hundreds have been found shortly afterwards, halted in the tar. They were taken to plant trees first.

Advertisements.



PENNSYLVANIA, SS. IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA. BY GEORGE WOLF, Governor, of the said Commonwealth.

A PROCLAMATION. WHEREAS I have received authentic information that a certain SIMON EICHHOLTZ, late of the City of Lancaster, stands charged with having murdered a certain John Lynch, late of the same place, and having fled from justice, all efforts to arrest him have hitherto proved ineffectual.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS to any person or persons who shall apprehend the said fugitive within the county of Lancaster, and secure him in the jail of the said county—and the sum of

TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS if the said offender shall be apprehended and secured in the jail of any other county of this Commonwealth, or if he shall be apprehended and secured without the limits of this State—which sum or sums are to be paid on the conviction of the perpetrator of the crime aforesaid.

GIVEN under my hand and the Great Seal of the State, at Harrisburg, this third day of June, in the year of our Lord 1831, and of the Commonwealth the fifty-fifth.

By the Governor, SAM'L. M'KEAN, Sec'y of the Commonwealth.

SIMON EICHHOLTZ Is five feet six or eight inches high, stout built, black hair, and is about twenty-five years of age, he wore a blue dress, and has been several years at sea as a sailor. June 14, 1831. 4w-10

A LIST OF RETAILERS OF FOREIGN MERCHANDISE, within the County of Adams, that took out Licence on the 1st May, 1831:

- John G. Morningstar, John Houck, Henry Schriver, J. & M. Carl, George Myers, W. Hildebrand, John Brough, William Albright, Abraham King, Esq., Thomas M'Knight, Andrew Myers, C. Henlar, Daniel Hartman, Jacob Heafly, Hugh McSherry, George Bange, John Lahmon, Daniel Comfort, Philip Weaver, Danner & Ziegler, Albert Vandike, Thomas J. Cooper, Jacob Myers, Robert Smith, Christian Bishop, William Reynolds, Jacob Fahnestock, Jr., Jesse Gilbert, George Wilson, Michael C. Clarkson, J. & C. Benner, Samuel H. Beuhler, Enoch Simpson, William Gillispie

List of those that did not take out Licence on said day:

- David Sheets, Philip Long, John Gourley, Samuel Wright, Jacob Latshaw, David Middlecauff, Joseph Miller & Co., Adam S. E. Duncan, Charles Barnitz, David Bucher, D. E. Fahnestock, Fox & Henry, Philip Miller, Thomas Dickey, J. M'Sherry & Co., John Barnitz, Jacob Long & Co., William Gardner, Jacob Spangler, Henry Bittinger, Jacob Thompson, Mahon & Duncan, Hiram Boyd & Co., John Miller, J. D. Paxton & Co., Henry Brinkerhoff, C. & H. Barnitz, Henry Sanders, Blythe & M'Ginley, Abraham Kever

ROBERT SMITH, Treasurer. Treasurer's Office, Gettysburg, June 14, 1831. 4w-10

DOCT. S. M. TUDOR, OFFERS his Professional services to the public generally, and can always be found at his father's residence, at the house formerly occupied by James Morrison, within one mile and a half of Hampton. Fair Mount, June 14, 1831. 4w-10

TO PRINTERS & EDITORS. AN ANTI-MASONIC PRINTING OFFICE, situated in the interior of the State of Pennsylvania, is offered for Sale, with a subscription list amounting to nearly five hundred good subscribers, and a steady increase. The county, in point of health and wealth, is believed to be inferior to none in the State—and believed to be decidedly antimasonic.

The present Editor has been at considerable expence in fitting out the establishment with new type, in part. Any person desirous of purchasing may rest assured of getting a bargain.

Terms of sale made known on personal application, or by letter (post paid) to R. W. Middleton, Editor of the "Star," Gettysburg, or John Clarke, Editor of the "Sun," Philadelphia. June 14, 1831.

THE LAWS PASSED at the last Session of the Legislature of Pennsylvania, have been received at this Office, and are ready for delivery. GEO. WELSH, Prothy. Prothonotary's Office, Adams county, June 14, 1831. 4w-10

LOOK OUT!

DO respectfully inform the public generally, THAT I HAVE JUST RECEIVED A FRESH SUPPLY OF SEASONABLE GOODS: Which I offer on pleasing terms for CASH or COUNTRY PRODUCE.

CONSISTING PARTLY AS FOLLOWS: Domestic, British Dry Goods, Groceries, Hard-Ware, Queens-Ware, Shoes, &c.

ALSO on hand, LUMBER, for sale. THOMAS J. COOPER. May 24, 1831. 4t-7

CUMBERLAND INN.

The undersigned respectfully makes known to the public, THAT HE HAS TAKEN THAT WELL KNOWN TAVERN STAND,



Situate at the south end of Gettysburg, on the Baltimore turnpike, called the "CUMBERLAND INN," where Travellers, Drivers, Wagoners, &c. can be at all times accommodated, and every exertion made by himself and family to render satisfaction to all who may favor him with a call. J. HARBAUGH. May 24, 1831. 4t-7

New Store.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the Public, that he has just returned from the Cities of Philadelphia and Baltimore, with an

EXTENSIVE AND ENTIRELY NEW STOCK OF GOODS, Which he intends opening in the house of the late John M'Conaughy, Esq. deceased, situate on the South West Corner of the Centre Square in Gettysburg,

CONSISTING OF A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, Queens and Glass WARE, LOOKING GLASSES, AND

LIQUORS, &c.

(FOR PARTICULARS, SEE HAND-BILLS.) A personal appearance at his establishment, the LOW PRICES of the Goods, and elegant assortment, will be an inducement for them to purchase—"Look before you leap!"

The Public's humble servant, SAMUEL FAHNESTOCK. Gettysburg, April 20, 1831. 4t-2-2

ROCHDALE FACTORY.



N. & W. GREASON, FIND it necessary, from circumstances coming very lately to their knowledge, to state, that their price for Carding Wool into Rolls will be

FIVE CENTS PER POUND, Instead of Six Cents, which they at first proposed. The difference will be refunded to those who have paid them at Six Cents.

WOOL.

To Card, or to Manufacture, and Wollen Yarn to be Woven, will be received, in Adams county, at Mr. James Gankley's, Gettysburg; Mr. James Black's, "Two Taverns;" Mr. John Topper's, Alloways Creek; Mr. Epplay's Mill, Marsh Creek; and at Mr. John Cownover's, near Black's Mill; where work will be called for, and returned, once in two weeks. Rochdale Factory, June 7, 1831. 4t-9

LOOK AT THIS!

FOR THE LAST TIME I call on all those indebted to me, either by bond, note or book account, to come forward and make settlement—I this notice has no more effect than my former notice, those indebted will have to make settlement with persons who will add COSTS to their visits. JAMES A. THOMPSON. April 27, 1831. 4t-2-3

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of ISAAC CATOE, late of Latimore township, Adams county, deceased, are requested to come forward and make settlement without delay—all those having claims against said estate, will present them, properly authenticated, for settlement. JOHN WOLFORD, Adm'r. May 4, 1831. 4t-2-2

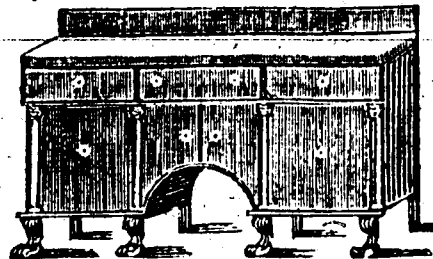
STRAY MARE.

CAME to the enclosures of the subscriber, living in Cumberland township, Adams county, on Sunday the 15th inst. a

BAY MARE,

about 15 years old, with both hind feet white to the pastern joint, and several white spots on the back—shod all round. She had a part of a halter chain and the neck-band on when she was taken up. The owner is desired to come and prove property, pay charges and take her away. PETER EPLEY. May 24, 1831. 4t-4

CABINET WARE-HOUSE.



DAVID HEAGY, CABINET-MAKER.

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and customers & the public generally, THAT HE STILL CONTINUES TO CARRY ON HIS BUSINESS, IN WEST YORK STREET,

And is prepared to execute the neatest and most FASHIONABLE WORK, WHICH HE WILL WARRANT EQUAL, IF NOT SUPERIOR, TO ANY IN THE PLACE.

He keeps on hand a general and extensive ASSORTMENT OF FURNITURE, OF ALL KINDS,

And of a quality which he only asks an examination to pronounce superior.

COFFINS made at the shortest notice.

ALL KINDS OF TURNING, AND OF THE LATEST FASHIONS,

Can be had at his Shop, at any time—where he has constantly on hand

CARRIAGE HUBS,

Which can now be had at the low rate of ONE DOLLAR per set.

His prices for work are moderate—a liberal credit given to punctual customers; and all kinds of country produce taken in exchange for work.

TO TURNERS.

A SOBER, STEADY JOURNEYMAN TURNER wanted immediately—to whom constant work and liberal wages will be given if application be made soon. DAVID HEAGY. June 7, 1831. 4t-9

ODD & EVEN SYSTEM.

By which the holder of two Tickets must draw one Prize, and may draw THREE!!!

MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY, No. 4, FOR 1831.

To be drawn in Baltimore on THURSDAY, the 30th instant.

HIGHEST PRIZE, 10,000 DOLLARS! CLARK offered to adventurers the highest capital prize of \$10,000, in No. 3, for 1831. CLARK sold both the highest capital prizes of \$5,000 and \$1,000, in No. 2, for 1831, and CLARK also sold the highest capital prize of \$5,000 in No. 1, for 1831.

Table with 2 columns: Prize amount and Number of prizes. 1 prize of \$10,000, 7 prizes of \$100, 1 prize of 2,000, 8 prizes of 50, 1 prize of 1,000, 20 prizes of 20, 2 prizes of 500, 200 prizes of 4, 2 prizes of 200, 10,000 prizes of 1, 2 prizes of 200.

Half Tickets, One Dollar only, TO BE HAD AT

CLARK'S,

Officers, N. W. corner of Baltimore and Calvert, N. W. corner of Baltimore and Gay, N. E. corner of Baltimore and Charles-sts.

Where the highest prize in the recent State Lotteries has been oftener sold than at any other offices!!!

Orders, either by mail (postpaid) or private conveyance, enclosing the cash for prizes, will meet the same prompt and punctual attention, as if on personal application. Address to JOHN CLARK, Lottery Vendor, Baltimore. June 7, 1831. 4t-9

JUST RECEIVED & FOR SALE BY

D. COMFORT, A NEW AND BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF DRY GOODS.

—ALSO— 30 BARRELS OF SHAD, HERRING & MACKEREL; which will be sold low for Cash May, 24, 1831. 2-8

OFFICE OF THE BALTIMORE & OHIO RAIL ROAD COMPANY, 20th May, 1831. The Exhibition of Locomotive Steam Engines on this road, heretofore advertised by this Company for the 1st June next, has been POSTPONED, and instead of that day, it will take place on MONDAY, the 27th of June, and on the two succeeding days. The selection from the several Engines that may be offered will be made on the last of those days, viz on Wednesday the 29th June; after which they will be subjected to the regular work of thirty days on the Rail-road agreeably to the original conditions offered by this Company.

Every facility for previous practice on the Rail-road will be afforded to competitors, and cars on the Winans Construction will be furnished for testing the respective powers of the several engines. Persons, who may arrive with engines previous to the 1st June, will have the use of the Rail-road accorded to them on their arrival in Baltimore, for the purposes of practice and exhibition. P. E. THOMAS, President, Baltimore and Ohio Rail-road Company. May 31, 1831.

NOTICE.

THE creditors of JOHN BEAR, Jr. an insolvent debtor, are notified to present their claims to the subscriber for settlement. ELIZABETH YETTS, Trustee. May 18, 1831.

THE EAGLE HOTEL.



THE undersigned respectfully informs his old friends and customers, and the public in general, that he has taken that well known

TAVERN STAND,



THE EAGLE HOTEL, Situate on the corner of Baltimore and Middle streets, formerly occupied by Mr. B. GILBERT. The house is large and convenient. His Bar is well stocked with the best of Liquors, and his Table will always be furnished with the best the market can afford. The stabling is good and roomy, and attended by an attentive Hostler.

Travellers and others are assured, that he will use every exertion in his power to render both Man and Horse comfortable.

PHILIP HEAGY. April 6, 1831. 4t-52

PUBLIC HOUSE.

The subscriber has taken that old



(FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY GEO. LASHLELLS.) On the York and Gettysburg Turnpike Road, 5 miles from Gettysburg, and 2 1/2 from York.

Having provided himself with every accommodation for Travellers, Wagoners, and Drivers, he invites those who travel that way to give him a call, and judge whether his entertainment and charges do not justify the invitation. ROBERT TAYLOR. April 27, 1831. 4t-2-3

N. B. Persons indebted to me, are requested to call on Moses McCLEAN, Esq. in whose hands I have placed my books, and make immediate settlement. R. T.

PUBLIC SALE.

In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Adams county, will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, On Saturday the 20th of August next,

A LOT OF GROUND,

Containing 28 Acres, adjoining lands of John Collins and others.—Likewise a Lot of Ground in the town of Heidersburg No. 39, in Tyrone township, Adams county; all the estate of Arthur Nickel, deceased. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. on the first described lot, and the last described lot at 3 o'clock P. M. on said day. WILLIAM NICKEL, Adm'r. May 31, 1831. 4t-8

THE SATURDAY COURIER,

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