

The squadron is still at Mazatlan;—but if the treaty be confirmed, we shall look for the Ohio here in a few days. The Congress and Crane will go home, and the Independence, probably, to China. The people of Lower California will never consent to go back permanently to Mexico. They may submit to the arrangement for a time, but they will before long run up the stars and stripes. That section of the country is rich in minerals, particularly in silver, and would be a valuable acquisition. England has her eye on it, and will probably bid high; but the people don't like the idea of being the colony of a crown.

We want, in California, some good school books, a few good teachers, and a few off-hand preachers. All these would find persons to read and to listen. We are gathering the elements of a great and influential community—if we are not ruined by this gold excitement. There never was yet a people strong in wealth and sound in morals, in the midst of gold and silver mines.

You talk of farmers! Why, I saw a farmer here brand, last week, a thousand calves, all of one year's growth, and he is considered here rather a small farmer. You reckon by acres, and we here by miles and leagues. Your sheep produce one lamb a year—ours always two, and often four. Your streams have a few minnows in them, and ours are paved with gold! How are my Philadelphia friends? I expect to leave this El Dorado in a few months, and be among them.

Very truly yours, W. C.

Great Fire in Pottsville, Pa.

At ten o'clock on Sunday, the 10th inst., a fire broke out in a depository of hay and straw, on the Norwegian railroad, at the corner of an alley, opposite the large boiler shop of Haywood & Snyder. By midnight, excepting three frame houses, the whole block was consumed, extending from Foster & Daley's store, opposite Market street, to the next alley north; and sweeping through to the Norwegian railroad. By the well directed exertions of the fire companies, aided by a large number of citizens, and favored by a still atmosphere, the fire was confined to this limit, which is about 230 feet square.

The buildings were nearly all frame, and of very slight construction: but they were mostly stores, on both fronts, with stables well stuffed in the alley between.

The loss of real estate is supposed to be well covered by insurance, and the goods, doubtless also. Loss estimated at \$100,000.

Curious Case.

A man residing in our borough, says the Pottsville Ledger, a few days ago cast from his stomach two good sized leeches. For the past summer he had been unwell and had taken medicine which operated emetically, when these indigestible customers were emitted. They were dead; but are supposed to have been taken into the stomach, when quite small, while drinking from springs, which he frequently did while engaged at labor along the Reading Railroad, when distant from places where water could not be otherwise obtained.

It is stated by a correspondent of the Freeman's Journal, that the population of Galveston, Texas, has decreased during the last two years, from 7000 to 2000. Nearly 400 houses there are untenanted.

A few miles below Cincinnati is a field of corn, six thousand acres in extent.

SCROFULA.—Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills

will be found a radical cure for every kind of Scrofula, because they cleanse and purify the body of all bad humors and everything that is opposed to health, and impart such an energy to the circulation, that health and vigor are given to the whole frame. From two to four of said Indian Vegetable Pills, taken on going to bed, will soon make a perfect cure of Scrofula; at the same time the constitution will undergo such a radical change that Scrofula, as well as every other complaint, will be banished from the body, and new life and vigor will be given to the whole frame.

Beware of Sugar Coated Counterfeits.—Remember, that the original and only genuine Indian Vegetable Pills have the written signature of WILLIAM WRIGHT on the top label of each box.

For sale by George H. Miller, who is the only authorized agent for Stroudsburg; see advertisement for other agencies in another column.

Office and general depot, 169 Race st. Phila.

(We cut the following from an exchange paper) MONMOUTH COUNTY, N. J. July 18th, 1844.

Gentlemen, I think it highly proper that I should make known to the world my gratitude for the benefits I have experienced from the use of Clinker's Sugar Coated Purgative Pills and endeavor to the utmost in my power, to extend a knowledge of their many virtues and wonderful efficacy in removing diseases.

After a long and painful confinement, during which I was attended by three Physicians of eminent standing, I was so much reduced and enfeebled as to cause my friends to despair for my life. In fact I was left in a state of weakness and suffering, and concluded all had been done which was possible for my recovery. I was about yielding in despair when a relative of my husband advised me to try some of your pills stating at the same time she knew of their having effected most miraculous cures, and they might prove efficacious to me. I purchased a box and took them according to directions. In five days from the time I commenced their use I felt like a different person, all pains were removed, my appetite for solid food was as good as it was before my sickness, and I gradually regained strength. I am now in a fair way for recovery, thanks to Clinker's Pills.

I send this communication, trusting you will give it an insertion in the editorial columns of your paper, in order that the afflicted will follow my example, and, as they value health, make use of Clinker's Sugar Coated Vegetable Pills.

Believe me to be yours sincerely,
SUSAN WRIGHT.
For sale at the Republican Office, by T. Schoep, the only authorized agent for Stroudsburg.

Public Sale of Real Estate.

Will be sold at public sale, on Tuesday, the 31st day of October next, on the premises, two valuable farms and mill property, situate in Hamilton township, Monroe county, Pa. about four miles west of Stroudsburg, belonging to the estate of John Kunkle, deceased.

No. 1 containing 176 ACRES or thereabouts, adjoining lands of Gideon Burritt, Adam Shafer, John Huston and others, about 110 acres of which are cleared, and in a high state of cultivation, the remainder being well timbered with oak, hickory and other timber. On this farm there is a good log house, a large frame Barn, with stone stables, wagon house and other outbuildings. There is also a sufficiency of apple and other fruit trees on the farm. McMichael's creek passes through the farm.

No. 2 contains 56 ACRES or thereabouts, adjoining the above-mentioned property, and lands of Michael Shoemaker Esq., Simon Meyers and others, about 36 acres of which are cleared and in a good state of cultivation. There are two bearing orchards and other fruit trees on the premises. The buildings consist of a

LOG HOUSE, and FRAME BARN, and other farm buildings; also, a large

STONE GRIST MILL, sawmill and blacksmith shop, all in good order. The mills are driven by McMichael's creek, a never-failing stream. The road leading from Stroudsburg to the Wind Gap passes through both of the above farms.

The terms and conditions will be made known at the time and place of sale by JOHN H. KUNKLE, PETER KUNKLE, Agents for the heirs. Hamilton, September 21, 1848.

Good News! Not from Ireland, but from the HAT AND CAP STORE

of Francis S. Pauli. The public are respectfully informed that the subscriber has just received, and offers for sale, a splendid assortment of Hats and Caps, which will be sold on the most reasonable terms for cash. The supply of Hats on hand embraces the following:

BEAVER, SILK, MOLESKIN, FUR, CASSIMERE, BRUSH.

Also Men's and Boys' white and black wool Hats; glazed and Monterey Hats. Fur and wool sporting and Ashland hats. A general assortment of Caps, such as otter, fur seal, hair seal, muskrat, &c. Men's and Boys' fancy and plain velvet, red plush, and glazed Caps. Having had considerable experience in the business enables me to assure you that I can and will furnish Hats & Caps of the best materials and workmanship, and of the most desirable styles. Call and see before purchasing elsewhere; I charge nothing for showing my goods.

Thankful for past favors, I will endeavor to merit a continuance of them.

FRANCIS S. PAULI. P. S.—Furs bought at the highest cash prices. Stroudsburg, September 21, 1848. 3m

Look at this, No humbug but Reality. PIANO FOTES FOR SALE.

A copy of the report of the Judges of Musical Instruments at the late exhibition of the Franklin Institute, Philadelphia: The Committee have awarded C. Meyer with a premium for the best seven octave Piano. The ground of this decision was the general excellence of the piano, and especially its power, brilliancy, and delicacy of touch. The Judges did not give premiums for the best finished instruments, conceiving the best palpable test of a piano to be its musical capabilities, and not its originality, its mechanical genius, or that elegance of finish, which effects neither the action nor the tone, and is only designed to please the eye and not to satisfy the ear.

The North America of Philadelphia, January 4, 1848, contains the following notice: A Compliment to a Philadelphia Piano Manufacturer.—Our Boston neighbors know as well as we do how to appreciate a good thing. The Massachusetts Charitable Mechanical Association, at their last Annual Fair,—that of the autumn of 1847—awarded to CONRAD MEYER, the celebrated Piano Manufacturer of this city, a diploma and silver medal, for the best seven octave piano—a compliment no other piano manufacturer, of our city has received.

The subscriber keeps always on hand a supply of C. Meyer's Pianos, which he will dispose of either for cash or in exchange for second hand instruments, at manufacturers prices. A. ZULICH, Agent for M. C. Easton, Sept. 21, 1848.—3m

To the Lovers of Good Fruit.

The subscriber offers for sale the following very choice Trees and Plants: 3,000 Peach Trees embracing 15 different kinds of fruit; Apple trees of 22 kinds; Cherry Trees, 16 kinds; Pears, 15 kinds; a variety of Apricot and Nectarine trees. Also—5,000 Strawberry plants, of 5 different varieties, and Asparagus roots and Downing's Colossal Rhubarb or Pie plant.

The above articles are all of the first kind—in a healthy, thrifty condition, and will be sold in large or small lots, very low for cash. Apply to the subscriber at Lafayette College. H. W. CROSBY. Easton, Sept 21, 1848.—3t.

NEW VOLUME OF THE SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN.

The Publishers of the Scientific American respectfully give notice that the FOURTH YEARLY VOLUME of their Journal will be commenced on Saturday, September 23d. This publication differs essentially from the many magazines and papers which flood the country. It is a Weekly Journal of Art, Science and Mechanics, having for its object the advancement of the Interests of Mechanics, Manufacturers, and Inventors. Each number is illustrated with from five to ten original Engravings of new Mechanical Inventions, nearly all of the best inventions which are patented at Washington being illustrated in the Scientific American. It also contains a Weekly List of American Patents; notices of the progress of all Mechanical and Scientific Improvements; practical directions on the construction, management and use of all kinds of Machinery, Tools, &c.; Essays upon Mechanics, Chemistry and Architecture; accounts of Foreign Inventions; advice to Inventors; Railroad Intelligence, together with a vast amount of interesting, valuable and useful information. The Scientific American is the most popular journal of the kind ever published, and of more importance to the interest of Mechanics and Inventors than anything they could possibly obtain! It is printed with clear type on beautiful paper, and being adapted to binding, the subscriber is possessed, at the end of the year, of a large volume of

FOUR HUNDRED AND SIXTYEEN PAGES, Illustrated with upwards of Five Hundred Engravings, AND AN INDEX.

TERMS:—Two dollars a year, in advance, or if desired, one dollar in advance, the remainder in six months. To Clubs: Five copies, \$8; ten copies, \$15. Those who wish to subscribe have only to enclose the amount in a letter, directed to MUNN & CO. Publishers of the Scientific American, New York.

All Letters must be POST-PAID. VOLUME THIRD bound, \$2 75, or in sheets, \$2, are for sale. They may be sent safely to any part of the country. Patents secured and Mechanical Drawings executed at the cheapest rates, at the office of the SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN. August 22.

AGENTS WANTED

To canvass for some new and popular works, in every county throughout the United States. To Agents, the most liberal encouragement is offered—with a small capital of \$25 to \$100. A chance is offered, whereby an agent can make from \$10 to \$25 per week. For further particulars, address (post paid) WM. A. LEARY, No. 158 North Second Street, Philadelphia. September 14, 1848. 6m

ADJOURNED ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of the county of Monroe, the following Real Estate, formerly of Valentine Werkiser, late of Hamilton township, in said county, deceased, will be sold at public vendue, on Saturday the 23d day of September, at one o'clock in the afternoon, two tracts or pieces of Land, situate in Hamilton township, in said county, about one mile from Fennersville. Lot No. 1, Containing 118 Acres, 140 Perches, adjoining lands of Conrad Arnold, Thomas Miller, James Miller and John Werkiser; about 75 acres of which are cleared and the remainder covered with timber of an excellent quality. The improvement are a

LOG HOUSE, 2 stories high, a LOG BARN; a good

Apple Orchard, and other fruit trees. A never failing stream of water runs through the whole tract, and a good spring of water near the house.

Lot No. 2, Containing 52 Acres, 30 Perches, adjoining lands of John Williams, Peter and Abraham Butts and said Lot No. 1; about 30 acres of which are cleared and the residue is well timbered. A small stream of water passes through the same.

THE CONDITIONS OF SALE.—One third of the purchase money to be paid at the confirmation of the sale, one third part on the first of April next, and the other on the first day of April 1850.

HENRY WERKISER, Adm'r By the Court. J. H. STROUD, Clerk. September 7, 1848.

EYES RIGHT!

Why is it that all eyes are cast toward the Brick yard occupied by Stone & Wolf? Because they have

90,000 of the Largest and best Brick just burnt and for sale, that can be had in this county, or in Easton. A portion of said brick are composed of material that will stand fire, and warranted good for building bake ovens and other fire places. Come and examine for yourselves, the brick will speak louder than words.

These brick are considerably larger than any others made in this county.

N. B. All kinds of country produce taken in exchange except cabbage, and cash not refused. STONE & WOLF. Stroudsburg, Monroe county, July 27, 1848.

BLANKS.

The subscriber has on hand and offers for sale, a superior assortment of blanks, viz: Deeds, Mortgages, Executions, Subpoenas, Summonses, Bonds, &c. L. F. BARNES. Milford, November 4, 1847.

BLANK DEEDS

For sale at this Office.

To the Voters of Monroe county.

Fellow Citizens:—Not having been encouraged by any of my friends I offer myself as a candidate for the office of

HIGH SHERIFF,

at the ensuing election, of my own free will and accord. The principal inducement for so doing is the fear there will not be candidates enough in the field for the dear people to choose from: yet I will not have the least objection to being elected. Should that be the case, I will pledge myself to perform the duties of the office in the following manner, viz: First—If any process comes into my hands against any one I will catch him if I can, and keep him if I can until he is legally discharged by due course of law. 2nd:—Be cautious how you get into debt, for if an execution comes into my hands against any one in the County, and he has not the cash I will levy on his property if I can find any, and sell it to the best bidder, and after taking good care of my own fees I will pay over the balance where it honestly belongs. 3rd and last:—If any one should be convicted of a capital crime (which God forbid) and a death warrant unfortunately come into my hands I will hang him up by the neck until he be dead, dead, dead, and may the Lord have mercy on his soul.

As to politics, I am a full blooded Rough and Ready Whig.

Very respectfully, your humble servant, PHILIP ABBOTT. Tohoyanna township, Aug. 17, 1848.

To the People of Monroe county.

Fellow-Citizens:—Encouraged by numerous friends I offer myself as a candidate for the office of

County Commissioner,

at the approaching General election. Should I be so fortunate as to receive a majority of your suffrages, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of said office with fidelity, impartiality, and to the best of my ability.—Respectfully, your friend and fellow-citizen, ABRAHAM FENNER. Smithfield township, August 17, 1848.

To the Voters of Monroe county.

Fellow Citizens:—Encouraged by numerous friends I offer myself as a candidate for the office of

County Commissioner,

at the approaching General election. Should I be so fortunate as to receive a majority of your suffrages, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of said office with fidelity, impartiality, and to the best of my ability.—Respectfully, your friend and fellow-citizen, PHILIP FISHER. Stroud township, August 3, 1848.

To the Voters of Monroe county.

Fellow Citizens: I offer myself as a candidate for the office of

Prothonotary and Clerk of the Courts of Monroe county,

at the ensuing General Election, and respectfully solicit your suffrages. If elected, I will endeavor faithfully, personally, and impartially to discharge the duties of said office. Respectfully your friend and fellow citizen, J. H. EILENBERGER. Middle Smithfield, Aug. 10, 1848.

To the Voters of Monroe county.

At the urgent solicitation of many persons from different parts of the county, I have consented to be a candidate for the office of

County Commissioner,

at the approaching October Election, and respectfully solicit your votes. Should you think proper to elevate me to said office, I will discharge its duties, to the best of my abilities. Respectfully, your obedient servant, MELCHOIR DREHER. Stroud township, August 3, 1848.

To the Voters of Monroe county.

Fellow-Citizens:—Being encouraged by many friends in different parts of the County, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of

HIGH SHERIFF,

at the ensuing General election. Should I be so fortunate as to be elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of said office with fidelity, personally, impartially, and to the best of my ability. Respectfully, your friend, PETER KEMMERER. Hamilton, July 13, 1848.—t

To the Voters of Monroe county.

Fellow-Citizens:—Encouraged by many friends from different parts of the County, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of

HIGH SHERIFF,

at the ensuing General election, and respectfully solicit your votes and support. Should I be so fortunate as to receive a majority of your suffrages I pledge myself to discharge the duties of said office with fidelity, impartially, and to the best of my ability. Respectfully, your friend, CHARLES SHOEMAKER. Middle Smithfield, July 6, 1848.—t

To the Voters of Monroe county.

Fellow Citizens:—Encouraged by numerous friends I offer myself as a candidate for the office of

Register and Recorder,

at the approaching general election, and respectfully solicit your votes and support. Should I be so fortunate as to receive a majority of your suffrages I pledge myself to discharge the duties of said office with fidelity, impartially, and to the best of my ability. PETER NEYHART. Pottsville, July 6, 1848.

To the Voters of Monroe county.

Fellow-Citizens:—Encouraged by numerous friends I offer myself as a candidate for the office of

HIGH SHERIFF OF THIS COUNTY

at the approaching General election. Should I be so fortunate as to receive a majority of your suffrages, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of said office with fidelity, personally, impartially, and to the best of my ability. Respectfully, your humble servant, JAMES N. DURLING. Stroudsburg, July 6, 1848.

To the Independent Electors of Monroe County.

FELLOW-CITIZENS:—Encouraged by many of my friends from different parts of the County, I am again induced to offer myself as a candidate for the office of

HIGH SHERIFF,

at the approaching General Election. Should I be so fortunate as to receive a majority of your votes I shall endeavor to discharge the duties of said office with fidelity, and to the best of my ability. With sentiments of respect, I remain yours truly, PETER LANDELL. Smithfield township, June 29, 1848.

To the Voters of Monroe county.

Fellow Citizens—Encouraged by numerous friends, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of

Prothonotary and Clerk of the several Courts of Monroe county,

at the approaching general election. Should I be so fortunate as to receive a majority of your suffrages, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of said offices with fidelity, personally, impartially, and to the best of my ability. Respectfully, your humble servant, M. H. DREHER. Stroudsburg, June 22, 1848.

To the Free and Independent Electors OF MONROE COUNTY.

FELLOW-CITIZENS:—Almost three years have now expired since you did me the honor to elect me to the offices of Register and Recorder of this County. Having, to the best of knowledge, faithfully and impartially performed my official duties; and as I have received many encouragements from my numerous friends in different parts of the County, I therefore take the liberty of again offering myself as a candidate for the same offices, at the ensuing general election. Should I be so fortunate as to be re-elected, I will perform the duties incumbent upon me, (to the best of my ability) personally, faithfully, and if possible, to your entire satisfaction. With sentiments of respect, I remain your public servant, SAMUEL REES, Jr. Stroudsburg, June 8, 1848.—t

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all legatees and other persons interested in the estate of the respective decedents and minors, that the administration accounts of the following estates have been filed in the office of the Register of Monroe county, and will be presented for confirmation and allowance to the Orphan's Court, to be held at Stroudsburg, in and for the aforesaid county, on Monday the 25th day of September next, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The first account of James H. Stroud, Administrator of the estate of Charles G. Nebe, late of Pottsville township, deceased.

SAMUEL REES, Jr. Register. Register's Office, Stroudsburg, August 24, 1848.

Doctor Yourself!

For 25 Cents!

By means of the POCKET ESCULAPIUS, OR EVERY ONE HIS OWN PHYSICIAN! twentieth edition, with upwards of a hundred engravings, showing private diseases in every shape and form, and malformations of

the generative system by W. YOUNG, M. D.

The time has now arrived, that person suffering from secret disease, need no more become the VICTIM OF QUACKERY, as by the prescriptions contained in this book any one may cure himself, without hindrance to business, or the knowledge of the most intimate friend, and with one tenth the usual expense. In addition to the general routine of private disease, it fully explains the cause of manhood's early decline, with observations on marriage—besides many other derangements which it would not be proper to enumerate in the public prints.

Any person sending TWENTY-FIVE CENTS enclosed in a letter, will receive one copy of this book, by mail, or five copies will be sent for one dollar. Address, "Dr. W. YOUNG, No. 152 Spruce street, PHILADELPHIA." Post paid.

WANTED—Proprietors of Drug or Book Stores, and Pedlars, in every town in the United States, to act as agents for the above work. September 7, 1848.—6m.

YOUNG LADIES' INSTITUTE.

Easton, Penna.

The Young Ladies' Institute, situated at the corner of Pomfret and Spring Garden streets, will commence its sixth session, on the first Monday, the 4th day of September next. For particulars apply to

THOS. M. CANN, Principal. Reference may be made to the following gentlemen, who are patrons of the Institute: PETER S. MICHLER, JOHN J. BURKE, JACOB WAGNER, CHAS. INNER, M. D. JOHN DAVIS, J. P. HETTRICH, D. ECHENOUR, M. D.

Easton, July 19, 1848. Sept. 7, 5t