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in this County, will upon application receive a copy of the Republican free, in consideration of the Local Items they furnish for publication.

#### Advertising.

To the Advertiser, this paper presents the best medium for reaching the people of North Western part of Connecticut and the adjoining parts of Massachusetts and New York.

#### Rates.

One square one month \$1.00, two months \$2.00, three months \$3.00, six months \$5.00, one year \$7.00. Two square one month \$2.00, two months \$5.00, three months \$7.00, six months \$10.00, one year \$12.00. One fourth column one month \$3.00, three months \$7.00, six months \$10.00, one year \$15.00. One half-column one month \$7.00, three months \$10.00, six months \$15.00, one year \$25.00. One column, one month \$10.00, three months \$15.00, six months \$25.00, one year \$40.00. Business Cards, \$1. per line, per annum. Special notices 25 per cent advance from regular advertising rates.

#### HOUSATONIC RAIL ROAD

On and after Tuesday, May 1, 1860 trains will run over the Housatonic Railroad as follows:

#### FROM BRIDGEPORT.

3.55 P. M. Freight train on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays for Canaan, passing Falls Village at 3.55, arriving at Canaan at 4.30 p. m.

5.34 P. M. Passenger train on arrival of the 8.00 A. M. Express train from N. York for Pittsfield, passing Falls Village at 1.34 p. m., arriving at Pittsfield at 3.35 p. m.

Passenger for Albany change cars at Vandervisville, and connect at State Line with train for Albany.

#### FROM PASSENGER TRAIN.

5.30 P. M. Leaves Bridgeport at 5.30 P. M., on the arrival of Express train from N. Y., passing Falls Village at 8.30 P. M., arriving at Pittsfield at 11.00 P. M.

#### FROM CANAN.

5.30 A. M. Freight train on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays for Pittsfield, arriving at 11.35 A. M.

#### FROM BARKINGTON.

7.00 A. M. Passenger train for Pittsfield, arriving at 8.15.

#### FROM VANDESVILLE.

2.25 P. M. Passenger train for State Line after the 10.30 A. M. train from Bridgeport, connecting at State Line with Western train to Albany and Hudson and Berkshire train to Hudson.

#### FROM PITTSFIELD.

9.15 A. M. Passenger train for Bridgeport, the train connects at Vandervisville with train from State Line passing Falls Village at 11.15 A. M. arriving at Bridgeport 2.30 P. M. connecting with Express train New York arriving at 4.40 P. M.

3.45 P. M. 2d. Passenger train leaves Pittsfield for Bridgeport, at 3.45 P. M., passing Falls Village, at 5.52 P. M., arrives at Bridgeport at 9.00 P. M.

5.20 A. M. Freight train on Mondays Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, for Canaan arriving at 5.50 P. M.

5.00 P. M. Passenger train for Barrington, arriving at 6.15 P. M.

#### FROM STATE LINE.

7.10 A. M. Passenger train for Vandervisville after the arrival of Western train from Albany, connecting at Van Dusenville with passenger train for Bridgeport arriving at 8.10 A. M.

#### FROM CAXAAN.

4.45 A. M. Freight train on Tuesdays, Wednesdays Fridays and Saturdays, for Bridgeport, passing F. Village at 6.45 a.m. arriving at Bridgeport at 3.40 P. M.

#### SPECIAL NOTICE.

A deduction of ten cents will be made on passengers who procure tickets at the Station Office.

#### CHARLES HUNT. President.

W. H. MATTHEWS, Agt. Falls Village, Ct., Falls Village, April 13, 1860.

#### MOWING MACHINES

The two-horse Machine weighs 514 pounds each, run up two driving-wheels 30 inches apart, each wheel 28 inches in diameter. The frame rests upon and is firmly secured to the axle of the wheels and supports the steering and a seat for the driver. The finger-bar is elastic and is three-eighths of an inch in thickness, and made of cold-rolled Swedish iron, equal in strength and elasticity to steel, and less liable to break. It is attached to the Machine by one bolt, and can be easily removed by taking off one nut, and when placed upon the frame under the seat, the Machine can be driven from field to field as easily as a light cart. The knife is driven by a crank-pun, projecting from a well-adjusted balance-wheel, which gives it a steady, uniform motion; it has a rapid motion with a short stroke which enables the Machine to do good work when the team moves as slow as horses or oxen can walk. These Machines can be easily and instantly thrown out of gear, thereby giving option to the driving-wheels only when moving. They cut a swath four feet wide.

The one-horse Machine, built the same weighs 50 pounds less (464 pounds), and cuts a swath three and a half feet wide.

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For the Machines or further particulars inquire of C. B. Maltbie, Falls Village Ct.

#### Mayer's versus Plows

Probably there is not a Farmer in the country who would acknowledge that he did not know the Agricultural Improvement Warehouse of Mayer & Co. The name of Mayer is as familiar to the farmers as the name of the implement called the plow.—They have been manufacturers of Plows and other agricultural implements for over thirty years. We understand that they make annually some twenty-five thousand plows. They have an advertisement in this paper, look for it, and when found, make a note of it, then call and see them at their new and spacious store, No. 54 Vesey-st., between Broadway and Washington Market. If the improvements in labor saving machines, keep pace with the last ten years, it will turn hard work into play. Don't forget that all the Mayers are there now.

#### SPECIAL NOTICE TO FARMERS.

A. F. MAYER & CO., 54 Vesey-st., N. Y., would respectfully inform their old friends and the public generally, that they are now located in their new store, No. 54 Vesey-st., where they have the largest, best and most complete assortment of agricultural implements, machinery, seeds and fertilizers to be found in the country, and which they will sell at the lowest manufacturing prices. We manufacture all our own goods, and thereby are enabled to sell at lower prices, than any other house. Farmers, importers and others, will find it to their interest to call at Mayer's new store, No. 54, Vesey-st., near Washington Market, Northeast side of the city, N. Y.

A. F. MAYER, & CO.

Agricultural Ware House and Seed Store, No. 54 Vesey-st., N. Y.

Remember that Mayer's store is at No. 54 Vesey-st., and they have no other store in New York. No connection with any other house in the city. The Mayers are all at the new store, No. 54 Vesey-st., N. Y.

Not to be undervalued by any. All Goods

2nd.

GIFT SALE.—The system of given to every purchase of goods to the amount of a dollar, a present, to be drawn by the purchaser, is a comparatively modern invention. Like all other kinds of business, it is liable to abuse. The public have been humbugged by "gift enterprises" to an indefinite extent, but of course this fact does not, it should not, injure those who conduct their business upon honorable principles.—It stimulates trade, and men who deal fairly find their account in it. Some of our neighbors whom we might name in this connection, whose honorable and upright manner of doing business commands the public confidence, have established a large trade by it which is profitable to both parties. And to go further we could name others who have personally acquainted with who have done a large and honorable business in this way, to their own profit as well as that of their patrons. It will not be invidious in this connection to name the extensive establishment of George G. Evans & Co. No. 49 and 44 Cornhill Boston.

MISCELLANY.

REMARKABLE METEORIC SHOWER.

A meteoric shower, which appears to have extended over the greater part of Eastern Ohio, fell on Tuesday, May 8th, in New Concord, four stones, weighing from forty to sixty pounds each, fell near the track of the Central Ohio Railroad, burying themselves in the ground to the depth of about two feet. At Claysville stones of the same quality, but in greater quantities, fell. Near McConnelville several boys observed a huge stone descend to the earth, which they avowed looked like a red ball, leaving a line of smoke in its wake. A gentleman walking in his field, near New Concord, heard a terrific crash, like thunder, which lasted but a minute, and then plainly saw a large body descending through the air in an oblique direction, with a velocity apparently much greater than it could have attained by its own momentum. Going to the spot where it touched the ground, he found a rock, weighing over fifty pounds, embedded in the earth a depth of two feet. The stones were 5 and over fifty miles apart, and are all alike, being fragmentary as if broken off a large gray color in ide, with a dark metallic surface, very compact and heavy.

The noise of the explosion was heard over four or five counties, in some places being taken for thunder, in others shaking the ground like an earthquake, and at New Concord causing such a violent commotion that the houses were heavily jarred and many of the doors burst open, considerably frightening the people. The course of the meteoric fragments was from northwest to southeast. So unusual a meteoric shower will attract much attention and investigation among men of science.

CATASTROPHE Averted.

The Detroit Free press says that a plot has been discovered between two villains named Charles Smith, and Reed Bowman, who had planned one of the most desperate pieces of villainy which has ever come to light—being no less than the weakening of the railroad truss bridge at Mt. Clemens, on the Grand Trunk Railway, in such a way that the work been presided in it must have precipitated a train of passenger cars into the abyss below. They went so far as to remove some of the bolts on the iron girders, but their natural propensities would not allow them to finish the work. One of them committed a burglary and attempted murder, and was committed to State Prison for life, and the other was arrested for some petty offence. Smith, who had received the sentence for life, then revealed the plot.—Their object was plunder. It seems almost incredible that any man could be so utterly depraved as to give a moment's thought to such a nefarious piece of work.

PRESIDENT MAKING.—The Baltimore Union Convention which lately organized gestated for the purpose of nominating candidates for President and Vice-President, on Thursday presented the name of Hon. JOHN BELL, of Tennessee, for the office of president, and that of Hon. EDWARD EVERETT, of Massachusetts, for Vice-President. On the second ballot Mr. Bell received 138 votes out of 242, when, on motion, the formalities of balloting were suspended.

Thus presenting a galaxy of prominent exponents for the highest gifts of the people, and as cheap as they can be had elsewhere. Their books are of unquestionable character, and include all that are valuable.

Nashua (N. H.) Telegraph.

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#### Poetry.

For the Republican.

LOOK EASTWARD.

In the golden of the evening

With the South-wind stealing by,

Stood a gentle mother gazing

Upward to the starlit sky;

But the light that beamed around her

Came, I ween, from world afar,

Though the crescent moon was shin'g

Poised upon a single star.

Little maidens stood beside her,

Close beside, on either hand,

One had tears upon her eyelid,

Trembling, as the breezes fan'd.

And a cloud of tresses floated

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# THE HOOSATONIC REPUBLICAN, SATURDAY MAY, 26, 1860.

## The Republican.

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### THE CHICAGO NOMINATIONS.

FOR PRESIDENT.  
Abraham Lincoln.  
FOR VICE PRESIDENT.  
Hannibal Hamlin.

We have to present the names of Abraham Lincoln of Illinois, and Hannibal Hamlin of Maine, as candidates of the Chicago Convention last week.

Much pleasure has been manifested upon the receipt of the news, by this, and other Eastern sections, not so much on account of the selection, *on account* of the harmony and quietness with which the nomination was made. The larger portion of our eastern delegates no doubt desired the nomination of Gov. Seward as the standard bearer in this campaign, still they were willing a convention should determine the matter as might appear best to them upon a full interchange of opinions by the various sections of the country, through their delegates.

There were fears honestly entertained that the Hon. Mr. Seward would lose a large class of the conservative votes, therefore for the name of Bates, Chase, Corwin, Wade, Banks, and a number of other worthy names were considered before the convention, but with them all as well as Seward, there were some objections, and when the name of Honest old Abe, was presented to the convention, an almost instantaneous conviction forced itself upon the minds of the delegates that he was the man for the times, even another Taylor or Garrison bound to win by the force of his sterling character for honest and upright political action.

That he is bound to be elected, seems to be given in by all parties.

S. D. NORTHWAY M. F. G. Co.

We most willingly give place to the following card of the agent of the above Company, as we know it speaks the full convictions of the public at this time—We have seen Mr. Northway on several occasions since his return home, and are convinced that he is now laboring for the benefit of the creditors of the Company, and that he pledges his individual property if necessary to pay the obligations which he has endorsed for the company—we hope the company may issue safely from their present embarrassments, so as to continue business as heretofore at the old stand.

MR. EDITOR.—Whereas there have been rumors published and circulated with regard to Mr. Northway and his connection with the S. D. Northway M. F. G. Co., which are maliciously false, and wholly in error. We deem it an act of justice to him, to state that since his return, he has explained his individual account with the Company, and settled it to our entire satisfaction. Honorable and fully. Our matters with the S. D. Northway M. F. G. Co., were unfortunately embarrassed, and the pressure of difficulties no doubt led Mr. Northway to give up the management of the Company and its affairs to other hands. Wishing Mr. Northway better success in any new undertaking, I am,

Yours very respectfully,  
S. D. Northway M. F. G. Co.  
By S. N. Bradley, Agent.

### FALLS VILLAGE.

This section has remained very quiet the past week, but few excitement having appeared upon the surface to disturb the usual monotony of village life. We hope for more variety during the next week, as Dr. Lighthill is to appear for the cure of the Deaf, Blind, and Cataract portion of the community, hereabouts, who no doubt when restored to their natural positions, will kick up a row generally, by declaring the wonderful deeds of this new doctor.

### LADIES' AGRICULTURAL UNION.

The meeting of this auxiliary to the Union Agricultural Society, for last Saturday, was not so fully attended as it ought to have been, therefore it is thought best to hold another meeting next Saturday afternoon, when it is hoped a good number will be present, as they can come with the U. A. S. Executive Committee, who are to meet that day for the purpose of completing all unfinished business, and appoint a day for trial of mowers.

### UNION AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The Executive Committee of this society will meet at Brewster's Hall next Saturday the 24th, day of June, for the purpose of finishing unfinished business, and appointing a day for the trial of Mowing machines.

We hope a large attendance may be had at the time, as the question of offering increased premiums for trotting horses, will come up at that time.

### LEGISLATURE.

This machine is and has been for the past week receiving large lots of applications for this, that and the other,—on the divisions of the County nothing yet has been reported,—the most excitement seems to be raised by the cattle disease, now threatening to turn down upon us from the north, and the Solons seem determined to check this if possible. That the disease is not in the state, has been demonstrated. It appears to be a disease of the lungs, and extremely contagious—which it is possible to check or confine it, has not yet been fully determined—that the Legislature should use efforts to prevent its spread, is generally felt.

### SOUTH CANAAN.

The Congregational Church and Society in this place are now raising funds to secure the services of the Rev. E. S. Dickerick, who has been preaching for them the past few weeks.

### PLATFORM.

We present the Platform adopted at Chicago, to our readers this week. It seems to be full in every respect, and just comprehensive enough for such a man as Lincoln to stand upon. The planks are many, but not too numerous to express fully the principles of the party, or cover the various issues that will arise in the present campaign.

### PUBLIC DOCUMENTS.

We have received from Hon. O. S. Ferry, valuable Public Documents, for which he has our thanks.

**Astrotypes.** Prof. Myers has arrived in this village with his Daguerrian Car, and will continue to take Likenesses for three weeks. You that want, will do well to call upon the Professor, and see what he can do for you. If he cannot get your face upon glass, he will get a picture of it, sure. Call and see him.

**HOTEL.** From what we see, we are led to infer that the Peck's Hotel of this village, is about to put on a new shape entirely, and come out in about double size.

### The Republican Platform.

**Resolved.** That we, the delegated representatives of the Republican Electors of the United States, in Convention assembled, in the discharge of the duty we owe to our constituents and our country, unite in the following declarations:

**First:** That the history of the nation during the last four years has fully established the propriety and necessity of the organization and perpetuation of the Republican party, and that causes which called it into existence are permanent in their nature, and now, more than ever before, demand its peaceful and constitutional triumph.

**Second:** That the maintenance of the principles promulgated in the Declaration of Independence, and embodied in the Federal Constitution, is essential to the preservation of our republican institutions, and that the Federal Constitution, the rights of which Americans know little of, and who holds diplomas from the best colleges of Europe and this country. His cures are certainly marvellous, and we can testify from our personal observation to their performance. He treats all diseases or irremediables of the eye, ear and throat."

According to immigrants from foreign lands shall be bridged or impaired; and in favor of giving a full and efficient protection to the rights of citizens, whether native or naturalized, both at home and abroad.

**Thirteenth:** That appropriations by Congress for River and Harbor improvements of a national character, required for the accommodation and security of an existing Commerce, are authorized by the Constitution and justified by an obligation of the Government to protect the lives and property of its citizens.

**Sixteenth:** That a railroad to the Pacific Ocean is imperatively demanded by the interests of the whole country; that the Federal Government ought to render immediate and efficient in its construction, and that preliminary thereto a daily overland mail should be promptly established.

**Seventeenth:** Finally, having thus set forth our distinctive principles and views, we invite the co-operation of all citizens, however differing on other questions, who substantially agree with us in their affirmation and support.

When the resolutions were read, several elicited warm applause.

The resolution in favor of a Protective Tariff was received with unabated enthusiasm by Pennsylvania, and a large crowd of outsiders—the whole delegation and spectators rising and giving round after round of deafening cheers.

### Republican Candidates.

The nomination of Abraham Lincoln for President of the United States is received with the utmost enthusiasm. It is believed to be a nomination which will carry with it irresistible power throughout the west and will secure Pennsylvania, the Keystone State, to the Republicans. It is confessedly and is already here arranging for his coming visit.

**Dr. Lighthill.** The celebrated Surgeon, who is now staying at the Sterling House in this city, was this morning consulted by Seth Davis, of Monroe, in regard to his ears. In the right one he had been deaf for the last eight years. He examined it and found a large tumor growing on the drum of the ear. The Dr. told him that it would be requisite to perform an operation on that ear to restore his hearing, to which the gentleman consented. By a skillful operation the tumor was removed, and his hearing immediately restored. The Reverend gentleman feels very grateful to the Dr. for restoring his hearing, and would recommend all others who are in any way affected with diseased ears to call and consult with Dr. Lighthill.

Rev. Seth Davis resides in Monroe in this county, and may be consulted for reference of persons desiring to have these facts substantiated.

### Farmer. Bridgport.

### Diseases of the Liver.

When the celebrated Dr. Rush declared that drunkenness was a disease, he enunciated a truth which the experience and observation of medical men is every day confirming. The many apparently insatiate excesses of those who indulge in the use of spirituous liquors, may thus be accounted for. The true cause of conduct, which is taken for intemperance, is very frequently a diseased state of the Liver. No organ in the human system, when deranged, produces a more frightful catalogue of diseases. And if, instead of applying remedies to the disease, as is too often the case, physicians would prescribe with a view to the original cause, fewer deaths would result from diseases induced by a deranged state of the Liver. Three fourths of the diseases enumerated under the head of Consumption have their seat in a diseased Liver. Dr. M'Lane's celebrated Liver Pills, prepared by Fleming Bros., are a certain cure.

**Dr. Lighthill.** The present Democratic Administration has far exceeded our worst apprehensions in its measureless subserviency to the exactions of a sectional interest, as especially evident in its desperate exertions to force the Leecompton Constitution upon the protesting people of Kansas—in constraining the personal relation between master and servant to involve an unqualified property in persons—in its attempted encroachment everywhere, on land and sea, through the intervention of Congress and the Federal Courts, of the extreme pretensions of a purely local interest, and in its general and unvarying abuse of the power intrusted to it by a confiding people.

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**Dr. Lighthill.** That the people justly view with alarm the reckless extravagance which pervades every department of the Federal Government; that a return to rigid economy and accountability is indispensable to arrest the system of plunder of the public treasury by favored partisans; while the recent startling developments of fraud and corruption at the Federal metropolis show that entire change of administration is imperative demanded.

**Dr. Lighthill.** That the new dogma that the Constitution of its own force carries Slavery into any or all the Territories of the United States, is a dangerous political heresy, at variance with the explicit provision of that instrument itself, with contemporaneous exposition, and with legislative and judicial precedent, is revolutionary in its tendency and subversive of the peace and harmony of one of its own.

**Dr. Lighthill.** The receipts of the Atlantic Railroad for April, 1859, were \$22,263,211; in April, 1860, they were \$23,125,421. This shows a gain of \$861,911.

**Dr. Lighthill.** That the normal condition of all the territory of the United States is that of Freedom; that as our Republican Fathers when they had abolished Slavery in all our national territory did insist no person should be deprived of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law, it becomes our duty, by legislation, whenever such legislation is necessary to maintain this provision of the Constitution against all attempt to violate it; and we deny the authority of Congress, of a Territorial Legislature or of any individuals, to give legal existence to Slavery in any Territory of the United States.

**Dr. Lighthill.** That we brand the recent re-opening of the African Slave-trade, under the cover of our national flag, aided by persons of judicial power, as a crime against humanity, a burning shame to our country and age, and we call upon Congress to take prompt and efficient measures for the total and final suppression of that execrable traffic.

**Dr. Lighthill.** That the recent events by their Federal Governors of the acts of the Legislatures of Kansas and Nebraska, prohibiting Slavery in those Territories, we find a practical illustration of the boasted Democratic principle of non-intervention and Popular Sovereignty, embodied in the Kansas and Nebraska bill, and a denunciation of the deception and fraud involved therein.

**Dr. Lighthill.** That Kansas should be righteously admitted as a State under the Constitution recently formed and adopted, when it is hoped a good number will be present, as they can come with the U. A. S. Executive Committee, who are to meet that day for the purpose of completing all unfinished business, and appoint a day for trial of mowers.

**Dr. Lighthill.** That while providing revenue for the support of the general Government, duties upon imports, sound policy requires such an adjustment of these imposts as to encourage the development of the industrial interest of the whole country, and we command that policy of national exchange which seems to the working-men liberal wages, to agriculture remunerating prices, to mechanics and manufacturers an adequate reward for their skill, labor and enterprise, and to the nation commercial prosperity and independence.

**Dr. Lighthill.** That we protest against any sale or alienation to others of the public lands held by actual settlers, and against any view of the free Homestead policy which regards the settlers as paupers or supplicants for public bounty, and we demand the passage by Congress of the complete and satisfactory Homestead measure which has already passed the House.

**Dr. Lighthill.** That the National Republican party is opposed to any change in our Naturalization laws, or any State Legislation by which the right of citizenship hitherto

We understand that the bank of North America at Seymour is likely to have its stock filled out and to be started under new auspices. A meeting was to be held Friday the 25th inst., to receive subscriptions to be authorized capital of \$150,000, and it is thought that the whole amount will be taken.

Our readers will reflect that Dr. Lighthill, the eminent Oculist and Auriat, from New York, is to be in this place, at Peck's Hotel, on Monday next, 28th inst. There will be no disappointment, as the Dr.'s assistance is already here arranging for his coming visit.

We clip the following from two of our exchanges, which fully endorse Dr. L. thus proving him to be a man of undoubted scientific skill, and practical ability:

**Time when Trains pass Falls Village.**  
**Going North.** { At 1:34 P. M.  
                  } " 8:30 P. M.  
**Going South.** { At 11:10 A. M.  
                  } " 5:52 P. M.  
Fare to New York by Railroad, \$2.60.  
" " " Steamer, \$2.25.  
Wm. H. MATSON, Agt.

### What the People Say.

New York, April 12, 1856.

Mr. HENRY R. COSTAR: Dear Sir.—Having a great many bats around my stable and shop, I thought I would try your Rat Exterminator, and bought one of your boxes, and my men fixed it according to your directions. The next morning he found over one hundred and fifty dead rats. I have bought others, but poison, and found them humbugs, and take pleasure in pronouncing this no humbug, and that it will do more than you say it will in your advertisements. I have also tried it on steam-boats, and am satisfied that it is the greatest thing of its kind.

Respectfully yours, etc.  
J. S. UNCHILLY, No. 435 10th street.

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### NOTICE,

Whereas my wife Sarah Doran, has left my house for a temporary cause, this is to forbid all persons harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting from this time henceforth.

THOMAS DORAN.  
Salisbury May 12th: 1860. 21. 3w.

**The Court of Probate for the District of Salisbury, has limited and allowed six months from the date hereof for the creditors of the Estate of Edward Pierce late of Salisbury, in said District deceased, represented in writing to which to exhibit their claims and demand payment. The Court doth decree that it and a large tumor growing on the drum of the ear. The Dr. told him that it would be requisite to perform an operation on that ear to restore his hearing, to which the gentleman consented. By a skillful operation the tumor was removed, and his hearing immediately restored. The Reverend gentleman feels very grateful to the Dr. for restoring his hearing, and would recommend all others who are in any way affected with diseased ears to call and consult with Dr. Lighthill.**

Certified by—  
ROBERT N. FULLER—Judge.  
May 8th, 1860.

We the undersigned, will meet the creditors of the above named Estate, for the purpose of receiving, examining and adjusting their claims against the same, on the 26th day of September, and the 7th day of November next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on each of said days, at the Hotel of Henry Vodstrich at Lime Rock in Salisbury.

W. P. RUSSELL, { Commissioner  
R. H. BOSTWICK, { Commissioners  
Salisbury, May 8th, 1860. 13. 3w.

At a Court of Probate held at Sharon, for the District of Sharon, on the 12th day of May, 1850—

Present—Ezekiel S. Stoddard—Judge.

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Certified from Dr. Lighthill.  
Ezekiel S. Stoddard—Judge. 13. 3w.

We the undersigned, will meet the creditors of the above named Estate, for the purpose of receiving, examining and adjusting their claims against the same, on the 26th day of September, and the 7th day of November next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on each of said days, at the Hotel of Henry Vodstrich at Lime Rock in Salisbury.

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