

THE POTTER COUNTY JOURNAL

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TERMS.—One copy, one year, \$1; Six copies \$5; Twelve copies, \$10; Twenty copies, \$18.

Condensport, Wednesday Evening, July 16, 1862.

Local and General.

The next Session of the Condensport Academy does not open until next Monday morning.

The newly patented post-paid newspaper wrappers are for sale at the Post Office.

We have heard read a letter written by Capt. Jones just after the battle of Richmond.

All those engaged in teaching, and who wish to keep pace with the progress of the age, in the art of acquiring, and the still more important art of imparting knowledge to those committed to their charge.

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1st. The government is ten-fold stronger to-day than ever before.

2d. We are perfectly independent of any and every power on earth.

3d. We have an army and navy altho' hardly twelve months old equal to that of any other nation.

4th. The people having already furnished \$500,000,000 to sustain the government, find themselves stronger and richer than when the war began.

5th. Our government stocks have advanced ten per cent. since the war commenced, and other securities in similar proportion.

6th. Money, which was raised a year ago at two or three per cent, a month, is now only worth three or four per cent. per annum.

7th. We have an abundance of food, with splendid prospects for the coming crop, in every quarter.

8th. The wheels of business are beginning to start in all directions, and cheerfulness again prevails.

The following rich advertisement we take from the Wellsville Free Press, and would advise our friends in this county, who have occasion for visiting that or any other town, to read it carefully and see if it hits them:

WANTED.—A live Yankee, who has the descriptive powers well developed, to travel with village miniature cross-walks, and explain their use to the verdant inhabitants of this, Potter, and other counties.

Ben Wood, of New York, not long since read a speech in Congress, which was so satisfactory to the Rebels that the Richmond papers copied it to their columns, highly applauding it.

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9th. Our farmers, manufacturers, mechanics, merchants, and citizens are no longer idle. No distress is seen in any quarter.

10th. The people—the whole North—are more united, more courageous, and more determined than ever before.

11th. The whole financial and business aspects of the country, notwithstanding our enormous expenditures, are hopeful and promising.

NEGRO-PROBIA.—A new word, recently discovered—the name of a disease that seriously affects the brain, and, as a consequence, destroys the mind.

Thirty companies, up to Sunday of last week, had been offered to the Governor, under the new call for Volunteers.

Report has it that Gen. Bragg has 40,000 to 50,000 rebels at Tupelo, Miss.; that they were short of provisions, &c.

Announcements must be paid in ADVANCE. One Dollar each.

Please announce the name of Wm. T. Lane, of Sharon township, as a candidate for nomination to the office of County Treasurer, at the Fall Convention.

Please announce the name of E. LEAZER LYMAN, of Osway township, as a candidate for nomination to the office of County Treasurer, at the Fall Convention.

Announce the name of JULIA BAKER, of Hebron township, as a candidate for SHERIFF, subject to the decision of the Fall Convention.

PRICE CURRENT. Corrected every Wednesday by P. A. STEBBINS & CO., Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Groceries and Provisions.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Apples, dried; Beans; Butter, fresh; Cheese; Corn, yellow; Eggs, fresh; Flour, extra; Hams, per lb.; Honey, per lb.; Lard, per lb.; Maple Sugar, per lb.; Oats, per bush.; Onions, per bush.; Pork, per bush.; Potatoes, per bush.; Peaches, dried; Poultry, fresh; Rye, per bush.; Salt, per bush.; Tallow, per lb.; Wheat, per bush.; White Fish, per bush.

DIED: The following tribute to the memory of NELSON O. CAMPBELL, aged about 17 yrs., who fell in the battle near Williamsburg, was written to young Campbell's mother by one of his comrades, a Mr. Wood of New York.

My Father and my Mother dear, You mourn and drop afflictions tear; But cheer! What is my life, to save Our nation from the rebel's grave.

Brothers and Sisters sweetly weep, And know that I do only sleep, And on my tomb these words engrave: "He died the rights of man to save."

All you my friends who for me mourn, Ne'er see the Flag of Freedom torn, Defend it with your life, and save The emblems of the free and brave."

Lives on the death of COLLINS S. BRIGHAM who died in the Hospital at Strasburg, May 20, 1862. Inscribed by his Mother.

His loyal blood, by which he sealed His fealty to the rights of man, Is scarce dry on the battle-field Whence late they bore him from the van.

His narrow tent, his low hard cot, His fiery pulse and parching thirst, Though grievous, yet he murmurs not, But patiently awaits the worst.

A friendly face bends o'er his bed, A cool hand grasps his burning palm; More quiet grows his throbbing head, His bounding pulse becomes more calm.

He sleeps; and at his far-off home His brothers wait his coming tread, They welcome him no more to roam, His father's hand rests on his head.

His gloomy tent is far away, And in his early morning, A child again and tired of play, His head rests on his mother's knee.

Her hand plays with his flaxen hair— That choking cough, that darting pain! He starts, he wakes, and Oh, despair, He's at the hospital again!

But speech is gone, his end has come, He can but look those words of love He fain would send to friends at home.

Must it be thus my darling dies! "Mid stranger's" meet his cruel doom! Must strange hands close his glazing eyes And strangers bear him to the tomb!

No nurse to tempt with ready skill His failing taste by dainty dish! No mother's step, so soft and still, To feel and grant th' unspoken wish!

But not alone this cup I drain; A thousand others feel the rod, Yea many thousands weep in vain, And almost lose their faith in God.

Nay, call it not the fate of war, This grief which every mother feels, Each son by Slavery's moving wheels, Is crushed beneath its cruel wheels.

God of the Pilgrims! Oh, how long Shall this vile curse, with horror rife, On life's blood feast and grow more strong, In breeding fiends for deadly strife!

O Thou, who makest human wrath Its own destruction and Thy praise, Teach erring rulers safety's path, Lies side by side with wisdom's ways.

Oh, let our name no longer be A jest, a by-word and a scoff, Let legislators bow to Thee, Thy dignity, mingling "gloves" take off, And seize this source of want and woe And hurl it headlong in the dust— Thy ready justice thus to show That Freedom's rulers dare be just.

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AGENTS WANTED. We will pay from \$25 to \$75 per month, and all expenses, to active Agents, or give a commission. Particulars sent free. Address EMERSON STEBBINS COMPANY, R. JAMES, General Agent, Milan, Ohio, au21ly

The Confessions and EXPERIENCE of an Invalid. Published for the benefit and as a warning and a caution to young men who suffer from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, &c., arising at the same time the means of self-cure.

WANTED! 50,000 POUNDS OF WOOL! FOR which the Highest Market Price will be paid by P. A. STEBBINS & Co. Condensport, June, 1862.

THE GREAT NATIONAL HORSE FAIR WILL THIS YEAR be held at KEYSTONE PARK, WILKESBORO, PA., Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 2 to 5, inclusive.

Arrangements have been made to secure the finest assemblage of imported blooded and native bred Horses, that has ever been collected in this country.

Liberal arrangements have been and will be made with the different Railroads.

Board of Managers.—D. K. JACKMAN, P. Herdic, Edward Lyon, J. N. Bagg, Henry Drinker, Gordon F. Mason, Col. S. G. Hatway, J. H. Cowden, Wm. Collier, A. E. Kapp, President; W. F. Logan, Chief Marshal; H. E. Taylor, Treasurer; George M. De Pui, Secretary.

WESTERN HOTEL, Nos. 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, COURTLAND STREET, Near Broadway, New York City.

This well-established and favorite resort of the Business community has been recently refitted, and is complete in everything that can minister to the comfort of its patrons.

It is centrally located in the business part of the city, and is contiguous to the principal lines of steamboats, cars, omnibuses, ferries.

Do not believe runners, hackmen and others who may say "the Western Hotel is full." D. D. WINCHESTER, Proprietor. Thos. D. Winchester.

BOOTS AND SHOES. A. SANDBERG & BRO'S Tanners and Curriers. HAVE also established a Boot and Shoe

Manufactory, opposite D. F. Glassmire's Hotel, in the room formerly occupied by J. B. Smith.

THE Partnership of Garrett, Baily & Co. is this day dissolved by the withdrawal of the undersigned. HENRY GARRETT. Philadelphia, July 10, 1862.

Notice. My Wife, JULIA ANN, has left my bed and board, without provocation, and I hereby caution all persons not to trust her on my account as I will pay no debts of her contracting unless compelled by law. J. S. GOLDSMITH. Hebron, July 8, 1862.

SAPONIFIER, SAPONIFIER! THE FAMILY SOAP MAKER. All Kitchen Grease can be made into good SOAP, by using Saponifier!

DIRECTIONS ACCOMPANYING EACH BOX Soap is as easily made with it, as making a cup of coffee.

Manufactured only by the Patentees. PENNA SALT MANUFACTURING COMPANY, No. 127 Walnut street, Philadelphia. Feby. 1, 1862.

NOTICE TO EVERYBODY. HOUSE SIGN AND WAGON PAINTER, PAPER HANGER AND GLAZIER.

THE undersigned wishes to inform the public of Condensport and vicinity that he will attend to all work entrusted to him.

\$150 BEST PIANOS. \$150 GROVESTEEN & HALE, having removed to their new warerooms, NO. 478 BROADWAY,

are now prepared to offer the public a magnificent new scale full OCTAVE ROSEWOOD PIANO,

containing all improvements known in this country or Europe, over-strung bass, French grand action, harp pedal, full iron frame, for \$150 CASH,

WARRANTED FOR FIVE YEARS. Rich moulding cases, \$175 to \$200,

all warranted made of the best seasoned material, and to stand better than any sold for \$400 or \$500 by the old methods of manufacture.

Notice. WHEREAS letters testamentary to the estate of John Gospy, late of Sylvania township, dec'd, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to the said estate, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the state of the said decedent, will make known the same without delay to ROBERT YOUNG, Executor.

THE BEST OF FLOUR kept constantly on hand at the Post Office Store.

NEW GOODS

Purchased during the recent panic and great decline in Goods in New York.

DRY GOODS, Ladies Dress Goods, Ready-made Clothing, HATS and CAPS, BOOTS and SHOES, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, CROCKERY, Fancy Goods, NOTIONS,

Wool, Twine, Wall Paper, NAILS, GLASS, and WOODEN WARE.

We respectfully invite a call, feeling confident that we can supply the wants of all on terms to their satisfaction, giving better Goods for less MONEY than can be had at any other House in Potter or adjoining counties.

We have also added to our well-known stock of goods, a new and complete stock of PURE DRUGS, Medicines, Chemicals, Paints Oils, Varnishes, Glues, Dye Stuffs, CASTILE SOAP, Sponges, Corks, Bottles, Vials and Lamp Globes.

ALL OF WHICH will be sold at the VERY LOWEST RATES FOR CASH.

Don't Fail to Call and See!

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