

ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, in and by an Act of the General Assembly of this State, entitled "An Act relating to the Elections of this Commonwealth," enacted on the Second day of July, 1839, it is enjoined on me to give notice of each General Election to be held, and to enumerate in such Notice what Officers are to be elected: I, WILLIAM TAUGHINBAUGH, Sheriff, of the County of Adams, do hereby make known and give this PUBLIC NOTICE, to the Electors of the county of Adams, that a

GENERAL ELECTION

WILL BE HELD IN THE SAID COUNTY, ON THE Second Tuesday of October next, [the eighth.]

At the several Districts composed of the following townships, viz:

In the First District composed of the Borough of Gettysburg & the township of Cumberland, at the Court-house, in Gettysburg.

In the Second District composed of the township of Germany, at the house now occupied by Alfred Cole, in the town of Petersburg, in the township of Germany.

In the Third District, composed of that part of Berwick township, not included in the 15th District, at the house of John Milley, Esq. in the town of Oxford.

In the Fourth District, composed of the township of Latimore, and that part of Huntington township not included in the 11th District, at the house of Mr. Underwood, in the town of Petersburg, (Y. Springs,) in the township of Huntington.

In the Fifth District, composed of the townships of Hamilton and Liberty, at the Public School House, in Millerstown.

In the Sixth District, composed of the township of Hamilton; at the house now occupied by Jacob Bushey, in the town of Berlin.

In the Seventh District composed of the township of Menallen, at the house of Thos. Blocher, in said township.

In the Eighth District composed of the township of Straban, at the house now occupied by Philip Schriver, in Hunterstown.

In the Ninth District composed of the township of Franklin, at the house now occupied by James A. White in said township.

In the Tenth District composed of the township of Conowingo, at the house of Adam Oster, in M'Sherrystown.

In the Eleventh District composed of the township of Tyrone, and all that part of Huntington township south of the road leading from East Berlin to Carlisle, and east of the State road, including all voters residing contiguous to said State road, at the house of Frederick Bower, in Heidlersburg, in Tyrone township.

In the Twelfth District composed of the township of Mountjoy, at the house of Mrs. Larimer, in said township.

In the Thirteenth District composed of the township of Mountpleasant, at the house of Anthony Smith, in said township, situate at the cross roads, the one leading from Oxford to the Two Taverns—the other from Hunterstown to Hanover.

In the Fourteenth District composed of the township of Reading, at the Public School House, in the town of Hampton.

In the Fifteenth District composed of the Borough of Berwick, and that part of Berwick township ONLY, included within the following limits, to wit: beginning where the Hanover and Petersburg turnpike road crosses the York county line, thence along said turnpike to the place where the road from Berlin to Oxford crosses the said turnpike, thence along the new road from George Mummet's farm, on the said Oxford road, thence along said road to the York county line, near David Hollinger's saw mill, thence along said York county line to the place of beginning, at the Public School House, in Abbottstown.

In the Sixteenth District composed of the township of Freedom, at the house of Nicholas Moritz, in said township.

AT WHICH TIME AND PLACES WILL BE ELECTED,

Two Representatives in the State Legislature, for the County of Adams; One County Commissioner; One Auditor of Public Accounts; One Director of the Poor and House of Employment of the County of Adams;

One Prothonotary; One Clerk of Quarter Sessions, Oyer and Terminer, and Orphans' Court; One Register and Recorder; One Sheriff; One Coroner.

And in and by the said Act, it is directed that the Judges and Inspectors of the said General Election shall be chosen by ballot on the FRIDAY NEXT PRECEDING THE SECOND TUESDAY OF OCTOBER NEXT, being the

Fourth day of October next.

And the Elections for such Inspectors shall be held in such places in each township, ward or district, as are appointed by law for that purpose, by the respective Constables, (who are requested to give at least TEN DAYS' notice of such Election,) assisted by two qualified citizens, chosen by such citizens, qualified to vote, as shall then be present.

The following are extracts from the said "Act relating to the Elections of this Commonwealth," passed the Second day of July, 1839:

Sect. 5. The elections, as aforesaid, shall be opened between the hours of eight and ten o'clock, in the forenoon, by a public proclamation thereof, made by the officers appointed to hold the same, and be kept open until seven o'clock, except in the city and county of Philadelphia, where it shall be kept open until eight o'clock, in the afternoon, when the polls shall be closed, the

number of votes be forthwith ascertained, and the persons highest in vote, publicly declared elected.

Sect. 6. The Judges of the elections within the limits of their respective wards, districts or townships, shall have power, and are hereby required to decide on the qualifications of any person claiming to vote at any election, whenever the inspectors shall disagree upon the right of such person to vote, but not otherwise, and the inspectors thereof shall, upon such decision, forthwith receive or reject the vote of such person as the case may be.

Sect. 7. Where any township has been or shall be divided in forming an election district, the qualified citizens of each part of such divided township, shall severally elect in the manner and at the time and place aforesaid, two inspectors for each of said several election districts, and shall also elect one person to serve as judge of the elections in each district, to perform the duties enjoined by the sixth section of this Act.

Sect. 8. It shall be the duty of the inspectors and Judges of such election to make out duplicate returns of all the votes given at such election for inspectors and judge, one of which shall, with the tally lists and lists of voters, be deposited in the ballot boxes, and the other be delivered by the judge of such election, within five days thereafter, to the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of the proper county, to be filed in his office, and the said inspectors and judge shall also make out a certificate of election for each person chosen as an inspector or judge, which certificate shall be delivered to the person so chosen, or left at his usual place of abode by the constable of the proper ward, district or township, within five days after such election.

Sect. 9. The qualified citizens of the several wards, districts and townships, shall meet on the Friday next preceding the second Tuesday of October next, at the several places now prescribed by law, for holding the ward, district and township elections, and each of said qualified citizens shall vote by ballot for one person as judge, and also for one person as inspector of elections, and the person having the greatest number of votes for judge shall be publicly declared to be the judge of elections, and the two persons having the greatest number of votes for inspector shall be publicly declared to be inspectors of election. But when any township has been or shall be divided in forming an election district, judges and inspectors of the election shall be chosen in the manner prescribed in the seventh section of this Act.

Sect. 10. The inspectors and judges so elected shall hold the general election on the second Tuesday of October next, and also the township elections on the third Friday in March next, pursuant to the general provisions of this act, and shall take the same oaths, perform the same duties, and be subject to the same penalties as is therein prescribed.

Sect. 11. The election of said inspectors and judges shall be conducted by the officers now required by law to hold the elections for inspectors and assessors in the several townships of this Commonwealth, and the same shall be conducted in the manner now prescribed by law, except so far as is otherwise herein specifically directed, and the officers for holding the general elections in the city of Philadelphia, and the several incorporated districts of the county of Philadelphia shall act as officers in conducting said elections for judges and inspectors, in their several wards, districts and townships.

Sect. 12. The qualified voters shall also then and there elect one person as assessor for the ensuing year, and assessor and assistant assessor shall thereafter be elected at the time and places fixed by law for holding the elections for constable.

Sect. 13. It shall be the duty of the sheriff of every county to give notice of the general elections, by advertisements posted up in the most public places in every election district, or by publication in one or more newspapers of the county, at least 20 days before the election, and in every such advertisement he shall—

I. Enumerate the officers to be elected. II. Designate the place at which the election is to be held. III. He shall give notice that every person, excepting justices of the peace, who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust under the government of the United States, or of this State, or of any city or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise, a subordinate officer or agent, who is, or shall be, employed under the legislative, executive or judiciary department of this state, or of the United States, or of any city or incorporated district, and also that every member of congress, and of the state legislature, and of the select or common council of any city, or commissioner of any incorporated district, is, by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time, the office or appointment of judge, inspector or clerk of any election of this Commonwealth, and that no inspector, judge, or other officer of such election, shall be eligible to any office then voted for.

Sect. 14. As soon as all the votes given for any office shall be read off and counted, the judge shall publicly declare the number of votes given for each person for such office, and the inspector and judge of each election district shall make out a certificate under their own hands and seals, setting forth in words at length, the number of votes given for the several persons voted for, and distinguishing the office or station in respect to which the votes were given.

Sect. 15. The said Judge shall then take charge of the certificates aforesaid, and on the third day after the day of the election, shall produce the same at a meeting of one judge from each district within the same county, at the court-house of the said county, and for the city and county of Philadelphia, at the state house in the said city, except where such judge by sickness or unavoidable accident is unable to attend, in which case one of the inspectors or clerks shall take charge of said certificate and perform the duties required of said judge. Provided, That if the 3d day after the election shall be Sunday, the meeting shall be held on the Monday next following.

Sect. 16. When the qualified voters of more than one ward, township or district meet at the same place to hold their election, it shall be the duty of the respective judges of said election districts, in addition to the certificates required in the seventh section of this act, to make out a fair statement and certificate of all the votes, which shall have been then and there given for each candidate, distinguishing the office or station which he shall have been voted for; and one of said judges shall take charge of said certificate, and, also, of the several certificates made out for each election district, as before directed, and produce the same at a meeting of all the judges in the county, in the manner prescribed in the seventh section of this act.

Sect. 17. The Judges of the several election districts in each county, being so met, shall select one of their number to act as president of the board; and also select two suitable qualified electors of the county either members of the board or otherwise to act as clerks, who, before entering on their duties, shall be severally sworn or affirmed to perform the duties of their office with honesty and fidelity, and on the board being so formed, it shall be the duty of the several return judges to deliver the certificates of election, in their respective districts, to the president of said board, who shall cause the clerks, in presence of said board to add together the number of votes which shall appear, by said certificates, to have been given for any person or persons, in respect to each office or station; and said clerks, when not return judges shall be allowed two dollars per day, in full for their service, and when return judges, fifty cents in addition to the pay allowed by law as judges, which, in either case, shall be paid out of the county treasury, on a certificate to the commissioners of the proper county, signed by the president of the board.

Given under my hand, at Gettysburg, this 9th day of September, in the year of our Lord, 1839.

WM. TAUGHINBAUGH, Sheriff. Sept. 17.

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PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber will sell at Public Sale, on Wednesday the 2d day of October next, on the premises at 1 o'clock, a valuable farm, late the estate of CONRAD SNYDER, sen., deceased, of PATENTED LAND, situated in Mountpleasant township, Adams county, Pa., four miles from Gettysburg, and one mile from Hananstown, adjoining lands of Joseph Smith, Wm. Howard, and others, containing

271 ACRES, more or less, of which 90 ACRES, are first rate timber land, and a due proportion of Meadow with a running stream. The improvements are a

TWO STORY Weather-boarded House, with a STONE BACK BUILDING, attached, a stone Spring house with a never failing spring of water; also, a well of water at the door; also a STONE SWITZER BARN and Graneries, a good Log stable, surrounded with sheds; a Wagon shed and Corn crib, also, THREE

Excellent Orchards, bearing all kinds of fruit, such as apples, pears and peaches. The farm is under good fence, and in an excellent state of cultivation. Any further information respecting the same may be had by calling on the tenant residing on the property, Elias Rushman, or on the subscriber residing in Heidlersburg, Adams county, Pa.

Attendance will be given and terms made known on the day of sale by

BALTZER SNYDER, Erector. N. B. The above property will be sold on said day without fail. September, 3.

A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

THE subscriber, will sell at Private Sale, his farm of valuable land, consisting of 173 Acres, fifty of which are WOOD LAND, with a good proportion of meadow. The improvements are

A DOUBLE LOG HOUSE, and double Log Barn, with two good wells of water, one at the Barn and the other near the House, also TWO

GOOD ORCHARDS. The above farm is situate in Latimore township, Adams county, Pa., adjoining lands of George Deardorff, Josiah Bender, and others; the farm is under good repair.

Any further information respecting the same can be obtained by calling on the subscriber residing thereon.

SAMUEL HOLLINGER. September 3.

GREAT BARGAINS. R. G. M'CREARY HAS Just received and offers for sale a fresh supply of Seasonable goods—embracing a great variety of Calicoes, Checks, Brown and Bleached muslins, Bed Tickings, Linen and Cotton Diapers, Irish Linens, Cloths, Casimeres, Sattinets, Kentucky Jeans, Corduroy, Buffalo Cloth, Cambric, Jacquett, Swiss and Book muslins, Bobbinets, Thuille, Linen cambric, Shawls, Handkerchiefs, Laces, Ribbons, Hosiery, Gloves, Shirt Collars, Stocks, &c. &c.

Which have been bought cheap, and will be sold at a small advance for Cash or Produce. Sept. 10 4t.

New Store.

THE subscriber would inform the public that he has taken that stand formerly occupied by Wm. Gillespie, in Baltimore street, directly opposite Yeat's Hotel, where he is now prepared to offer an entire, New—Large and Splendid assortment of

DRY GOODS, Groceries, Hardware & Queensware,

Selected with great care and bought upon the very best terms for Cash. Among his very general assortment are the following articles:

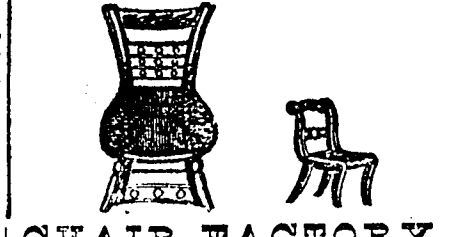
Blue, Black, and Brown Cloths, Polish and Invisible Green Cloths, Black, Ribbed and Plain Casimeres, Fancy Melbourn Ribbed, do Plain Fancy Colored, do Superior Black Satin Vestings Fig. & Plain, Black Silk Velvet, Superior Tabby Velvet, White Linen Drillings, Ribbed and Plain, Brown do do do do, Black Summer Cloths, Melbourn Ribbed, do, Elephant and Bang up Cords, Irish Linens, 10-4 Table Dapers, 10-4 Irish Sheetings, Russia and Scottish do, Black Mattionia Lustring, Blue Black, do, Figured and Plain Gro de Naps, Plain Gro de Berlin, Fancy, Gause, Satin & Lace bordered Shawls, White and Black Silk Gloves, Lace and Pic Nic, do, Kid and Beaver, do, Gentleman's Silk, Kid and Beaver, White and Black Silk Hosiery, White and Black Silk 1-2 do, White and Black Colored do.

ALSO—A HANDSOME ASSORTMENT OF Bonnet Ribbons, Lawns, Calicoes, (as low as 6¢) Mouseline de Laines, &c. With a great variety of almost every other description of GOODS; to all of which he would respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Gettysburg and neighborhood, as from the "unusual" terms upon which they were bought, he will be enabled—as he is determined to sell them at very reduced and unusual prices.

D. H. SWOPE. Gettysburg, April 23, 1839. 4t-4 N. B. Country produce taken in exchange for goods.

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New Establishment.



CHAIR FACTORY.

THE Subscribers begs leave, respectfully to inform the citizens of Gettysburg, and surrounding country, that he has commenced, the above business, together with HOUSE PAINTING, AND TURNING, &c. &c., in Chambersburg street, nearly opposite the Apothecary and Book store of Mr. S. H. Buchler, where he will at all times be prepared to execute all orders in the above business with neatness and dispatch; he will also keep a supply of Chairs of every description constantly on hand, which for neatness and durability cannot be surpassed by any manufactured in this section of country. He hopes by strict attention to business and a desire to please, to merit and receive a share of public patronage.

ADAM KITZMILLER. Gettysburg, Aug. 13, 1839. 6m-20.

FRESH SUPPLY OF SPRING & SUMMER GOODS.

S. WITHEROW HAS just returned from the City, and is now opening at his Store, on the corner of the Centre Square and Baltimore street, a most splendid assortment of

GOODS, suitable to the season—amongst which are a fine supply of

Napier's Cloths, of all colors, the best ever brought to the borough of Gettysburg;

Cassimeres, Cassinets, Sattinets, Mouseline de Laines, and Shawls, Irish Linen, Fancy Handkerchiefs, Figured Bombasins, Summer Cloth; AND A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF

SIKS, black, blue-black, colored, & figured, Cambric and Jacquett Muslins, Barr'd do, Calicoes and Chintz from 6¢ to 50¢;

BONNETS, AND A FINE ASSORTMENT OF CARPETING;

in fact, every thing in his line from "a needle to an anchor."—Also,

Hardware, Queensware, Groceries, &c. &c.

all of which have been purchased on the very lowest terms, and with great care; and can be sold, he ventures to say, as cheap as they can be procured at any establishment in the country. He invites the public to call and view his assortment—confident that no one desirous of purchasing will be able to resist the tempting BARGAINS he is enabled to offer them.

All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods. Gettysburg, April 23, 1839. 4t-4

Morus Multicaulis.

SEVERAL Thousand genuine Morus Multicaulis Trees for sale, among the largest and finest grown in the State, for particulars apply to

SAM'L FAHNESTOCK. Gettysburg, Sept. 17, 1839. 3t.

SIX CENTS REWARD.

RANAWAY from the subscriber on the 1st inst., an indentured Apprentice to Chair making and House painting business, named

WILLIAM COLE. The above reward will be paid for his apprehension, but neither thanks or charges paid if brought home. The public are cautioned not to trust or harbor him on my account.

ROBERT M'CLAUGHLIN. Fairfield, Sept. 17, 1839. 3t.

NOTICE.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION, on the estate of

MARTIN HELLAR, late of Germany township, deceased, having been granted to the subscriber residing in Mountjoy township—he hereby requests all persons indebted to the estate to make payment of their respective dues—and all persons having claims to present them, properly authenticated for settlement.

JACOB KELLER, Adm. Sept. 17. 6t.

CHEAP CLOTHS.

A GOOD assortment embracing—Very fine wool dyed Black—Superior Blue, Invisible & Bottle Green, Olive, Brown and mixed Cloths. Superior Plain and Buckskin Casimeres, Cassinets, Kentucky Jeans, Beaver Cloths, &c. &c.

Just received and for sale by R. G. M'CREARY. Sept. 17. 4t.

JOB PRINTING, Such as Handbills, Advertisements, Cards, Pamphlets, and Books of all kinds, neatly and expeditiously executed at the office of the STAR.

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NEW GOODS.

D. H. SWOPE, returns his sincere thanks to the citizens of Gettysburg, and the public generally, for the very liberal share of patronage received by him. Determined to merit a continuance of public favor by unremitting exertions to please—and a determination to keep constantly on hand

A SUPERIOR ASSORTMENT OF British, French, and Domestic Fancy and Staple Goods,

at the lowest prices—he has the pleasure of announcing to the public, that he has just returned from the city, with an additional supply of

New & most desirable Goods, which with his present stock will now enable him to offer to those who may favor him with a call.

A VERY SUPERIOR ASSORTMENT OF SPRING & SUMMER GOODS, to all of which he most respectfully invites their attention.

Gettysburg, June 18, 1839. 4t-12

Kettwell, Wilson & Hillard GROCERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Corner of Commerce and Pratt Streets, BALTIMORE.

OFFER to the Country trade for Cash or prompt payment, the following GOODS:

TO WIT: 50 lbs. S. H. Molasses, 20 hds. West India & N. Orleans ditto, 200 bags Rio Coffee, (part strong scented), 100 " " Lagaira do, 100 " Havana do,

50 hds. N. Orleans & Porto Rico Sugar, 10 pipes and half pipes Champagne and Rochelle Brandy

5 " Gin, 50 Gallons Honey, 200 boxes Raisins, 100 quarts do, 150 eighth do, } Fresh importation. 50 kgs do.

TOGETHER WITH Cinnamon, Cloves, Pepper, Teas in chests, half chests and boxes, &c. &c. Baltimore, Nov. 17, 1837. 4t-33



FARMERS ATTEND TO YOUR INTERESTS. PLOUGHS! PLOUGHS!!

An opportunity is now offered of supplying yourselves with Woodcock's Self Sharpening Ploughs. Being the best article ever offered the Farmers in this section of the State.

These Ploughs will not choke nor carry dirt, and the draft is about one third less than the Ploughs heretofore in use, two horses doing the work of three besides a great saving in time and money in keeping them in repair. The Point and Shear can be put on in five minutes and only cost 37¢ each and when dull can be turned and repeated. These Ploughs have been introduced in this county. The following named persons have used them to whom we recommend Farmers to apply or information respecting them.

Mountjoy township, Samuel Durbarrow, Esq. Jacob Keller, Esq. Moses M'Ilvain, John Wilson, Joseph Miller, J. nas Spangler, James Barr, John Benzer, Cornelius Lott, Wm. Elme, Frederick Coehouse, Jacob Clutz, Samuel Rock, Josiah Benner, Jacob Norbeck, John B. Houghtelin.

Mountpleasant township, Joseph Coshun, Alexander M'Ilvain, Eli Spenser, Samuel Spenser, Jacob Clappadde, Joseph Smith, Cornelius Houghtelin, Wm. Lott, John Torrence, Jacob Benner, Wm. Roberts, Samuel Swope, Alexander Ewing, David Sander, Joseph Hemler.

Cumberland township, Peter Frey, Henry Lott, Jacob Bollinger, John Plank, Jacob Miller, Robert Allison, Peter Epley.

Straban township, Joseph Lott, Jacob Hulick, Eaton Norris, John Horneberger.

Franklin township, Frederick Diehl.

Germany township, Mr. Leudebaugh.

A supply of the above Ploughs, with Points and Shears will be kept at JAMES A. THOMPSON'S, Gettysburg. SAMUEL DURBORROW'S, Two Taverns, THOS. WKNIGHTS, Franklin township, George Bang, New Oxford.

D. Barnitz, Hanover. J. H. Aulebaugh, M'Sherrystown.

Farmers in want of good Ploughs are requested to gain all the information from those that are now using them, and then take the Ploughs keep them until they are scoured and if not what they have been represented to, return them.

JOHN M. SCIBERT. N. B.—The double trees must be at least 8 1/2 feet long.

Chambersburg, April 16, 1839. 6m-3

INTEREST TABLES CALCULATED BY CHARLES KETTLEWELL, Esq., (of Petersburg) York Springs, to be had at the Store of SAMUEL FAHNESTOCK.

Gettysburg, August 6, 1839. 4t-10

Notice. Those persons having books in their possession belonging to the "Gettysburg Library Association," will please return them immediately to Mr. Conrad Baker's office. By order of the Proprietors.