

From the Universalist.

### SWEAR NOT.

"Swear not at all; neither by Heaven, for it is God's throne; nor by Earth, for it is his footstool."

O! swear not by thy God, vain man!  
Thy mightiest strength is frail;  
Thy longest life is but a span,  
A brief, a mournful tale:  
But from thy lips be praises heard,  
Not oaths or songs profane;  
Remember He hath said the word,  
"Take not my name in vain."

And swear not by the Holy Heaven!  
It is the Almighty's throne,  
Nor by the burning stars of even,  
For they are all his own;  
Rather arise at early day,  
Look on the glorious sun,  
Swear not; but bow thee down and pray  
To Him, the Holy One.

Swear not by Earth; the beautiful Earth,  
The footstool of his power!  
He gave its every glory birth  
In the primeval hour.  
List to the loud rebukes that roll  
From ocean, earth, and air:  
Let the deep murmur move thy soul  
To worship—not to swear.

O! swear not by that blessed One,  
Whom God the Father gave,  
His well beloved and only Son,  
A world from sin to save:  
But weep that thou so oft hast bent,  
False deities before,  
Turn to thy Saviour and repent,  
Depart and sin no more.

And swear not by thine own weak name!  
For thou art but a slave  
Of pain and sorrow, sin and shame,  
Of glory and the grave:  
Thy boasted body is but clay,  
Born of the dust you tread;  
And soon a swift approaching day  
Shall lay thee with the dead.

### NEW ESTABLISHMENT.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs his Friends and the Public generally, that he has opened a House of **Public Entertainment,**

### STYLED THE MANSION HOUSE.

In his large and commodious Brick building, situate on the North-east corner of Baltimore and Middle-streets, opposite the house formerly kept by Major Jacob Sanders, Gettysburg, Pa. where he is well prepared for the accommodation of those who may favor him with their custom. The whole establishment is new; the situation is eligible; his Table, Bar, &c. will be well supplied—and he hopes, by attention to the comfort of Travellers and others, and moderate charges, to receive the favors of a generous Public.

**JACOB ZIEGLER,**  
August 5, 1833.

### VALUABLE LIMESTONE LAND FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber, Executor of the Estate of Solomon Stonestifer, deceased, offers for sale the valuable Plantation of said deceased, situated in Conowago township, Adams county, Pa. one mile from Littlestown, containing

**200 ACRES,**  
more or less, of first rate PATENTED LAND, in a high state of cultivation. The improvements are, a good Dwelling-House,

a new, well built Bank Barn, together with a number of necessary out buildings. There is running water through the farm, and three never-failing lime stone springs on it—one of them within a short distance of the house. The property will be shown and the terms made known by the subscriber, living in Littlestown.

**Ephraim Swope, Ex'r.**  
Sept. 2, 1833.

N. B. If the above property should not be sold before the 26th day of October next, it will then be sold at Public Sale, on the premises. E. S.

The "York Gazette" and the "Lancaster Examiner" are requested to insert the above until the 26th of October, and send their bills to this Office for collection.

### \$10 REWARD!

RANAWAY from the Subscriber, living in Gettysburg, Pa. on Saturday the 17th ult. **Samuel Hoke,** an Indented Apprentice to the Saddle and Harness making business. I hereby caution all persons from harbouring him, as I am determined to prosecute any person so doing.

**DAVID MCCREARY,**  
Sept. 9, 1833. St.

### TO OUR CREDITORS.

TAKE Notice, that we have applied to the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams county, for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws of this Commonwealth; and that they have appointed **Tuesday the 1st day of October next,** for the hearing of us & our Creditors, at the Court-house, in the borough of Gettysburg, when and where you may attend if you think proper.

**WILLIAM WILSON**  
(of James.)  
**ANDREW CRONISTER**  
**THOMAS CHASE,**  
Sept. 2. St.

### VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

WILL be sold, at Public Sale, on the premises, on **Monday the 7th of October next,** at 2 o'clock, P. M. the following described Real Estate of **PETER COMFORT,** deceased, consisting of

**A Tract of Land,**  
containing **184 Acres,** more or less, situate in Menallen township, Adams county, Pa. about one mile from Arndts-town, adjoining lands of Baltzer Minter, the heirs of Samuel Young, deceased, and others. The improvements are, a good two-story

**Log Dwelling-house,**

**Stone Bank Barn,**

**A SAW MILL,**

a large Orchard of Apple and other fruit trees, and an excellent Meadow. There is a sufficiency of Wood land, and a never-failing Spring near the house. Also, at the same time and place, 4 acres of first rate **CHESNUT TIMBER LAND,** in Franklin township, adjoining lands of Henry Cutshall, Jacob Hartman (of John) and others.

Any person wishing to view the property before the day of sale, will please to call on Mr. Joseph Leas, living on the first mentioned premises.

Conditions made known on the day of Sale, by

**D. COMFORT, & Es'rs.**  
**A. DEARDORFF,**  
Sept. 9, 1833. ts-  
P. S. The Property must positively be sold.

### PUBLIC SALE of Valuable Real Estate.

WILL be exposed to Sale, by public Vendue or Outcry, upon the premises, on **Saturday the 12th day of October next,** at 12 o'clock, M. All that **Valuable Tract of Land** situate in Cumberland township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Jacob Diehl, John Bear, Henry Eply and others, containing about **225 acres**—about 150 acres cleared and in a good state of cultivation, with a good Meadow—and the residue is well timbered. Rock Creek runs through the farm. It lies near the Baltimore turnpike, about 2 miles from Gettysburg. The land is of a good quality. There are on said farm, a large two-story

**Stone House,**

**A Double Bank Barn,**

and other improvements, with two Orchards. A never failing Spring of water near the House.

The land is Patented. It is to be sold in pursuance of the Will of **Andrew Bushman,** deceased, and an indisputable title will be given. Persons wishing to view the property will please to call on the premises;

Terms made known on the day of Sale, by

**GEORGE BUSHMAN,**  
**ANDREW BUSHMAN,**  
**WILLIAM CREGLOW,**  
Sept. 9, 1833. Executors.

The York Gazette, and Lancaster Intelligencer, will insert the above 3 times and send their bills to this office for collection.

### LUMBER.

THE Subscriber begs leave to inform his Friends and the Public generally, that he is about opening a

**LUMBER YARD**

in this place. He is just receiving

**100,000 FEET**

**River Boards & Plank,**

of the first quality—Also, a large lot of

**ASH PLANK,**

**Cherry Boards, and first-rate Shingles.**

He will also always keep on hand an

ASSORTMENT OF

**MOUNTAIN STUFF,**

Such as Boards, Scantling, &c.

Having purchased Lumber in rafts, he can sell as low as at the river.

He has also on hand, at this time, and constantly keeps, a general assortment of **IRON**—which he will also sell as low as can be purchased elsewhere, for cash.

**D. ZIEGLER,**  
Gettysburg, June 17.

### NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

TO all Legatees, Creditors, or other persons concerned, that the **Administration Accounts** of the Estates of the deceased persons herein mentioned, will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Adams county for confirmation and allowance, on **Tuesday the 1st day of October next,** viz:

The account of Simon Melhorn, Executor of David Melhorn, deceased.

The account of William Moorhead, Administrator, de bonis non, of James Moorhead, deceased.

The account of Peter Stone, Executor of George Stone, deceased.

The account of Margaret Chambers and John Becker, Executors of John Chambers, deceased.

The account of Jacob King, Executor of Peter Delp, deceased.

The account of George Wilson and John Bender, Executors of Thomas Baldwin, deceased.

The account of Walter Smith, Executor of Ann Giffin, deceased.

The account of John Myers, Administrator of David Cronister, deceased.

The account of John Brough, and John Myers, Administrators of John Myers, deceased.

The account of Jacob Hanes and John Overholzer, Administrators of Samuel Overholzer, deceased.

The account of William Vanosdallen, Administrator of Solomon Tate, deceased.

The account of James Black, one of the Administrators of William Hamilton, deceased.

The account of Joseph Topper and Joseph Fink, Executors of Andrew Topper, deceased.

The account of George Sponsler, Executor of George Sponsler, deceased.

The account of John Eiker, Administrator of Daniel Hoover, deceased.

The account of Samuel B. Wright, Executor of David McCreary, dec'd.

The account of Jacob Gardner, one of the Administrators of Martin Gardner, deceased.

**JOHN B. CLARK, Reg'r.**  
Register's Office, Gettysburg, Aug. 26, 1833. } tc.

### At an Orphans' Court,

Held at Gettysburg, for the county of Adams, on the 26th day of August A. D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty three—before John Reed, Esq. and his Associates, Judges, &c.

On motion,

**The Court Grant a Rule**

ON ALL THE HEIRS AND LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES OF

**FRANCIS ALLISON,**

deceased, to wit:—Francis, Martha, intermarried with John McDermott; Mary Ann, Robert, Susanna, intermarried with Thomas Logan; Sibby intermarried with William Bath, and Sally Allison, or the Guardians of such of them as are minors—to be and appear at the next Orphans' Court, to be held at Gettysburg for the County of Adams, on the first day of October next, to accept or refuse to take the Real Estate of said deceased, at the valuation made thereof, agreeably to the Intestate laws of this Commonwealth.

By the Court,  
**JOHN B. CLARK, Clk.**  
Sept. 2. tc.

### PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, in and by an act of the General Assembly of this State, entitled "An Act to regulate the General Elections of this Commonwealth," enacted on the fifteenth day of February, 1796, it is enjoined on me to give Public Notice of such Election to be held, and to enumerate in such Notice what officers are to be elected; I, **WILLIAM S. COBEAN,** Sheriff of the County of Adams, do therefore hereby make known, and give this **PUBLIC NOTICE** to the electors of the said County of Adams, that, a

**General Election**

will be held in the said County, on the **Second Tuesday in October next, (the 8th,)**

at the several Districts, composed of the following Townships, viz:

In the First District, composed of the borough of Gettysburg, and 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 Mr. Bishop, in the town of Petersburg, in the township of Germany.

In the Third District, composed of the township of Berwick; and that part of the township of Mountpleasant, lying east and north of a public road leading from the farm formerly occupied by George Lashells, to Dellone's Mill; & that part of the township of Hamilton, lying west of the Carlisle and Hanover Turnpike Road, between Blake's bridge and the intersection of said Road; at the house of Philip Heagy, Esq. in the town of Oxford.

In the Fourth District, composed of the townships of Huntington and Lattimore, at the house of David Heagy, in the town of Petersburg, in the township of Huntington.

In the Fifth District, composed of the townships of Hamiltonban and Liberty, at the house of Col. James Reid, in Millerstown.

In the Sixth District, composed of that part of the township of Hamilton east of the Hanover and Carlisle Turnpike Road, at the house lately occupied by John Picking, in the town of Berlin.

In the seventh District, composed of the township of Menallen, at the house of W. and F. Hapke, in said township.

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

In the Ninth District, composed of the township of Franklin, at the house formerly occupied by Christian Boocher, in said township.

In the Tenth District, composed of the township of Conowago, at the

house of Adam Oaster, in M'Sherry's town.

In the Eleventh District, composed of the township of Tyrone, at the house of John Harman, in Heidlersburg, in said township.

In the Twelfth District, composed of the township of Mountjoy, at the house of Joseph Topper, in said township.

In the Thirteenth District, composed of that part of the township of Mountpleasant, lying west and south of a public road leading from Mr. Dellone's Mill, to the farm formerly occupied by George Lashells, on the York and Gettysburg Turnpike Road, at the house now occupied by Samuel Swope, in Bonaughtown.

In the Fourteenth District, composed of the township of Reading, at the public school-house in the town of Hampton.

**AT WHICH TIME AND PLACES WILL BE ELECTED**

**One Member of the Senate of Pennsylvania, to represent the District composed of the Counties of Adams and York;**

**Two Representatives in the State Legislature, for the County of Adams:**

**One County Commissioner:**

**One Auditor of Public Accounts:**

**One Director of the Poor, & House of Employment of the County of Adams:**

**Two Coroners; and**

**Two Sheriffs.**

And in and by the said Act, it is directed, that the **INSPECTORS** of the said General Election shall be chosen by ballot on the Friday next preceding the first Tuesday in October, being the **27th day of Sept. next,**

and the Election for such Inspectors shall be held in such places in each township, ward or district, as is appointed by law, for that purpose, by the respective Constables, (who are required at least to give one week's notice of such an Election) assisted by two qualified citizens, chosen by such citizens qualified to vote, as shall then be present. And it is also in and by said Act required, that the Agent and Inspectors be at the places of their District, on the day of the General Election aforesaid, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to do and perform the several duties required and enjoined on them in & by the same Act.

And it is further directed in and by the Act of the General Assembly of this State aforesaid, passed the 17th day of March, 1806, aforesaid, that one of the **JUDGES** of each of the different Districts as aforesaid, who shall have the charge of the certificate of the number of votes which shall have been given for each Candidate for the different Offices then and there voted for at their respective Districts, shall meet on the 3d day after the Election, which will be on **Friday the 11th day of October aforesaid,** at the Court-house in the borough of Gettysburg, then and there to make a fair statement and certificate of the number of votes which shall have been given at the different Districts in the County of Adams, for any person or persons for the different Offices aforesaid, &c.

And, by a law passed 2d April, 1821, it is made the duty of the Sheriff to give Public Notice of the provisions of said law.

The following are extracts:—

**SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same,** That the several qualified electors who shall vote at any General or Special Election within this Commonwealth, shall give to the Inspectors of such Elections, separate Tickets for each office or station voted for, which Tickets shall contain no more than the proper number of names; but no Ticket shall be rejected by the Judges of the Election, in counting off the votes, should the same contain fewer names than the proper number, those for Sheriffs and Coroners excepted.

**SEC. 4. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,** That it shall be the duty of the Sheriff or Coroner, as the case may be, of each & every County within this Commonwealth, to give Public Notice, at the same time, and in the same manner, and under the same penalty, that he is now required to give notice of any General or Special Election—that any person who shall hold any Office or appointment of profit or trust under the Government of the U. States, whether a commissioned officer, or otherwise, a subordinate officer or agent, who is or shall be employed under the Legislative, Executive, or Judiciary Departments of the United States, and also that every member of Congress, is by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time, the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector, or Clerk of any Election within the State.

**Wm. S. Cobean, Sheriff.**  
Sept. 5. tc.

### STORE IN HUNTERSTOWN.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the Public, that he continues to keep his **STORE** at the Old Stand, in Hunterstown; where he has on hand a general assortment of

**Dry Goods,**  
Groceries, Queensware,  
**HARD & HOLLOW Ware,**  
Iron, Steel, &c. &c.

Also—**Drugs & Dye Stuffs,** of all kinds—which will be disposed of at moderate prices, for Cash and Country Produce.

Also, **Receipts,** for colouring Silks, Crapes, Wool and Leghorn, of various colours.

Persons having accounts of long standing, are requested to settle them without delay.

**Daniel Hartman.**  
April 8, 1833. tc

### At an Orphans' Court,

Held at Gettysburg, for the county of Adams, on the 26th day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-three—before John Reed, Esq. and his associates, Judges, &c. assigned &c.

—ON MOTION—

**The Court Grant a Rule**

ON ALL THE HEIRS AND LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES OF

**ELIZABETH DUNWOODY,**

deceased, to wit:—Arnold V., John, Hannah, intermarried with George Vanorsdal, David, Isaac, Silas, Joseph, and Elizabeth Vanorsdal, or the Guardians of such of them as are Minors, to be and appear at the next Orphans' Court, to be held at Gettysburg, for the county of Adams, on the first day of October next, to accept or refuse to take the Real Estate of said deceased, at the valuation made thereof, agreeably to the Intestate Laws of this Commonwealth.

By the Court,  
**JOHN B. CLARK, Clerk.**  
Sept. 2. tc.

### SHERIFFALTY.

To the Voters of Adams Co.

GENTLEMEN: Although I have not had the honor of being heretofore considered by you, as a candidate for any considerable post of trust or profit, yet I am encouraged at this time, to come forward and solicit your suffrages at the ensuing election for the

**Office of Sheriff,**

for said county. Should I be so fortunate as to obtain it, none can be possessed of a firmer resolution to discharge the duties of that important trust with care, lenity & fidelity, than your faithful servant,

**George W. McClellan.**  
April 1. tc

To the Independent Voters of Adams County.

**Fellow-Citizens:—**

I offer myself to your consideration for the office of

**SHERIFF**

at the next General Election. Should I be elected, I pledge my honor that I will do the duties of that office with fidelity and impartiality.

I am, very respectfully,

**James Bell, Jr.**  
March 4. tc.

**Fellow-Citizens of Adams County.**

Desirous of being elected your

**SHERIFF**

for the ensuing three years, I respectfully offer myself to your consideration as a Candidate. Should I be so fortunate as to be elected, I will do the duties of the office faithfully.

Your obedient servant,

**Michael C. Clarkson.**  
March 11. tc.

### SHERIFFALTY.

Fellow-Citizens of

Adams County:

RETURNING you my sincere thanks for your former support, I again offer myself as a candidate for the office of

**SHERIFF,**

at the ensuing Election. Should I be elected, I pledge myself to discharge the duties of the office faithfully.

Yours very respectfully,

**Robert McIlwain.**  
July 29, 1833. tc

### SHERIFFALTY!

Fellow-Citizens of

Adams County:

I OFFER myself to your consideration as a Candidate for the Office of

**SHERIFF**

at the ensuing Election, and return my sincere thanks for favors already conferred on me.

**Jacob Sanders.**  
Feb. 20, 1833. tc