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## SYNOPSIS OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE ADAMS COUNTY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Agreeably to a call of the Executive Committee, the annual meeting of the Association convened in the village of Fairfield, Dec. 29th, 1863. The Association having been called to order by the President, Wm. C. Seabrooks was appointed Vice President and P. Kready Secretary *pro tem.* The following committees were appointed by the chair:

Business Committee—Aaron Sheely, J. W. McConnell, B. J. Reed.

On Resolutions—Wm. C. Seabrooks, P. Kready, Geo. W. Frederick.

On Finance—J. M. Tawney, Jno. W. McConnell, B. J. Reed.

After the appointment of the committees, J. W. McConnell read an able essay on the subject of Orthography, followed by an instructive discussion upon the subject, participated in by Messrs. E. Brown, S. P. Broomell, and J. K. Cook. Mr. A. Sheely, County Superintendent, after some very appropriate remarks upon the objects and purposes of the association, offered a series of resolutions for the government of the Institute, which, upon motion of Mr. McConnell, were, after some discussion, adopted. The following committee on Receptions was then appointed by the Chair:—E. Brown, J. K. Cook, S. P. Broomell and J. H. Wert. A motion that the Institute from time to time have class drills in the various branches taught in common schools, after discussion by Messrs A. Sheely, Brown, Broomell, Sprenkle, Reed, Frederick, Lyttle and McConnell, was rejected unanimously. Mr. Sheely moved that Mr. Frederick favor the association with a lecture on History; which was responded to by Mr. Frederick, in an able extemporaneous lecture on the utility of History and the best means of promoting its study. Messrs. Sheely and Broomell followed upon the same subject. On motion adjourned until 6½ o'clock in the evening.

EVENING SESSION.

Association opened with music by the choir and prayer by Vice-President Seabrooks, followed by a national air by the choir. After roll call, to which the members responded by sentiment, and reading of the minutes, essays were read by Mr. Brown on "Parental Co-operation," and S. P. Boomell on "The Utility of District Institutes," followed by discussion of these subjects by Messrs. Sheely, McConnell, Wert, Frederick, Lyttle, Broomell, Cook, Reed, Brown, and others. Association adjourned after singing of "Star Spangled Banner" by choir.

SECOND DAY.—MORNING SESSION.

Dec. 30th. Association opened with prayer by Mr. Brown. After considerable miscellaneous discussion, the subject of Mental Arithmetic was taken up by Seneca P. Broomell, followed by Messrs. Brown, Reed, Lyttle, Frederick, Cook, Wert, Sours, Sheely and Warren. On motion of T. S. Warren, the Association proceeded to the election of officers. After two unsuccessful ballotings for President, Association adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

After prayer by Rev. Mr. Titzel, the election of officers was resumed, resulting in the choice of the following persons to fill the various offices of the Institute for the ensuing year:

President, J. Kersey Cook, Menallen; Vice President, P. Kready, Liberty; Secretary, J. Howard Wert, Mountjoy; Assistant Secretary B. J. Reed, Hamiltonban; Treasurer, R. A. Lyttle, Gettysburg; Executive Committee, George W. Frederick, Gettysburg; E. Brown, Menallen; William C. Seabrooks, Liberty.

President Lyttle, on leaving the chair, thanked the Association for their kindness to him in a neat little speech. Mr. Cook, upon taking the chair, acknowledged the compliment in a few terse and pertinent remarks. On motion of R. A. Lyttle, it was resolved that hereafter the officers of the Institute take their seats immediately after election. On motion the unfinished programme of the forenoon was resumed, Mr. Brown opening in an able address upon the subject of English Grammar, followed by McConnell, Sours, Broomell, Lyttle, Frederick and Waner. Mr. Lyttle moved for a committee of three to assign subjects for essays, during the ensuing year. Motion carried and committee appointed by the chair, consisting of Messrs. Lyttle, Seabrooks and Brown. On invitation of the Institute, the national song, "Battle Cry of Freedom," was performed by the choir in a superb manner, being loudly applauded by the audience. The next thing in order being the opening of the query box, four questions were drawn and discussed by Messrs. Frederick, Sours, Brown, Warren, Hankey, Sheely, Cart, Cook, Waner, Broomell, and others; some of them quite humorously. Mr. Lyttle offered the query, "Has the County Superintendent the right to appoint essay writers for the Institute?" Discussed by Messrs. Lyttle and Sheely.—After an exquisitely sung sonnet by Miss Swope, Prof. L. R. Swinney, Principal of Franklin Academy, was introduced to the Association, and responded with a few appropriate remarks. A rehearing of evening programme by the President, Association adjourned.

EVENING SESSION.

Meeting called to order by Vice President Kready. Prayer by Rev. Mr. Titzel. Prof. P. D. W. Hankey was then introduced to the audience, favoring them with an able and instructive lecture on "The Public School System of Pennsylvania and its Abuses;" followed by music by the choir; and an essay by J. Howard Wert on "Teaching as an Art and Science."—The choir again followed with the beautiful sonnet, "One hundred years to come." After considerable discussion, the next annual meeting of the Institute was appointed for Bendersville, during the holiday week, and the Semi-annual for Littlestown the first week in June. Prof. Swinney being called for responded in an eloquent extemporaneous address, directed to parents. On motion, roll of districts called by Secretary, with the following result: Nine districts represented by forty-nine teachers; twelve districts unrepresented. School government discussed by Messrs. Brown, Warren, and Hankey. After music by the choir, adjourned on motion of Mr. McConnell.

THIRD DAY.—MORNING SESSION.

Dec. 31st. President and Vice President being both absent, Mr. Brown was called to the chair. Prayer by Mr. Waner. According to previous announcement the Association had the pleasure of listening to a complete and exhaustive lecture on the subject of "Language," delivered by the Rev. Mr. Titzel. The speaker glanced in a short introduction at the various theories advanced, concerning the origin of language. He then proceeded to speak at some length of the tyranny of language, showing that the true method of freeing man from being the slave of words, was a liberal education. Especially was this necessary in the antecedent meanings of words derived from the languages. The next reason adduced for the study of language, was the light thus thrown upon many interesting subjects of scientific investigation; the speaker dwelling particularly on the resemblance which words in all languages present to the ideas intended to be represented. The speaker proceeded from this point to show that national characteristics may be invariably inferred from the structure of the national tongue. This portion of the oration was beautifully illustrated by Roman, Grecian, German, French, English and Hebrew history, customs and derivations; he also illustrating by the salutations of different ages and nations, the materialistic tendencies of the present age. The next point of the oration was the necessity for the study of language, on account of the confirmation which it gives to the truths of Divine Revelation and the proof which it offers of the Unity of the Human Race. The address concluded with a chaste appeal to the audience, to make use of knowledge for the advancement of interests beyond the bounds of time.

Mr. Sheely moved a vote of thanks to the Reverend Mr. Titzel. Carried unanimously, the gentleman replying in a neat speech.—Singing by the Association. On motion of Mr. Frederick, the essayists Misses Swope and Witherow, excused. Mr. Lyttle moved that the executive committee hereafter call meetings of the Association to commence in the evening—carried. School Government discussed by Messrs. Brown, Weaner, Warren, Lyttle, Sours, Broomell, Cart and Prof. Swinney.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Association opened with prayer by Prof. Swinney. Mr. Sheely, County Superintendent, then favored the Association with an elaborate, beautiful and well-written lecture, directed to the teachers present; followed by Mr. Lyttle reading "Our Country and our Home," to the great pleasure of the Association; followed by a select reading by Mr. Pharney. After disposing of a number of motions, the subject of reading was taken up and discussed by Messrs. McConnell, Weaner, Cook, Kready, Lyttle, Broomell, Cart, Pharney and Prof Swinney. On motion of Mr. Wert, resolved, that when the Association adjourn in the evening it adjourn until the first of June. Committee on essays reported, and on motion of Mr. Wert, instructed to amend the report by addition of female essayists. "The Red, White and Blue" performed by the choir. After reading of the evening programme and transaction of miscellaneous business, adjourned.

EVENING SESSION.

Prayer by Mr. Sours. Music by the choir led by Prof. Swinney upon the melodeon.—Written Arithmetic was taken up by Mr. Lyttle and Prof. Swinney. The next thing in order was the subject of writing, which was ably treated by Prof. Swinney, followed by the sonnet, "One Hundred Years to Come," by the choir; and an affecting reading of "the Maniac," by Prof. Swinney.

The committee on Resolutions offered the following:

1st, *Resolved,* That our County Institute is a necessity. So certain are we of its utility, that we would, if possible, make it obligatory upon all teachers to attend its meetings.

2d. *Resolved* That, we have heard with deep regret and sorrow of the death of Mr. Leas and Miss Stine, members of this Association. We feel that the Association has lost by their deaths able and efficient members.

3d. *Resolved,* That we return our sincere and heartfelt thanks to the citizens of Fairfield and vicinity, for the cordiality, with which they have received us; and, the hospitality extended toward us whilst in their midst.

4th. *Resolved,* That, we return our sincere and heartfelt thanks to the officers of the German Reformed and Presbyterian congregations, for the use of their church edifice, in which we have held our interesting and profitable meetings.

5th. *Resolved,* That we tender our warmest thanks to the choir, for favoring us with their excellent and patriotic music.

7th. *Resolved,* That the teachers of Adams county who have been enabled to meet in safety for the discussion of educational advancement near the spot where but a few months before the greatest battle of history has been fought, between the contending armies of loyalty and treason; feel it incumbent upon them to express in terse but unmistakable language, their unanimous and unwavering support of the government in this dark hour of trial, which is threatening the very foundations of our Liberties, dearly purchased by revolutionary ancestors; and to unite in an earnest prayer to the Almighty Ruler of the Universe that ere we again meet in our present capacity, the Star Spangled Banner of our country may float over every inch of its surface, enabling us to again welcome to our noble fraternity its members now contending for Liberty in the armies of the Union.

Wm. C. Seabrooks, P. Kready, Geo. W. Frederick, Committee.

On motion of Mr Lyttle the resolutions were unanimously adopted separately, after remarks by Prof. Swinney, and Messrs. Lyttle, Brown, Broomell, Hankey, Cart, Sours, and Weaner. The 2nd resolution was adopted in silence by a rising vote, after eulogiums upon the deceased by Messrs. Brown, Lyttle, Hankey, Broomell and Weaner. The reading of the 7th resolution was received with unbounded applause. After beautiful and patriotic speeches by R. A. Lyttle, E. Brown, P. D. W. Hankey, J. D Sours, S. P. Broomell and C. Weaner, "the Star Spangled Banner" was sung by the choir. President Cook and Secretary Wert being then called for by the audience, answered with short speeches.

J. H. Wert offered a resolution, returning thanks to Prof. Swinney: unanimously adopted. Mr. Lyttle moved, that the secretary prepare a condensed account of the proceedings of the Association for publication: carried. After an exquisite reading of the closing year by Prof. Swinney; and the performance of "The Battle Cry of Freedom" and the "Nation shall not Die," by the choir—On motion of Mr. Lyttle, Association adjourned with a neat Valedictory oration by President Cook.

J. KERSEY COOK, Pres't.
J. HOWARD WERT, Sec'y.

It is stated that the Administration has placed the exchange of prisoners entirely in the hands of Gen. Butler.

REMEMBER.—In a letter which Senator Douglas wrote to S. S. Hayes, Esq., dated Washington, Oct. 29, 1860, he says:

"Many of the Republican leaders desire a dissolution of the Union, and URGE WAR AS A MEANS OF ACCOMPLISHING DISUNION."

Democracy means Union, just as the Bible means love, the sun light, the clouds rain. The perpetuation of the Union is the sum and substance of every Democratic principle, and the teaching of all our great men.

A noted New York gambler has cleared at his branch establishment, at Washington, since July, 1861, nearly half a million of dollars.

A foreign letter says few people seem to believe that next summer will come and go without a European war.

The Democratic State Central Committee will meet at the Merchants' Hotel, in Philadelphia, on Wednesday next.

## MARRIED.

On the 31st ult., by Rev. H. Y. Hummelbaugh, Mr. GEORGE W. MILLER to Miss SARAH E. PAXTON, both of Menallen township, Adams county, Pa.

On the 27th ult., by Rev. M. Lohr, Mr. CALVIN HITESHUE to Miss MAGGIE STAUB, of Littlestown, Adams county.

On the 24th ult., by Rev. P. Scheurer, Mr. REUBEN BOLDEN, of York county, to Miss MARY ANN B. KAHLER, of Adams county.

On the 22d ult., Mr. ANDREW B. JONES to Miss SARAH J. BAKER, both of Littlestown, Adams county.

In Union township, Adams county, by Rev. Jacob Sechler, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. MARTIN E. BOLLINGER to Miss ELIZA JANE, eldest daughter of Mr. Samuel Young.

## DIED.

Obituary notices 3 cents per line for all over four lines—cash to accompany notice.

On Friday last, in this borough, Mr. MICHAEL NEWMAN, in the 85th year of his age.

On the 28th ult., Mrs. DEBORAH LEATHERMAN, of Freedom township, aged 85 years.

At Taneytown, Md., on the 29th of December, Miss MARY McKINNEY, formerly of Mountjoy township, aged 31 years 7 months and 12 days. She lived beloved, died lamented.

Near Uniontown, Md., on Friday week, Mrs. JULIA ANN, wife of Samuel Bricker, (formerly of this county,) aged 39 years 4 months and 7 days.

On the day following, GEORGE ANDREW, oldest son of Samuel Bricker, aged 17 years 9 months and 5 days.

On the 8th of November last, in Boonsboro', Md., Mrs. MADALINE WETMIGHT, (sister to Leonard Bricker, near this place,) aged 76 years 6 months and 20 days.

On the 2d inst., in Butler township, IDA MARY, infant daughter of Wm. and Harriet Bream, aged 3 weeks and 3 days.

## THE MARKETS.

GETTYSBURG—SATURDAY LAST.

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| Flour | 6 50 to 6 75 |
| Rye Flour | 6 00 |
| White Wheat | 1 40 to 1 50 |
| Red Wheat | 1 35 to 1 40 |
| Corn | 95 to 1 00 |
| Rye | 1 20 |
| Oats | 75 |
| Buckwheat | 75 |
| Clover Seed | 7 00 to 7 75 |
| Timothy Seed | 1 90 to 2 50 |
| Flax Seed | 2 00 |
| Plaster of Paris | 12 00 |
| Plaster ground, per bag | 1 50 |

BALTIMORE—FRIDAY LAST.

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| Flour | 7 00 to 7 12 |
| Wheat | 1 40 to 1 90 |
| Rye | 1 50 to 1 53 |
| Corn | 1 12 to 1 20 |
| Oats | 70 to 91 |
| Clover Seed | 8 00 to 8 50 |
| Timothy Seed | 3 00 to 3 12 |
| Beef Cattle, per hund | 8 00 to 12 00 |
| Hogs, per hund | 9 50 to 10 50 |
| Hay | 32 00 to 34 00 |
| Whiskey | 94 to 95 |
| Guano, Peruvian, per ton | 80 00 |

HANOVER—THURSDAY LAST.

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| Flour, from wagons | 6 50 |
| Do. from stores | 7 25 |
| Wheat | 1 40 to 1 55 |
| Rye | 1 40 |
| Corn | 1 00 |
| Oats | 75 |
| Clover Seed | 7 50 |
| Timothy Seed | 2 25 |
| Plaster | 8 00 |

## Special Notices.

**The Singer Sewing Machines.**—Our LETTER A FAMILY SEWING MACHINE is fast gaining a world-wide reputation. It is beyond doubt the best and cheapest and most beautiful of all Family Sewing Machines yet offered to the public. No other Family Sewing Machine has so many useful appliances for Hemming, Binding, Felling, Tucking, Gathering, Guaging, Braiding, Embroidering, Cording, and so forth. No other family sewing machine has so much capacity for a great variety of work. It will sew all kinds of cloth, and with all kinds of thread. Great and recent improvements make our Family Sewing Machine most reliable, and most durable, and most certain in action at all rates of speed. It makes the interlocked stitch, which is the best stitch known. Any one, even of the most ordinary capacity, can see, at a glance, how to use the Letter A Family Sewing Machine. Our Family Sewing Machines are finished in chaste and exquisite style.

The folding Case of the Family Machine is a piece of cunning workmanship of the most useful kind. It protects the machine when not in use, and when about to be operated may be opened as a spacious and substantial table to sustain the work. While some of the Cases, made out of the choicest woods, are finished in the simplest and chastest manner possible, others are adorned and embellished in the most costly and superb manner.

It is absolutely necessary to see the Family Machine in operation, so as to judge of its great capacity and beauty. It is fast becoming as popular for family sewing as our Manufacturing Machines are for manufacturing purposes.

The Branch Offices are well supplied with silk twist, thread, needles, oil, &c., of the very best quality. Send for a PAMPHLET.

THE SINGER MANUFACTURING COMPANY, 458 Broadway, New York.
PHILADELPHIA, 810 Chestnut St.
G. JACOBS & BRO., Local Agents at Gettysburg. [Aug. 17, 1863.

### Important Discovery.

RELIEF IN TEN MINUTES.

BRYAN'S PULMONIC WAFERS are unfailing in the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Difficult Breathing, Incipient Consumption, and Diseases of the Lungs. They have no taste of medicine, and any child will take them.—Thousands have been restored to health that had before despaired. Testimony given in hundreds of cases. A single dose relieves in Ten Minutes.

Ask for Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers—the original and only genuine is stamped "Bryan."—Spurious kinds are offered for sale. Twenty-five cents a box. Sold by dealers generally.

JOB MOSES, Sole Proprietor, 27 Cortlandt st., N. Y.

For sale by A. D. BUEHLER, Gettysburg, and all Druggists. [July 27. feb. 16, '63. 1y

### A Card to the Suffering.

The Rev. WILLIAM COSGROVE, while laboring as a Missionary in Japan, was cured of Consumption, when all other means had failed, by a recipe obtained from a learned physician residing in the great City of Jeddo. This recipe has cured great numbers who were suffering from Consumption, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Coughs and Colds, and the debility and nervous depression caused by these disorders.

Desirous of benefiting others, I will send this recipe, which I have brought home with me, to all who need it, free of charge.

Address Rev. WM COSGROVE, 439 Fulton Avenue,
Dec. 15, 1863. 1y Brooklyn, N. Y.

### The Great English Remedy.

SIR JAMES CLARKE'S CELEBRATED FEMALE PILLS.

This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure of all those painful and dangerous diseases incident to the female constitution.

It moderates all excess, removes all obstructions, from whatever cause, and brings on the monthly period with regularity.

These Pills should not be taken by females that are pregnant during the FIRST THREE MONTHS, as they are sure to bring on Miscarriage; but at every other time and in every other case they are perfectly safe.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections, pain in the Back and Limbs, Heaviness, Fatigue on slight exertion, Palpitation of the Heart, Lowness of Spirits, Hysterics, Sick Headache, Whites, and all the painful diseases occasioned by a disordered system, these Pills will effect a cure when all other means have failed.

Full directions in pamphlet around each package, which should be carefully preserved.

They can be sent in a bottle, containing 50 pills, post free, by enclosing $1 and 6 three-cent stamps to any agent.

JOB MOSES, 27 Cortlandt Street, New York.

For sale by A. D. BUEHLER, Gettysburg, and all Druggists. [Feb. 16, 1863. 1y

### [$25!] Employment. [$25!

AGENTS WANTED!—We will pay from $25 to $75 per month, and all expenses, to active Agents, or give a commission. Particulars sent free. Address ERIE SEWING MACHINE COMPANY, R. JAMES, General Agent, Milan, Ohio. [May 18, 1863. 1y

### Notice.

ISAAC BRINKERHOFF's ESTATE.—Letters of administration on the estate of Isaac Brinkerhoff, late of Straban twp., Adams co., dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same township, they hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JNO. G. BRINKERHOFF,
ISAAC F. BRINKERHOFF,
Jan. 11, 1864. 6t* Administrators.

### Notice.

HENRY WALTMAN'S ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Henry Waltman, late of Germany township, Adams co., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, the first named residing in Germany twp., and the last named in Oxford twp., they hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

NATHANIEL J. WALTMAN,
ELIAS SLAGLE,
Jan. 11, 1864. 6t* Executors.

A FRESH ARRIVAL of BOOTS and SHOES, HATS and CAPS. Cheap for cash. Call and see.
J. L. HOLTZWORTH.
Jan. 11, 1864.

### Vendue

OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.—On THURSDAY, the 11th of FEBRUARY next, the subscriber will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, in Tyrone township, Adams county, on the old Carlisle road, 2 miles from New Chester and 6 miles from York Springs, the following Personal Property, viz:

FIVE HEAD OF WORK HORSES, (two of which are Mares, with Colt,) a Bay Mare Colt, 2 years old, 2 Yearling Colts, 7 head of Cattle, among which are 3 Milch Cows, heavy with Calf, 2 Heifers, heavy with Calf, 2 half-sized Heifers, 2 large Breeding Sows, with Pig, Three and Four-horse Narrow-tread Wagon, Spring Wagon, Hay Carriages, Hay Ladders, 4 Ploughs and 2 Harrows, as good as new, a large Cultivator, a small do., Single and Double Shovel Ploughs, Corn Forks, Lancaster Grain Drill, 2 One-horse Sleighs, Horse Rake, Cutting Box, Corn Sheller, 2 Winnowing Mills, 6 sets of Horse Gears, Halter and Cow Chains, Spreader, Single and Double Trees, Mattock, Shovels, Forks, Rakes, Grain and Cloverseed Cradles, 2 Scythes, Maul and Wedges, Rockaway Buggy, Spread and 2 sets of Harness, Hathaway Cook Stove, Parlor Stove, Corner Cupboard, Table, 2 Wood Chests, Sink, and many other articles, too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by
SINGLETON CHRONISTER.
Louis Walker, Auctioneer.
Jan. 11, 1864. ts*

### Tax Appeals.

THE Commissioners of Adams county hereby give notice that they have fixed upon the following times for the holding of Appeals for the several Boroughs and Townships of Adams county, at the office of the County Commissioners, in Gettysburg, when and where they will attend to hear Appeals, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock, P. M., of each day, as follows:

The Appeals for Gettysburg, Cumberland, Germany, Oxford, Huntington, Latimore, and Hamiltonban, on TUESDAY, the 19th day of JANUARY next;

For Franklin, Straban, Menallen, Butler, Mountpleasant, Mountjoy, and Conowago, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of JANUARY next;

For Reading, Hamilton, Liberty, Tyrone, Union, Freedom, and Berwick Borough and Township, on THURSDAY, the 21st day of JANUARY next.

By order of the Commissioners,
J. M. WALTER, Clerk.
Dec. 14, 1863. td

### For Rent.

THE property recently occupied by David Hengy, 2 Acres of Land with Dwelling HOUSE, Shop, Stable, well of water, fruit trees, &c., situate on the Mummasburg road, within half a mile of the borough. Possession given at any time.
MOSES McCLEAN.
Dec. 7, 1863. 3t

### Another Car Load.

BRINKERHOFF keeps up with the times by getting new goods almost every week—He spares no effort to accommodate his numerous customers. "Quick sales and small profits," is his motto.
Dec. 7, 1863

### Notice.

FRANCIS FELIX'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration on the estate of Francis Felix, late of Oxford township, Adams county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in Mountpleasant tp. he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
JOHN FELIX, Adm'r.
Dec. 21, 1863. 6t

### Notice.

JACOB LOHR'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration on the estate of Jacob Lohr, late of Union township, Adams county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same township, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
JACOB M. BOLLINGER, Adm'r.
Dec. 14, 1863. 6t

### Notice.

JOSEPH J. SMITH'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration on the estate of Joseph J. Smith, late of Oxford twp., Adams co., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same township, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
JOHN L. SMITH, Adm'r.
Dec. 14, 1863. 6t

### Railroad Election.

THE Annual Election for a President and Twelve Managers for the Gettysburg Railroad, will be held at the office of the Company, in the second story of the Passenger Depot, in the Borough of Gettysburg, on the SECOND MONDAY OF JANUARY next, (January 11, 1864,) at 1 o'clock in the afternoon. At the same time and place there will be held the regular annual meeting of the Stockholders.
DAVID WILLS, Sec'y.
Dec. 14, 1863. td

### Visitors to Gettysburg, Pa.,

WILL find desirable accommodations at Mrs. NANCY WEIKERT'S BOARDING HOUSE, on Chambersburg street, near the Eagle Hotel, Gettysburg, Pa.
Dec. 21, 1863. 3t

### Still at Work.

THE undersigned continues the CARRIAGE-MAKING BUSINESS, in all its branches, at his old stand, in East Middle street, Gettysburg.

NEW WORK made to order, and REPAIRING done promptly and at lowest prices.

Two first-rate SPRING WAGONS and a SLEIGH for sale.
JACOB TROXEL.
Dec. 7, 1863.

### The Dead on the Battle-field.

FARMERS are requested to leave at my office, in Gettysburg, a description of the location on their lands of graves of Union Soldiers. Many have been buried in secluded spots, and persons will confer a great favor by making known to me, or to Mr. Samuel Weaver, the locality of such graves.
DAVID WILLS, Agent, &c.
Dec. 7, 1863. 3t

### For Sale.

A VERY desirable FARM, adjoining the Borough of Gettysburg, containing 124 ACRES—Buildings and Land good. Will be sold on very accommodating terms.
GEO. ARNOLD.
Gettysburg, Oct. 5, 1863. tf

### For Sale or Exchange.

A VERY desirable GRIST MILL, with 38 ACRES OF LAND, in Germany township. I will exchange for a Farm, and pay the difference, if any.
GEO. ARNOLD.
Gettysburg, Oct. 5, 1863. tf

### Come, One and All!

THE subscriber, having re-opened his Saloon in the North-east corner of the Diamond, invites the attention of his friends and the public generally, to his excellent ALE, PORTER, BROWN STOUT, WINE, CHAMPAGNE, TOBACCO, SEGARS, &c. He hopes, by strict attention to business and a desire to please, to receive a liberal share of custom.
H. W. CHRISMER.
Gettysburg, Aug. 24, 1863. tf

FOR LADIES.—All sizes of Buffalo Over Shoes for sale at the corner of York street and the Diamond by ROW & WOODS.

NEW FALL & WINTER GOODS!—A good assortment of Fall and Winter Goods as cheap as the cheapest at A. SCOTT & SON'S

OVERCOATS! OVERCOATS!—A new lot, just from the city. Call and examine, at BRINKERHOFF'S, Northeast corner of the Diamond.

PICKING has the finest assortment of Spring and Summer Clothing in town.

CALL at CHRISMER'S for your Ale, Porter, &c., &c.

### Jury List—January Term.

GRAND JURY.

Reading—Thomas N. Dicks, Foreman.
Hamilton—Henry Stock, Jno. Snyder.
Gettysburg—Henry Culp, (farmer.)
Union—Abraham Rate.
Oxford—George Smith.
Hamiltonban—Daniel Snyder.
Berwick twp.—Adam Kinnemund.
Conowago—John Keagy.
Latimore—Andrew Shultz.
Menallen—George Bender.
Mountpleasant—J. E. Smith.
Berwick bor.—Michael Hoffman.
Huntington—Emanuel Smith.
Liberty—John Nunemaker.
Tyrone—Wm. Meckley, John Conrad.
Franklin—Henry Hartman.
Straban—Peter Mackley.
Mountjoy—Abraham Hesson.
Freedom—Jesse P. Topper.
Germany—Frederick Bittinger.
Butler—Noah Miller.
Cumberland—John Hamilton.

GENERAL JURY.

Hamiltonban—Geo. Hull, Andrew Sanders.
Straban—David Holtz, Philip Hann, Jacob L. Grass.
Union—Daniel Maring, Jacob Bucher, Sr.
Berwick bor.—Wm. C. Beck.
Menallen—Solomon Hartman, Jacob Bear, Geo. Minnigh.
Tyrone—Jacob Harman, Marks Bream.
Latimore—Israel Flohr, Isaac Myers.
Gettysburg—Edward Menchy, C. X. Martin.
Mountpleasant—Lewis Will, John L. Jenkins, Pius S. Smith.
Butler—James McDannel, George B. Hewitt.
Freedom—Jeremiah Sheets, Abraham Krise, Reuben Golden.
Oxford—John Hines, Charles Seneft.
Reading—George Hoover, Singleton Eicholtz.
Huntington—Emanuel Brough, Jacob A. Gardner, Wm. B. Gardner.
Berwick tp.—Samuel Brown.
Franklin—Philip Cutshall, David Deardorff, Hezekiah Latshaw.
Hamilton—Henry Hoover, George King.
Germany—Ferdinand Rather, H. S. Kline, Samuel M. Study.
Liberty—Emanuel Overholtzer, Sam'l Beard.
Cumberland—Charles B. Polly, David Wisler.
Conowago—Rufus Krug, Jesse Waltman.
Mountjoy—David Clapsaddle.
Dec. 14, 1863.

### List of Jurors

FOR SPECIAL COURT, FEBRUARY 1, 1864.

Conowago—David Wertz, Jeremiah Johns.
Germany—John Miller, Wm. Green
Huntington—Jeremiah Slaybaugh, Jacob C. Schriver.
Reading—Adam S. Myers, John L. Taughinbaugh.
Union—Peter Long, Charles Spangler.
Liberty—David Miller.
Gettysburg—John Winebrenner, Geo. F. Eckenrode.
Hamiltonban—Wm. Reed, Daniel Biesecker.
Franklin—John Fleck, Eli Hartman.
Mountjoy—John Hartman, Joseph Mackley.
Hamilton—Charles Klunk, John Myers.
Mountpleasant—John M Master, John Albert.
Berwick tp.—Daniel Bucher.
Latimore—John H. Myers.
Oxford—John Smith, of J., Henry Wiest.
Menallen—John H. Hutton, Paul Sowers.
Berwick bor.—Wm. Bittinger.
Cumberland—Joseph Bailey.
Tyrone—Nicholas Deitrick.
Freedom—Isaac Hereter.
Straban—Wm. Stallsmith, Jacob Thomas.
Butler—John Jacobs.
Jan. 4, 1864.

### Row & Woods,

(Successors to R. F. McIlheny.)

CORNER OF YORK ST. AND DIAMOND, GETTYSBURG, PA.,

Have on hand and will sell at the lowest prices,

BOOTS AND SHOES.
Cavalry, Water-proof, Kip, French Calf, Morocco, and all other kinds for men and boys.

LADIES' SHOES
Gaiters, Balmorals, Morocco, Kid, Fine Calf, and others.

CHILDREN'S SHOES.
A large variety of all sorts and sizes, sold at old prices.

HATS AND CAPS.
Of every size, quality and style, for men, boys and children.

MISSES' HATS.
A large lot of the latest styles.

FURNISHING GOODS.
White Shirts, Cassimere Shirts, Flannel Shirts, of all styles, Collars, Cravats, Neck Ties, Suspenders, Pocket Handkerchiefs, &c., which will be sold cheap.

UNDER-WEAR.
A superior lot of Undershirts of various kinds, Drawers, &c.

SOCKS.
Heavy Woolen, Merino, Lamb, Cotton, of all kinds—cheap as ever.

GLOVES.
Buck, Beaver, Cloth, Cassimere, Kid, Cotton, Thread, of all kinds—selling at old low prices.

SEGARS.
Of the finest flavor and best manufacture, imported and domestic, selected with care.

WALL PAPER.
For Parlors, Halls, Rooms, Chambers, Ceilings, and Boxes, Centre Pieces, Fire-board Prints, Door Paper, of various kinds.

WINDOW BLINDS.
Window Paper, Oil Cloth, &c. Also, fine plain papers of different colors.

TRAVELLING BAGS.
Oil Cloth and Carpet, small and large.

Together with many other articles, all of which we will sell at lowest prices. We start out with the old, but good motto, "Quick Sales and Small Profits," and intend to adhere to it. TERMS CASH.
ROW & WOODS.
Dec. 7, 1863. tf

### A Card.

THE subscriber having disposed of his Hat and Shoe Store to Messrs. Row & Woods, respectfully asks the continuance of his friends and customers to patronize the new firm, at the old stand.
R. F. McILHENY.

The subscriber has sold his Hat and Shoe Store to Messrs. Row & Woods, who will continue the business at the old stand. We are much obliged for the liberal support extended to us, and we earnestly request those indebted to us, to call and make immediate payment, as we desire to settle our business without delay. The books will be found at the stand where the business was done.
R. F. McILHENY.
Dec. 7, 1863.

### Now is the Time.

ROW & WOODS, corner of York street and Diamond, Gettysburg, are closing out a large lot of WALL PAPER at very low prices. In the Spring paper will cost double what it can be bought at now. [Dec. 21, 1863.

### Albums!

ALBUMS!! ALBUMS!!!

Just received a large and beautiful assortment of Photographic Albums, which we offer below city prices.
TYSON BROTHERS.
Dec. 14, 1863.

CARD PHOTOGRAPHS of distinguished individuals, including a number of our prominent Generals, and the old hero John L. Burns, for sale at the counter of the Excelsior Gallery, Gettysburg.
TYSON BROTHERS.

### Battle-field Views.

A FULL set of our Photographic Views of the Battle-field of Gettysburg, form a splendid gift for the Holidays. The finest yet published can be seen at the Excelsior Gallery.
TYSON BROTHERS, Gettysburg.

### Young Men

AND OLD MEN, do not allow your mothers and your wives to wear out their precious lives over the old Wash-tub longer, but like true men and benefactors, present them with an EXCELSIOR WASHER, and instead of frowns and cross words on wash days, depend upon it, cheerful faces will greet you.
TYSON BROTHERS, Gettysburg, Pa.
Dec. 14, 1863.

BUFFALO SHOES.—A superior article of Over Shoes, for sale at the store of ROW & WOODS.

THE American Excelsior Coffee and Borma, for sale at Dr. R. HORNER'S Drug Store.

BOOTS AND SHOES. SHOES AND BOOTS.

### Boots & Shoes!

NEW ESTABLISHMENT.—The undersigned has just laid in a fine stock of the best city work, which he will dispose of at the lowest profits possible. His assortment embraces double-soled CALF-SKIN BOOTS for men, CAVALRY BOOTS, all kinds of BOOTS FOR BOYS, with a large assortment of SHOES FOR LADIES also for CHILDREN. He has selected his stock with care, suited as he thinks exactly to the wants of this market—and additions will constantly be made as the trade may require. The goods he offers are not only well made, and of good materials, but embrace the latest styles. Particular attention will always be paid to these points.

Remember the place—YORK STREET, nearly opposite the Bank. Call and see for yourselves.

The boot and shoe-making business is carried on as heretofore.
WILLIAM SHILLENN.
Gettysburg, Dec. 7, 1863.

NEW STORE.

### Boot & Shoe

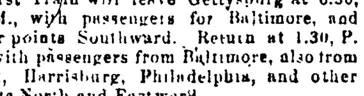
NEW STORE.

THE undersigned has opened a new Boot & Shoe Store, on Baltimore street, Gettysburg, a few doors above the Court-house; and has just opened a fine assortment of goods, viz: BOOTS FOR MEN, SHOES FOR MEN; Boots for boys, Shoes for boys; GUM SHOES FOR MEN, GUM SHOES FOR BOYS; with a large lot, embracing every variety, of SHOES FOR LADIES—also for CHILDREN. HATS AND CAPS, of all sorts and sizes, with Ladies' and Gentlemen's GLOVES.

Indeed, his assortment will be found full and attractive, and all of his goods of the best quality and latest styles.

He also has on hand a fine variety of SEGARS, SMOKING AND CHEWING TOBACCOS, &c.

Determined not to be undersold, he offers goods at the lowest profits the times will allow. Call and see before buying elsewhere.
JOHN L. HOLTZWORTH.
Dec. 14, 1863.



### Change of Time.

GETTYSBURG RAILROAD.—On and after the first of January next, Trains over the Gettysburg Railroad will run as follows:

First Train will leave Gettysburg at 6.30, A. M., with passengers for Baltimore, and other points Southward. Return at 1.30, P. M., with passengers from Baltimore, also from York, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, and other points North and Eastward.

Second Train will leave Gettysburg at 8, A. M., with passengers for York, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, &c. Return at 6, P. M., with passengers from same points. Passengers can also reach Baltimore the same day by this train.
R. McCURDY, President.
Dec. 28, 1863.

### Blacksmithing.

THE undersigned would most respectfully inform the public that he has commenced the BLACKSMITHING BUSINESS, at Danner & Ziegler's shop, in East Middle street, Gettysburg, where he will at all times be prepared to do Blacksmithing work to Carriages, Buggies, Wagons, &c. That he knows how to do all jobs of the kind will not be questioned by those who have a knowledge of his long experience at the business. Come on with your work, and you will be satisfied when you take it away—and for which he will receive Cash or Country Produce.
ADAM HOLTZWORTH.
Jan. 4, 1864. tf

### Shingles.

ABOUT 10,000 first-rate Chesnut Shingles can be bought of ABRAHAM KRISE, in Freedom township, Adams county.
Jan. 4, 1864.

### New Goods.

GEORGE ARNOLD has just received from Philadelphia, a large stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, Over-coatings, Cassinets, Vestings, Flannels, Muslins, Jeans, &c., all of which will be sold cheap for cash. Call and see them.
Sept. 28, 1863.

### Notice.

JOSEPH FISHER'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration on the estate of Joseph Fisher, late of Franklin township, Adams county, dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same township, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
HENRY KUMP, Adm'r.
Dec. 7, 1863. 6t

### For Sale.

A first-rate set of new CARRIAGE HARNESS. Also a thousand excellent CHESNUT SHINGLES. Inquire at the COMPILER office. [Dec. 7.

### New Bakery!

NEWPORT & ZIEGLER, Mechanical Bakers, South Washington street, half square from the Eagle Hotel, GETTYSBURG, Pa.—Constantly on hand, the best BREAD, CRACKERS, CAKES, PRETZELS, &c. Persons wishing fresh Bread will be served every morning, by leaving their names and residences at the Bakery. Every effort made to please. Give us a call! [April 20, '63. tf

### Wanted,

A GOOD FARM in Adams county, for which I will exchange one or more Farms of choice land in Iowa, and pay the difference.
Nov. 9, 1863. GEO. ARNOLD.

### Hay! Hay!

PHILIP HANN, at Granite Station, pays OXFORD PRICES for Hay.
Nov. 9, 1863.

### Wanted.

AN apprentice to the Tailoring business.—A boy from the country preferred.
G. F. ECKENRODE.
Nov. 30, 1863. 3t

### 1863. Fall Millinery. 1863.

MISS McCREARY has just returned from the City, and is now opening, a large and beautiful assortment of MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS, of the latest styles, which she invites the Ladies to call and examine, confident that they will be pleased with her selections. [Oct. 26, 1863. 2m

ALL the best Patent Medicines can be had at the new Family Drug and Prescription Store of Dr. R. HORNER.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!—Plenty of new goods just opened. Also Boots, Shoes Hats, &c., &c., all cheap at BRINKERHOFF'S

DR. TOBIAS' celebrated Derby Condition Powders, for Horses and Cattle, for sale at Dr. HORNER'S Drug Store.

EXCELSIOR! EXCELSIOR!! EXCELSIOR!!!
The Excelsior Washing Machine is the best in the World. Call and examine it at once.—Office at the Excelsior Sky-light Gallery.
TYSON BROTHERS.

COAL OIL—at DR. R. HORNER'S Drug Store.

DRAKE'S PLANTATION BITTERS, or Old Homestead Tonic, at Dr. R. HORNER'S Drug Store.

FIRST-RATE Eight-day, Thirty-hour and Alarm Clocks, cheap at PICKING'S.

PURE BRANDY, WINE AND WHISKEY, for medicinal purposes only, at the New Drug Store of Dr. R. HORNER.

J. L. SCHICK has just received a lot of cheap Looking Glasses.

KOLLOCK'S LEVAIN—the purest and best baking powder in use—at Dr. R. HORNER'S Drug Store.

CARD PHOTOGRAPHS made at the Excelsior Gallery are always warranted to give satisfaction. TYSON BROTHERS.

### Picking's

CHEAP CLOTHING STORE

Is the place to buy your OVERCOATS AND DRESS COATS, your FINE COATS AND COARSE COATS, your CLOTH COATS AND CASSIMERE COATS your FROCK COATS AND BUSINESS COATS, your GUM COATS AND MILITARY COATS, your SUNDAY COATS AND EVERYDAY COATS, your WARM COATS AND WINTER COATS, your GOOD COATS AND CHEAP COATS, because he sells cheaper than anybody else.

Go to PICKING'S CLOTHING STORE, on BALTIMORE STREET, GETTYSBURG, for your CLOTH PANTS AND CASSIMERE PANTS, for your PLAIN PANTS AND FIGURED PANTS, for your FINE PANTS AND COARSE PANTS, for your FITTING PANTS AND FANCY PANTS, for your GOOD PANTS AND CHEAP PANTS, because his prices are always a little lower than anybody else's.

PICKING'S is the best place to get CLOTH VESTS AND CASSIMERE VESTS, to get SILK VESTS AND SATIN VESTS, to get PLAIN VESTS AND FANCY VESTS, to get WARM VESTS AND CHEAP VESTS, to get STRAIGHT VESTS AND ROLLING VESTS, to get LIGHT VESTS AND HEAVY VESTS, to get COARSE VESTS AND CHEAP VESTS, to get MILITARY VESTS and all kinds of Vests, cheaper than any other store in the county.

GO TO PICKING'S FOR

Valises, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Traveling Bags, Walking Canes, Umbrellas, Gent. Shawls, Clothes Brushes, Hat Brushes, Tooth Brushes, Blacking Brushes, Boot Blacking, Buckskin Gloves, Cassimere Gloves, Kid Gloves, Thread Gloves, Comforters, Fine Shirts, Coarse Shirts, Cassimere Shirts, Flannel Shirts, Merino Shirts, Lambwool Shirts, Knit Shirts, Under Shirts, Flannel Drawers, Woollen Drawers, Cotton Drawers, Neck-ties, Cravats, Collars, Paper Collars, Gum Shoes, Buffalo Shoes, Cotton Socks, Woollen Socks, Handkerchiefs, Pocket Combs, Redding Combs, Buffalo Shoes, Gum Combs, Horn Combs, Ivory Combs, Watch Keys, Watch Chains, Watch Guards, Pocket Glasses, Looking Glasses, Clocks, Spectacles, Razors, Razor Strops, Shaving Soap, Shaving Brushes, Violins, Violin Strings, Violin Bows.

For he has a thousand things for sale that cannot be found in any store in the county.

If you want an ACCORDEON Go to Picking.
If you want a POCKET KNIFE Go to Picking.
If you want a SILVER THIMBLE Go to Picking.
If you want a FINE SEGAR Go to Picking.
If you want SMOKING TOBACCO Go to Picking.
If you want CHEWING TOBACCO Go to Picking.
If you want SUSPENDERS Go to Picking.
If you want STEEL PENS Go to Picking.
If you want GOOD PENCILS Go to Picking.
If you want SLEIGH BELLS Go to Picking.
If you want a NEW SUIT Go to Picking.
If you want a GOOD SUIT Go to Picking.
If you want a CHEAP SUIT Go to Picking.
If you want CHEAP CLOTHES Go to Picking.
If you want to BUY CHEAP Go to Picking.
If you want a GOOD FIT Go to Picking.
If you want any article in his line Go to Picking.
For he has received another large stock of NEW GOODS which he is selling to old customers and new customers at the lowest prices.

PICKING'S late arrival of New Goods embraces everything in the Clothing line for Men and Boys. GIVE HIM A CALL.
Gettysburg, Oct. 26, 1863.

### Proclamation

WHEREAS the Hon. ROBERT J. FISHER, President of the several Courts of Common Pleas in the Counties composing the 19th District, and Justice of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the said district, and DAVID ZIEGLER and ISAAC E. WIERMAN, Esq., Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, and Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the County of Adams—have issued their precept, bearing date the 20th day of November, in the year of our LORD one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and to me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas, and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and General Jail Delivery and Court of Oyer and Terminer, at Gettysburg, on *Monday, the 18th day of January next*—

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all the Justices of the Peace, the Coroner and Constables within the said County of Adams, that they be then and there in their proper persons, with their Rolls, Records, Inquisitions, Examinations, and other Remembrances, to do those things which to their offices and in that behalf appertain to be done, and also, they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are or then shall be in the Jail of the said County of Adams, are to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.
ADAM REBERT, Sheriff.
Sheriff's office, Gettysburg, Dec. 21, '63.

### Good Things from the City!

WE are receiving twice a week from the city a variety of articles suited to the wants of this community, viz: Fresh and Salt FISH, Hams, Shoulders and Sides, Hominy, Beans, Salt, Apples, Potatoes, Oranges, Lemons, Confections, Tobaccos, Segars, with many other articles in this line—all received in the best order, and sold at the lowest profits. Give us a call, in Baltimore street, nearly opposite Fahnestocks' store.

WANTED.—Butter, Eggs, Lard, and all other country produce—for which the highest cash price will be paid.

SWEET POTATOES—best quality, at lowest living profits—always on hand. Also, OYSTERS, fine and fresh—in the shell or shocked. Restaurants and families supplied.
STRICKHOUSER & WISOTZKEY.
Gettysburg, May 18, 1863. 3m

### 200 Tons Hay

WANTED.—HENRY UTZ, agent for Stine & Young, will buy any quantity of Hay, paying the highest market price therefor.—Persons having Hay to sell would do well to give him an early call, in Gettysburg.
Nov. 16, 1863. 2m

### Clothing.

GEORGE ARNOLD has now got up his Fall and Winter stock of Clothing, the largest stock in town, consisting of Over Coats, Dress Coats, Business Coats, Military Blouses and Pants, Pantaloons, Vests, Under and Over-Shirts, Drawers, Hosiery, Gloves, &c., in great variety, all of which will be sold cheap for cash. Call and see them.
Sept. 28, 1863.

IF YOU WANT GOOD ALE, PORTER Brown Stout, Scotch Ale, and Wines, call at CHRISMER'S, North-east corner of the Diamond.
Dec. 7, 1863.