

THE CRISIS.

We are in the midst of a crisis, on the event of which depends the future peace and prosperity of the nation. Hardened by the heroic vicissitudes of the last six years, we look on apathetically while the republican institutions in which we glory are endangered, and we watch with languid curiosity a condition of affairs which, ten years since, would have convulsed the whole country with the wildest agitation.

All the burdens left us by the war are skillfully taken advantage of to persuade the unthinking that Democratic rule alone can restore the blessings of light taxes, low prices, and specie currency. Every local question is turned to account where passion or prejudice can be worked upon.

For let us calmly consider what is it that lies before us in the immediate future. We have a Congress which has been gallantly struggling for a double purpose—to secure the results of the war in a durable peace and permanent unification of the country, and, at the same time, to preserve the legislative power of the people through their chosen representatives.

These differences between the Executive and the Legislature, involving not only the policy of the country, but the fundamental structure of its government, are rapidly approaching a crisis. Twelve months since, Mr. Johnson contented himself with stigmatizing Congress as a body "hanging upon the verge of the government."

ed by the fearful eventualities of the next three months. What is needed to realize the worst of these forebodings? Only Democratic success in the fall elections? If the ever loyal State of Pennsylvania rebel against which the tempests of the reeking Democracy have spent their force in vain, should prove recreant to her well earned glory—if the great State of Pennsylvania should belie her splendid record—what fearful encouragement would it not give to the miserable band who are plotting and scheming for the overthrow of our institutions? Pennsylvania is again the battle ground of the Union, and not at Gettysburg were the lines more closely drawn or the issues more distinctly balanced.

Should we, through fatal apathy and shortsightedness, permit the enemy to carry Pennsylvania, what hopes can we have of New York and New Jersey? Our example would be contagious, and we may well look forward with unaffected dread at the results if the great Middle States should appear to rally to the support of Johnsonism.

Even should Heaven avert from us these untimely evils which we should have invited, hardly less disastrous would be the result upon the settlement of all the great questions arising from the war. Congress is the representative of the people; politicians there are in it, quick to discern and apt to magnify the evidences of apprehended popular reaction. Supported by the people, Congress has bravely withstood the assaults of the Executive, and has laid the foundations of reconstruction based upon broad and enduring principles.

It matters little to us as citizens which of two eminent jurists shall sit upon the bench. It is absolutely unimportant to us which of two men, both equally different to us individually, shall collect the fees of the Sheriff's office or shall draw the salary of the City Treasurer.

GOODEY'S LADY'S BOOK.—The October number of this popular Magazine comes to us with all its freshness and beauty. The engravings are excellent. The engravings of fall and winter styles of ladies and children's hats is very beautiful.

THE LADY'S FRIEND.—The October number of this "Queen of the Monthlies" starts off with a beautiful Steel engraving called "The Lace Maker." The fashion plate engraved on steel is really beautiful. The music entitled "The Wife's Dream" is of itself worth the cost of the number.

Forewarned is Forearmed.

The experience of the last six years should have taught us that even in the United States there is no security against civil trouble. A more appalling introduction to it no nation ever had. Yet to the very moment of the actual blow it was considered impossible. The republic was charmed. Other countries had suffered, but we were exceptional.

It is worth while to return to that ghastly self-deception of six and eight years ago? Is it any more foolish to believe that the President will push the present extremity to an armed solution, if he can than it was to believe that the secessionists would take arms at the first favorable moment? Andrew Johnson is at bay.

We learn, upon good authority, that there are ten thousand men in Maryland, called militia, armed and under the command of rebel officers. Not long before Mr. Stanton was suspended a requisition came from the Governor of Maryland to the War Department for batteries, which the Secretary refused.

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New Goods at Greatly Reduced Prices!

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One Case Prints at from 9 to 16 cts. 6-4 Water-proof Cloaking, \$1 40. Brown and Bleached Muslins at 9 cts. & upwards. Balmoral Skirts, \$1 25 & upwards. Jeans, 18 " " " " Blankets, \$4 75 " " " " Coverlets, \$2 00 to \$4 75.

ALSO A FULL LINE OF

FRENCH MERINOES, CLOTHS, GLOVES, COBURGS, CASSIMERES, HOSE, HOSIERY, NOTIONS, &c.

Also 200 Army Blouses, lined, at \$2, TOGETHER WITH A FINE ASSORTMENT OF

Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Groceries, &c., to which the attention of purchasers is requested at

CHARLES DUFFY'S, Corner of Main Street and Church Alley, BUTLER, PA.

September 13, '67—2mos.]

ARRIVAL -OF- DRY GOODS, FURS, CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED THE LARGEST, and Most Complete Stock of White & Colored Blankets.

BARRED, WHITE, YELLOW, RED, AND GRAY. FLANNELS, EVER OFFERED IN THE CITY AND AT

Extremely Low Prices. ALSO, A VERY LARGE STOCK OF Ladies, Misses & Children's Furs,

GREAT BARGAINS. ALSO A VERY GOOD ASSORTMENT OF CARPETS, FLOOR OIL-CLOTHS, HEARTH RUGS, AND DOOR MATS.

in fact, everything usually kept in a Dry Goods Store SOLD WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

Remember the Place, DUNLAP LUKER & CO., No. 136 Federal Street, 4th Door Below Market, ALLEGHENY CITY.

GROHMAN & WALTER, MILLERS, HAVING given their Mill a thorough repairing, and placed it in excellent order, they are now ready to do all kinds of custom work and at the shortest notice.

Wheat and Rye Flour always on hand. Rye and Mixed Flour and Bran in different kinds constantly on hand.

DENTISTRY. Drs. Leiguer & Davis, HAVE permanently located themselves in CENTRE VILLE, Butler county, Pa., where they can be consulted at all times, prepared to perform all operations in either Surgical or Mechanical Dentistry.

Paints for Farmers and Others, THE Graham Mineral Paint Co. are now manufacturing the Best, Cheapest and most Durable Paint in use.

Cholera, Diarrhoea, and Dysentery, A CURE IS WARRANTED BY DR. TORIAN'S CELEBRATED STOKELAN LIMEWATER, if used when first taken by persons of temperate habits.

Executor's Notice, ESTATE OF ELIZABETH TUTTLE, DECD., Elizabeth Tuttle, late of Centre township, Butler county, Pa., deceased, has this day (Sept. 12, 1867), been granted the undersigned by the Register of said county, all persons indebted to said estate, are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

Notice, THE Directors of Fairview School district will meet in Fairview on the 2nd Saturday of Oct. next to employ seven teachers, preference given to those who employ good certificates.

Administrator's Notice, ESTATE OF FORRESTER BROWN, DECD., NOTICE is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of Forrester Brown, late of Penn. deceased, have this day (Sept. 11, 1867), been granted to the undersigned; therefore, all persons indebted to the said estate, will make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

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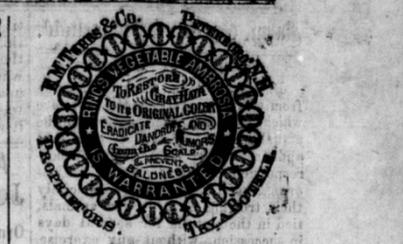
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RING'S VEGETABLE AMBROSIA IS THE MIRACLE OF THE AGE!

Gray-headed People have their locks restored by it to the dark, lustrous, silken tresses of youth, and are happy!

Young People, with light, faded or red Hair, have these unfashionable colors changed to a beautiful auburn, and rejoice!

People whose heads are covered with Dandruff and Humors, use it, and have clean coats and clear and healthy scalps!

Bald-Headed Veterans have their remaining locks thickened, and the bare spots covered with a luxuriant growth of Hair, and dance for joy!

Young Gentlemen use it because it is highly perfumed. Young Ladies use it because it keeps their Hair in place!

Everybody must and will use it, because it is the cleanest and best article in the market!

For Sale by Druggists generally. WHOLESALE AGENTS: Sellers & Van Gorder, PITTSBURGH, PA.

DRUG AND GROCERY STORE.

THE subscribers have on hand and are daily receiving at their Store-Room, opposite Peter Duff's in Butler

An Extensive Assortment OF

Drugs, Medicines, Oils, Paints, Dye Stuffs, Pat. Medicines, Toilet Soap, Perfumery.

AND THE Cheapest Liquors for chemical and medicinal purposes. Also, all kinds of BRUSHES, NOTIONS, &c. Physicians' Prescriptions Carefully and Promptly Compounded.

In the Grocery Department

will be found Flour, Bacon, Fish, Coffee, Tea, Eggs, Canned Fruit of all kinds; in short every article Family use. Also

Nails, Glass, Glassware, Queensware, Hardware, Stoneware, Buckets

Tubs, A general assortment of Tobacco and Cigars. The highest market price paid for all kinds of produce in exchange for Goods.

June 12, 1867.—H. H. HALL, enbacher.

PHOTOGRAPH BEFORE USING AFTER USING HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR-RENEWER.

ITS EFFECT IS MIRACULOUS. The old, the young, the middle aged unite to praise HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR-RENEWER.

It is an entirely new scientific discovery, combining many of the most powerful and restorative agents in the vegetable kingdom.

We have such confidence in its merits, and are so sure it will do all we claim for it, that we offer

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HALL'S Vegetable Sicilian Hair-Rewriter has proved itself to be the most perfect preparation for the Hair ever offered to the public.

It is a vegetable compound, and contains no injurious properties whatever. It is not a Dye, it strikes at the roots and fills the glands with new life and coloring matter.

IT WILL RESTORE GRAY HAIR TO ITS ORIGINAL COLOR. It will keep the Hair from falling out. It cleanses the Scalp, and makes the Hair SOFT, ELASTIC, AND SILKEN.

IT IS A SPLENDID HAIR-DRESSING! No person, old or young, should fail to use it. It is recommended and used by the FIRST MEDICAL AUTHORITY.

Ask for HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR-RENEWER, and take no other. The Proprietors offer the SICILIAN HAIR-RENEWER to the public, entirely confident that it will bring back the hair to its original color, promote its growth, and in nearly all cases where it has fallen off will restore it unless the person is very aged.

E. P. HALL & CO. Proprietors, N. H. Sold by all Druggists. R. & W. JENKINSON, Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in Tobacco, Segars, Snuff, Pipes, etc. No. 6 FEDERAL STREET, ALLEGHENY CITY, PA. 3rd door from Suspension B. R. Sign of the Anchor. vol. 6, no. 12, 1867.

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NEW GOODS,

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September 11, '67—41.

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THE undersigned would respectfully inform the public that he has constantly on hand,

CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR FROM THE HARMONY MILLS, ALSO,

Teas, Coffee, Sugars, Syrup, Cheese, Ham, Dried Beef, Fish, Potatoes, Apples, Canned and Dried Fruits,

and everything usually found in a first class Grocery Store. Commodities of all kinds and of every quality. We are determined to sell as low as the lowest. Give us a call. Sept. 5, '67.—E. J. PATTON KEARNS,

J. M. GILKEY, DENTIST,

Office On Main st., South of Post Office BUTLER, PA.

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