

ties," "maul-heads" and "suckers," might be trapped—at last he says, if it is not for that,—he don't know what it is for. We could also tell a story of certain Darmending, which would make any "old ditcher" laugh. Had the consummate piece of ignorance and folly, been committed by some poor ignorant Pennsylvanian, he might have been excused, but when done by some of the "imported" breed, it is a little too much. As we do not desire to say aught that may injure the interest of Pennsylvania—we shall leave this job until the navigation is in a tolerable fair way.

EASTON, March 1, 1839,
MR. FENN,
Dear Sir.—The prodigality of Gov. Porter's Board of Canal Commissioners in making offices for as many of their brother Locofocos, and aiders and abettors of their riotous proceedings at Harrisburg, as possible, having been noticed several times in your faithful and fearless paper, I have thought proper to give you a little sample of the same business, and the way it has been carried on and put in practice on the Delaware Division Pennsylvania Canal.

This canal is sixty miles in length; and under Gov. Ritner had but two Supervisors, and for the last year but one, at \$2.50 per day, and never had more than two since it has been in operation; now under the Loco Foco dynasty, the Commissioners, to satisfy as many of their hungry applicants as possible, have appointed three Supervisors, at full pay, one of whom had to superintend the whole of twelve miles!!!

The Supervisors under Gov. Ritner appointed Foreman at \$1.50 per day, with routes of from 8 to 9 miles each; and in the first 26 miles, from Easton to Black's Eddy, there were THREE Foremen, which were always found to be enough. Now they have FIVE in the same distance. The first three are over 12 miles; making a difference of \$3 per day in foremen in 26 miles.

In addition to this, they have an Extra Superintendent at \$2 or 2.50 per day, to repair the breach at the dam, with more foremen under him, at \$1.50 per day. Is not this a pretty commentary upon the retrenchment in public expenditures bellowed and preached by the Locos before the election?

To show the qualification and efficiency of the officers on the Delaware Canal, I will mention a fact, trifling in itself, but which may be taken as a fair sample of our canal officers here. The waste water at the dam was turned into the canal, to be turned out at the first "waste weir," 2 miles down, where there is a guard gate for the purpose of turning it out into the Delaware. One of the new foremen, not knowing what the gate was for, left it open and built a DAM across the canal immediately below the gate to make the water run out into the river, instead of shutting the gate and using it for the very purpose intended. If such men as these are to regulate our public affairs, may the "Giver of all good" have mercy on poor Pennsylvania!!!

To close, I will mention that there were upwards of twenty applicants for the Weigh Master's office here, and at Ritner's election there were but two. Who are the office hunters.—

Official Arrogance.

In January, a resolution was passed in the U. S. Senate, calling upon Amos Kendall, for certain information relative to the Post Office Department. Amos consulting his own notions, did not answer, until the Senate got tired of waiting—and sent another resolution, asking "honest Amos" why he had not answered their first resolution. In reply to which he told them that it was none of their business. But read the letter.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, Feb. 27, 1839
HON. R. M. JOHNSON,

V. P. and President of the Senate.
Sir: Just as my messenger was about starting for the Capitol, with several communications; including my reply to the resolution of the Senate, adopted on the 12th inst. I received their resolutions of this day, asking why the information then called for has not been communicated.

In reply, I have the honor to state, that the only reason I have to give why it has not been before communicated, is, THAT IT WAS NOT READY.

Very respectfully, your ob't. serv't.
AMOS KENDALL.

This kind of language was something new from an arrogant official hireling, and seemed to say in very laconic style, I neither heed nor fear you. But contrary to his calculation, his own partisans frowned indignantly upon the insolent tone of a tool of the Executive, & used toward that body—and Mr. Sevier offered a resolution that the President be requested to remove him. The Senate, however, finally passed the following resolutions.

Resolved: That the letter of the Postmaster General to the President of the Senate, stating that "the only reason why he had not sent an answer to a previous resolution was because it was not ready," is considered by the Senate as disrespectful to this body.

Resolved: That said letter, with the resolution to which it purports to be an answer, be laid before the President of the United States for such action as he may deem proper.

And we imagine that a correspondence of this kind then took place.

WHITE HOUSE, Feb. 27, 1839.
Amos.—Your letter to the Senate was impudent—you must say, it was not intended.—Don't blame me, for saying so! but I must turn you out, if you don't do it.

Yours VAN.
P. O. DEPARTMENT, Feb. 27, 1839.
Matly.—You dare not turn me out, but I will say what you tell me—here is my apology. But it is only on your account that I say it.

AMOS.
"POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT,
"March, 1, 1839.

Sir: In reference to the resolution of the Senate, adopted this day, and just communicated to me expressing the opinion that a communication made by me on the 27th ultimo, in reply to their resolution of the same date, was disrespectful to that body, I have only to say, that no disrespect was intended or felt. Their resolution of the 12th ult. calling for the names of removed postmasters, designated no specific time within which the information would be wanted; and as it did not appear to look to any immediate legislative action on their part, the necessity of great expedition in preparing and communicating them, to the delay of other pressing matters, was not appreciated by me so lightly as it appears to have been by the Senate, or as perhaps it ought to have been. And as the reply to the resolution of the 12th, was already in the hands of the messenger, and would accompany the reply to that of the 27th, showing that no disposition existed to withhold the information called for, it did not occur to me that any detailed explanation why it had not been sooner sent, was necessary or would be expected. Hence it will be perceived, that the letter complained of, was written hastily, (the messenger having been in fact detained until it could be recorded,) and but for the hurry of the moment, not allowed time for consideration, I should probably have given the more full explanation in this letter.

Very respectfully, your ob't. serv't.
AMOS KENDALL.

PENN'A. LEGISLATURE

The Senate on Saturday, and Monday, consumed their whole time in discussing bills of but little importance; and going through some of the preliminary steps on others.

In the House, on Saturday, Mr. Cox offered a resolution to inquire whether members of the House had not endeavored to seduce the soldiers from duty; and whether they had not concerted a plan to overthrow the present State Government. A resolution was passed to appoint a committee to inquire into the conduct of the late Canal Board. On Monday, Messrs. Broadhead, Barstow, Purviance, Colt, and Hutchins, were announced as said committee. Mr. Cunningham from the committee on the subject, reported a bill erecting a new county out of parts of Huntingdon and Bedford, to be called "Blair."

A petition was presented by Mr. Cunningham, for the appointment of suitable persons to select a more suitable location for the seat of Justice of this county, near Alexandria.

On Tuesday, the Senate confirmed the nomination of Samuel Hepburn to be President Judge in the place of Judge Reed, deceased. In the House, a report was again made for the payment of the "Dog-keepers." After some discussion, it was again permitted to sleep for another week. Messrs. Cox, McElwee, and Longaker, were appointed a committee to audit the accounts of the breach on the canal last season.

The Senate spent the whole of Wednesday, discussing Gov. Porter's veto of the resolution passed directing the continuing of the hands on the Gettysburg rail road, until they could be paid. Some very severe remarks were made against the conduct of the Governor, for discharging the poor laborers without their pay; and hints were thrown out that he had done so before. In the House, the whole day was spent in passing resolutions tendering the aid of Pennsylvania to the General Government, in the event of difficulty with Great Britain.

On Thursday, in the Senate, the veto again came up, two thirds not voting for the resolution, the veto was sustained. The bill making a new county out of parts of Armstrong and Venango, passed. A message was received from the Governor, informing the Senate that none of the State Loans had been taken. The message was referred to the committee on revenue bills. Wm. McCay, Esq. was nominated by the Governor, as associate judge in the place of Judge Reynolds, deceased, of Mifflin county. A resolution was offered inquiring of the Governor for the sources of his information, that a conspiracy among the Banks, was the cause of the State Loans not being taken; and another why the Governor sent his veto message to both Houses.

HYMENEAL.

"The silken tie that binds two willing hearts."

MARRIED—On Thursday 7th inst. by David Snare Esq. Mr. HENRY COUGH, to Miss LOUISA SCHMALTZ all of this borough.

—On Sunday the 3d inst. by the Rev. N. Everett, Mr. NICHOLAS MILLER, to Miss SARAH CORBIN, youngest daughter of Caleb Corbin, all of Union township this county.

—On Tuesday the 19th February, by the Rev. James Cross, Mr. JAMES HENDERSON, to Miss LOUISA daughter of the Rev. J. WRIGHT, all of Union tp this county.

—On Thursday the 21st February, 1839, by the Rev. C. C. Guenther, Mr. JOHN STONER of Allegheny township, to Miss ELIZA AMES, of Henderson township.

Proclamation.

WHEREAS by a precept to me directed dated at Huntingdon, the 19th day of January A. D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine under the hands and seals of the Hon. Thomas Burnside, President of the Court of Common Pleas, Oyer and Terminer, and general jail delivery of the 4th judicial district of Pennsylvania, composed of the counties of Mifflin, Huntingdon, Centre, Clearfield, and Jefferson, and the Hon. Joseph McCune and John Kerr his associate Judges of the county of Huntingdon, justices assigned, appointed to hear, try, and determine all and every indictments, and presentments made or taken for or concerning all crimes, which by the laws of the State are made capital or felonies of death and all other offences, crimes and misdemeanors, which have been or shall be committed or perpetrated within the said county, or all persons which are or shall hereafter be committed or be perpetrated for crimes aforesaid—I am commanded to make.

Public Proclamation.
Throughout my whole bailiwick, that a Court of Oyer and Terminer, of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions will be held at the court house in the Borough of Huntingdon, on the second Monday (and 8th day) of April next, and those who will prosecute the said prisoners, then and there to prosecute them as it shall be, and that all Justices of the Peace, Coroners, and Constables within the said county be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, with their records, inquisitions, examinations and remembrances, to do those things which their offices respectively appertain.

Dated at Huntingdon, the 13th day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine and the 63d year of American Independence.
JOSEPH SHANNON, Sh'ff.
Sheriff's Office Huntingdon, March, 13, 1839.

Sheriff's Sales.

BY virtue of sundry writs of *Fieri Facias* &c. issued out of the court of Common Pleas of Huntingdon County, &c. to me directed, will be exposed to public Sale at the court house in Huntingdon, on the 11th day of April next, at ten o'clock A. M. the following property viz:

Two adjoining Lots of ground situated in the borough of Huntingdon, adjoining Lots of Wm. Morris in the east, and a lot of Jno Mitchell on the west, fronting on Washington street, each fifty feet, and extending at right angles thereto—feet to Mifflin st. the same being numbered 150 and 151 in the plan of said borough; and having thereon erected a two story house and stable. Seized and taken under execution and to be sold as the property of Wm. Simpson.

ALSO
All that part of a certain tract of land in the name of Wm. Foresythe, situate in Allegheny township Huntingdon county, adjoining lands of Alexander, John Gardner, Johnathan Launce and others, containing one hundred and one and three fourth acres; and also a lot of ground in the town of Gaysport Huntingdon county, numbered in the plan of said town, sold by Jackson & Garber; unto the said George W. Henry. Seized and taken under execution, and to be sold as the property of Geo. W. Henry.

ALSO
All the right, title and interest of George Ramsey, being the one ninth part of and in a certain tract of land situate in Dublin tp. adjoining lands of Samuel Findley, James Walker and others, containing 200 acres of which 150 are cleared, having thereon erected a good double house, two double barns and other necessary out buildings, occupied as a tavern stand. ALSO of and in 350 acres of land in said township, adjoining lands of Philip Mathias and others, 80 acres of which are cleared, with a good house and barn thereon. And also of and in 300 acres in Black Log valley near Shade Gap, with a log house and barn thereon erected and having 40 acres cleared. Seized and taken under execution, and to be sold as the property of George Ramsey. JOSEPH SHANNON, Sh'ff. Sheriff's office Huntingdon, } March 13, 1839.

Bridge Proposals.

THE undersigned, Commissioners of Huntingdon county, hereby give notice, that proposals will be received by them, at the dwelling house of Abraham Vandevander, in Henderson township, on Friday the 12th day of April next, for the erection of a Bridge across the Juniata river, at the place where the public road leading from Huntingdon to the Three Springs crosses the said river, about seven miles below the borough of Huntingdon. The proposals will include all expenses for stone, lime, sand, lumber, digging foundation, roofing, wing-walls and filling in and completing the same; all of which is to be done by the directions of the undersigned, and agreeably to their plan.
JOHN STEEVER,
PETER SWOOPER, jr } Comm's
JAMES MOORE. }
Commissioners office, March, 10, 1839.

Huntingdon County SS.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to Benjamin Engardt late of said County Greeting.
Whereas, Judith Engardt by her next friend, Abner Lloyd, did on the 24th day of November, A. D. 1838, prefer her petition to our Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of said county, praying that, for the causes therein set forth; she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, entered into, with you, the said Benjamin. Now we therefore command you, the said Benjamin, as before you were commanded, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear before our Judges at Huntingdon, at a Court of Common Pleas, there to be held for the said county, on the second Monday in April next, to show cause if any you have, why the said Judith, your wife, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony; agreeably to the act of Assembly in such case, made and provided. Hereof fail not.

Witness, Thomas Burnside Esq., President of our said Court at Huntingdon, 7th March A. D. 1839.

JNO. CRESSWELL, Pro'v

NEW DRUG, & CHEMICAL STORE.
THE subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Huntingdon and its vicinity, that he intends, as soon as the navigation opens, to open a New Drug and Chemical store in the room occupied at present by Dr. Samuel F. Green, opposite the dry good store of the subscriber in Main street. Country merchants, and Physicians are respectfully invited to give him a call, as his stock of Drugs will be fresh; and he is determined to sell cheap.
THOS. READ.
N. B. All persons knowing themselves indebted to the subscriber over six months will please call and settle their respective accounts, as no further indulgence can or will be given.
THOS. READ.
March, 13, 1839.

Look Out!

Will be sold from horses down to Needles, on Friday, March 29
CONSISTING of 15 new beds and bedsteads, one new side board, one eight day clock with a long case, 1 ditto mantle clock, bureaus, tables, chairs, 2 settees, stands, carpets, cooking stove, small elliptic sprig carriage with hains, 2 sets of wagon hind gears, head halters, one lady's, one man's, and one wagon saddle, 2 dozen new bags, iron kettle, tubs, lot of liquor, barrels, molasses by the gallon, sugar and coffee by the pound, 2 barrels vinegar, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Especially kitchen furniture.

3 GOOD COWS.
Sale to commence at ten o'clock, precisely. Six months credit will be given for sums over \$5; and over 2, three months, but notes with approved securities will be required. Good attendance will be given, without money and without price by
JACOB H. STOVER
Yellowsprings March 13, 1839.

MILITIA ELECTION.

A N ELECTION will be held in the 62nd Regiment, 2nd Brigade, 10th Division, P. M., on Saturday the 23d of March, A. D. 1839, within the bounds of the different Battalions of said Regiment.
For the 1st Battalion at the Court House in the borough of Huntingdon; said election to be held and conducted by Capt. THOMAS P. CAMPBELL.
For the 2nd Battalion at the Public House of James McMurtrie, Shaver's Creek, to be held and conducted by Maj. WILLIAM MOORE.
Said election to be held between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 6 P. M. of said day—to elect, by ballot, one Lieutenant-Colonel for said regiment; and also, on the same day, in the first battalion, to elect one Major for said battalion, in place of Thomas P. Campbell, resigned.
S. CALDWELL, Brig. Inst.
2nd Brig. 10th Div. P. M.
March 13, 1839.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE subscribers trading under the Firm of Caldwell and Cottrell, in carrying on Matilda Furnace and Cottrell, at said Furnace, have this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons having claims against said firm, are requested to present them to J. F. Cottrell for settlement, as he is duly authorized to settle the affairs of the late firm.
JAMES CALDWELL,
J. F. COTTRELL.
Matilda Furnace, Mifflin Co. }
February 27th 1839. }

The subscriber having purchased the entire interest of James Caldwell in the above works and store, the business will in future be carried on by him.
J. F. COTTRELL.

PUBLIC SALE

WILL be sold at the residence of the subscriber, in Shirley township, Huntingdon county, on Thursday, and Friday, the 21st and 22nd of March next, the following property viz:—All his farming implements, consisting of

WAGGONS, PLOUGHS, HARROWS
A CULTIVATOR, ONE WIND-MILL, A QUANTITY OF HORSE GEARS, AND SUNDRY OTHER ARTICLES.

ALSO—a cooking stove, and two ten plate stoves. ALSO

A Quantity of Potatoes by the bushel.

ALSO—A large variety of household, and kitchen furniture.

Sale will commence at ten o'clock on Saturday—a reasonable credit will be given.

JAMES LYON.
March, 6th, 1839-St-p.

NEW STORE.

B. E. & W. MURTRIE,
Would respectfully inform the citizens of this county, that they intend opening complete
Store of Entire New Goods,
in the borough of Huntingdon, in the building formerly occupied by the Huntingdon Bank, and latterly by L. Gotta, opposite the store of Swooper and Son.

As soon as the navigation will permit, their supply of goods will be here, of which public notice will be given.

Their friends and the public in general are invited to call and examine for themselves. They may rest assured, that they will be enabled to sell on terms as moderate, as any other establishment.

Huntingdon, March 6, 1839.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE

IN pursuance of an order of the Orphan's Court, of Huntingdon county, will be exposed to sale by public vendue or outcry, on the premises, on Thursday 28th day of March inst., the following described real estate, belonging to the estate of Dr. James Trimble dec'd., to wit:

About 20 acres of land,
adjoining the borough of Alexander, in said county, adjoining lands of Gemmill's heirs, and others, several lots of ground in the said borough, and several lots of

WOOD LAND & OUT LOTS

on the North East side of the Pennsylvania canal, adjoining lots of Hiram Marlot and others—A plot or description of the said property divided into lots, to suit purchasers, will be exhibited at the time of sale.—Terms of sale, one half of the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of sale, and the residue in one year thereafter with interest to be secured by the bonds and mortgage of purchasers.

Attendance will be given at the time and place of sale, by the subscriber or her agent.
ELIZA TRIMBLE, Adm'x.

In the Court of Common Pleas of huntingdon county.

Jonathan Rhule vs. Scire Facies, sur Mechanics lien, filed in the said Court.
George Cuitebaugh & Mary his wife formerly M. Berringer.

To all persons interested.
TAKE notice, that the plaintiff above named, has filed a Mechanics lien, in the said court, for the sum of one thousand and seventy dollars and forty eight cents, and with interest against

A TWO STORY BRICK DWELLING, with a stone basement story, twenty four ft in front, by thirty five feet deep; erected built, and situated on lot No. 210 in Juniata street in the new town plot of the borough of Hollidaysburg, which said lot fronts on said Juniata street, sixty feet, and extends back at right angles to said street, one hundred and sixty feet; for work and labor done, and materials furnished in and about the erection of said building.

In which said lien, a Scire Facies has been issued out of said court, against the above named defendant, to show cause at a Court of Common Pleas, to be held at Huntingdon, for the said county, the second Monday of April next, why the aforesaid sum should not be levied of the said building, according to the act of assembly in such case made and provided, of which matters and things, all persons interested, will please take notice.

JOSEPH SHANNON, Sh'ff.
Sheriff's office }
March 6, 1839. }

A Miller Wanted Immediately.

A T Union Furnace, with or without a family, either on salary or shares, none but a sober temperate man will be acceptable. Personal application is required.
MICHAEL WALLACE.

ORPHANS COURT SALE.

IN pursuance of an order of the Orphan's Court of Huntingdon County, will be exposed to public sale on the premises on Friday the 15, day of March next, at one o'clock P. M. All that certain tract of land situate in Morris Township, Berks county, adjoining lands of John Keller, John Furgus, Jacob Keller, and Thomas Donally; Containing ninety one acres, more or less, about sixty acres cleared—Thereon erected a

LOG HOUSE AND SMALL BARN

—Late the estate of Frederick Kuhn dec'd.

Terms of Sale—one half of the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of the sale and the residue in one year thereafter with interest, to be secured by the Bond and Mortgage of the purchaser—attendance will be given by

WM. REED, Adm'r.

By the Court T. P. CAMPBELL Clk.
Feb. 19, 1839.

VALUABLE LAND For Sale.

THE undersigned will expose to public sale at the Court House, in the Borough of Huntingdon, on Thursday, the 21st day of March next, all that piece or tract of land situate on Shavers Creek, West township, Huntingdon County, adjoining lands of Andrew Newell, Robert Moore, Isaac New and others, containing 40 acres of the same more or less, about 36 acres of which are cleared, and in a good state of cultivation, Having a Cabin House and stable thereon erected.

AND A SMALL APPLE ORCHARD THEREON.

TERMS OF SALE.
One half of the purchase money to be paid in hand, and the residue in three equal annual payments with interest from the time of Sale, to be secured by bonds and mortgages. When the sale is made a deed with a general warranty, will be given to the purchaser, subject however, to the payment of whatever purchase money and patenting fees may be due to the commonwealth.

THOMAS EWING.
Jan. 30, 1839—p

FOR SALE OR RENT.

The subscriber offers for rent, his

Blacksmith Shop.

and one good set of tools, situated on the main road by the Warm springs, about 11 miles from Huntingdon, and about one quarter of a mile from Couche's mill.

To a good steady man, he will rent or let on shares, the above shop.

The shop is on a part of a farm containing about

115 acres

10 acres cleared, and a good cabin house and small orchard, [and the above blacksmith shop] thereon, near the house there is a

NEVER FAILING SPRING.

And he will sell the whole, upon the most reasonable terms. To any person wishing to buy the whole, or rent the shop—the most accommodating terms will be given. For particulars, enquire on the premises of

ROBERT LOGAN.
Barree township, Hunting- }
don co, Feb. 28, 1839—St }

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

THE subscribers offer for sale two tracts of land in Wayne township Mifflin county; one tract containing four hundred acres; bounded by lands of John Lowther, T. J. Postlethwait, and Matilda Furnace. About forty acres of which are cleared; and the remainder well timbered, with two

LOG HOUSES & A DOUBLE BARN

and a good apple orchard thereon. The land is of good quality, and abundantly supplied with good water.

One other tract, containing eighty acres of good limestone land, adjoining lands of James Drake, Hanawalts, Matilda Furnace, and others; about forty acres of which are cleared. There is on it a never failing stream of water, and an eligible sit for water power. It is supposed that there is an abundance of Iron Ore on both the above tracts.

Persons wishing to purchase, will please call upon the subscriber living near Newtown-hamilton, who will give any information desired, and show them the premises.

Wm. HAMILTON
For the heirs of J HAMILTON dec'd }
Feb 27 1839. }

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ALL persons interested, are hereby notified, that the undersigned, Auditor's appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Huntingdon county, to distribute the money in the Sheriff's hands, arising from the sale of the Real Estate of Senape's heirs, will attend for that purpose, at his Office in the borough of Huntingdon, on Tuesday, the 19th March, inst.

JAMES STEEL Auditor.
March, 6th 1839.