THE AMERICAN CITIZEN.

Butler, Pa., Wednesday, Dec. 7 1864

☞ Court is in session, with a full Bench. Nothing of general interest has transpired. The celebrated Lowry case is still (Tuesday evening,) undisposed of.—We will keep our readers advised as it progresses.

☞ There is no general movement of Grant's forces, although one is daily expected. Sherman is making good his move to the seaboard, inflicting serious damage on the enemy as he passes throughr Georgia. A portion of Thomas' army was assaulted by Hood's but came off victorious, repulsing them repeatedly. A general engagement is also expected between these two armies. The whole situation looks not only hopeful, but cheering. Perseverance is all that is wanted to now secure success.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.—By reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen that T. & H. Ganghan, of 716 Broadway, New York, offers to all who are desirous of purchasing articles in their line, an assortment of Watches and Jewelry, at very low prices. The firm is one that can be relied on. Send in your orders.

BURNED.—On Saturday night 26th of November, 1864, a portion of the Rough Run Furnace, the property of Hon. Wm. Stewart, was destroyed by fire,—the engine house and coal bridge. We are not informed as to the amount of damage, but learn that it is considerable. It is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

☞ In to-day's paper will be found a written communication from Captain Kirker, in reference to correcting enrollments, which we trust will receive the prompt attention of all concerned. Now is the time for corrections to be made and then should a draft come, equal justice will fall upon all. On former occasions the people manifested indifference till after a draft, and then would sometimes complain—if the rolls were found to be incorrect, when they, perhaps, were the only persons possessing the knowledge necessary to secure corrections, let this not be the case in the future.

Enrollment of the 23d District.

The following are the numbers of men on the several rolls of the 23d district, subject to draft, as officially reported on the 30th of November, 1864:

BUTLER COUNTY.

Bufialo township	192	Franklin township	114
Clinton township	72	Centre township	74
Middlesex township	92	Oakland township	39
Adams township	94	Donegal	34
Cranberry township	116	Hillerstown bor.	17
Jackson township	133	Fairview township	81
Zelienople bor.	33	Concord township	82
Forward township	91	Clay township	104
Penn township	32	Brady township	65
Jefferson township	57	Worth township	111
Saxonburg bor.	26	Slipperyrock tp.	124
Winfield township	42	Cherry township	37
Clearfield township	29	Washington tp.	74
Summit township	47	Parker township	77
Butler township	96	Allegheny township	50
Butler borough	154	Venango township	46
Connoquenessing tp.	149	Marion township	43
Lancaster township	108	Mercer township	74
Muddycreek tp.	100		
Total			2780

It is very desirable that these rolls should be still further purged and corrected, by striking from them the names of men now in service; of men who have already served two years or upwards; of men over forty-five years of age; of those manifestly or permanently disabled; of aliens; and of men who have died since the enrollment was made; and also by the addition of the names of young men who have arrived at the age of twenty years, and of any others whose names ought to be enrolled.

To prove alienage requires the affidavit of the party, in proper person, supported by the oath of two subscribing witnesses, who must be citizens.

To prove age requires the formal affidavit of the party, corroborated by the oath of two subscribing witnesses, together with the best testimony the party can produce. The best is a regular family record, which ought always to be brought, or a copy of it, certified by a magistrate, endorsed on the affidavit. The next best is the oath of one or both parents, who, if living, ought to be the subscribing witnesses. Then the testimony of older brothers or sisters, and so on, being the best that can be offered.

In other cases the testimony of any good citizen is sufficient. The Board earnestly invite the co-operation of district committees, magistrates and citizens in this work, alike advan ageous to themselves and to the Government.

Sherman's Advance.

The reports of Sherman's progress into the heart of the South, are from rebel sources, but highly satisfactory. Nothing is disclosed that can be kept back.—Of the capture of Macon and Milledgeville, there is scarcely a doubt. The great consternation prevails throughout the South, is entirely certain. It is evident from the proceedings in the Rebel Congress that the rebellion totters on the brink of destruction from internal dissentions. Vice President Stevens and Gov. Brown, of Georgia, are causing scarcely less trouble than Sherman. While there are no adequate means for resisting the progress of the latter, the former are openly denounced for conspiring to overthrow the Davis dynasty. There is a report, lacking confirmation, however, that Georgia and Alabama have signified the wish to return to the Union, and that Sherman has halted in consequence.—While there may be some ground for the former, the latter part of the report is quite improbable. It is not necessary to establish the entire accuracy of even a small part of the reports the Rebels have sent up to us, to make it manifest that the Confederacy is convulsed as it never has been before.

For the next week or ten days the only news from Sherman will be through Rebel sources. Never did a general undertake a task so stupendous as that on which he has entered. Just enough is known of his progress to cause further reports to be awaited with thrilling, not say painful, interest.—*Pitts. Com.*

HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF THE POTOMAC,
December 1, 1864, 8 P. M.

Lieutenant General Grant:

I have just heard from Gen. Gregg. His dispatch is dated 3:45 p. m. He reports having captured Stony Creek Station, which was defended by infantry and cavalry, in works with artillery. He captured two pieces of artillery, but had no means of bringing them off, so he spiked them and destroyed the carriages. He had one hundred and ninety prisoners and eight wagons and thirty mules. He burned the depot with 3,000 sacks of corn, and a large amount of bacon, clothing, ammunition and other government stores, and destroyed all shop sthe and public buildings. The second brigade, Gen. Gregg commanding, had the advance and is reported to have most gallantly carried the enemy's position. Gen. Gregg is now returning to camp. No information could be obtained of any troops passing southward, either cavalry or infantry. The bed of the branch road from Stony Creek was seen to be graded, bnt no rails were laid. At Dunals Station, south of Stony Creek, much property was destroyed and a large amount of railroad iron found. An effort was being made to destroy it by fire, when the staff officer who brought the dispatch left. The enemy showed signs of having concentrated, and were following, but the officer thinks Gen. Gregg will be in camp by midnight.

[Signed] GEO. G. MEADE,
Major General.

☞ The *World* has made a very bitter and unnecessary attack on New England, denying her originality in politics, literature, science and art; and arguing that American greatness owes little to her influence. It might be courteous but it would be superfluous for Pennsylvania journalists to take up the defence of this great section, and we leave the *World* to the mercy of Boston. We may note, however, two of its mistakes. Fennimore Cooper and Robert Fulton are claimed by it as New Yorkers, but the first was a son of Judge Cooper, a Pennsylvanian, and was born in Burlington, N. J.; the second was a native of Lancaster county, Pennsylvania.—*Phila. Press.*

It is a rather significant fact that the that the only prominent hotel in the city of New York that was hot attempted to be fired on Friday last, was the New York Hotel, the general rendezvous and, the hot-bed of the secessionists of that city.

Arrival and Departure of Mails

The mail from Butler to East Sandy, by way of Holyoke, Coultersville, Amandale, Murrinsville and Clintonville, 36 miles; leaves Butler on Monday and Friday of each week, at 6 o'clock, a. m., returns on Tuesday and Saturday of each week at 7 o'cpock, p.m.

The mail from Butler to Salem Cross Roads, by way of Saxonburg, Sarversville, Freeport, Shearer's Cross Roads, McLaughlin's Store and Oakland Cross Roads, 43 miles; leaves Butler on Tuesday and Saturday of each week, at 5 o'clock, a.m; returns on Friday and Monday of each week, at 8 o'clock, p. m.

The mail from Butler to New Castle, by way of Mount Chesnut, Prospect, Portersville and Princeton, 28 miles; leaves Butler on Monday and Thursday of each week, at 6 o'clock a. m; returns on Tuesday and Friday of each week, at 5 o'clock, p. m.

The mail from Butler to Lawrenceburg, by way of North Oakland, Barnhart's Mills, Baldwin and Bruin, 25 miles, leaves Butler on Monday and Friday of each week, at 9 o'clock, a. m; returns on Tuesday and Saturday of each week, at 9 o'clock, p. m.

The mail from Butler to New Brighton, by way of Petersburg, Break-Neck and Zelienople, 29 miles; with two additional trips between Break-Neck and Zelienople; leaves Butler on Wednesday of each week, at 7 o'clock, a.m.; returns on Thursday of each week, at 5 o'clock, p. m.

The mail from Butler to Pittsburg, by way of Glade Mills, Bakerstown, Tally Cavy, Etna, Dequesne and Allegheny City, 32 miles; leaves Butler every morning, except Sunday, at 7 o'clock, a. m.; arrives at Butler from Pittsburgh by the same route, every day, Sunday excepted, at 1 o'clock, p. m.

The mail from Butler to Mercer, by way of McCandless, Brownington, Slippery-Rock, North Liberty, Louden and Balm, 32 miles; leaves Butler every day, Sunday excepted, at 1 o'clock p. m.; returns by the same route, every day, Sunday excepted; arriving in Butler at 7 o'clock in the morning.

The mail from Butler to Indiana, by way of Coylesville, Worthington, Kittanning, Elderton and Shelocta, 48 miles; leaves Butler on Monday and Thursday of each week, at 4 o'clock, a. m.; returns on Tuesday and Friday of each week, at 7 o'clock, p. m.

The mail from Butler to Boydstown, 6 miles, leaves Boydstown on Friday morning of each week, arrives at Butler in the forenoon; departs for Boydstown same day after the arrival of the mail from Pittsburgh.

MARRIED.

On the 1st inst., by Rev. Wm. A. Black, at his residence, near North Washington, Mr. WILLIAM SLOAN, late of Co. C, 11th Regt., P. R. C., now of Sunbury, Butler county, to Miss SARAH JANE, daughter of Mr. Charles Heckathorn, of Washington tp., Butler co., Pa.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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Dec. 7, 1864:3mo.

A. Y. M.—Butler Lodge, No. 272, A. Y. M. holds its stated meetings in the Odd Fellows Hall, on Main Street, Butler Pa., on the first Wednesday of each month. Brethren from sister Lodges are respectfully invited to attend.

By order of the W. M.

CONNOQUENESSING LODGE, No. 278, I. O. of O. F. holds its stated meetings at the Hall, on Main Street, Butler Penna., every Monday evening, commencing at six o'clock. Brethren from sister Lodges are respectfully invited to attend. By order of the N. G.

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Jan. 20,

Election Notice.

THERE will be a meeting of the Members of the Butler County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, at the office of the Secretary, in Butler, Pa., on the second Tuesday of January next, being the 10th day of the month, for the purpose of electing twelve Directors for the ensuing year. H. C. HEINEMAN,

Butler, Dec. 7, 1864:4t. Sec'y.

Settle Up.

THE undersigned wishes to inform all those knowing themselves indebted to him, that they are required to call and settle between this and the first of January, 1865; after which time his books will positively be left with the proper officers for settlement.

JOHN A. SEDWICK.

Dec. 7, 1864:2w.

Stray Heifer.

CAME to the enclosure of the undersigned, residing in Jefferson township, Butler county, on or about 26th day of November, 1864, a **Red Heifer**, with some white on the belly, a crop off the left ear, and a swallow-fork in the right, about two and a half years old. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away, otherwise she will be disposed of according to law. WM. MILLER.

Dec. 7, 1864:3t.

$50 00 Reward!

ON the 2d inst., John Kerstetter broke Jail—is about five feet eight inches high—pure face—sharp eye—about 45 years of age. The above reward will be paid for his recovery. WM. O. BLACKENRIDGE,

Butler, Dec. 7, 1864. Sheriff.

The New York Tribune.

NOTWITHSTANDING the enormously increased expenses attending the publication of THE TRIBUNE occasioned by the employment of numerous army correspondents and other liberal expenditures, as well as by the advance in the price of paper and other materials, we have resolved, for the present at least, not to increase the subscription price of either Weekly or Semi-Weekly papers, but to continue to furnish them at $2 and $3, respectively, per annum; being the same prices which were established more than twenty years ago, when the cost was only about one-third of what it is at the present time. Our Terms will be found below, and we wish it to be distinctly understood that ☞ these Terms will be strictly and literally adhered to, and no other abatements or discounts than those mentioned will be allowed in any case whatever.

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Correction of Enrollment.

23d District, Penna.

IN order to secure the assistance and co-operation of the people in the endeavor to keep the Enrollment Lists continually correct, the Enrolling Boards have been directed to have copies of said lists kept open to the examination of the public at all proper times, and shall give public notice that any person may appear before the board and have any man stricken off the list, if he can show, to the satisfaction of the Board, that the person named is not properly enrolled, on account of

1st. *Alienage;*
2d, *Non-residence;*
3d, *Over Age;*
4th, *Permanent, Physical Disability,* of such a degree as to render the person not a proper subject for enrollment under the law and Regulations;
5th. Having served in the Military or Naval service *two years* during the present war and been honorably discharged.

Especially Civil officers, Clergymen, and all prominent citizens, are invited to appear at all times before the Board to point out errors in the Lists, and to give such information in their possession as may aid in the correct and thorough revision thereof.

They should understand that it is plainly for the interest of each subdistrict to have stricken from the Lists, all names improperly enrolled, because an excess of names increases the quota called for from such subdistrict; and that it is equally for the interest of each person enrolled in a given sub-district to place upon the Lists all persons in the sub-district liable to do military duty, because the greater the number to be drawn from, the less the chance that any particular individual will be drawn.

It is the personal interest of every enrolled man, that the quota in which he is concerned shall not be made too large, and that his own chance for draft shall not be unjustly increased; both these objects will be attained if all parties will aid in striking out the wrong names and putting in the right ones. Especially in this the interest of those drafted men who by putting in Substitutes themselves liable to draft, have secured exemption which by the terms of the Law holds good only until the present Enrollment is exhausted in their sub-districts. Men who are over 45 years of age, and in consequence exempt by Law from the performance of duty in the field, owe it to the cause and the country to take a *zealous* and *active* part in the correction of the Enrollment Lists, a military service of the first importance. The Law requires that the quotas shall be assigned in proportion to the enrollment, and the fairness and justice of this mode of determining the amount of military service due from each and every section of the country, cannot be doubted if the enrollment is made as nearly perfect as it is practicable, to make it. The amount of service due to the Nation from every Town or County, is thus laid fairly and plainly before the citizens, and it is expected that a higher motive than a selfish interest will prompt all to do their share in perfecting the enrollment, and securing a just and efficient execution of the laws for raising troops, whenever it becomes necessary to apply them.

By order of

Maj. RICHARD S. DODGE,
A. A. P. M. General.
J. W. KIRKER, Capt. & Pro. Mar.
Dec. 7, 1864. 23 District, Pa.

Executor's Notice.

Estate of Mrs. Hannah J. M'Cune, dec'd,

LETTERS Testamentary having been granted to the subscribers, on the estate of Mrs. Hannah J. M'Cune, deceased, late of Slipperyrock township, Butler county, notice is hereby given to those indebted to said estate, to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

ABNER DALE,
EPHRAIM H. ADAMS,
Nov. 2, 1864:6t. Executors.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Edward M'Elree, dec'd.

WHEREAS Letters of Administration to the estate of Edward M'Elree, late of Mercer township, deceased, have been duly granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

J. C. M'ELREE,
DAVID M'KEE,
November 2, 1864:6t. Administrators.

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Executor's Notice.

ESTATE OF REV. ISAIAH NIBLOCK, DEC'D.

WHEREAS Letters Testamentary with the Will annexed, having this day been duly granted by the Register, to Rachel Niblock and John H. Niblock, Executors of Rev. Isaiah Niblock, late of the borough of Butler, dec'd., therefore all persons indebted to the estate of said decedent, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same, will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

RACHEL NIBLOCK,
JOHN H. NIBLOCK,
Oct. 26, 1864:6t. Executors.

Information Concerning the Draft.

THE enrolled men of the 23d District, and all others interested, are respectfully informed that all enquiries on ordinary subjects connected with the Enrollment, Draft, Exemptions, Liabilities to Draft, Credits, and accounts of men furnished in this District, should be addressed to me, and not to the Provost Marshal General.

Upon the receipt of all communications containing enquiries on these subjects, the desired information will be promptly furnished.

By order of the Provost Marshal General.

J. W. KIRKER, Capt. & Pro.
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☞ For full particulars, send for our elegant new Circular pp. 8, with samples of our Penman's Business and Ornamental Writing, inclosing 25 cents for postage, to

P. DUFF & SON, Pittsburgh, Pa.

June 1, 1864:1m1y. Pittsburgh, Penn'a.

New | Shoes, | New
Cloaks, Sacques, Circulars and Shawls.
DRESS AND MILLINERY GOODS,
A NEW & COMPLETE STOCK JUST OPENED,
AT
D. T. PAPE & CO.
BUTLER, PA.
Cloth for Cloaks. | Notions. | New

1864. New Gods! 1864.

A LARGE AND WELL SELECTED STOCK OF

Splendid Seasonable Goods,

Just received and for Sale at the

NEW STORE OF

WEBER & TROUTMAN,

Boyd's Building, corner of Main & Jefferson sts.

BUTLER, PA.,

Consisting of Dry Goods, such as FINE DELAINS,

CASHMERES,

and COBERGS,

ALAPACAS,

PRINTS, BALMORAL SKIRTS

a general assortment of

LADIES DRESS GOODS,

of the finest quality

BONNETS, RIBBONS, LACES,

and all kinds of Trimmings.

A large assortment of GENTS. WARE, such as

CLOTHS,

CASSIMERES

SATINETTS, JEANS,

CATTONADES, &c.

Ready-Made Clothing.

HATS AND CAPS

Of the very latest Styles.

A large and well selected Stock of

BOOTS & SHOES,

Hardware, Queensware,

CROCKERY, GROCERIES,

And a Genuine Article of STRAINED HONEY,

All of which will be sold cheap for

CASH, or COUNTRY PRODUCE

WEBER & TROUTMAN.

April 13, 1864:6mo.

George Vogeley, Jr.,

MANUFACTURER AND DEALER

IN ALL KINDS OF

Tobacco, Snuff, and Segars,

Main Street, Butler.

Things Done Up Right!!

I wish to inform Butler county, and the region round about, that I have just received the best articles ever imported into this county. The only way to prove the fact is to call and examine my **Tobacco, Snuff and Segars;** believing in the truth of the old adage, that "the proof of the Pudding is in chewing the Bag." Any man that has an itching for Tobacco, in any of its forms, can be gratified.

GEORGE VOGELEY, Jr.

Butler, Nov. 30, 1864:2mo.

STOLEN MARE.

STOLEN from a stable in Freeport, Armstrong county on the night of the first of November, 1864, a *Sorrel Mare*, ten years of age, white face, and white on the hind legs to the knees; a Saddle, bridle, and halter was also taken. Any person giving information that will lead to the discovery of the Mare, or the conviction of the thief, will be liberally rewarded.

CHARLES THOMPSON,

Nov. 2, 1869:3t. Buffalo tp., Armstrong co., Pa.

Notice to Collectors.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Collectors who are in arrears with the Treasurer of Butler county, prior to the year 1864, that payment *must* be made on or before the second week of December Court next. After this time, I am authorized by the Commissioners, to place the accounts in the hands of the Sheriff. The demands upon the Treasury are of such a character, that they must be met. Strict compliance with the above is requested, as I will carry it out without regard to persons. N. WALKER, Treasurer.

Treas. office, Oct. 19, 1864.

Executors Notice.

OF THE ESTATE OF GIBSON VINCENT DEC'D.

WHEREAS, letters Testamentary, with the Will annexed have this day been duly granted by the Register, to Matilda Vincent and James Vincent, Executors of Gibson Vincent, late of Marion Tp., dec'd., therefore, all persons indebted to the estate of said decedent are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same, will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

MATILDA VINCENT,
Nov. 23 JAMES VINCENT, Ex's.

Christmas and New Year.

GRAND DISPLAY OF
TOYS FOR THE HOLIDAY DAYS,
at HEINEMANS'

ESTRAYS.

CAME to the residence of the subscriber, in Franklin township, Butler county, about the second of October, 1864, two Yearling Calves, one a Steer, and the other a heifer; the Steer has some white on him; the Heifer is red and white; both supposed to be one year old last spring. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take them away, or they will be disposed of according to law.

WM. DICK.

Oct. 26, 1864:3t.

U. S. 7-30 Loan.

THE Secretary of the Treasury gives notice that subscriptions will be received for Coupon Treasury Notes, payable three years from Aug. 15th, 1864, with semi-annual interest at a rate of seven and three-tenths per cent. per annum—principal and interest both to be paid in lawful money.

These notes will be convertible at the option of the holder at maturity, into six per cent. gold bearing bonds, payable not less than five nor more than twenty years from their date, as the Government may elect. They will be issued in denominations of $50, $100, $500, $1,000 and $5,000, and all subscriptions must be for fifty dollars or some multiple of fifty dollars.

The notes will be transmitted to the owners free of transportation charges as soon after the receipt of the original Certificate of Deposit as they can be prepared.

As the notes draw interest from August 15, persons making deposits subsequent to that date must pay the interest accrued from date of note to date of deposit.

Parties depositing twenty-five thousand dollars and upwards for these notes at any one time will be allowed a commission of one-quarter of one per cent., which will be paid by the Treasury Department upon the receipt of a bill for the amount, certified by the officer with whom the deposit was made. No deductions for commissions must be made from the deposits.

Special Advantages of This Loan.

IT IS A NATIONAL SAVINGS BAND, offering a higher rate of interest than any other, and *the best security.* Any savings bank which pays its depositors in U. S. Notes, considers that it is paying in the best circulating medium of the country, and it *cannot* pay in anything better, for its own assets are either in government securities or in notes or bonds payable in government paper.

It is equally convenient as a temporary or permanent investment. The notes can always be sold for within a fraction of their face and accumulated interest, and are the best security with banks as collaterals for discounts.

Convertible into a Six per cent. 5-20 Gold Bond.

In addition to the very liberal interest on the notes for three years, this privilege of conversion is now worth about three per cent. per annum, for the current rate for 5-20 Bonds is not less than *nine per cent. premium,* and before the war the premium in six per cent. U. S. stocks was over twenty per cent. It will be seen that the actual profit on this loan, at the present market rate, is not less than ten per cent. per annum.

Its Exemption from State or Municipal Taxation.

But aside from all the advantages we have enumerated, a special Act of Congress *exempts all bonds and Treasury notes from local taxation.* On the average, this exemption is worth about two per cent. per annum, according to the rate of taxation in various parts of the country.

It is believed that no securities offer so great inducements to lenders as those issued by the government.—In all other forms of indebtedness, the faith or ability of private parties, or stock companies, or separate communities, only, is pledged for payment, while the whole property of the country is held to secure the discharge of all the obligations of the United States.

While the government offers the most liberal terms for its loans, it believes that the very strongest appeal will be the loyalty and patriotism of the people.

Duplicate certificates will be issued for all deposits.—The party depositing must endorse upon the *original* certificate the denomination of notes required, and whether they are to be issued in blank or payable to order. When so endorsed it must be left with the officer receiving the deposit, to be forwarded to the Treasury Department.

SUBSCRIPTIONS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Treasurer o the United States, at Washington, the several Assistant Treasurers and designated Depositaries, and by the

First National Bank of

Allegheny City, Pa. First, Second, and Third National Banks of Pittsburgh, Pa., and by all National Banks which are depositaries of public money, and

ALL RESPECTABLE BANKS AND BANKERS

throughout the country will give further information and AFFORD EVERY FACILITY TO SUBSCRIBERS.

U. S. Collector's Notice.

HAVING received the Annual List of Licenses, Taxes on Incomes, Carriages, Silver Plate, &c., under the U. S. Internal Revenue Laws, for the 3d Division of the 23d District, Penna., comprising the county of Butler, I will attend for the purpose of receiving of said taxes, &c., at my office, in the borough of Butler, from the 23d of August, 1864, to the 19th of September, 1864, also at the following places:

Saturday, Sept. 10, 1864, from 9 to 12 o'clock, a. m., at Kelly's Store, Buffalo township.

Same day, from 1 to 4 o'clock, p. m., at the Store of E. Maurhoff, Esq., Saxonburg.

Monday, Sept. 12, 1864, from 8 to 12 o'clock, a. m., Fairview, at Adams's Hotel.

Same day, from 1 to 3 o'clock, p. m., Millerstown, at Hicks' Hotel.

Tuesday, Sept. 13, 1864, from 8 to 12 o'clock, a. m., Sunbury, at A. Wilson's Store.

Same day, from 2 to 4 o'clock, p. m., Herriseville, Kerr's Hotel.

Wednesday, Sept. 14, 1864, Centreville, at Eyth's Hotel.

Thursday, Sept., 15, 1864, from 8 to 12 o'clock, a. m., Potreerville, at Cliver's Hotel.

Same day, from 2 to 4 o,clock, p. m., Prospect, at Mrs. Bredin