

THE AMERICAN CITIZEN.

Butler, Pa., Wednesday, July 26, 1865.

The Sermon on Rev. R. A. Carothers will appear in our next issue.

Barker Family Coming. This celebrated family of Vocalists will hold forth this (Wednesday) evening in the Court Room.

To the Teachers of Butler Co. The "State Teachers Association" will meet in Meadville on the 1st, 2d and 3d days of August.

A. H. WATERS.

On Sabbath day, the 16th inst., a little girl, daughter of John Michael, residing in Jefferson tp., was out playing near the house, and gathered a bunch of wild flowers; brought them into the house much pleased, and was exhibiting them to her parents, when a Hornet, which had nuzzled now, been concealed in the same.

Just received and for sale at the Book store of H. C. Heinemann, Butler, opposite Lowry's Hotel, a neat pamphlet of 102 pages, giving in full the Trial of the Assassins and Conspirators for the murder of Abraham Lincoln.

West Sunbury Academy. The village of Sunbury, (Countryside P. O.,) is pleasantly and healthfully situated on the graded road leading from Butler to Franklin.

Thos. C. Van Tries, the present Principal, is a practical and experienced teacher; and is aided in his official capacity by a number of able assistants.

The course of study is complete, and is designed to afford the youth of both sexes an opportunity of acquiring a thorough Academic education.

The ensuing fall term will open on Monday, August 14th, 1865. Persons desiring information, will address the Principal, at Coulterville, Butler county, Pa.

Camp Sumpter.

This camp was situated near Andersonville, Georgia—and has gained some notoriety in the history of our country, not from deeds of valor or charity that were wrought there, nor on account of the pious or benevolent character of the inhabitants, but on the contrary; this notoriety has arisen from the fact, that thousands of our brave volunteers who were so unfortunate as to become prisoners of war, in the hands of our Southern Brethren, and the chivalry of the South, were abused, incarcerated, maltreated and systematically started to death.

shame and a disgrace to any people making pretensions of civilization and christianity; time can never obliterate or efface the guilt of those who practiced and of those who countenanced the same.

EDITOR CITIZEN:—Knowing that there are some, and believing that there are many of your readers desirous of hearing something from the 14th, we have concluded to send you a short communication with some enclosed papers, all of which you will please publish, which will give our friends at home to know where we are and what we are doing, and also what others would like to do.

COMMUNICATION.

WHEREAS, We the undersigned, enlisted men of the 14th Pa. Vol. Cav., having learned that it is in contemplation to send us across the plains, as we understand, for the purpose of operating against certain hostile tribes of Indians, and to keep open, to and defend the western frontiers; and,

WHEREAS, When we enlisted, as we did with purely patriotic motives; we did so with the understanding that it was for the purpose of assisting to crush out the then existing rebellion, and to sustain the authority of the National Government in opposition to those who had then rebelled and taken up arms against it; and,

WHEREAS, There always have been certain tribes of Indians hostile to the whites; why, then, we ask, "resort to the same means as heretofore to have them subdued, without the aid of volunteers, who were enlisted for another purpose, which purpose has been fully accomplished, therefore,

Resolved, That as we enlisted for three years OF DURING THE WAR, and as the war is over, and the object of our enlistment accomplished, we candidly believe that we should be discharged.

Resolved, That as even the rebels themselves are at their homes, having ceased to be enemies, we claim that we should be permitted to return to ours.

Resolved, That we respectfully request our worthy Colonel, J. M. Schoonmaker, and regimental officers, to use their influence, and their utmost endeavor to have us mustered out before going any farther, and as soon as possible.

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unless sooner discharged," but at a time when the Government was assailed by a ruthless foe, was no time to cavil about matters of form. The idea was that all volunteers should be discharged when the rebellion was suppressed.

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Southern Trade.

In nearly every Northern city there trade with the South existed, it has begun to revive with hopeful prospects. Coupled with this, in many cases, is the payment of old debts, and the opening of new relations on the old basis.

The contract entered into with Pittsburgh builders, with in the last few days, for a steam-bow for one of the Southern rivers, is not less important than gratifying. The fact indicates not only favorably our builders are remembered, but that there is the ability as well as the disposition to employ them again.

The Democratic Press. It is somewhat amusing to notice the distress into which the Democratic journals of the country are sometimes plunged in their attempts to support President Johnson's Administration, and at the same time condemn the policies which mark it.

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BUTLER MARKETS.

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GRAND OPENING

OF Spring & Summer DRY GOODS, AT D. T. PAPE & CO.

An Extraordinary large Stock OF GOODS, Purchased Before the Late ADVANCE, And will be sold at Astonishing LOW PRICES.

U. S. 7-30 LOAN THIRD SERIES, 230,000,000. By authority of the Secretary of the Treasury, the undersigned, the General Substitution Agent for the sale of United States Treasury Notes, offers to the public the third series of Treasury Notes, bearing seven and three-tenths per cent. interest, per annum, known as the

THE ONLY LOAN IN MARKET Great Popular Loan of the People. Less than \$200,000,000 of the Loan authorized by the last Congress are now on the market.

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1865. New Goods! 1865.

A LARGE AND WELL SELECTED STOCK OF Splendid Seasonable Goods, Just received and for Sale at the NEW STORE OF WEBER & TROUTMAN.

LADIES DRESS GOODS, BONNETS, RIBBONS, LACES, and all kinds of Trimmings.

BOOTS & SHOES, Hardware, Queensware, CROCKERY, GROCERIES, and a Genuine Article of STRAINED HONEY.

FAMILY BIBLES. A FRESH SUPPLY OF Photograph Bibles, AT HEINEMAN'S, March 22, 1865.

MOWING MACHINES. FARMERS are invited to call and examine our assortment of Mowing Machines. We are prepared to furnish them on reasonable terms and with the LATEST IMPROVEMENTS.

DYEING AND SCOURING. THE Undersigned, having become an agent for a FINEST BLEND OF STEAM DYEING AND SCOURING Establishment, is now prepared to have all work of this kind done on short notice, and reasonable terms.

BOOT, SHOE, LEATHER AND FINDINGS STORE, ON MAIN STREET, One door North of M'Abey's Store. GENTS' FRENCH CALF BOOTS, SHOES AND CONGRSS GAITERS, LADIES & GENTS' SLIPPERS, MISSES' BOOTS, SHOES, AND GUMS, BOYS BOOTS & SHOES, Children's Shoes of all kinds.

THEODORE H. STURTON

The Nation: A Weekly Journal of Politics, Literature, Science, and Art.

This journal will not be the organ of any party, sect, or body. It will, on the contrary, make an earnest effort to bring the discussion of political and social questions to a correct and sane basis.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested, that the undersigned will be at the office of John Mitchell, Esq., Assistant Assessor in the town of Butler, on the 24th day of July, and the 25th day of August, for the purpose of receiving objections to the assessment of the town of Butler.

CLAIM AGENT, THE undersigned respectfully notify the public that he has been regularly commissioned as CLAIM AGENT, for securing Bounty Money, Arrears of Pay and Pensions, for soldiers, or if they are dead, for their legal representatives.

ESTRAYS, CAME to the residence of the undersigned, living in Harrisville, Butler Co., Pa., on the 12th of June, last, one Sorrel Mare, white strip on face, appeared in left hind leg, three white feet, and about twelve years old.

\$5 REWARD, STOLEN from the Drug Store of Dr. F. F. Hamilton, in Butler, about the 28th of June, a Pocket Case of surgical Instruments. The above reward will be given to any person returning them, with information that will lead to the detection of the thief.

William E. Moore, PENSION, BOUNTY CLAIM AGENT