

VILLAGE RECORD. WAYNESBORO. Friday, February 17, 1865.



Forever float that standard sheet! Where breathes the foe but falls before us, With Freedom's soil beneath our feet, And Freedom's banner streaming o'er us!

PUBLIC SALES.

We invite special attention to the sales in our advertising columns, to come off as follows:

Table listing names and dates for public sales, including Christian Deaver, W. W. Walker, Jacob Winger, etc.

TO DELINQUENTS.

With this issue we erase from our pocket book the names of a number of subscribers who are largely in arrears for subscription.

COLDEST MORNING.—On Monday morning last according to the thermometers in this place and vicinity the mercury ranged from 10 to 14 degrees below zero.

SLEIGHING.—The weather within the last twenty-four hours has considerably moderated, but sleighing continues fine, and with old and young the motto seems to be—"go it while we can."

PROMOTED.—We are pleased to learn that our friend Capt. L. B. Kurtz of Co. G, 17th Penna. Cavalry, has recently been promoted to Major of that regiment.

DEAD.—United States Senator Thomas H. Hicks, died in Washington on Monday morning. He was struck with paralysis on Friday last.

BANK NOTICE.—It will be seen by reference to our advertising columns that the First National Bank of this place is about to increase its Capital Stock from \$50,000 to \$75,000.

GETTING NO BETTER.—The editor of the Valley Spirit, judging from the contents of the last two issues of his paper, is still suffering with that terrible malady—"nigger on the brain."

THE DRAFT.—A petition is being circulated in our borough asking the Council to make an appropriation of \$300 for each man who shall be drafted under the last call for troops.

MURDER.—On Tuesday evening of last week a difficulty occurred between Thomas South and John Butts in the saloon of A. H. Mumma, in Hagerstown, which resulted in the shooting and instant death of Butts at the hands of South, the ball entering his neck and penetrating his windpipe.

BANK ROBBERY.—It turns out that the recent robbery of the Crawford County Bank was perpetrated by Mr. Charles H. Dyer, book-keeper of the institution.

GREAT FIRE IN PHILADELPHIA.—A fire commenced at about three o'clock on the morning of the 8th inst., in the coal oil works, Ninth and Federal street, First ward, and consumed all the dwellings on Ninth street from Wharton to Washington.

A bill was lately introduced into the lower branches of the State Legislature, which ought to be promptly adopted and put into effective operation.

Our election laws now disfranchise a man who bets on the election; and why should not the same penalty be inflicted upon the sneak who abandons his country in the hour of trial?

General Sherman is sending the negroes who followed him into Savannah to Beaufort. With the first ship load he sent this message to General Saxton: "Please find inclosed seven thousand contrabands, the first instalment of fifteen thousand."

By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that the "Insurance Company of North America" one of the soundest and best established companies in the country, have appointed Joseph Douglas, Esq., agent for insurance against fire and from rebel invasion.

A GOOD HIT.—The Columbia Republican tells of a copperhead in that vicinity who thinks it would be a humiliating thing to sit and hear a colored lawyer plead a case in court, and yet who, when he thought he was about to die some time ago, and have his own case submitted to the higher court above, called in a pious colored man to plead in prayer!

The Harrisburg Patriot and Union has passed into the hands of a trustee. Cop per must be at a discount in that region.

Daniel Dougherty, Esq., a War Democrat, made a most excellent speech before the Merchants' Fund, Philadelphia, at their anniversary on Thursday evening week, an organization for the relief of the families of those who have come to want.

The interesting ceremony of officially opening the sealed State certificates and counting the electoral votes for President and Vice President took place in the House of Representatives on Wednesday of last week.

On the receipt at Hindsdale, Mass., of Gov. Andrew's request to ring the bells in honor of the passage of the amendment to the Constitution, Mr. Cady, the post master of the town being a Copperhead, refused to give up the key to let in the bell ringer.

The tickets to the inaugural ball to be given under the auspices of the Lincoln and Johnson Club in Washington, are fixed at ten dollars.

Of all the coast forts seized by the rebels, and which Mr. Lincoln, in his inaugural, declared it the duty of the Government to repossess, the only ones not now in our possession are Fort Sumpter, which we have destroyed, and Fort Caswell, which has been destroyed by the rebels.

It is stated that within the last eight months over four hundred newspapers have come to an untimely end in consequence of the exorbitant price of paper.

A recent silver wedding, in Pittsfield, Mass., cost \$20,000.

Frightful Deed of Blood.—The Toledo Commercial gives an account of the arrest of a young man named David F. Bevins, who confesses having murdered his wife and his own father and mother, and then setting their dwelling on fire, by which their remains were burned to ashes.

The age of the murdered father was 57, the mother 51, the young wife 20. They are highly respected in the community in which they lived, moved in the best circles of society, and were possessed of considerable property.

No wonder New York is unhealthy. A single house in the Fourth Ward is constructed to hold 126 families, and over 1500 people; 27,000 people live in cellars; any ten of the tenement houses contain often more inhabitants than the city of Hartford.

THE LATE PEACE CONFERENCE. Jeff Davis' Account of the Proceedings.

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the Confederate States of America: Having recently received a written notification which satisfied me that the President of the United States was disposed to confer informally with unofficial agents that might be sent by me with a view to the restoration of peace, I requested the Hon. Alexander H. Stephens, Hon. R. M. T. Hunter, and Hon. J. A. Campbell, to proceed through our lines, and to hold a conference with Mr. Lincoln, or such persons as he might depute, to represent him.

I hear with submit, for the information of Congress, the report of the eminent citizens above named, showing that the enemy refused to enter into negotiations with the Confederate States, or any one of them separately, or to give to our people any terms or guarantees than those which a conqueror may grant, or permit us to have peace on any other basis than our unconditional submission to their rule, coupled with the acceptance of their recent legislation, including an amendment to the Constitution for the emancipation of all negro slaves, and with the right on the part of the Federal Congress to legislate on the subject of the relations between the white and black population of each State.

Such is, as I understand, the effect of the amendment to the Constitution which has been adopted by the Congress of the United States. JEFFERSON DAVIS, Executive Office, Richmond, Feb. 6, '65.

The conference was granted and took place on the 30th ult., on board a steamer anchored in Hampton Roads, where we met President Lincoln and the Hon. Wm. H. Seward, Secretary of State of the United States.

We understand from him that no terms or proposals of any treaty or agreement, looking to an ultimate settlement, would be entertained or made by him with the authorities of the Confederate States, because that would be a recognition of their existence as a separate power, which, under no circumstances, would be done, and, for like reasons, that no such terms would be entertained by him from States separately, that no extended truce or armistice, as at present advocated, would be granted or allowed without satisfactory assurances in advance of the complete restoration of the Constitution and laws of the United States over all places within the States of the Confederacy.

That whatever consequences may follow the re-establishment of that authority must be accepted, but that individuals, subject to pains and penalties under the laws of the United States, might rely on a very liberal use of the power conferred to him to remit their pains and penalties, if peace be restored.

During the conference, the proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, adopted by Congress on the 31st ultimo, were brought to my notice.

These amendments provide that neither slavery nor involuntary servitude, except for crimes, should exist within the United States, or any place within their jurisdiction, and that Congress should have power to enforce this amendment by appropriate legislation.

Of all the correspondence, that preceded the conference herein mentioned and leading to the same, you have heretofore been informed. Very respectfully, your obedient servants, ALEX. H. STEPHENS, R. M. T. HUNTER, J. A. CAMPBELL.

FROZEN TO DEATH.—Nine soldiers belonging to the troops being transferred to Bellair, froze to death in the house cars on Friday night, while riding over the Central Ohio Railroad.—Wheeler Register.

Non. Andrew J. Donelson, the candidate for the Vice-Presidency on the Fillmore ticket in 1856 has returned from the South, to his old home at Nashville, Tennessee, and taken the oath of allegiance.

A bill has been reported in the House to prohibit the sale or giving away of spirituous liquors in Maryland on election day, under a penalty of not less than \$50 nor more than \$100.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT TO YOUNG MEN! Young men, if you are seeking employment, promotion or success in business, the best investment you can make is in the small outlay required to secure a course of instruction at the

Chambersburg Commercial College: which is now in a most flourishing condition at Chambersburg, Pa. \$35 SECURES A SCHOLARSHIP. Giving all the advantages of the Institution for an unlimited term, including a complete course of instruction in Bookkeeping, Penmanship, Commercial Calculations, Mercantile Law, Correspondence, Business Forms, &c. None but the best Teachers employed, and a sufficient number, to guarantee to each student individual instruction.

MARKETS.—The city papers failing to arrive here since Tuesday evening we are compelled to omit our usual report of the grain and flour market. PHILADELPHIA CATTLE MARKET. Feb. 13, 1865.—The arrivals and sales of

Beef Cattle at Phillips' Avenue Drive Yard reach about 1,750 head this week. The market continues very firm, and prices have advanced 3@4¢ per lb, with sales of extra Western and Pennsylvania Steers at from 20¢ to 25¢ per lb, the latter for choice; fair to good at 16@19¢, and common at from 12@15¢ per lb, as to quality. The market closed firm within the above range of prices.

Cows have also advanced. About 75 head sold at from \$40 up to \$50 per head. Sheep are rather better. 3,000 head sold at from 10@12¢ per lb, gross. Hogs.—About 15,000 head sold at the different yards, at from \$18@19.00 the 100 lbs. net.

UPDEGRAFFS' HAT FACTORY, Opposite the Washington House, Hagerstown, Ap. 15, 1864.

UPDEGRAFFS' Practical Hat Makers, have ready the SPRING STYLES for 1864. Those who would SAVE MONEY should buy at the FOUNTAIN HEAD, where HATS and CAPS, are sold from first hands at lowest rates.

UPDEGRAFFS' Practical Hatters, have received an extensive assortment of SPRING AND SUMMER Stock of Materials, HATS, CAPS, &c. Wholesale and Retail, Opposite the "Washington House," Hagerstown, Ap. 15, 1864.

INSURE YOUR PROPERTY FROM REBEL INVASION. The Insurance Company of North America.—Incorporated in 1791—Capital \$500,000—Total properties near \$1,500,000—Charter perpetual.—A application received for War and ordinary fire risks separate or combined—at moderate rates by JOSEPH DOUGLASS, Agent.

BANK NOTICE. The 1st National Bank of Waynesboro, Pa., are hereby notified and requested to deposit with the capital stock of said Bank (now \$50,000) is to be increased to \$75,000. The subscription books to be open from the 1st inst. to the 1st of March prox., when each stockholder may subscribe for his proportion of said increase—which must be fully paid in on or before the 7th of March prox.—By order of the Board of Directors. JOHN PHILLIPS, Cash.

STRAY HOG. STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber, living near Waynesboro, about the middle of January, a white and black spotted BOAR, about seven months old. Any information leading to his recovery will be liberally rewarded. I. Z. SPRENKLE. Feb. 17-31.

PUBLIC SALE. THE subscriber having determined to remove to the west, will sell at Public Sale, at his residence in Quincy, on Monday and Tuesday, the 6th and 7th days of March, 1865, the following property, viz: FIVE HEAD OF GOOD WORK HORSES, 4 head good Milch Cows, 1 or 2 w. l. fresh about the time of sale, 4 Hogs; 1 Hound dog and 1 N. W. Plantation Wagon, 1 one-horse Wagon, 1 Spring Wagon, 1 Falling top Buggy, 1 Sulky, 1 Cart, 1 Barshar Plow, 1 single and 2 double Shovel Plows, 1 Harrow, 1 pair Hay Loads, 1 pair Wood Ladders, 1 Wheelbarrow; 8 sets H. v. s. G. Harness, 1 extra Cutting Box; 100 lbs. Tobacco; in the lot, 700 lbs. Hugs' Horses Bars, 400 lbs. Chestnut Rails, 3000 Oak Rails, 1000 Stakes, 500 Chestnut Posts, 150 GORDON OAK WOOD, about 50 cords Pine a d Chestnut Wood, about 100 k. et of Pine Scantling, about 1200 feet Pine Boards, about 2000 feet Oak Pailings, 100 Oak Saw Logs, 500 feet Pine Lath, 9 cords Rockauk Bark, a lot Dry Staves; 2 barrels Vinegar, Bacon and Lard by the pound, Potatoes by the bushel, Corn by the barrel, Hay by the ton, and many other articles. Also his entire stock of household property. Sale to commence at 9 o'clock on said days when the terms will be made known by W. M. B. RABY. G. V. MOSE, Auctioneer on the 6th. Feb. 17-31.

PUBLIC SALE. THE subscriber intending to move west, will sell at public sale, at his residence, near Price's Church, on the road leading from Waynesboro' to Chambersburg, 1 1/2 miles from the former place, on Wednesday the 8th of March, 1865, the following personal property, to wit: 7 WORK HORSES, among which are three good wagon and plow leaders and one family mare, 2 one-year old Cows, FOUR HEAD OF EXTRA MILCH COWS, two of which will be fresh about the time of sale; 9 Head of fine Young Cattle, among which is one Bull; 15 HEAD OF SHEEP, among which is one pair Got-well Sheep; 10 head Hogs, among which are two sows with pig of the Chesapeake breed; 2 Plantation Wagons, 1 Wagon Bed good as new; 1 Wood Bed, 1 one-horse Wagon and Bed, 2 pair Hay Ladders, Rockaway Buggy and Harness; 1 Basket Sleigh, 2 large strings of talls.

1 Manny Reaper and Mower, 1 patent Grain Reke, nearly new; 1 pin Grain Drill, 1 Thrashing Machine with horse power and gum stump, 1 Clover Huller, springing manufacture; 1 Wheat Fan, 1 Rolling Screen, 1 roller cutter, 1 cutting box, 1 bag wagon, 1 wheelbarrow, 2 three-horse barshar plows, 2 two-horse do, 2 single and double shovel plows, 1 corn cover, 2 three-horse harrows, 2 sets breechbands, 3 sets front gears, 5 sets plow gears, 4 sets collars, collars, houses, halts and lines, 4 pair butt traces, 2 pair breast chains, 4 pair long traces, 1 log chain, 9 cow chains; 1 Jackscrew, treble, double and single trees; 2 shovels, grain cradle and mowing scythes, forks and rakes, 1 dung hook, a lot old iron;

75 ACRES OF GRAIN IN THE GROUND, Hay by the Ton, Potatoes by the Bushel, Corn by the Load, by the Load.

CORN by the BARREL. 125 Bushels Oats, 30 grain bags, 6 bedsteads, three French and one cotcase, 1 secretary, 1 bureau, 1 spring-sawed hick cloth, 20 ft, 1 marble top stand, 1 breakfast and 2 dining tables; 2 sets chairs, 4 rocking chairs, 1 safe 2 wash stands, 1 clock, 4 moving stoves, 1 large dinner bell, iron and copper kettle, meat vespel, churn, 30 crocks of apple cider, cruetting and oilcloth by the yard, bacon and lard by pound, barrels boxes, and many other articles not enumerated. Sale to commence at 9 o'clock on said day when the terms will be made known by JOHN STAMM. G. V. MOSE, Auct.

POTATOES. A FRESH SUPPLY OF MOUNTAIN POTATOES for sale by WALTER & ELDEN. Feb. 17-31.

DR. J. N. SNIVELY, Former Partner of J. C. Richards, Chambersburg, HAS opened an office in Waynesboro', in the new house erected by Dr. James Brotherton deceased, and will attend promptly to all calls. Jan. 13-14.

PUBLIC SALE!

THE subscriber intending to move west, will sell at public sale, at his residence, on the road leading from Waynesboro' to Hopewell Mills or Forge 2 miles from the former place, on Tuesday the 7th of March, 1865, the following personal property, to wit:

6 WORK HORSES, 2 Cows, one three and one one-year old; 8 head of Cattle, four of which are Milch Cows; 7 head of fine Shoats;

2 FARM WAGONS, one with bed, lous and trough, 1 one-horse Wagon, 1 Spring Wagon, 1 Buggy, 1 Sleigh, 1 Thrashing Machine and Power, 1 Wheat Fan, 1 Rolling Screen, 1 Corn Grinder,

1 McCormick REAPER, 1 Gum Spring Drill, (Trotter's make,) nearly new; 1 spring hay rake, 1 revolving rake, 1 hay carrier, 1 pair hay ladders, 1 wood bed, 2 three, and 2 two-horse plows, 2 harrows, 3 double and 2 single shovel plows, 1 corn cover, 1 two-horse cultivator, treble, double and single trees, 2 spreaders, 1 fifth chain and spreader, breast and butt chains, 2 log-chains, 1 Jackscrew, 3 sets breechbands, 4 sets front gears, plow gears, bridges, collars, houses, halts, fly-cuts, lines, 1 wagon saddle, 1 set harness, 3 cow chains, forks and rakes, bag wagon, lot bags, 1 cutting box, 1 chop chisel, 1 mixing box,

1 SET BLACKSMITH TOOLS, digging iron, mattock, pick and shovels, 1 grindstone, 2 grain cradles, hoes and picks, lot barrow and boiler stuff, 2 arms and braces for horse power, pine and oak plank, maul and wedges, 1 cross-cut saw, axes, work bench, shaving horse, 2 large metal vessels, 1 iron kettle, 1 pot rack, tubs, soft soap, 1 lard stand, 2 pickle stands, 4 barrels and vinegar, 6 benches, 1 dutchoven, Potatoes by the bushel, 2 bushels Clover seed, Hay by the ton, 125 hundred lbs straw, 57 Acres

GRAIN in the GROUND, 2 dinner tables; 1 secretary and book-case, 1 bureau, 1 corner cupboard; 2 tables, 2 stands 9 bedsteads, 1 settee, 2 window blinds, 3 sets chairs, 1 8-day clock, 5 rocking chairs, 1 sink, doughtray; wood box, 1 cook stove and fixtures, 2 Nine-plate Stoves, 1 Parlor Stove, lot tin cans, 1 shot gun, Bacon by the pound and other articles not necessary to mention. Sale to commence at 9 o'clock on said day, when the terms will be made known. Any person wishing to cash their notes, interest will be deducted.

JOHN W. BONEBRAKE, G. V. MOSE, Auct. Feb. 17-18.

PUBLIC SALE. THE subscriber intending to move west, will sell at public sale, at his residence, along the Waynesboro' and Hagerstown pike, near Dayhoff's Machine shop, on Tuesday the 28th of February, 1865, the following property, to wit:

2 WORK HORSES, 1 Cow and calf, 1 fine sheep and lamb, 1 sow and 6 pigs; 1 one-horse wagon 1 sleigh,

1 McCormick REAPER, 1 8-horse New York Power, 1 Thrasher and cleaner, 1 Buggy, nearly new; 1 spring rake, 1 grain drill, 1 wheat fan, 1 cutting box, 1 pair hay ladders, barshar plows, double and single shovel plows, 2 harrows, 2 log and 1 fifth chain, 1 Jackscrew, 2 mattocks, shovels, crowbar and digging iron, 2 sets breechbands, 2 sets front gears, collars and bridges, 1 wheelbarrow, lot chains, 2 grain cradles, mowing scythes, lot empty barrels, 1 bellows, 1 saw, 2 vices, 2 screw pliers, lot Blacksmith Tools, fax braks, forks and rakes, lot rye by the bushel,

CORN BY THE BARREL, lot Timothy seed, lot of plaster, lot blacksmith coal, lot salt, 5 barrels Vinegar, about 65

ACRES OF GRAIN IN THE GROUND, also—household furniture consisting of 1 secretary, 1 bureau, 1 corner cupboard, 4 tables, 3 sets chairs, 6 bedsteads, 1 ten-plate stove, 1 churn, tubs, 1 iron kettle, pot rack, with many other articles not necessary to mention. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock on said day, when due attendance and a reasonable credit will be given.

JOHN SENGLE, Wm. Adams, Auct. Feb. 17-18.

PUBLIC SALE. THE subscriber will sell at public sale, at his residence, at Mt. Vernon, near Samuel Pratt's Mill, on Monday the 13th of March, 1865, the following property, to wit:

ONE FINE BAY MARE of extra quality, 11 years old; 3 bay Cows, two of which are three and one one-year old;

1 GOOD COW, 2 young Bulls, of improved breed, 2 Heifers, 7 shoats—1 four-horse Wagon and Bed, 3 one and two-horse Wagon and Bed, 1 pair hay ladders, nearly new; 1 spring wagon, 1 grain drill in good order; 1 telegraph feed cutter, a good article; a spring, milk-maker, (Dayhoff's) 1 harrow, 2 two-horse plows; 2 double and 1 single shovel plow; 2 new corn cultivators, corn sheller, brown machine, a portable house, a portable cider mill, 1 farm bell, wood saw, maul and wedges, pick, mattock, 2 crossbars, 2 digging irons, 2 iron sledges, cast steel stone augers and other blasting tools, fifth chain and spreaders, 2 log chains, 1 iron and 1 tin ladder, 2 sets breechbands and breast chains, 2 log ladders, dung barrels, 2 dung hooks, forks and hoes, log lift rack, 2 sausage cutters and stuffs, a lot barrow stuff, 1 extra night

COOKING STOVE and fixtures, a small coal cooking stove, 2 bedsteads, 1 shaving horse, and other articles not mentioned. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock on said day when the terms will be made known by BENJ. FRANTZ. G. V. MOSE, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE. THE undersigned, administrator of Joseph Funk, deceased, will sell at public sale, at Duena Vista Springs, on Friday the 17th of March, 1865, the following personal property, to wit:

ONE FINE DRAUGHT MARE, 1 extra Milch Cow, (Devonshire) 1 young Bull, 1 Wagon, for one or two horses; 1 Spring Wagon, 1 new gap plow, 1 new single shovel plow, 1 harrow, double and single trees, 1 set breechbands, 1 set harness, 1 cutting box, 1 cider press, 1800

PRIME CHESTNUT RAILS, 1 lot Lumber. Also household furniture consisting of 7 Bedsteads and Bedding, 5 Tables, 1 corner cupboard, 2 bureaus, 2 sofas, 1 settee, 5 stands, 3 sets chairs, 3 stoves and pipe, lot old iron, also

1 BILLIARD TABLE, and fixtures, 1 Bagatell Table and fixtures, 1 Air Gun, and many other articles not enumerated. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock on said day when the terms will be made known by DAVID H. FUNK, Adm'r. G. V. MOSE, Auct.

FOR RENT. THE subscriber, guardian for the heirs of Josiah Beure, deceased, offers for rent 11 acres of land at the West end of Waynesboro', upon which are erected a Two-story

BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, and a one-story STONE HOUSE, and other necessary out-buildings. There is also on the premises a fine Orchard of choice fruit trees and a new-fitting well of good water at the door. For further particulars enquire of the undersigned.

JEREMIAH S. RESORE, Feb. 17-18.

DR. RAKE'S Bitters at Feb. 5, '61.

KURTZ'S Feb. 5, '61.