POETRY.

THE SEMINOLE'S REPLY.

By Lieut. G. W, Patten, United States Army.

"The attack on Fort Mellon was made, it is supposed, by Philip and his gang. The action must have taken place before the information of the truce could have been received by the Indians who made the attack."—*Southern paper.*

Blaize! with your serried columns,
I will not bend the knee!
The shackle ne'er again shall bind
The arm which *now* is free;
I've mail'd it with the thunder
When the tempest mutter'd low,
And when it fails, ye well may dread,
The lightning of its blow.

I've scared ye in the city,
I've sclaped ye on the plain:
—Go, count your chosen where they fell
Beneath my leaden rain—
I scorn your proffer'd treaty,
The pale face I defy;
Revenge is stamp'd upon my spear,
And "*blood*" my battle cry.

Some strike for hope of booty,
Some to defend their all—
I battle for the joy I have,
To see the white man fall:
I love among the wounded,
To hear his dying moan,
And catch, while chanting at his side,
The music of his groan.

Ye've trailed me thro' the forest,
Ye've track'd me o'er the stream,
And struggling through the everglade,
Your bristling bayonets gleam;
—But I stand as should the warrior,
With his rifle and his spear:
The scalp of vengeance still is red
And warns ye—"*Come not here.*"

Think ye to find my homestead!
I gave it to the fire:
My tawny household do ye seek?
I am a childless sire.*
But should ye crave life's nourishment,
Enough I have and good:
I live on hate—'tis all my bread,
Yet light is not my food.

I loathe ye with my bosom—
I scorn ye with mine eye—
And I'll taunt ye with my latest breath,
And fight ye till I die.
I ne'er will ask ye quarter,
And I ne'er will be your slave:
But I'll swim the sea of slaughter,
Till I sink beneath its wave.

*It will be remembered that many of the Seminoles killed their children; they being considered an incumbrance to the war.

THE NEWS-GATHERER.

☞The subjoined paragraphs are all taken from No. 1, Vol. 3, of the New-Yorker, one of the best weekly papers published in this country.

Hon. Alexander Stevenson, Ambassador at the Court of St. James, has publicly and positively contradicted an assertion that he was the author of certain attacks on the United States Bank in the London papers, and also of a political letter from London, first published in the Washington Globe. We neither gave currency nor credit to the charges, but cheerfully aid in disseminating the refutation. Mr. Stevenson honorably remarks that, as Minister at a foreign Court, he knows no parties nor divisions among his countrymen and never intermeddles with American politics.

We presume Mr. Richard Rush was the author of the letter in question.

New Hampshire.—The Annual Election in this State has resulted in the success of the regular Administration tickets for the more important offices, with very little opposition. Governor Hill was only opposed by a small portion of his own party, who were displeased with his course in relation to the State's Surplus Revenue apportionment, which they wished rejected. The ticket for Members of Congress had no opposition, nor that for Council of State.—Eleven of the twelve "regular" Senators were likewise elected, but one of them is opposed to the State Administration. The dominant party have also elected more than three-fourths of the Members of the more popular branch of the Legislature.

Virginia.—The Legislature of this State has very judiciously changed the times of holding elections in that State, so that the polls will be held in the several cities and counties on the fourth Thursday of April, instead of transpiring irregularly throughout the month, as circumstances or caprice may dictate. On Thursday the 26th of April, therefore, twenty-one Members of Congress, eight State Senators, and one hundred and thirty-three Delegates, will be elected by the several Districts and Counties of the Old Dominion.

The House of Delegates has at length decided, after a debate of two months' duration, to increase the Bank capital of the State very materially. A new Bank, entitled "The Exchange Bank of Virginia," is to be established at Norfolk, with a capital of $1,800,000, of which one half is subscribed by the State, from her portion of the Surplus Revenue. Branches are to be located at Richmond, Petersburg, and Clarkesville. Besides this, we believe large additions are made to the capitals of the old Banks.

Maryland.—The Legislature of this State adjourned last week, after passing an act reforming the State Constitution, and thereby more nearly approximating an equal representation. This reform will give the friends of the National Administration nearly twice their present strength in the next Legislature.

Hon. Andrew Stevenson.—The Globe of Wednesday raps our Minister to London over the knuckles for the tenor of his recent denial of any intermeddling with the Bank question or other controverted topics since he went abroad. The Globe seems to consider Mr. Stevenson's disclaimer derogatory to Hon. Richard Rush, who is also in London as a special agent for the Government, and who, it is distinctly stated, was the author of the letter denouncing the Pennsylvania charter of the U. S. Bank, the preface to a London reprint of Mr. Van Buren's letter to Sherrod Williams, and various statements which have exerted a prejudicial influence upon American stocks in Europe.

The Specie Order.—Several of the daily papers, from the tenor of a late leading article in the Globe, that Mr. Van Buren is about to annul the Treasury Order, on the ground that it has accomplished all that it was intended to do. We do not so understand that journal. It is evident to our mind that neither the Globe nor any of the journals commonly reputed to share Mr. Van Buren's confidence know any thing at all of his intentions with regard to this important matter.

Hon. Jere. M'Lene, M. C. from the Columbus District, Ohio, died at Washington on Monday night of the influenza, probably taken at the Inauguration. He was a gentleman of great private worth, and was for 22 years Secretary of State of Ohio, and for the last four a Representative in Congress from a District politically opposed to him. He was superseded last October by the opposition on political grounds solely—politics running higher in Ohio than before. He has probably left no enemy.

Springfield, Sangamon county, has been selected by the Legislature of Illinois as the future and permanent Capital of that State. Vote on the first ballot: Springfield 35, Vandalia 17, Jacksonville, 14, Alton 15, Peoria 16, scattering 14. On the fourth trial—Springfield 73, Vandalia 14, Jacksonville 10, Alton 6, Peoria 6.

John W. Willey, Esq. has been elected Mayor of Cleveland, Ohio. He is of no particular politics. The successful candidates for Aldermen, &c. were chosen as friends of Internal Improvement.

The Floridians are very wroth at the hasty expressions of the late President, accusing them of cowardice. Col. White has written home an account of an interview in which Gen. Jackson exclaimed, "Let the —— cowards defend their country," that he could take fifty *women*, and whip every Indian that had ever crossed the Suwanee, &c. &c

James N. Barker has been reappointed Collector of the port of Philadelphia, though a large meeting of the Administration party urgently recommended Hon. Michael W. Ash for the station. Mr. A. has been appointed Navy Agent.

Edward Kent, Esq. (Whig) has been elected Mayor of Bangor, Me. Vote: Kent 719; J. P. Rogers (V. B.) 376. Entire Whig ticket for Aldermen and Council elected. A division in the Administration party made its defeat more signal than heretofore.

Augusta, the Capital of Maine, elected Whig officers on the 13th. Last fall, Van Buren by a small majority.

Doct. Josiah Trowbridge was elected Mayor of the city of Buffalo on the night of the 14th inst., on the one hundred and ninety-ninth ballot.

A Public Dinner was recently given to Senators Calhoun and Preston at Charleston, S. C.

Our Legislature (New York) has concluded to adjourn the 2d of May. "Better late than never." The Canal Commissioners have reported *against* hastening the improvement of the Erie Canal. The report, we presume, sets the matter at rest for the present. The bill to equalize the currency by requiring the Safety Fund Banks to take each other's notes is still slept on in the Senate. We are surprised to see the Bank interest brought to bear against this bill; for we firmly believe it would extend their steady circulation, as well as their general usefulness. The rates of discount now paid in this city are ruinous, and cannot be borne. Mr. Mack attempted last week to make this bill for the relief of the whole community a two-thirds bill! on what principle we cannot imagine.

The Surplus Revenue Distribution Bill has passed the Senate, as originally reported, the money to be apportioned among the Counties, and loaned out by Loan Commissioners appointed by the Governor and Senate. The interest accruing therefrom is to be appropriated to Colleges and Schools.

Mr. Roosevelt has introduced a bill to remove all restrictions upon Sales by Auction. It ought to pass, we think, but it will not.

The bill to hang and quarter the reprobates who circulate notes of a less amount than five dollars, still lingers in the House. The author has not yet received a leather medal. Various projects for making money scarcer by suppressing all notes under $20, restricting Bank issues, &c. &c. are under consideration.

Ex-Gov. Joseph C. Yates died at his residence in Schenectady on Sunday afternoon last. He was formerly one of the Judges of the Supreme Court, but resigned to succeed De Witt Clinton as Governor in 1822-3. He was in turn succeeded by Gov. C. at the close of his term.

A bill has passed both branches of the Virginia Legislature, prescribing general regulations for banking, one of which is the prohibition to issue notes under $20, after the year 1840.

☞The following articles were inserted in our last after the papers for Emmittsburgh, Frederick, Millerstown, Waynesborough, &c. had been sent off:

The Bank Acquitted!

☞We learn from Harrisburgh, by this morning's mail, that the BANK HAS BEEN ACQUITTED! Oh, *mister hill*—Oh!

☞*Confidence Betrayed!*

Extract of a Letter to the Editor of the Star, dated

HARRISBURGH, March 24th, 1837.

Dear Sir—This morning, on an incidental question, Mr. Flanagan, of Franklin, made a violent attack on the Rail Road from Philadelphia to Hagerstown! He stated that some sections on it would cost more than $200,000, with many other statements of equal truth! He avows his determination to defeat it if possible! Indeed, he seems to have gone mad altogether by opposing every body! He has destroyed all his influence, as such ill natured men always will. What will his neighbours of Waynesburgh say to his conduct!

MARRIED.

At Littlestown, on the 21st inst. by George Will, Esq. Mr. William Shean to Mrs. Rachel Miller—both of Carroll county, Md.

On the 26th inst. by the same, Mr. Samuel I. Dell to Miss Mary Ann Dell—both of Westminster, Carroll county, Md.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of CONRAD SNYDER, late of Mountpleasant township, Adams county, deceased, are hereby notified to come forward and make settlement, with the subscriber, who will attend at the late residence of the deceased on Friday and Saturday the 5th and 6th of May next, for that purpose—and those having claims against said Estate will also present them properly authenticated on the above named days for settlement.

The Executor resides in Heidlersburgh, Tyrone township.

BALTZER SNYDER, *Ex'r.*

March 27, 1837. 6t-52

Information Wanted.

JOHN HENRY MULL was taken from the City of Baltimore in May, 1832, then aged about 13 years, by a certain JOSEPH TURNER, living at that time near Carlisle, Cumberland county, Pa. In 1835, Turner removed to the State of Indiana, taking with him the said John Henry Mull, in both instances without the knowledge or consent of the boy's mother, who is a widow. Any information, leading to a discovery of the boy's residence, can be addressed to the Editor of the Gettysburgh Star. Editors in Indiana will confer a particular favor on the boy's mother by noticing the above.

Gettysburgh, Pa., March 6, 1837.

NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration having been granted by the Register of Adams County to the subscriber, residing in Liberty Township, in said county, on the Estate of JOHN ADAIR, deceased, late of Liberty Township, Adams County, all persons having unpaid claims against said Estate are requested to present them, and all persons indebted to make payment, to the subscriber without delay.

JAMES CUNNINGHAM, Adm'r.

March 13, 1837. 6t-50

THE KNICKERBOCKER,

A MONTHLY Magazine, published by Wiley & Long, 161 Broadway, New York, at $5 per annum, in advance. It is one of the most valuable, as well as interesting Periodicals extant, and is certainly deserving of patronage.

Contents of March Number.

Original Papers:
Stanzas: First Love,
A. Bell's Biography: by the author of 'twice told Tales,' 'the Fountain of Youth,' &c.
The Departure of Paul,
A few Plain thoughts on Poetry: by a 'Business Man,' Lament,
The Laidy and the Painter: Fragment from the 'Fidget Papers,' by the author of the 'The Dancing Girl,'
Song of the Exile: 'the Hope of Return,'
Wilson Conworth; (number three,)
Why are we here?
Autobiography of a Broomstick: by the author of 'Our Village,' 'the Old Church,' 'Marine Freebooter,' &c.
The Memories of Life; by Greenville Mellen, Esq.
A Week in Cincinnati: by an M. D.
Black Plume: a Legend of the Senecas.
The Clerk's Yarn—an authentic tale of the Sea,
Apples of Sodom—by Rev. J. H Clinch,
The Parvenus—or Illustrations of American Society, (number one,)
Stanzas,
Pere La Chaise.
Ollapodiana—(number eighteen,)
Time,
A Song,
Literary Notices,
Editor's Table,
Literary Record.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Hon. D. Durkee, Esq. President of the several Courts of Common Pleas, in the Counties composing the Nineteenth District, & Justice of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the said District—and Daniel Sheffer and Wm. M'Clean, Esqs. Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, and Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the County of Adams—have issued their precept, bearing date the 25th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, and to me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas, and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and General Jail Delivery, and Court of Oyer and Terminer, at Gettysburg, *on Monday the 24th day of April next*—

Notice is hereby Given,

To all the Justices of the Peace, the Coroner, and Constables, within the said County of Adams, that they be then and there, in their proper persons, with their Rolls, Records, Inquisitions, Examinations, and other Remembrances, to do those things, which to their offices and in that behalf appertain to be done and also they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are, or then shall be, in the Jail of the said County of Adams, are to be then and there, to prosecute against them as shall be just.

WM. TAUGHINBAUGH, Sheriff.

March 27, 1837. tc-52

Trial List, April Term, 1837.

Dr. James H. Miller vs Bank of Gettysburgh.
Samuel R. Russell vs Executors of John Kline, deceased.
Henry Degroff vs Michael Degroff.
Thomas M'Knight vs Adam Spangler.
Thomas Craighead vs John Welsh.
Directors of the Poor vs Isaac Lightner.
Western Stage Company vs George Beltzhoover.
Benjamin Myers' use vs Samuel and Joseph Morthland.
Thomas Griest's Ex'rs vs Isaac Wierman.
James Bowen's use vs Samuel White, of Franklin county.
Savings Institution of Emmittsburgh, use vs Adam and William Gardner.
William Sadler vs Daniel Weidner's Adm'r.
Same vs Daniel Weidner, jr.
Bank of Gettysburgh vs Thomas Bringman, with notice.
John Beecher vs Isaac Miller.
Michael Dugan vs Jacob Barnitz.
Adam Spangler vs Thomas M'Knight.
Bank of Gettysburgh use S. Morthland vs N. Wierman, S. Comly and S. Morthland.
Sarah Reddett vs George Craft.
Samuel Creigh's use vs Philip Kohler.
George Brinkerhoff's Ex'rs vs John Bercaw.

FOR ARGUMENT.

Swingle vs Beggs and Harlan.
John Nary vs Lindsay Sturgeon.
Isaac Speck vs William M'Clellan.

March 27, 1837.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

Saddles! Saddles! SADDLES!

Important Improvement in Spring-seated SADDLES!

THE Subscriber respectfully informs the Public generally, that he has purchased the Patent Right for making and vending ***Spring-Seated Saddles of the Zig Zag or W spring in the Seat,*** And also a Spring attached to the Girth or Girths and to the tree. The saddle is made with or without a Pommel, just as persons may fancy.

Saddles made upon this plan are incomparably superior to any heretofore in use, in point of strength, durability and elasticity, to the horse and rider. The application of the spring to the girth is productive of ease and comfort to the horse, and protects him from injuries arising from violent or sudden exertions. The Spring is also applicable to LADIES' SADDLES.

☞It is deemed unnecessary to state any thing more. The public are invited to call and judge for themselves.

☞The Subscriber returns his sincere thanks to his Customers and the Public in general, for the very liberal support extended to him, and would respectfully inform them that he has at all times

A LARGE AND GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

Saddles, Bridles, Martingals,

AND ALL KINDS OF

Carriage, Wagon and Cart HARNESS

At his Old Stand in South Baltimore Street, Gettysburgh.

☞All kinds of MARKETING taken in exchange for work.

DAVID M'CREARY.

December 26, 1836. tf-39

Look Here!

THE subscriber wishes to inform his patrons, and others who may wish to patronize him in future, that he has recently purchased Mr. *Callihan's Patent Right* for the use of his valuable improvement in making

Spring-seat SADDLES

Notwithstanding the prejudices against these Saddles heretofore, he feels justifiable in saying, that he hopes to gain the confidence and patronage of the public—as he is enabled, on the present principle, to *ensure* all his saddles without any *extra* charge.—That a soft, easy saddle is desirable to all persons who ride much, and particularly to those who may not be favored with a very pleasant horse; I presume all persons will unhesitatingly patronize the spring saddles, when they will be *ensured* as long as the purchaser may deem necessary.

The elasticity of the Saddle acting in harmony with the symetry of the horse and rider, not only affords ease to the man, but incalculable advantage to the horse. All persons of judgment and experience must know, that a dead, unelastic weight on a horse is oppressive. The Spring in the Girth affords the following advantages: 1st Moving or yielding with the horse's chest in breathing, no cramps or cholics or any disease can rise therefrom. 2d. The girth will outlast two or three of the common kind, because the yielding of the spring on the sudden expansion of the chest prevents the girth from breaking, and saves the rider from falling; *many falls* have been the fruits of breaking girths.

GENTLEMEN and LADIES are invited to apply, as the little difference in the cost of these and the hard Saddles is so trifling, and incomparable with the difference in comfort and safety.

N. B. Saddlers in the country can be accommodated with Township or Shop Rights at a trifling cost.

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A LARGE AND GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

Saddles, Bridles, Martingals, Saddle-Bags, Portmanteaus and Trunks;

Carriage, Wagon and Cart HARNESS,

with every other article in his line of business.

☞All kinds of MARKETING taken in exchange for work at fair prices.

EDWIN A. ATLEE.

Gettysburgh, Jan. 16, 1837. tf-42

Estate of John Kerr, deceased.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of JOHN KERR, late of Hamiltonban township, Adams County, deceased, are requested to call and make payment—and those having claims against said estate are also requested to present the same, properly authenticated, to the subscribers for settlement.

The Executors both reside in Hamiltonban township.

JOHN J. KERR, WILLIAM DOUGLASS, } Exr's.

February 27, 1837. 6t-48

NOTICE.

LETTERS of Administration, having been granted by the Register of Adams County, to the subscriber, residing in Menallen Township, in said county, on the Estate of JANE SAMPLE, deceased, late of Straban Township, Adams County, all persons having unpaid claims against said Estate are requested to present them, and all persons indebted to make payment, to the subscriber without delay.

JAMES MAJOR, Adm'r.

February 27, 1837. 6t-48

PUBLIC NOTICES.

FRESH DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

A FRESH Supply just received and for sale—among which are the following:

Brimstone,	Calcined Magnesia,
Saltpetre,	Oil Sassafras,
Indelible Ink,	" Nutmegs,
Flor. Mustard, best,	" Origanum,
Cream Tartar,	Nursing bottles,
Powder Puffs, in embossed boxes,	Croton Oil,
	Balsam Copaiba,
Furniture Corks,	Mercurial Ointment,
Tooth Brushes, solid backs,	Fish Sounds,
	Visiting Cards,
Quinine,	Drawing paper or boards
Refined Liquorice,	
English Ven. Red,	Pearl powder,
Acetic Acid, No. 8,	Aromatic Salts.

All of which can be had, on reasonable terms, at the Drug Store of

Dr. J. GILBERT,
Gettysburg.

GARLEGANT'S BALSAM OF HEALTH.

Prepared only by JOHN S. MILLER, at his Drug and Medicine Store, opposite the Market House, Frederick, Md.

THIS valuable Medicine has already acquired a celebrity to which few others perhaps in so short a time ever arrived, and its extensive use for 4 or 5 years, in various parts of our Country, Cities and Towns in Maryland, Virginia, Pennsylvania, Ohio, New York, Kentucky, Missouri, South Carolina, Alabama, Georgia, and New Orleans, which has attended it with unparalleled success.

Hundreds of persons have used it, and nine out ten cases have been permanently cured of Dyspepsia, Cholics, Nervous, Tremors, Lowness of spirits, Palpitation of the heart, and all those train of Diseases resulting from a disordered condition of the stomach and liver, or derangement of the Digestive functions, such as General Debility or weakness, Flatulency, Loss of appetite, Sour Eructations and Acidities of the Stomach, Costiveness, Headache, Jaundice, Flatulent and Bilious Colic, &c. &c.

To Adults and Children who are troubled with Worms, it will operate as a safe and thorough vermifuge. It is entirely Botanical in its composition, and may be used by both sexes and of any age, with perfect safety, without any change of habit or diet.

A full and satisfactory Direction accompanies each Bottle, which can be had at one Dollar per Bottle, and by the quantity at a liberal Discount of the proprietor and of all his agents, which are named at the bottom of each direction.

New testimony of its cures are frequently received, a few of which follow this advertisement, and many more can be seen on the directions around each Bottle.

About two years ago I was severely afflicted with the dyspepsia, which I had for the last fifteen years, previous to the above named time, which was very much increased by my having a blood vessel ruptured upon my lungs, occasioned by lifting—which increased my complaint, dyspepsia and general weakness and debility to such a degree, that for two years previous to my using the Garlegant Balsam, I never eat a meal but my stomach became so painful that I had immediately to throw it up. Seeing Garlegant's Balsam of Health advertised, I was induced to try a bottle; after taking the very first dose it appeared to strengthen my stomach; and every dose of the first bottle helped me so much, that in the course of a few days my stomach began to retain and digest every thing I eat. I continued to use the Balsam until I used seven bottles, which cured me entirely, and restored me to perfect health, which I have enjoyed ever since, and not before for fifteen years. I cheerfully recommend it to all persons who are afflicted with dyspepsia or debility of stomach. Given under my hand this 11th day of January, 1834.

HENRY LOUTHAN,
Frederick county, Va.

Certificate of Nicholas Weaver.

This is to certify that I bought of your agent at Gettysburgh, several bottles, of your valuable Balsam of Health, which completely cured me of the Dyspepsia. I had taken much of other patent Medicines, but found no relief, until I made use of your Balsam of Health, which effected a radical cure, and do recommend it to all those who are troubled with that obstinate disorder Dyspepsia.

N. WEAVER.

Gettysburgh, Pa. Nov. 2, 1836.

Certificate from the Rev. D. F. Schæffer, Pastor of the Lutheran Church.

John S. Miller(—Dear Sir:—I deem it my duty to inform you that I consider Garlegant's Balsam of Health, prepared by you, a superior medicine. My wife has long been in a delicate state of health, and of course no means were left untried of which we could hear; myself opposed to nostrums and patent medicines—I nevertheless consented to purchase a bottle of your Balsam of Health, and I do hereby certify that Mrs. Shæffer derived more benefit from the use of it than of any other medicine. My opinion is that if a cure can be effected, as regards the diseases you mention, your Balsam will, if used in the first stage of the disease.

D. F. SCHÆFFER, E. D.

Frederick; Aug. 23, 1836.

P.S. I used the Balsam in my own family and administered it to some indigent persons, and invariably found it a most efficacious vermifuge.

☞For sale only at the Drug Store of

SAMUEL H. BUEHLER,
Agent, Gettysburgh.

February, 13, 1837. 6m 46

DR. J. CARPENTER, BOTANIC PHYSICIAN,

RESPECTFULLY invites those who are troubled with Rheumatic pains, either chronic or inflamatory, to give him a call, having had very good success in curing Rheumatism; and having within the short space of time that he has been here had upwards of forty cases of Rheumatism under treatment, and having given relief in every case, and failed in but five or six cases of performing a complete cure—and some of these were through neglect on their part; and others to the long standing of the disease, so that no perfect cure could be expected. He would, therefore, invite those afflicted with Rheumatic pains to give him a call, and satisfy themselves. Not desiring those who are unacquainted with him to rely on his statement, but to come into his neighborhood and enquire of those who know, and satisfy themselves before they employ him.

Dr. Carpenter still continues to reside at his former residence in Liberty township, two miles North of Emmittsburgh, and two miles from Rhodes Mill, on Middle-creek.

October 3, 1836. tf-27

BLANK DEEDS

For Sale at the Office of the Star & Banner

PUBLICK NOTICES.

TEMPERANCE.

☞A SEMI-ANNUAL meeting of the *Temperance Society of Gettysburgh and its vicinity* will be held in the new English Lutheran Church, on SATURDAY the 8th of APRIL NEXT, at 1 o'clock P. M.

☞All interested in the success of Temperance are earnestly invited to attend.

ROBERT W. MIDDLETON, Sec'ry,

March 27, 1837. tm-52

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS for the erection of a new Presbyterian Church in the Borough of Gettysburgh, will be received by either of the undersigned until the *first day of April next*—the Plan, with specifications, &c. may be seen at the office of Moses M'Clean. It is contemplated to make use of the materials of the present Church so far as they can be employed to advantage. The proposals must therefore specify with or without the materials of the old Building.

JAMES C. WATSON,
THOMAS C. MILLER,
JOHN F. M'FARLANE,
JAMES M'ALLISTER,
JOHN HOUCK,
JOSEPH BAYLEY,
MOSES M'CLEAN,
Building Committee.

March 13, 1837. tf-50

PATENT WATER-PROOF BOOTS

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has purchased of the Patentee, (Mr. P. G. Nagle, of Philadelphia,) all his right, title and interest in the County of Adams, for making, constructing, using and vending to others to be used, his patented method of making BOOTS AND SHOES COMPLETELY IMPERVIOUS TO WATER.

An article of this kind has long and anxiously been looked for by the public. The certificates are in the subscriber's possession, prove the great efficacy of this desirable desideratum. To prove the utility of this article, and its great advantages to the public, the Patentee has obtained from the American Institute two Diplomas or Premiums. The improvement renders the Leather soft and pliable and is a sure preventive against its breaking.

Public patronage is earnestly solicited.—All orders thankfully received and punctually attended to, by the subscriber, residing in Hampton, Adams county, Pa.

SOLOMON ALBERT.

Hampton, March 13, 1837. tf-50

A Counting-House Almanac, FOR THE YEAR OF OUR LORD 1837.

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