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To Teachers & Directors.

Y<sup>OU</sup> are hereby notified that I will visit the following places for the purpose of examining teachers, on the days mentioned: Straban, at Huntertown, Aug. 17, 10, a. m. Oxford, Pa., at New Oxford, Aug. 24, 10, a. m. Berwick, Pa., at Abbotstown, Aug. 26, 10, a. m. Berwick, Pa., at Elder's School-house, Aug. 27, 10, a. m. Hamilton, Pa., East Berlin, Aug. 28, 10, a. m. Reading, Pa., at Hampton, Aug. 29, 9, a. m. Hampton, at Hampton, Aug. 29, 9, a. m. Mount Pleasant, at Brush Run School-house, Aug. 30, 9, a. m. Mount Pleasant, at Mount Pleasant, Aug. 31, 10, a. m. Union, at Schiller's School-house, Sept. 3, 10, a. m. Garsport, at Littlestown, Sept. 4, 10, a. m. Moushitz, at Two Taverns, Sept. 5, 10, a. m. Feedsop, at Morris's School-house, Sept. 6, 10, a. m. Cambridge, at Schiller's Tavern, Sept. 7, 9, a. m. Hamilton, at Fairfield, Sept. 11, 9, a. m. Franklin, at Hilltown School-house, Sept. 12, 9, a. m. Butler, at Middletown, Sept. 13, 9, a. m. Monaca, at Bendersville, Sept. 14, 9, a. m. Hamilton, at Petersburg, Sept. 15, 9, a. m. Lehigh, at Wolfport School-house, Sept. 18, 9, a. m. Tyrone, at Heidersburg, Sept. 18, 9, a. m.

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## The Muse.

**There is beauty in the country!**  
Of the country let me sing,  
With its beds of brilliant flowers,  
And gay birds upon the wing—  
When the trees put on their glory,  
And the bright crocuses with blue,  
Oh! I love the blooming country,  
When the flowers are sweet and new.

## Miscellaneous.

**Our Fat Contributor in the Plains Guard.**  
The moment the flag was threatened, large bodies of men were called upon to rally in its defense. Being a large-bodied man, I rallied, and enrolled myself with the Home Guards. The drill is very severe on me in this hot weather, although I am constantly allowed an attendant with a fan and a pitcher of ice water.

**Horrible Tragedy at Sea.**  
The Boston papers bring us the particulars of a horrible tragedy on board the bark *Carina* at sea. The vessel arrived at Boston on Friday, in charge of Mr. Serrett, the first officer of the ship D. B. Metcalf. It appears that the bark is owned by Mr. John Dwyer, of Boston, and was on her return home when the murder took place.

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hope for the preservation of the Union; it does not follow that we have changed our political principles, or that we approve of all the measures of the present administration; on the contrary we deplore the present condition of our country, and the calamities which have befallen our once united, prosperous and happy Government, and regret exceedingly that Congress has done nothing to reconcile or reunite the contending parties; believing it to be the duty of the Federal Government, not only to exert its power in a Constitutional manner to prosecute the war, but at times to hold out terms of peace and accommodation to the disaffected States; that as our political system was founded in compromise, and has been so perpetuated, it can never be dishonored, in any Administration, to seek to restore it by the same means.