Foreign News.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMSHIP

PACIFIC.

FOUR DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

Extraordinary Passage—The Quickest Trip Ever Made.

The U. S. Mail Steamship Pacific Captain Nye, with four days later news from Europe arrived at New York Saturday morning, at about half past ten o'clock, having made the passage in *nine days and twenty hours* from Liverpool, being the shortest trip on record.

The Pacific left Liverpool on the 9th inst, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The passage has never before been made under ten days four hours and thirty minutes.

The shortest passage ever made to Liverpool was made in 10 days 9½ hours—which in mean time reduces the passage to 10 days 4 hours and 55 minutes. The Pacific therefore, bears off the palm.

The political news by this arrival is not of much importance.

There is nothing of any consequence going on in the British Parliament.

The Cotton market in Liverpool was dull, and prices nominal. The sales on Monday, April 7th, were 5000 bales, and those of Tuesday 2000.

The grain market was firm, without any change in prices.

Provisions remained as last noticed, and the imports were small.

Trade in the manufacturing districts was very dull and unsatisfactory.

Money was easy for short periods. Consols closed in London on the 8th inst, at 96⅞ a 96½.

The Cunard Steamship Asia arrived at Liverpool on Saturday night, the 5th inst., in 10 days, 10 hours and 35 minutes from New York.

KOSSUTH NOT TO BE RELEASED.—A despatch from Washington to the New York Courier conveys the following intelligence:

Despatches were yesterday received from Mr. McCurdy, Charge at Vienna, dated the 29th of March, stating that the Austrian Government had refused the application of the Sultan to release Kossuth and his companions in exile. By compact between Austria and Turkey, the latter was charged with the *surveillance* of these prisoners numbering several hundred, but the Sultan, finding the expense of maintaining them becoming burdensome, applied to be relieved from the incumbrance. This application was granted as far as respected all but Kossuth and eight or ten others; and word to this effect was sent to the Sultan before intelligence reached Vienna of the recent action of our Government. An urgent appeal will be addressed to Austria by our Government on this subject. The brother of the Austrian Emperor, who is to command the Austrian Navy, will visit this country in the course of the year, to examine our public yards and mode of naval construction, and institutions generally.

COMING OVER TO THE PANTALOONS.—Mrs. Bloomer, editor of the *Lily*, has adopted the "short dress and trousers," and says in her paper of this month, that many of the women in that place, (Seneca Falls,) oppose the change; others laugh; others still are in favor; "and many have already adopted the dress." She closes the article upon the subject as follows:

"Those who think we look *queer*,' would do well to look back a few years, to the time they wore ten or fifteen pounds of petticoat and bustle around the body, and balloons on their arms, and then imagine which cut the *queerest* figure, they or we. We care not for the frowns of over fastidious gentlemen; we have those of better taste and less questionable morals to sustain us. If men think they would be comfortable in long, heavy skirts let them put them on—we have no objection. We are more comfortable without them, and so have left them off. We do not say that we shall wear this dress and no other, but we shall wear it for a common dress; and we hope it may become so fashionable that we may wear it at all times, and in all places, and without being thought singular. We have already become so attached to it that we dislike changing for a long one."

SHOOTING AN INCENDIARY.—The Louisiana Journal tells the following story of an attempt to shoot an incendiary, who had been trying to fire a gin-house.

"The owner one night commanded one of his negroes to arm himself with a double barreled shot gun, and keep strict watch for the rascal, and shoot him upon the first glimpse. The old negro proceeded to obey orders, and after sitting patiently until the turn of the night, without any disturbance, saw in the 'dim distance' an object moving slowly, but steadily towards him. As soon as it became within safe shooting distance, he fired and down came his victim. He ran to the house and informed his master that he had killed the rascal, and no mistake, for he had seen him fall. The master went with his servant to examine, and there, sure enough, the dead one lay 'prostrate in the dust'—but it was one of his best oxen, instead of the villain who had been trying to burn his gin!"

RAILROADS IN RUSSIA.—It appears by a letter received in New York from Major Brown, consulting engineer of the Emperor of Russia, that the Emperor has determined, as soon as the season will allow, to commence the projected railroad from St. Petersburgh to Warsaw, the surveys for which were made last year. Major Brown will, by his position, have the chief superintendence. The distance in this instance to be run is from 750 to 800 of our miles, and stretching, for the most part, through an inhospitable tract of country, intersected by many rivers, broad morasses, and lowlands. The railroad will be begun in the latter part of May, and its completion will quicken into activity the internal commerce of Northern Europe.

GENERAL DEMBINSKI has arrived at Paris, from Constantinople.

THE AMERICAN.

SUNBURY.

SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 1851.

H. B. MASSER, Editor and Proprietor.

V. B. PALMER is our authorized agent to receive subscription and advertising at his office, in Philadelphia, New York, Boston and Baltimore.

TO ADVERTISERS.—The circulation of the Sunbury American among the different towns on the Susquehanna is not exceeded if equalled by any paper published in Northern Pennsylvania.

FOR GOVERNOR:

WILLIAM BIGLER.

Subject to the decision of the Convention.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

Business Notices.

JOURNAL OF THE FRANKLIN INSTITUTE.—The April number of this able Journal, for the promotion of the Mechanic arts, has been received. This Journal is the most scientific work of this kind published in this country. It contains, among other matters of interest, a record of all the patents, as issued from the Patent Office, descriptive of the claims of each. Published monthly at $5 per annum.

AMERICAN LAW JOURNAL.—The April number of this Journal contains a number of interesting and useful articles, besides the extracts of decisions, is an excellent one on the legal profession in the United States. Published monthly by Hamersley & Co., Lancaster.

THE LADIES' KEEPSAKE, a monthly periodical, at $1 per annum, published by John S. Taylor, New York, contains some pleasant sketches.

HARNESS, SADDLERY AND TRIMMINGS.—Our readers will find in our columns this week the advertisement of Mr. A. J. Stroh, who besides saddlery and harness keeps an assortment of trimmings for those engaged in the business.

HOLLOWING RUN STORE.—J. B. Kauffman, by his advertisement, informs his customers and others, that he has just received a new assortment of goods at his store in Hollowing Run.

☞ PRINTING INK.—A few kegs for sale for cash at this office.

☞ The last Legislature passed four hundred and thirty one acts, many of them in the Omnibus form that is, attaching a number of bills to another, as amendments, and passing them through. In one of these omnibuses we see a passenger from this County under the title of "an act providing for the appointment of road viewers in the County of Northumberland."

☞ DEATH OF GEN. BRADY.—In our last paper we mentioned the injury Gen. Brady had sustained by being thrown from his carriage. Hopes were entertained that he might recover, these hopes were not however realized. He died on Tuesday following.

☞ CONTESTED ELECTION.—Col. Wright is now contesting the right of Henry M. Fuller, Esq., to his election to Congress, from the Luzerne and Columbia district.—The parties met at Danville, on Monday last, with a large number of witnesses.

☞ COL. WEBB, the rejected Austrian Minister is down upon the Hungarians, and defends the Austrian government in its crusade against the gallant and down trodden Hungarians. The Col. had better move himself to Austria as he will find none to sympathise with him here. Even his friend the "Higher Law" Senator from New York would repudiate such doctrines.

☞ The Contractors on the Pennsylvania Railroad, have issued an advertisement for the employment of five thousand laborers, stonecutters, masons, &c., immediately, for the Western Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

This road extends seventy-five miles from Johnstown to Pittsburg, and comprises some of the heaviest work in the United State. The country is well settled and healthy and the line is peaceable and quiet.

The wages will be $1 per day, promptly paid, and the boarding, $2 per week.

On or about the first of June next, the Mountain Division of said road will be put under contract, which will require a force of from two to three thousand men for the next three years.

Mechanics are also wanted along said line, to whom good wages will be given.

BISHOP HUGHES.

This talented but ambitious and aspiring priest, has evidently been aiming for years past, to secure some high place in the Romish Church. He has been at Rome for some time, anxious to become the first Cardinal appointed in America. Once in the College of Cardinals, he is then eligible for the Chair of St. Peter. The Holy Council at Rome has, however, rejected him, fearing, no doubt, that the Yankee Churchman, whose fame for tact, talent and management, is well known, even in Europe, might prove a formidable rival for the Papal Chair, on the death of *Pio Nino*, the present Pope. Therefore doubting the propriety of making Bishop Hughes a Cardinal, they applied to the Catholic Bishops of the United States for their opinion, and they, of course, objected, which will decide the question against Bishop Hughes in the Sacred College, at least for the present.

THE GREAT RAILROAD CONVENTION ON THE 3D OF MAY—THE SUSQUEHANNA RAILROAD.

From present appearances it is probable, that the Convention to be held at Georgetown, in this County, on Saturday the 3d of May next, will be the largest and most important Improvement Convention, that has assembled in this section of the State, for many years. The Convention will be attended by many of the most distinguished men and Capitalists of this and other States. Baltimore will be strongly represented, and Philadelphia, though blinded to her own interests in the matter, will not be without a delegation. The principal towns in the Susquehanna valley, and all, in fact, who are interested in the construction of a railroad from this place to Erie, will have representatives in this Convention. From present appearances there is every prospect that the road from Harrisburg to Sunbury will be put under contract at an early day, as the right of connecting the York and Cumberland road, with the Pennsylvania Rail Road, is coupled with the charter of the Harrisburg and Sunbury road. There are also provisions and conditions connected with the charter of the Susquehanna and Erie rail road, commencing at the northern terminus of the Susquehanna road, and terminating at Erie, which will ensure the completion of one hundred and sixty miles of that road at an early period. The conditions alluded to, grant the right of way along the lake shore, for the construction of a road connecting the New York and Ohio improvements, but before this connection can be commenced, forty miles at each end of the Susquehanna and Erie road, must be completed, and eighty miles more completed before the connection can be used. Thus it will be seen that the prospects are now bright for the early completion of these great improvements, and all that is wanting is harmony, energy, and concert of action.

☞ U. S. SENATOR.—Four more unsuccessful ballots have been made to elect Mr. Sumner in Boston. Mr. Sumner is the abolition candidate. He received 194 votes, one less than is necessary to a choice.

WOMEN IN PANTS.

Mrs. Bloomer the editress of the "Lily" a periodical published at Seneca Falls, N. Y., is out against long skirt, and has set the example of reform by adopting herself, the dress worn by little girls, called "frock and pants." The following article from the Philadelphia Ledger, takes the same side of the question, and thus argues for the propriety of the proposed change:

We hear a great deal about the equality of the sexes and the rights of women. If the sexes are equal, and women have rights which men now deny them, they cannot commence the work of reform with more certainty of success than in certain matter over which they have full control. This of dress is one. We have alternately in January and July the climate of Siberia and Timbuctoo. Common sense, were common sense a woman, would clothe herself accordingly. In winter she would wear boots, such as men wear, as high as the calf of the leg, trousers of colored woolen stuff, reaching to the top of the boot, and skirts of no greater longitude. In summer, shoes, not paper-soled slippers, might take the place of boots, and muslin of woollen, the out remaining the same, leaving the scavengers to sweep the streets throughout the year.—With the progress of intelligence, our great grand children may see these salutary changes, but there is little present hope of them, however recommended by convenience, comfort, economy and genuine principle, and by other men like myself.

☞ Roback the Astrologer, has again got himself into difficulties, having been inducted in Philadelphia, for obtaining money by false pretences. He must indeed be a dupe, who could be inveigled by such silly artifices and glaring impostures. See his advertisement.

☞ Miss Harriet Martineau has become an infidel, and speaks of the bible as fabulous, comparing it with the wildest works of fiction. When she visited this country some ten or fifteen years since, she was in this place. She was then among the most rabbid of abolitionists, upon which doctrine it seems she has since improved, by repudiating all restraints upon mind and body, physically and mentally, religious and moral.

ADVICES from Bassorah states that 70,000 Russian troops have entered that province.

THE horses and guns of Maj. Sherman's U. S. flying artillery, at Boston, having been sold under the hammer.

LADY FRANKLIN, worn out with "hope deferred," is at length seriously indisposed.

FANNY ELSSLER is about to take leave of the stage at Vienna, where her career commenced.

BANAVRD is now in Egypt, preparing a Panorama of the River Nile.

A MAN too busy to take care of his health is like a mechanic too busy to take care of his tools.

HE who knows the world, will not be too bashful, and he who knows himself will never be impudent.

SOCRATES being asked what true nobility was, answered, temperance of mind and body.

A COTEMPORARY is very anxious to know the exact width of a "narrow escape."

FIGHTS in a grog shop are now called spiritual knockings.

THE KENT COUNTY MASSACRE.

The Maryland and Delaware papers confirm the reports of the arrest of four or five individuals, on suspicion of being concerned in the Cosden murders. The Cecil Democrat of Saturday says:

"John Ford and Samuel Sills were arrested by the Sheriff of this county, on Thursday night last, and lodged in Elkton jail, on suspicion of being concerned in the massacre of the Cosden family. These men reside in this county, near the Bohemia Ferry, in Sassafras Neck. They were arrested in consequence of revelations made by Drummond, now in Chestertown Jail, on suspicion of being one of the murderers."

The Wilmington Blue Hen's Chicken, of Saturday, also says:—

"Abraham Taylor was committed at New Castle, on Wednesday night last, by Esquire Townsend, of Blackbird, charged with being concerned in the murder of the Cosden family."

These three, with Nicholas Murphy, whose arrest at Havre-de-Grace we have noticed, and who has been committed to Elkton jail, makes up the entire party implicated by Drummond's confession, with the exception of a young man named Shelton, as to whom no account has yet been received.

The Cecil Whig says that Abraham Taylor is the man mentioned in the following mysterious note, found on the person of John Brown, which he said he had found:—

"Mary Brown, John Brown—He says he is going to kill them to-night; wants me to help him; you are my friends and I may tell you; if you don't mind he will kill you. The man is Abram Taylor."

ALBANY AND SUSQUEHANNA RAILROAD.—At Oneonta, Otsego county, New York, about two thousand people met on the 2d inst., for the purpose of adopting measures to construct a railroad from some point on the line of the New York and Erie road, at or near Binghampton, to the city of Albany, by the way of Great Bend, Pennsylvania, the valleys of the Susquehanna river, and the Schenevus and Coldeskill creeks. A committee appointed for the purpose reported articles of association for the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad Company, together with the names of a Board of Directors, all of which were adopted. Nearly one hundred thousand dollars were immediately subscribed. About $40,000 more is required to obtain an incorporation, and assurances were given that it would be made up in a few days, when, on filing the articles of association, &c., in the office of the Secretary of State, the Company will be fully incorporated, and the survey of the road immediately entered upon.

STORY TURNED TO SERIOUSNESS.—It is not always prudent for ladies to don male attire as the annexed, from the Washington Republic, will show:

A few nights ago a young lady dressed herself in man's clothes, for the purpose of having a little innocent fun by frightening the two white female servants in the house.

One of them had retired to rest, and was in a doze when the young lady, thus disguised, entered the chamber and disturbed the occupant, whose screams startled the other servant, who being down stairs, hastened up. The young (we) man rushed to the door to keep her out; but superior strength prevailed, and ingress was effected. This servant seized the supposed male, and after a severe contest threw a heavy candlestick at the head of her antagonist, which did not, however, strike as intended; and she then ran, and did not stop until she reached the basement. Here she fainted, and remained insensible for nearly half an hour. The whole household were now alarmed, there was much "noise and confusion," and, to remove all fear, the young lady readily revealed herself, perceiving that her conduct was near leading to very serious consequences.

Jack a nose a kiss, and richly earned
The calf with which his huge ox he turned;
Yet th ought it hard a selfish crack
Could not command a paltry smack.

RICE is being cultivated as an experiment in California, on the San Joaquin. With rice along the river banks, and wheat and barley growing in the back country, California will yet be able to establish herself as a land of agricultural wealth.

THE CUBAN EXPEDITION.—The Washington Telegraph says, the Cuban expedition now on foot is said to be headed by Gen. Minabeau, B. Lamar, of Georgia, and a Senor Gonzales, of Havana. It is said, also, that Gov. Towns, of Georgia, is identified with the enterprise. Whether these statements are true or not we cannot say, but whoever is connected with such a design, is destined to experience a miserable failure in attempting it.

A LADY has sent to the World's Exhibition a knitted lace scarf, containing 121 miles of thread, and 3,475,000 stitches. It is nine feet ten inches in length, and three feet wide, and is only 5¾ ounces in weight.

MELANCHOLY DEATH.—Mrs. Pritz, of Manheim, attempted to chastise a small child with a switch. The child began to cry violently, became much excited, placed its hands to its mouth, and checked respiration, which it had often done before. During this fit of passion, it fell upon the floor where the mother left it, supposing the child would recover from its fit. The mother shortly afterwards returned to her child, and upon taking it up she found it dead.—*Lancaster Union.*

HON. JAMES BUCHANAN.—The Virginia Southern Rights men have invited the Hon James Buchanan to address them on the best means "for the maintenance of the Constitution and the Union of the States in their original purity." Mr. Buchanan says it can be done by a return to the State Rights principles enunciated in the Virginia Resolutions of '98.

A PRETTY IDEA! The sorrowful John Peerybingle, says, in allusion to bygone happy scenes: "no hand can make the clock strike for me, the hours that have past."

TRUTHS OF HISTORY.

It has often been alleged, and generally believed, that Alexander Hamilton was a Monarchist: but in reading his original draft of the Constitution of the United States, no trace can be found of that fact, every provision being republican in trait and principle; but not radically Democratic, for no man ever breathed who was more opposed to giving the popular voice a universal and direct sway in the Government; but a Monarchist he certainly was not, if his papers in the "Federalist," and his draft of the Constitution, are to be the test of his opinions.—By the original draft of the Federal organic law, the absence of the President from the country was declared to be an abdication of his office, and furnishes an index by which to construe the present Constitution; the idea having been frequently agitated that the right to do so, without losing his seat, could not be questioned. There appears but slight variation between this document and the Constitution as it now stands, the most marked difference being the choice of President by two classes of electors, in the event of a non-election by the first class—a wiser and safer method than the present one.—*Ledger.*

OVER one hundred tons of quicksilver from the Almaden mine are about to be exported from San Francisco to Mazatlan, in the bark E Cornine, which is by far the largest shipment of this article ever made at any one time from this State. It will soon be one of our principal articles of export.

A SPECIMEN OF FLAX COTTON has been prepared by Mr. Hayward, of Buffalo, a gentleman of great experience in flax culture, who is confident that he can produce the article in a large way for six cents per pound. The material is not bleached, but in all other respects has the appearance of fine Sea Island cotton, and feels like it.

LEIGH HUNT'S *London Journal* has an epigram on the copyright question between England and America:

"JONATHAN makes our books his own,
But his books we must leave alone,
Hold give us David in sensible action
The right of Free Republication."

THE VALUE OF PRAYER.—A parson in Italy has been sentenced to two years' imprisonment, for omitting to pray for the Emperor of Austria. We had no idea that royalty placed such an estimate on prayer.

LADIES, OBSERVE.—But little trimming is worn on the sleeves of dresses, which continue to be made tight at the shoulder and loose at the wrists. Fontanges or quillings of ribbon are much worn.

THE INCOME of the English Wesleyan Methodist Missionary Society for 1850, is one hundred and four thousand, six hundred and sixty-one pounds sterling.

THE interest which the Government is to pay to Maine on advance in the Aroostook war, is supposed to be about $70,000. The bill was passed by the late Congress.

A CUSTOM HOUSE OATH.—The Boston Commonwealth gives the following as a Custom House Oath:

You swear,————;
S'elp you God. 50 cents.

A WRITER in London says: "I doubt if the plainest lodgings and the most indifferent fare can be obtained here through the summer at anything less than $20 per week."

A PATENT STEAM CRANE has been invented in England which removed twenty tons of timber one hundred feet in 29 minutes and 16 seconds, at a cost in labor of about $3.

Two live women were found concealed in puncheons on board the British bark Express, from Liverpool to Charleston S. C., when fourteen days at sea.

THE Galena Advertiser states that the exports of lead from that place the present season will amount to two millions of dollars.

A PROUD MAN is known by his speech, so is a vain man, so is an ugly man, so is a fool, saith the wise man.

CONCEAL.—Dickens, in speaking of a friend, says, he was so long in the legs that he looked like the afternoon shadow of somebody else.

AN intelligent writer in the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser, refutes the idea of a periodical rise and fall of Lake Erie.

THE rumored case of a domestic difficulty in "high life," in New York, smells strongly of black mail the Mirror, of that city, says.

AT Louisville, it has been decided that ballots printed in the German language are illegal, and they are thrown out.

THE Livingston (N. Y.) Union says, that a gentleman in Genesee, killed seventy-one pigeons at one shot, with one common fowling piece.

THE campaign between Gen. Foote and his disunion opponents has fairly opened in Mississippi.

BETSY, in Boker's "World a Mask," says, she can no more stand all the kissing in the family, than she can all the washing.

CHILLY MACINTOSH, head war chief of the Creek nation, has been ordained to the Gospel ministry, and is now employed by the Baptist board as one of the native preachers.

A DISAPPOINTED old bachelor out West says it makes little difference whether a man commits suicide or matrimony! In one case he loses his life and the other his breeches.

To Discover how many idle men there are in a place, all that's necessary is to set two dogs a fighting.

THE heirs of Louis Phillippe are about to offer for sale the gallery of modern pictures in the Palais Royal.

ONE hundred and thirteen children are in the Cincinnati Orphan Asylum.

STRANGE SALE.

A German bought at a late Custom House auction sale of unclaimed bonded goods, in New York, thirty-two large packages, which the auctioneer said were "supposed to contain a light-house." The price at which the mysterious property was knocked down was $500; and on opening the several parcels, it has been discovered that they contain the distinct parts of a light-house, among which is a large copper wheel covered with curious devices, and obviously designed for complicated machinery. Other cases enclosed the lenses and immediate apparatus of a lantern. The fortunate purchaser of the package has already been offered $7,000 for his bargain, which he has declined. It is conjectured that the work of art, consisting of the different sections which were sold together at the auction referred to, was sent to this country as a present from the French to the American Government. The lot was consigned to a naval officer, and was not claimed on account of his death. It is thought that the structure, machine, or whatever it is that has turned up so oddly, may be worth $30,000.

JERSEY CITY AND LAKE ERIE.—The last rail of the Erie Railroad is said to have been laid, forming a continuous line of Railroad by the Paterson and Ramapo roads intersecting the Erie at Suffern, from Jersey City to Dunkirk on the shores of Lake Erie.

A CINCINNATI PAPER states that in the year 1833, a German gardener purchased a lot of two and a half acres of ground at the west end of Eight street, in that city, for $2,500. Last week he sold the same for $52,000.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—The Reading Democrat says, during a riot last week on the Central Road, near Greensburg, Pa., Col. James Coulter, whilst attempting to suppress it, accidentally shot an innocent man, it is feared, fatally. Several of the rioters were arrested.

HOW THE MONEY GOES.—A fellow boasted he had taken twenty-five drinks of whiskey at a shilling a glass, and he intended to run the number up to one hundred before bed time. It would not take such a fellow long to swellow a dozen houses and several farms.

THE reward of $10,000 offered by the Legislature of Massachusetts, for the discovery of a cure for the potato rot, has been claimed by Mr. Joshua F. Hatch, of Dorcester. His remedy consists of ground charcoal mixed with sulphate of lime.

CURIOUS CARGO.—A letter from the master of a vessel lately arrived in the Thames, from New South Wales, mentions that the Brightman, of London, was taking in a cargo at Sydney, for California, consisting of ready made coffins, which were filled with bottled beer!

THE Wisconsin Assembly have passed a bill levying a tax of $1 on a gentleman and $2 on lady dogs. The Legislature knows which is the "better half," of creation anyhow.

THE Lewisburg, Union county University, established but a few years, appears to be in flourishing condition. The number of students, including the Female and Primary departments, is 247.

JACOB FREY, aged nearly 100 years, of Moorestownship, Northampton county, Pa., died on Wednesday of last week.

GEN. PRESTON F. SMITH, it is said, has purchased a farm from Gen. Vallejo in the valley of Sonoma, and has sent for his family, intending to make California his permanent place of residence.

AN Addition to the royal family is expected in the course of the month of May.—The English people may well ask, "Will the line stretch out till the crack of doom.

BOOKS OR SUBSCRIPTION for a Gas Company have been opened at Easton, Pa. Proposals are advertised for, for the construction of the works. Bituminous coal is to be used.

THE Sicele is about to publish a romance and tale by the Emperor Napoleon, written when a youth, which are engaged to be perfectly authentic, and to be accompanied by proofs of their genuineness.

AT Burlington, Vermont, the ice still remains on Lake Champlain in large quantities, and snow is to be seen in abundance on the neighboring hills and mountains.

A PROSPECTUS has been issued in Germany, for the establishment of a line of steamers between Rotterdam and the United States.

THE Neapolitan authorities refuse their subjects passports to England during the Exhibition. The preaching of Gavazzi is said to have been the reason.

THE woman who was a party to the pretended miracle of the bleeding picture of the Conciliation of Sateria, has been arrested by the French authorities.

THE a favorite Toast in San Francisco is —"*The Ladies*—God bless, Love caress, and Heaven receive 'em."

THE City indebtedness of Sacramento is about $400,000.

PROF. SILLIMAN'S arrival in London is recorded in the papers.

SHAME oftens does what the law cannot do.

THE Paper Mill at McCartyville, N. J., has been again destroyed by fire.

New Advertisements.

Lycoming Mutual Insurance Company.

DR. I. B. MASSER is the local agent for the above Insurance Company, in Northumberland county, and is at all times ready to effect Insurances against fire on real or personal property, or renewing policies for the same.

Sunbury, April 26, 1851.—tf.

ARNOLD'S WRITING FLUID and Adhesive and legal envelopes, for sale by H. B. MASSER.

Sunbury, April 26, 1851.—

LOOK HERE!!!

THE Subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he still continues the

SADDLERY BUSINESS,

At his old Stand in

Market Street, Sunbury,

two doors above Market Square, where he constantly keeps on hand, a large assortment of

Ready Made Harness,

(Double & Single) with Silver, Brass and Japanned mountings. Also—Saddles, Bridles, Trunks, Valises, Whips, Collars.

All kinds of work in his line made to order, in as neat a style as can be got up in this country.—Persons wishing to purchase will please call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

N. B.—The subscriber has just opened a new and splendid

Assortment of Saddlery,

Such as Silver, Brass and Japanned mounting, Patent Self Adjusting Trees, Patent Roller Bits, Bridles Bridle Bits, Trunk and Valise Locks, Trunk Board, Trunk Nails, Trees, Thimbles, Rules, Saddle Web Stretchers and Leather Webs.

Enamelled Leather, Patent Leather, Oil Cloth, Patent Thread, Fancy Brass-Heads, Saddle Trees, Buck's Hair.

PATENT FLY NETS

of all kinds. All of which will be sold as cheap if not cheaper than they can be got elsewhere, for cash or approved credit.

A. J. STROH.

Sunbury, April 26, 1851.—3m.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William D. Lentz, one of the firm of William D. Lentz & Co., Lewisburg, withdrew by consent of the other members of said firm. The firm will be the business of William D. Lentz and Ira T. Clement, under the name of Ira T. Clement & Co.

IRA T. CLEMENT,
WM. D. LENTZ,
WM. D. LENTZ.

Sunbury, April 26, 1851.—3t.

CHEAP TWENTY CENT ROAD.

THOSE who like a cheap ticket are hereby notified that an Excursion Ticket will be issued for the ensuing year, will be held at the house of James Lee, in Northumberland, on Monday the 26th of June next, between the hours of 9 o'clock, A. M., and 4 o'clock, P. M.

JOSEPH F. THRESHLEY,
President.

Northumberland, April 26, 1851.—3t.

Estate of MARY GRAY, Dec'd.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration have been granted to the subscriber, on the estate of Mary Gray, dec'd., late of the Borough of Sunbury. All persons indebted to said estate, or having claims against the same, are requested to call on the subscriber for settlement.

MARY BRANNAN,
Administratrix.

Sunbury, April 26, 1851.—6t.

NEW SPRING AT HOLLOWING RUN.

At the Cross Roads, near J. D. Conrads, Lower Augusta.

J. B. KAUFFMAN

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally, that he has just received and opened a new stock of goods, which he now offers for sale for the most reasonable terms. His stock consists in part of

DRY GOODS,

SUCH AS

Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinets, Merinos, &c.

Summer wear of all kinds—Muslins, Calicoes, Ginghams, Checks, &c.

ALSO,

An assortment of Boots and Shoes of all kinds, most generally in use.

ALSO,

Groceries of all Kinds,

As Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Molasses, Spices, &c.

ALSO—Queensware and Crockery ware, a full assortment.

Also—Cap Hats, Chip Hats, and Straw Hats.

ALSO—An assortment of Liquors, viz:

Brandy, Wine, Whiskey, &c.

Besides a variety of other articles, most generally used by the farmers and other persons, all of which he will sell on reasonable terms to suit the times, particularly as he is determined to sell.

All kinds of produce taken in exchange for goods at the highest cash price.

Hollowing Run, April 26, 1851.—6t

PUBLIC VENDUE.

WILL be exposed to sale on SATURDAY, the 26th inst., at the late residence of Conrad Fetterhoff, in the borough of Sunbury, the following described property, viz: one Book Case, one Cupboard, one Bureau, one Clock, Tables, Chairs, Bedsteads and Bedding, Cooking and Parlour Stoves, a lot of Carpeting, besides a variety of Household and Kitchen Furniture too numerous to mention. Also

LATEST HEAD OF HORSES,

two Top Buggies, nearly new, two Rockaway Carriages,

A Two Horse Carriage,

two Harrows, three Cradles or Rudges, 2 two Horse Sleds, a Wagon and Harness, Two-horse Cultivator, six Sets of Heavy Harness, one Double Set of Plough Harness, one Double Set of Hoach Harness, a lot of Sleigh Bells, Three Stoves, Three Bedsteads and Bedclothes, three Buffalo Robes, Blankets and Horse Clothes, besides a variety of other articles too numerous to mention. Also, a Bible, two Shot Guns, and a lot of Potatoes. Also a lot of Hay and Oats in the ground.

Sale to commence at 9 o'clock, A. M., of said day, when the conditions will be made known by

J. H. FETTERHOFF,
Administrator.

Sunbury, April 19, 1851.—2t.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing, under the firm of A. J. & G. W. Stroh, Saddlers and Harness Makers, in Sunbury, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 9th of June 1850. The books are placed in the hands of J. H. Zimmerman, Esq. who alone is authorized to collect the same.

G. W. STROH.

Sunbury, April 19, 1851.—3t.

NATIONAL HOTEL,

SHAMOKIN,

Northumberland County, Pa.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he has opened a new Hotel in the town of Shamokin, Northumberland county, on the corner of Shamokin and Commerce streets, nearly opposite to the House he formerly kept. He is well prepared to accommodate his guests, and is also provided with good stabling. He trusts his experience, and strict attention to business, will induce persons visiting the coal region to continue the liberal patronage he has heretofore received.

WILLIAM WEAVER.

Shamokin, April 19, 1850.—tf.

BLANK NOTES, waiving the exemption law of $300, for sale by

April 26, 1851.— H. B. MASSER.

BLANK Parchment Paper Deeds and blank Mortgages, Bonds, Executions, Summons, &c., for sale by H. B. MASSER.

Sunbury, April 26, 1851.—

JUSTICES' FEE BILLS. For sale by H. B. MASSER.

Sunbury, April 26, 1851.—