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MIFFLINTOWN.

Wednesday, April 5, 1876.

B. F. SCHWEIER,

EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

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THE Republican State Convention of this State, assembled last Wednesday, instructed its delegates to support Governor Hartranft in the National Convention for the Presidency. See resolutions.

WHEN the Democratic members of Congress go into $100,000 worth of investigation and unearth $17 worth of Republican corruption they call it "economy!" And this reminds us of the man who invested $5,000 in law to get $5 worth of satisfaction.—*Norwich Herald.*

"'Tis distance that lends enchantment." So said a United States Senator, and continued further, "I find the russet apple of Senatorial greatness full of ashes, palling to my taste." 'Tis the old story, told thousands of years ago, that it is all vanity and vexation of spirit.

SAMUEL J. TILDEN, Governor of New York, did not inherit riches. He began the world a poor lawyer. He never engaged in any business but law, and now he is worth from $7,000,000 to $8,000,000, and what perplexes the Democracy in their investigations, which are proving themselves big elephants on their hands, is to establish how Tilden got so rich honestly. Another Democratic Presidential candidate gone—gone never to return, like Pendleton. Nice reformers.

THE bill allowing Mr. James Parton to marry a lady who is no relation to him and whom he has already married, has passed both houses of the Massachusets Legislature and goes to the Governor for his signature. God save the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. On March 31, 1875, just one year ago, State Senator Robert McKenna, of Tennessee, was sent to prison for five years for marrying his deceased wife's grand-daughter. Is civilization a failure, or is the Circassian played out?—*Graphic.*

CONGRESS has imprisoned a man for refusing while on the witness stand before that body to produce books of his private business that are supposed to cover a number of real estate transactions in which the witness was engaged. The country is commencing to earnestly inquire what right Congress has to imprison a man in such a case. It is a monstrous satire that the Democratic Congressmen are playing on justice. In Marsh's case they claimed that they could not hold him for the impeachment trial. In Kilbourn's case they claimed the right to imprison because as a witness he would not surrender his private books for their inspection.

Republican State Convention.

The Republican State Convention, called to prepare the political way for the Presidential campaign met at Harrisburg, last Wednesday, and expeditiously and satisfactorily performed that duty. No convention ever ran with less jar. From beginning to end every object aimed at was smoothly reached. The delegates met in the Opera House, and were called to order about noon by Col. H. M. Hoyt, Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee. By acclamation General W. H. Koontz was chosen temporary chairman. The General delivered a stirring speech, after which the Convention settled down to business, such as the appointing of committees, on permanent organization, credentials, organization and resolutions, and then adjourned to dinner.

On the re-assembling of the Convention at 3 o'clock P. M, Hon. Edward McPherson was chosen permanent chairman. Mr. McPherson thanked the convention for the compliment conferred on him, but refused to go into a speech.

The National Convention delegation and the electors having been announced, the committee on resolutions reported the Platform as follows:

Resolved, That we herebyre affirm the platform adopted by the Republican State Convention at Lancaster in 1875, and in view of recent events at Washington, we emphatically endorse that part of it which demands honest men in office, men with brains enough to know dishonesty when they see it, and courage enough to fight it wherever they find it. The Republican party is committed by its origin, its traditions, its history and its duties to an intrepid and honest administration of public affairs, and wherever in National, State or municipal life maladministration has existed or does exist, we demand that it be exposed and corrected and the guilty punished, and to this end we pledge the full measure of our support as citizens and as voters.

Resolved, That we look to the Cincinnati Convention to give us candidates for President and Vice President who are above suspicion, and in whose personal integrity the nation can most surely trust; and that we also look to our friends throughout the State to make sure that in presenting candidates for Congress and the Legislature, they select those only who are known to be honest, capable and faithful to the Constitution.

Resolved, That the Republicans of Pennsylvania, having nothing in their past history which they wish to blot out or apologize for, or would have the nation forget, arraign the Democratic leaders in Congress and their abettors for the preferences shown to the deadly principles, and for the subserviency shown to the defiant leaders of the late Confederacy, now dominating them; for their removal from office of Union soldiers, and appointment of Confederate soldiers; for the repeated indications of their purpose, only controlled by fear, to open the Treasury of the nation to alarming and unjust pecuniary demands from the insurrectionary States; for their persistent effort to force amnesty upon men too proud or unrepentant to ask it, or too guilty to deserve it, and for the combined recklessness and cowardice of their course on financial questions, a recklessness which mischievously holds out a threat to overthrow existing laws, and a cowardice or incapacity to originate a substitute for them, all of which expose the Democratic party as without national instinct or an unsectional impulse, or an affirmative policy; as unfit to be trusted by the country which, when last under their control, they madly hurried into the vortex of civil war.

Resolved, That recent events in the late slave States clearly expose a purpose on the part of the Democratic Party to reclaim them all, and govern them as a unit in the next Presidential election; and to this end brutal and bloody conspiracies have been made to coerce voters, and base legislative conspiracies are at this moment in operation in order that an unprincipled and fraudulent majority may deprive properly-chosen officers of their rights, and as against these outrages we take an appeal to the people of the nation.

Resolved, That the common safety demands that our public schools shall not only be free to all, but shall be preserved from all special or partial control, and all attempts to divide the school fund for any purpose whatever, or to divert any portion of it into a channel not under popular control, are to be frowned upon and resisted with unyielding firmness. The recent defeat in the Democratic Legislature of Maryland of a constitutional amendment to secure the common school fund of that State against division reveals at once a grave danger and its source, and, with other like facts, make plain the duty of Congress to submit such an amendment to the Constitution of the United States as, when adopted, will effectually defend the common school system from all enemies, open or covert.

Resolved, That the attempt of the Democratic House of Representatives at Washington, in the face of the depressed condition of American industry, to inflict upon the nation a free-trade tariff, is an insult to the intelligence of the people and an evidence of the inability of the Democratic party to meet the present wants of the country. The remedy for our suffering industries is in a higher, not a lower tariff.

Resolved, That the neglect of the public business of the State by the present majority of the lower branch of the Legislature, and the plainly apparent purpose of that majority to prolong the session with the sole object of thereby increasing their pay, is worthy of the strongest censure, and must, if persisted in, awaken the just indignation of an outraged people.

Resolved, That the uniform policy of the Republican party of Pennsylvania, in keeping down the burden of taxation, while steadily reducing the public debt, should be persistently maintained; when the debt is wiped out the public expenditures should be confined to the civil expenses of the State government, the support of her public and soldiers' orphan schools and the efficiency of her reformatory and penal institutions.

Resolved, That the recommendation by Governer Hartranft of a uniform system of municipal government throughout the State, and of the adoption of effective measures to prevent a further increase of municipal indebtedness, is worthy of all commendation, and should be put into practical operation at as early a day as possible.

Resolved, That in recognition of the eminent services, both in the field and Cabinet, the rare executive ability and the unswerving rectitude of Governor Hartranft, the Republicans of Pennsylvania, with just pride, present his name to the consideration of the Republicans of the Union for the nomination for the Presidency of the United States, in full confidence that the great qualities which have rendered his administration of State affairs a model, even by the confession of political foes would insure a wise, a capable, an unflinching, honest and successful conduct of the vast and varied interests of the nation, and that the delegation from Pennsylvania to the National Republican Convention are hereby instructed to present Governor Hartranft's name to that convention as the choice of Pennsylvania, and to give him an earnest, constant and united support, and upon all questions to be brought before or arising in the convention to cast the vote as a unit as a majority of the delegates shall instruct.

Henry M. Hoyt was chosen chairman of the State Central Committee, and Maj. W. Norris Secretary.

John Chinaman in California.

The Chinese question is discussed by the California and Nevada journal in a tone of alarm and despondency that can be little understood or appreciated in the Atlantic States. They appear to have come to the conclusion that it is as impossible to resist this Asiatic tide as to turn the waves of the ocean. The San Francisco *Chronicle* says that every industry they attack yields to their patient endeavor, and in every trade and occupation in which they engage the European and American worker retires beaten and discomfited. Laws against gambling, vagrancy, begging, prostitution, the sale of women, fail utterly to correct any of these evils in consequence of the simple policy of non-resisting submission. They have their own courts, orders, governments, morals, religion, language customs and institutions, and all opposition to them falls powerless. The Nevada *Enterprise* cites the fact of their complete sway in the East Indian waters, where all competition against them is unavailing. Their numbers alone could not do it. But their patient submission, their invincible industry and perseverance, and their perfect organization and discipline prevail against all obstacles.—*North American.*

The Legislature of Mississippi some time since drew articles of impeachment against Governor Ames. The Governor proposed that if they would withdraw the articles of impeachment he would resign the Governship. The articles were withdrawn, and Ames resigned on the 29th of March.

The Secretary of the Treasury will soon be directed to issue silver coins of the United States of denomination of ten, twenty-five and fifty cents, of an equal amount of fractional currency.

It is now said that Babcock and his lawyers hired a man named Bell to steal the testimony against Babcock from District Attorney Dyre. Investigate. Re-try Babcock. Try the lawyers.

A Man Administers Morphine to His Family and Himself, with Fatal Effects.

[*Correspondence of Cincinnati Gazette.*]

The citizens of Hillsboro were startled yesterday morning by the report that a resident of that town had poisoned his wife, three children, and himself. The report proved to be true, or partly so at least, and the facts, as developed, are as follows: The man's name is George Shields, about thirty or thirty-three years of age, an Irishman, and by occupation a shoemaker, his specialty being, we believe, women's work. He has been a resident of the town more than two or three years but had earned a good reputation as a workman, and as a steady and industrious man. Hard times however, and scarcity of work had their effect. And brooding over his troubles, and perhaps in morbid imagination seeing nothing but starvation staring himself and his little family in the face, he resolved on their destruction and his own through the agency of a deadly narcotic. Procuring a quantity of morphine, the next question was how to administer it to his wife and children without their knowledge. This he did by making a quantity of egg-nog on Wednesday evening, of which the family partook and retired to bed, leaving Shields sitting up. It seems that the dose was too small to produce the intended effect, and the wife and children slept through the night without feeling any bad effects from the drug.

Some time during the night Shields took another dose. Toward morning his wife awoke, and was surprised to find her husband still up, and sitting by the stove writing. As soon as he discovered that she was awake he threw the paper upon which he had been writing into the stove, thus destroying what is supposed to have been intended as a statement or dying declaration. Within a short time Shields became senseless from the effects of the morphine he had taken, and fell to the floor. The alarm was given and medical aid procured. By this time the wife and children had also become deathly sick, and for some time it seemed as though the intentions of the husband and father would be successful, and that all would die. By the prompt use, however, of the proper remedies the wife and children were restored to consciousness, and their recovery is hoped for. Shields remained in a very critical condition during the day, with slight prospects for recovery at times, but died in the evening. I understand that some time yesterday Shields made a statement to the effect that he did not intend to kill his wife or the children, but only gave them enough, as he thought, to stupefy them so that they would not witness his death. This statement will be taken of course with some grains of allowance, although I believe there are many who have confidence in it. Shields is said to be respectably connected by marriage, his wife being ——, of Lynchburg, O, and the terrible tragedy has cast a gloom over that community, where he formerly resided and was well and favorable known.

News Items.

The Clearfied *Raftsman's Journal* says that the number of rafts on the West Branch and its tributaries that will be sent to market this season will reach about 200. In 1874 over 2,000 rafts were run to market from the same localities, and in 1875 about 1,300, of which, perhaps, some 250 rafts are unsold.

Gen. Simon Cameron certifies that the Pottsville National Light Infantry was the first company of volunteers whose services were offered for the defense of the national capital in 1861. The company telegraphed to the War Department an offer of its services on the 14th of April, and arrived at Washington on the 18th.

John Swineborne, the Waterloo veteran, who died recently in the Washington, Me., Poorhouse, had carried a bullet in his head for sixty-one years.

The lagest ice-house in the world is in Brussels, Belgium. It covers an area of 18,000 square feet and will store a million tons of ice.

It is rumored that a new counterfeit five-dollar note on the Merchants' National Bank of New Bedford, Mass., is in circulation. It is said to have been printed in Texas, and the work of the notorious counterfeiter, Pete McCartney.

E. Leiby, of Roaring Creek township, Columbia county, has a horse forty-seven years old still able to do a full day's work. Benjamin Fortner, of Catawissa, owns a pair of grays, each thirty-one years old this spring.

Miss Bidwell, who married Mr. Bodwell, of Philadelphia, got her "i" knocked out during the ceremony.

A judge in Virginia has been impeached for playing poker. His defence was that he played in his individual and not in his official capacity. But this did not avail him. The virtuous House of Delegates at Richmond removed him by a vote of 79 to 16. If this case is to be regarded as a precedent, judicial amusements will be considerably curtailed.

Governor Hartranft has issued the death warrant for the execution of Thomas F. Carley in Montgomery county, on May 9.

A singular accident of a serious character overtook a man in New Jersey last week. It is related thus:—While some fishermen, who have their headquarters on the shore of the Hudson, opposite the Elysian Fields, in Hoboken, were cutting poles on Tuesday, one of them ran along the logs, and slipping, fell on his back with his arms outstretched.

A despatch from Austin, Texas, under date of March 30, says: The United States mail stage from San Antonia to Austin was stopped by two masked men on Monday and robbed of $2,000 and two horses.

Last Thursday snow fell generally in Illinois.

The Bank of Greenfield, Ohio, a private concern, suspended on the 28th ult. Liabilities, $80,000.

Nine men were severely injured on the 29th ult., by a timber truss in the roof of one of the unfinished Centennial buildings giving way.

Joseph Hall, a hatter, of Boston, was discovered lying beside the dead body of his wife with his throat cut, on the morning of the 30th ult. The woman had been beaten to death by him with a heavy wash-bowl and pitcher. Hall was taken to the hospital, and will die.

A determined suicide is related thus by despatch from St. Louis on the 30th of March: Frederick Robeff's a member of the firm of J. Roesli & Co., bookbinders, committed suicide last night by severing the arteries of his wrists, but not dying speedily enough that way, hanged himself with a towel to the bed-post, where he was found dead by his wife about 10 o'clock. No cause was assigned for the act. On the same day a suicide was reported by despatch from Milford, N. H., which says: A young medical student named Chas. G. Hutchinson shot himself dead last night. Sickness was the cause. A third suicide was reported on the same day from Leroy, N. Y. Geo. W. Freeman, a respected merchant, committed suicide on Wednesday night. He tied a bed-cord to a door-knob, passed it over the top of the door, and fastening it around his neck, drew up his legs, remaining in that position until he died. He was insane.

Intemperance is the ruling vice in Japan. Even the women get gloriously drunk.

A little girl living in Philadelphia jumped into eternity the other day by means of a skipping rope. She jumped one hundred times in succession, fell down, was picked up and carried into the house, where she died.

A monster gun is said to be on its way to the Centennial Exhibition. It is from the celebrated manufactory of Krupp, in Berlin. Its weight is 110,000 pounds, or 55 tons. It will be one of the principal features of the German department. This weighty piece of artillery is equal to the famous gun in England, known as "Queen Ann's Pocket Piece," which it is said has never been fired off.

Wm H. Sheriff, of Slate Hill, York county, was on his way home on Monday night a week, between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock. He was accosted by two ruffians, who bucked and gagged him, and tied him to a tree, after which they relieved him of his cash, which amounted to $1.63 and a seven-shooting revolver.

In a battle between Virginia and Philadelphia fishermen on the lower Potomac on the 31st ult., Spencer rifles were freely used, and several persons were seriously wounded.

Abraham Jackson, the Boston lawyer convicted of forgery and swindling, has been sentenced to ten years in the State prison.

Rudolph A. Dryer, the cashier of the Farmers' and Traders' Bank of St. Louis, who absconded with $60,000 of the funds, has been arrested at Austin, Texas.

A man calling himself Frank Marston has been arrested in New York for passing counterfeit five-dollar bills on the Traders' National Bank of Chicago. The bills were well executed.

While an Iowa woman was struggling in the water and likely to drown, her husband yelled out, "New bonnet—swim for life!" and she kicked out and safely reached the shore.

There are fifty-three Saturdays and fifty-three Sundays in 1876. So those employers who pay on Saturdays will have to pay their hands for fifty-three weeks' work, while the hands do but little over fifty-two in the year. This circumstance also affords one more day than usual for people to attend church on and preach and be preached at. We don't know when there will be fifty-three of each of these days again in one year, but 1881 is to have fifty-three Saturdays, and 1882 fifty-three Sundays.

Eggs are worth three cents a dozen in Hamilton county, Nebraska.

Five hundred Persian pilgrims have been drowned by the sinking of a ship in the Arabian Sea.

Rev. J. C. Mahon, a Methodist pastor in Peru, Ind, recently married a black man and a white woman. The latter was veiled and he supposed they were both colored. He says he didn't mean to, and is willing to suffer if he has broken the law.

B. F. Butler will be a candidate for Congress next fall in the Essex district of Massachusetts.

The burning of the Norwich, Conn., almshouse restored to mental health a man who was insane before the fire.

Two female pedestrians of Pittsburg are engaged in a walking match for a purse of three hundred dollars and the champion medal of Pennsylvania, the one who accomplishes the greatest distance in six days to be declared the winner.

J. D. Cameron, William R. Leeds H. M. Hoyt and Robert W. Mackey will represent Pennsylvania as delegates-at-large in the Cincinnati Convention.

The six Chinese companies at San Francisco have signed a recommendation to their countrymen to stay at home as any further emigration will intensify the feeling among the whites on the Pacific coast to such a degree as to endanger the lives and property of Chinamen.

Peter Keyser, of Stouchsburg, Pa., committed suicide on the 28th ult., by drowning himself.

Two wolves were caught in common fox traps in Clearfield county, about ten days ago.

Mark Smith, an Adirondack trapper, recently killed a panther six and a half feet long.

A scientist says: "Eventually, as our globe contracts there will only be thirteen days in a years." Every day but one will be the first of the month, you see, and that'll probably be Christmas. Fourth of July every two weeks—whew!

Mrs. Sarah B. Chase, M. D., will tell men what she knows about man as a lover and a husband, at Cooper Institute, a couple of weeks hence, and what she doesn't know on that subject isn't worth knowing. And her talk is plain as an arrow shot from a forty inch bow at a mark.

M. Wheeler, of Lyons, N. Y., who, while drawing water from a well, was stricken with paralysis and died almost immediately.

The Czar of Russia, it is said, has become tired of the affairs of State, and will abdicate in favor of his wife, the Czarwitz, while he resorts to travel the coming summer.

The Emperor of Brazil is on his way to America to visit the Centennial.

Hambleton is dead. He was a horse, aged twenty-eight years, and the sire of some of the most noted trotting stock in the country. His demise occured on Sunday evening a week at Middletown, New York.

Another advocate of soft money—the Newark rat who was found recently with a nest made of $100 worth of fractional currency.

Beale shot Dreisback's dog, in Lewisburg. D. sued for $100, received verdict of $60. Appeal.

Milburn, the blind preacher, is worth $60,000.

A good deal of fluid goes to the Indians labelled "Mrs. Winslow's Syrup."

A young man named Raphael Byrnes, of Carrolltown, Cambria county, was killed by the cars while walking on the Pennsylvania railroad track, one mile east of Cresson, on Monday the 27th ult.

The Methodist Conference which adjourn at Harrisburg on Tuesday the 28 inst., adopted a resolution remonstrating against the Centennial being kept open on the Sabbath day.

The fund for the payment of witnesses before the Congressional committees has been exhausted for over three days, and witnesses are compelled to sell their claims at a discount.

They are building, in Carlisle, a car to hold 100 persons, for pic-nicking purposes.

The Grand Lodge of Knights of Honor meet in Erie April 10.

The maple sugar crop in Fayette county has been very large this season.

Charles McCormick, of Warren county, aged sixty-five, shot himself last week to ease himself of life's troubles. He succeeded.

A bill was introduced in the Ohio House on Saturday to compel passenger railway companies to furnish each passenger with sitting room, and prevent the over crowding of its cars.

The tax collector of Meyersdale, Somerset county, has disappeared, leaving a balance of $360 unaccounted.

Charles O'Boyle, an old man fifty years of age, convicted of rape on the person of Lizzie Lidden, a little deaf and dumb girl, was sentenced to eleven years' imprisonment by Judge Pershing, in Luzerne county, on Monday a week.

David Roth, at Shamokin, Pa., while under the influence of liquor abused his child. His wife, interfering, was struck and kicked. Roth's father, in separating them, was kicked in the abdomen, causing injuries from which he cannot recover.

The Barr Bank robber, Miles, has been sentenced to fourteen years.

A Buffalo jury has decided lager beer non-intoxicating.

The growing wheat crop of Kansas is said to be thus far in a state of unusual advancement.

The first whisky trial in Chicago has resulted in a verdict of guilty, the defendants being charged with having defrauded the government out of a tax on 100,000 gallons of spirits.

A fat doe was discovered in Lake Erie recently, floating on a cake of ice twelve feet square, two miles from the shore. Two men rowed out to her and strangled her.

The Marshal of Chester can find no law to prevent an old lady from smoking in church and he gave one a pound of tobacco the other Sunday if she would quit.

Wilkesbarre talks of building a Presbyterian Seminary.

The Lycoming county court house is undergoing repairs.

A creek dam at Worcester, Mass., broke last week, and by a wave of twenty feet of water swept houses along the stream below away, with other improvements, to the amount of $500,000. The break took place in daytime, and no lives were lost.

On Sunday morning twenty-two houses in Fairmount, W. Va., were destroyed by fire. Loss $125,000.

Belknap's investigation goes on at Washington.

New Advertisements.

Prothonotary's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jeremiah Lyons, Assignee of Calvin B Bartley, has filed the first and intended as the final account in the Prothonotary's Office in Mifflintown, and the same will be presented for confirmation and allowance at the Court House in Mifflintown at the April term of Court. JACOB BEIDLER,

March 22, 1876. Prothonotary.

Notice of Assessment.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Policy holders of the Perry County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, that an assessment of Eight Per Cent. has been laid on the Premium Notes of said Company, and that the undersigned has been appointed Collector for Juniata county, to whom the above assessment, now due, must be paid without any further delay.

GEORGE W. SMITH.

Mar. 14, 1876-tf Mifflintown, Pa.

BRIDGE LETTING.

PROPOSALS will be received at the Commissioners' Office in the Court House in the borough of Mifflintown, until FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 1876, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the erection of a County Bridge over the little Cocolamus creek, near Dimm's mill, in Greenwood township. Plans and specifications of the same may be seen at the Commissioners' Office in the Court House in the borough of Mifflintown. By order of the Board of Commissioners.

JAMES DEEN, *Clerk.*

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE firm of Books & Wagner in the Jewelry and Watch Business in Mifflintown, has been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the said firm are requested to make immediate payment. The books are in possession of James W. Wagner, with whom settlement will be made. The business will be continued by James W. Wagner, in the Post Office building.

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Legal Advertisements.

PROCLAMATION.—WHEREAS, the Hon. BENJ. PAINTER, President Judge of the Courts of Common Pleas for the 9th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Juniata, Perry and Cumberland, and the Hon. Jonathan Weiser and Jacob Rudy, Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas of Juniata county, have issued their precept to me directed, bearing date the 12th day of FEB., 1876, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, at MIFFLINTOWN, on the FOURTH MONDAY of APRIL, 1876, being the 24th day of the month.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables of the County of Juniata, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at one o'clock on the afternoon of said day, with their records, inquisitions, examinations and over remembrances, to do those things that to their offices respectively appertain, and those that are bound by recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or then may be in the Jail of said county, be then and there to prosecute for against them as shall be just.

By an Act of Assembly, passed the 6th day of May, A. D., 1854, it is made the duty of the Justices of the Peace, of the several counties of this Commonwealth, to return to the Clerk of this Court of Quarter Sessions of the respective counties, all the recognizances entered into before them by any person or persons charged with the commission of any crime, except such cases as may be ended before a Justice of the Peace, under existing laws, at least ten days before the commencement of the session of the Court to which they are made returnable respectively, and in all cases where any recognizances are entered into less than ten days before the commencement of the session to which they are made returnable, the said Justices are to return the same in the same manner as if said act had not been passed.

Dated at Mifflintown, the 12th day of Feb., in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

WM. H. KNOUSE, *Sheriff.*

Sheriff's Office, Mifflintown, March 13, 1876.

Trial List for April Term, Term, 1876.

1 George W Gorton vs. Joseph Himmelsbaugh. No 100, September term, 1873.

2 Louisa Fransoni vs Samuel S Wilson and George W McElwee. No 26, September term, 1874.

3 Jacob Pile vs Christian Im Schaffstall. No 39, December term, 1874.

4 Jacob Pile vs Christian Im Schaffstall. No 74, December term, 1874.

5 Charles Litthurst by his next friend George W Linthurst vs Stewart McCulloch and Jacob Lemon. No 44, February term, 1875.

6 Jeremiah Lyons vs C B Bartley, Garnishee of John M Bartley. No 70, February term, 1875.

7 J. Kohler Snyder vs Daniel Coffman. No. 75, February term, 1875.

8 John I. Bears, Ephraim Bears and David Bears, partners trading in the name of John I. Bears & Sons, vs Abraham Williams. No 99, April term, 1875.

9 John F McNeal vs Solomon Books and William Wagner. No 194, April term, 1875.

16 George W Gorton vs Hugh Palm. No 12, September term, 1875.

11 Selinsgrove and North Branch Railroad Company vs George F McFarland.—No 59, September term, 1875.

12 Edward A Margritz vs George F. McFarland. No 60 September term, 1875.

13 Edward A Margritz vs George F McFarland. No 61, September term, 1875.

14 Edward A Margritz vs George F McFarland. No 62, September term, 1875.

15 E Southard Parker vs Catharine Miller. No 111, September term, 1875.

16 George W Gorton vs John Dillen.—No 128, September term, 1875.

17 George W Gorton vs Joshua Beale and Joshua Beale and John Wallace, Executors of Hugh Hart, dec'd. No 129, September term, 1875.

18 Selinsgrove and North Branch Railroad Company vs F F Rohm. No 271, September term, 1875.

19 Selinsgrove and North Branch Railroad Company vs D A Doughman. No 272 September term, 1875.

JACOB BEIDLER, *Prothonotary.*

PROTHONOTARY'S OFFICE, Mifflintown, March 15, 1876-tc.

License Petitions.

NOTICE is hereby given to all interested that the following applications for License have been filed in the Prothonotary's Office, and will be presented to the Court on Wednesday, April 26, 1876:

John C Moser, for license to engage in the business of vending vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors in quantities not less than one quart, in the borough of Mifflintown.

John E Hollobaugh, for license to keep a restaurant and eating house, and to sell domestic wines and brewed liquors, in the borough of Mifflintown.

James A Murray, for license to keep an inn and house of entertainment in the borough of Mifflintown.

Jacob Will, for license to keep an inn and house of entertainment, in the borough of Mifflintown.

John A Newcomer, for license to keep a public house of entertainment in the village of Waterford.

Cloyd M Parker, for license to keep a restaurant and eating house and to sell domestic wines, malt and brewed liquors, in the borough of Patterson.

John Hays, for license to keep an inn or public house of entertainment in the borough of Patterson.

John Foreman, for license to keep an inn or house of public entertainment in the borough of Patterson.

Samuel R Nolestine, for license to keep an inn or house of public entertainment in the borough of Patterson.

Mary A Snyder, for license to keep an inn or house of public entertainment in the borough of Thompsontown.

E. C. Graybill, for license to keep an inn or house of public entertainment in the village of Richfield.

John McManigle, for license to keep an inn and public house of entertainment in the borough of Port Royal.

Samuel Rumberger, for license to keep an inn and public house of entertainment in Monroe township.

Frank Shields, for license to keep an inn and public house of entertainment in the borough of Mifflintown.

Cyrus Sieber, for license to keep an inn and public house of entertainment in McAlisterville.

Thomas Cox, for license to keep an inn and public house of entertainment in Greenwood township.

Jacob Weiser, for license to keep an inn and public house of entertainment in Susquehanna township.

JACOB BEIDLER, *Prothonotary.*

Prothonotary's Office, Mifflintown, March 29, 1876.

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April 7, 1872-tf

Real Estate.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY virtue of sundry writs of *Vend. Ex., Fi. Fa.* and *Lv. La.*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas and to me directed, will be exposed to sale at public outcry, at the Court House, in the borough of Mifflintown, Juniata county, on FRIDAY, the 21st day of APRIL, 1876, at 1 o'clock P. M., of that day, the following described real estate, to wit:

A tract of land situate in Delaware township, adjoining lands of McGaw's heirs on the north, Humphrey, and McQuirns on the east and south, and Doty, Parker & Co. on the west, containing SEVEN ACRES, more or less, having thereon erected a Log Dwelling House and Log Barn. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Jacob Yeager.

ALSO,

A tract of Land situate in Delaware township, bounded on the north by lands of Newton Wickersham, George Meredith and Isaac Crossen, on the east by lands of Abraham Page, on the south by lands of Keeche's heirs and Wm. Carwell, and on the west by lands of Reuben Kerchner, containing 338 ACRES, more or less; about 150 acres clear, having thereon erected a Large Dwelling House, Bank Barn, Spring House, Blacksmith Shop, Log Stable and other outbuilding. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Joseph Carwell.

ALSO,

A certain Island or tract of land situate in the Juniata River, in Fermanagh township, and nearly opposite the borough of Mifflintown, commonly called Bell's Island, containing 99 ACRES and 126 PERCHES and allowances, having thereon erected a Large Dwelling House, Bank Barn, Wagon Shed and Corn House, and other outbuildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of William Bell. Six thousand dollars of the purchase money of this property may remain in the farm for a year or two, if the purchaser so desires.

ALSO,

A certain lot of ground situate in the borough of Mifflintown, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at Burd's alley and extending from thence along Washington street south 57 degrees, west 44 feet to lot of E. W. H. Kreider, thence along said lot south 20 degrees, east 171 feet 8 inches to an alley, thence along said alley 46 feet 6 inches to Burd's alley thence along said alley 175 feet 3 inches to the place of beginning; being Lot No. 1 in the Schweier Extension to the Borough of Mifflintown; having thereon erected a frame Dwelling House and outbuilding. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of E. B. Fasick.

ALSO,

A tract of land situate in Milford township, adjoining lands of George Snyder's heirs on the north, Thomas Quin on the east, John and Fred. Waldsmith on the south, and Robert Steenson on the west, containing 22 ACRES, more or less, having thereon erected a Log Dwelling House, Log Barn, Cider Press and outbuildings. Also, a tract of land in Beale township, adjoining lands of William Miller on the north and northwest, John Robinson on the west, M. H. and L. C. Todd on the south, and John and John and Fred Waldsmith on the east, containing 200 ACRES, more or less, unimproved. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Wallace Bratton.

ALSO,

A tract of land situate in Walker township, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post on line of Dr. Philo Hamlin's land, thence by same south 68 degrees west 84 7-10 perches to a post, thence by lands of William Kennedy, south 27¾ degrees east 72 perches to a post, thence south 74¼ degrees east 15¼ perches to a post, thence south 87 degrees east 81 perches to a post, thence by lands of Martin Weaver north 50¼ degrees west 82¼ perches to a post, to the place of beginning, containing 66 ACRES, more or less, partly cleared. Also, a lot of ground in the borough of Mifflintown, situate on south side of Cherry street, and fronting on said street 20 feet, thence extending southward 125 feet to an alley, bounded on the east by lot of Mrs. Kurtz and on the west by lot of Jesse Howe, having thereon erected a frame Dwelling House, Stable and outbuildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Jacob Bergey.

ALSO,

A lot of ground in the village of Johnstown, Beale township, situate on the north side of the public road leading from Mifflintown to Johnstown and fronting on said road, bounded on the west by lot of John M. Bartley, and on the north and east by lands of Samuel S. Pannebaker, having thereon erected a Two-story Frame House, fitted in part for a Dwelling House and in part for a Wagonmaker's Shop; said building has a front of about thirty feet and a depth of twenty-four feet. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Reuben Zeiders.

WM. H. KNOUSE, *Sheriff.*

Sheriff's Office, Mifflintown, March 29, 1876.

Professional Cards.

D. M. CRAWFORD, M. D.,

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March 29, 1876

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NOTICE.

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SPECIAL TAXES

MAY 1, 1876, TO APRIL 30, 1877.

The Revised Statutes of the United States, Sections 3232, 3267, 3288 and 3229, require every person engaged in any business, avocation, or employment which renders him liable to a SPECIAL TAX, TO PROCURE AND PLACE CONSPICUOUSLY IN HIS ESTABLISHMENT OR PLACE