

PA. STATE NORMAL SCHOOL  
MANSFIELD, TIOGA CO., PA.  
THIS INSTITUTION WAS  
Recognized by the State Authorities, in  
December, 1862.  
AS A  
State Normal School,  
and formally opened, as such, in September, 1863.  
The School is at length placed upon a secure basis—the State appropriation of the current year enabling the Trustees to extinguish the greater portion of the outstanding liabilities, and to make extensive improvements upon the buildings and grounds.  
The Spring Term will commence about  
March 10, 1865.

Prof. F. A. ALLEN, for the past six years in charge of the Chester County (Pa.) Normal School, has been elected Principal, and Prof. J. Strait, of the Edinboro State Normal School, has been appointed to the Professorship of Languages and Mathematics.  
Prof. Allen is well known throughout the State as a gentleman of accurate scholarship, possessing a practical experience of fifteen years as an educator of teachers, and a thorough acquaintance with their educational wants, acquired from his connection with County Institutes in every section of Pennsylvania, as well as in other States.  
Competent and thorough instructors will be provided for the other departments of the School.  
The building has been refitted throughout and provided with furniture of the most approved style, together with an extensive collection of maps, charts, and works of reference. Excellent Chemical and Philosophical apparatus will be in readiness at the opening of the School.  
To keep pace with the improvements in education, a gymnasium will be erected, for which a valuable apparatus has already been secured. Lighter exercises has already been commenced. The school year is divided into three terms of thirteen weeks each, with no vacation, except the week of Christmas Holidays.  
It is desirable that students should enter at the commencement of a term, and for a period of not less than thirteen weeks. Tuition, in advance per term, \$6.00. No extra charges for the lighter or higher mathematics. Text books rented at reasonable rates. Vocal and instrumental music at teachers' prices. Boarding in the hall, \$29.00 per term; wood for winter, \$3.00 per room; washing, \$3.25; room rent, \$1.50.  
The arrangements now made are of such a nature as to warrant the Trustees in saying that no other institution in the State affords better facilities for the Education of Teachers, or for the preparation of students for college, or for general business.

For further particulars address the Principal, at Mansfield, Tioga county, Pa.  
W. C. RIPLEY, Pres. Board of Trustees.  
ALBERT CLARK, Secretary.  
Mansfield, Dec. 20, 1864.

**BROWNING'S  
CELEBRATED COFFEE.**

Whilst trying Coffee of all the various brands, Remember "BROWNING'S EXCELSIOR" at the head it stands. True, it's not like others that are "SOLD EVERYWHERE." A little stretch, we all do know, good goods will easily bear. (But a stretch like this—"sold everywhere" is very apt to tear.) Now, I can safely say, without any hesitation, There's none like "BROWNING'S EXCELSIOR" in this enlightened nation. Skilled chemists have not found a Coffee from any store Possessing the same ingredients as "Browning's Excelsior." Nor is there any one in or out of the Coffee trade, Who knows the articles from which "Browning's Excelsior" is made. I'm told it's made from barley, rye, wheat, beans, and peas. Name a thousand other things—but the RIGHT ONE if you please. But with the Coffee-men I will not hold contention. For the many, many things they say—too numerous to mention. Whilst they're engaged in running round from store to store To learn the current wholesale price of "Browning's Excelsior," Some who know my Coffee gives perfect satisfaction. Have formed a plan by which they hope to cause a quick reaction. The case—"is with a few; no doubt," 'twill be with more— To name their Coffee after mine, (BROWNING'S EXCELSIOR.) Some say their's the only brand that will stand a ready test. Now try a little of them all—see which you like the best. Three years have passed away since I first sold a store. Never have I in your paper advertised before; Nor would I now, or ever consent to publish more. If like some used by "everybody," "sold everywhere," in "every store," A trade like this I do not wish; the orders I could not fill; The Factory all Jersey's land would take—leave not a foot to till. My trade is not so very large; still I think I have my share. But, reader, you may rest assured, 'tis NOT "SOLD EVERYWHERE." Manufactured and for Sale by the writer, GEORGE L. BROWNING, No. 20 Market street Camden, N. J. This Coffee is not composed of poisonous drugs, it contains nothing deleterious; many persons use this Coffee that cannot use the pure coffee; it takes but one and a half ounces to make a quart of good strong coffee, the being just one-half the quantity it takes of Java Coffee, and always less than half the price. RETAIL DEALERS may purchase it in less quantities than ten gross at my prices from the Wholesale Grocers. Orders by mail from Wholesale Dealers promptly attended to.

**HELMHOLD'S  
FLUID EXTRACT BUCHU**  
Improved Rose Wash  
USE HELMHOLD'S  
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**SIMMONS' COLUMN.**  
FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS: I return you my sincere thanks for your liberal patronage, for the past few years, and would say to you that I have located myself at Wellsville, N. Y., and may hereafter be found at the

**EMPIRE STORE**  
AND  
**NEW YORK STORE**  
(Having bought out the Store formerly occupied by Geo. Asher, I shall continue to

**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL**  
in both of the above Stores, and hope to see all of my old friends and customers, as they are in want of Goods, and will try to sell them low enough to pay them for coming.

We are now selling the best PRINTS from 12 to 15 cents.  
Extra GINGHAMS from 15 to 25 cents.  
Good SHEETINGS from 12 to 25 cents.

TICKS, DENIMS, STRIPES, and all of the Goods in proportion.  
**CLOTHING.**  
Good suits for \$10 to \$15 and Extra fine suits in proportion. And as I have an overstock of Clothing I will sell at Wholesale 15 per cent. less than the same can be bought in New York.

**BOOTS & SHOES,**  
**HATS & CAPS,**  
**SHAWLS, CLOAKS, & C.,**  
at reduced prices.

**GROCERIES**  
AND  
**CROCKERY**  
very low.

**RICH DRESS SILKS,**  
**EMPRESS CLOTHS,**  
**POPLINS,**  
and all other styles of Ladies' Dress Goods, very low.

Hoping to receive an early call, I remain your friend,  
**C. H. SIMMONS.**  
Wellsville, N. Y., March 25, 1865.

**Rare Chances!**  
I offer for sale on reasonable terms and liberal time:

**ONE FARM!—146 Acres—46 Cleared**  
**ONE FARM!—235 Acres—80 Cleared**  
**ONE FARM!—50 Acres—15 Cleared**  
**ONE FARM!—300 Acres—5 Cleared**  
And lots of other Farms and Land.

Some money may be required down.  
**Lucien Bird.**  
Brookland, Pa., July 2, '64

Having secured the services of  
**HENRY S. COWBURN,**  
**BLACKSMITH**  
of twenty years experience in England and America. I am prepared to furnish farmers and travelers with the best of  
**Horse and Ox Shoeing,**  
Shingle Knives, Butcher Knives &c., promptly.  
L. BIRD, Proprietor,  
Brookland, Potter Co., Pa.  
formerly called Cushingville.  
May 25, 1864.

**P. A. STEBIN & Co.,**  
ARE  
Paying the highest price in  
**CASH for**  
**WOOL!**  
50,000 POUNDS WANTED!  
Coudersport, June 28, 1864.

**THE NINTH NATIONAL BANK**  
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.  
Capital, \$1,000,000 Paid in,  
FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES,  
And Special Agent for Jay Cooke,  
Subscription Agent.

Will Deliver 7-30 NOTES, FREE OF CHARGE, by express, in all parts of the country, and receive in payment Checks on New York, Philadelphia, and Boston, current bills, and all five per cent. interest notes, with interest to date of subscription. Orders sent by mail will be promptly filled.  
This Bank receives the accounts of Banks and Bankers on favorable terms; also of individuals keeping New York accounts.  
J. U. ORVIS, President.  
J. T. HILL, Cashier.

**The Rochester Straw-Cutter.**  
OLMSTED & KELLY, Coudersport, have the exclusive agency for this celebrated machine, in this county. It is convenient, durable, and CHEAP.  
Dec. 1, 1860-19

**U. S. 7-30 LOAN**  
THIRD SERIES,  
\$230,000,000.  
By authority of the Secretary of the Treasury, the undersigned, the General Subscription Agent for the sale of United States Securities, offers to the public the third series of Treasury Notes, bearing seven and three-tenths per cent. interest per annum, known as the

**7-30 LOAN.**  
These notes are issued under date of July 15, 1865, and are payable three years from that date in currency, or are convertible at the option of the holder into  
**U. S. 5-20 Six per cent. GOLD-BEARING BONDS**  
These Bonds are now worth a handsome premium, and are exempt, as are all the Government Bonds, from State, County, and Municipal taxation, which adds from one to three per cent. per annum to their value, according to the rate levied upon other property. The interest is payable semi-annually by Coupons attached to each note, which may be cut off and sold to any bank or banker.  
The interest at 7-30 per cent. amounts to  
**One cent per day on a \$50 note**  
Two cents " " " \$100  
Ten " " " \$500  
20 " " " \$1000  
\$1 " " " \$5000

Notes of all the denominations named will be promptly furnished upon receipt of subscriptions.  
The Notes of this Third Series are precisely similar in form and privileges to the Seventies already sold, except that the Government reserves to itself the option of paying interest in gold coin at 6 per cent. interest, which will be in currency up to July 15th, at the time when they subscribe. The delivery of the notes of this third series of the Seven-thirties will commence on the 1st of June, and will be made promptly and continuously after that date.

The slight change made in the conditions of this THIRD SERIES affects only the matter of interest. The payment in gold, if made, will be equivalent to the currency interest of the higher rate.  
The return to exceed payments, in the event of which only will the option to pay interest in gold be availed of, would be reduced and equalized prices that purchases made with six per cent. in gold would be fully equal to those made with seven and three-tenths per cent. in currency. This is

**The Only Loan in Market**  
Now offered by the Government, and its superior advantages make it the  
**Great Popular Loan of the People.**  
Less than \$230,000,000 of the Loan authorized by Congress are now on the market. This amount, which is being absorbed, will all be subscribed for within sixty days, when the notes will undoubtedly command a premium, as has uniformly been the case on closing the subscriptions to other Loans.

In order that citizens of every town and section of the country may be afforded facilities for taking the loan, the National Banks, State Banks, and private Bankers throughout the country have generally agreed to receive subscriptions at par. Subscribers will select their own agents, in whom they have confidence, and who only are to be responsible for the delivery of the notes for which they receive orders.  
JAY COOKE,  
Subscription Agent, Philadelphia.  
May 15, 1865.

**PHILADELPHIA & ERIE RAILROAD.**  
This great line traverses the Northern and Northwest counties of Pennsylvania to the city of Erie, on Lake Erie.  
It has been leased by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and under their auspices is being rapidly opened throughout its entire length.  
It is now in use for Passenger and Freight business from Harrisburg to St. Mary's (216 miles) on the Eastern Division, and from Sheffield to Erie, (78 miles) on the Western Division.

**TIME OF PASSENGER TRAINS AT EMPORIUM:**  
Through Mail Train Leave Eastward. 3 40 P. M.  
Leave Westward. 10 15 A. M.  
Cars run through WITHOUT CHANGE both ways between Philadelphia and Lock Haven and between Baltimore and Lock Haven.  
Elegant Sleeping Cars on Express Trains both ways between Williamsport and Baltimore, and Williamsport and Philadelphia.  
For information respecting Passenger business apply at the S. E. Cor. 12th and Market Streets.  
And for Freight business of the Company's Agents:  
S. B. Kingston, Jr., Cor. 13th and Market Sts., Philadelphia.  
J. W. Reynolds Erie.  
William Brown, Agent N.C.R.R. Baltimore.  
H. H. Houston,  
Gen'l Freight Agt. Phil'a.  
Lewis L. Houry,  
Gen'l Ticket Agt. Phil'a.  
Jos. D. Potts,  
Gen'l Manager, Williamsport.

**Notice.**  
GERMANIA POTTER CO., Pa., Aug. 1, 1863.  
NOTICE is hereby given that Charles Bushor, now or late of this county, holding the following described property, has not yet paid any consideration whatever for the same, and all persons are hereby warned not to purchase any of said property of the said Bushor before the decision of the Court is given in this case and C. Bushor has paid to me the consideration money therefor.  
The following is the property:  
1st. A certain tract of land near the Germania Mill, in warrant 5075, Abbott township, Potter county, Pa., containing 100 acres.  
Also 25 acres in warrant 5078 and adjoining the above.  
2d. A certain tract of land, with Mill and improvements thereon, near Kettle Creek, in warrant 5819, in Stewart township, Potter county, Pa., containing about 204 acres.  
C. Bushor holds also in trust warrant No. 2501, in Gaines township, Tioga county, Pa., on the road leading from Germania to Gaines, containing 850 acres.  
WM. RADDE.

**Latest from Sherman!**  
ROBIN & TAR, from North Carolina, for sale by STEBBINS

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**COSTAR'S VERMIN EXTERMINATORS**  
"Eighteen years established in N. Y. City."  
"Only infallible remedy known."  
"Free from Poisons."  
"Not dangerous to the Human Family."  
"Rats come out of their holes to die."  
"COSTAR'S" RAT, ROACH, & C. EXTERMINATORS.  
Is a paste—used for Rats, Mice, Roaches, Black and Red Ants, &c., &c., &c.  
"COSTAR'S" BED-BUG EXTERMINATOR.  
Is a liquid or wash, used to destroy, and also as a preventive for Bed-Bugs, &c.  
"COSTAR'S" ELECTRIC POWDER FOR INSECTS.  
Is for Moths, Mosquitoes, Fleas, Bed-Bugs, Insects on Plants, Fowls, Animals, &c.  
\* \* \* Sold by all Druggists and Retailers everywhere.  
\* \* \* !!! BEWARE !!! of all worthless imitations.  
\* \* \* See that "Costar's" name is on each Box, Bottle, and Flask, before you buy.  
**HENRY R. COSTAR.**  
Principal Depot, 482 Broadway, N. Y.  
\* \* \* Sold by all Druggists and Dealers in COUDERSPORT, Pa.

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