THE PEACE CONGRESS. NEW YORK, April 13 .- The steamer Washington, from Bremen and Southampton, arrived at 7 o'clock this morning, with London dates to the morning of the 25th ult., and Liverpool to the 21st.

The steamer America had not arrived out when the Washington sailed.

The protocol of peace had not been signed at the latest dates, and the Conference was less harmonions owing to difficulting relief.

less barmonious, owing to difficulties raised by Prussia. Peace was, however, substan-

tially certain.

The British Government has despatched two steam frigates in search of the Pacific, of which no tidings had reached England.

The Copenhagen correspondent of the London Times states that the Danish Commissary had submitted to the Copenhagen Conference the proposal for the capitalisation of the Sound Dues, fixing the sum of 35,-000,000 rix dollars as the minumum of the indemnity which Denmark claimed. The writer states further, that the United States having declined taking any part in the Con-ference, the question would, in all probability, be resolved without their co-operation

Mr. Buchauan designed leaving Southampton on the 7th of April, in the steamer Arago, for New York

Mr. Buchanan had gone to Paris, accompanied by Mr. Campbell, the American Consul at London, and Mr. Croskey, the American Consul at Southampton. He de-signed to visit the Hague before starting on his return to the United States.

According to the London Times the cause of the difficulties in the Paris Conference was a demand put forth by the Prussian Plenipotentiaries to be admitted to sign the treaty on the same footing and in the same character as if Prussia had been a party to the alliance throughout. It is said that Russia supports the Prussian pretensions. This took place at the meeting on the 22d of March. Another meeting was held on the 24th, but nothing has transpired of what took place. The opinion that the Peace Conference would ultimately resolve itself into an European Congress is strongly

The London Times Crimean correspondence says that the war party still cherish hopes that the negotiations will break down. It may suit the French to make concessions, but it ought not to suit us. They doubtless consider they have done enough for the honor and glory of France, and to revenge the reverses of 1812; moreover they connot afford a war as England can. Their army, however numerous on paper, is dwindling sadly from the scurvy and fever, which are playing sad havoe in its ranks. The mortality is stated to be 120 per day, and frequent-The Allies had commenced the demolition

of the enclosure and lines around Sebasto-STILL LATER BY THE CAMBRIA.

HAMPAN, April 14,-The Royal Mail steambhip Cambria, from Liverpool on the 29th ult., arrived here at six o'clock this morning. She sailed again at ten o'clock for Boston, where she will probably arrive in senson for her mails to go forward in Wednesday morning's train.

There is no news of the missing steamship

The Peace Congress met again on Thursday, the 27th, all the members being present. The deliberations were said to have been important. The treaty of peace it was confidently believed, would be signed on Saturierate from us. day, the 29th of March-the day the Cambria

The Paris correspondent of the London News, says the Court tradesmen have been ordered to prepare illuminations for Satur- road, now leaves Sunbury at 8 o'clock in the day evening definitely. Other papers say Sunday; others one day next week, but all The change has been made to facilitate the agree that it will be early. Previous intelligence from Paris had stated that the Diplomatic difficulty was on the point of being creasing.

The correspondent of the London Times mays that Lord Clarendon's motion prevailed, that an arrangement was come to, that the Allies shall sign one protocol and that a the Allies shall sign jointly. The committee is now engaged in the reduction of both ning of these protocols.

The London Times, in an editorial, speaks

"our allies" as unwise and undignified in their demonstrations in favor of Peace, and conceives that the people of Great Britain will be discontented with the terms of peace -the only result to England being her victories, and the consciousness of undiminished

resources.

The armistice is not formally prolonged, not to renew hostilities without express

The advices from the Crimea are to the 13th ult. The health of the French army was much improved. Several conflagrations had occurred at Equatoria. Ten thousand English troops were at Balaklava.

There is no excitement whatever with regard to the difficulties with America. Interest in the subject is almost extinct, although the papers continue to discuss the subject. A writer, dating from Paris, over the signature of "States Man," sends an admirable letter on the subject to the London Times.

The newspapers continue to publish numberless congratulatory addresses. A review will be held at Paris of 100,000 men to celebrate the signing of the declaration of peace. The review nominally, is a compli-ment to Count Orloff, the only soldier of the Plenipotentiaries. Among the rumors prevalent are, that the Emperors of Russia and Austria have respectively promised to visit Paris soon after the conclusion of peace. Six thousand French have embarked at Marseilles for the Crimea, probably to supply

sick vacancies.

Napoleon has determined to send an extensive expedition to colonize Madagascar, which England does not approve of,

The Queen of Spain has performed the annual ceremony of washing the feet of the poor. Ho, also, has the Emperor of Austria. There is nothing reported concerning the

A BLIND HISTORIAN .- One of the papers states that Wm. H. Prescott, the American historian, who resides at Groton, Mass., lost one eye when at college, by a blow from a crust thrown by a boy. The sight of the other was so weakened by sympathy, that he cannot use it. He accordingly uses the apparatus invented for the blind--n stylus, with trucing paper, and string to guide the hand. He is thus able to sit up at night and write without lighting a candle. In this way his great historical labors have been perfected.

THE WAR .- The Richmond Enquirer thus sums up the results of the European war;

To sum up results Sardinia, after exhausting its credit, is dismissed with a reprimand for its impertment interference, the Ottoman Empire in Europe is overthrown, and Turkey has become the prey of its protectors; Great Britain has been cutwitted in the cabinet, dishonored in the field, and degraded from its prond position among the nations of Europe; France has monopolized all the material advantage and military glory of the war, and is now indisputably the foremost Power of the diminished in its resources, nor disparaged in character, nor curbed in its ambition, but full of young life, irrepressible energy, and confidence in its own great destiny.



THE AMERICAN.

SUNBURY.

SATURDAY, APRIL 19, 1856.

H. B. MASSER, Editor and Proprietor To ADVERTISERS - . The circulation of the Sunbary

American among the different towns on the Surqueham Is not exceeded if equalled by any paper published in North era Pennsylvania.

DEMOCRATIC STATE NOMINATIONS.

For Canal Commissioner, GEORGE SCOTT, of Columbia county. For Auditor General. JACOB FRY, of Montgomery county. For Surveyor General,

TIMOTHY IVES, of Potter county.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE St. Matthew's Cherch.-Divine Service on Sunday evening, 20th inst., at 71 o'clock.

A full list of Tavern license applicants

will be found in this weeks paper.

The legislature will adjourn on Tues day, the 22d inst.

B Professor Sweet delivered a lecture in the Court House on Tuesday evening last .--The lecture was well received by a respectable audience, although the notice was short.

57 THE MAIL from Philadelphia was ex. changed at Shamokin by mistake, on Tuesday evening. The conductor, Mr. Hanna, rather thinks the fault was his, this time, and as he ties, we should not grumble much, but hope that he will keep a sharp look out hereafter.

FAREWELL SERMON .- Rev. Richard A Fisher, Paster of the German Reformed church in this place, will preach his farewell sermon on Sunday morning next. Mr. Fisher has been the Pastor of the German Reformed | meeting. church, in this place, for more than twenty years. Declining health has compelled him to withdraw from his labors temporarily, and may, perhaps, render his permanent retirement necessary. During his ministry, in 1847, the present new church edifice was built, but was not completed without considerable difficulty and financial embarrassment. Mr. Fisher has always been popular and highly esteemed by the members of his church, as well as by the community, who regret the necessity that compels him to sep-

CHANGE OF TIME.—The passenger train over the Philadelphia & Sunbury rail morning instead of 9 o'clock as heretofore, -

The Sunbury and Erie road commenced this place about 2 o'clock at night, so as to take the passengers on the arrival of the second shall be drawn up which Prussia and Packet boats at Northumberland. We have also heard that the morning train for Williumsport leaves earlier than heretofore. As protocols. The only delay, supposing no secondent to occur, can be in the proper fra- soon as the injunction of secresy is removed. on this subject, we will let our readers know, as some of them may have an interest in knowing when the trains leave, if the compa-

T. Clement of this place, made a trial trip last Saturday-and performed as well as had but telegraphic instructions have been sent been expected. The boat is now awaiting completion of her upper deck, after which she will commence business operations. The boat is designed for towing and carrying passengers.

The Steambost Susquehanna is also undergoing repairs, and will be ready for running whilst the equation of grades in favor of the the beginning of next week.

THE MAILS

The mail lettings for Pennsylvania by the Post Office department, closed on Monday mistake. Milton is the terminus only of the last, the 14th inst. The lettings will be de- Cuttawissa road. The Sunbury and Eric clared on the 7th of May. We observe that the Northern Central, and the Philadelphia the contract for carrying the Mail on the and Sunbury road, terminate at this place .-Sunbury and Erie road, extends only from Besides no road from Pottsville to Miltonthis place to Milton, from whence, we pre- can be made, without heavy grade as an sume, it is to be carried on by the Philadel. | inclined plane, between Shamekin and Miltonphia Express train. Whether it will be as ex. without coming through Sunbury. peditious as if carried on direct from this place to Williamsport is yet to be determined. mail three times a week from Northumber- customers. land to the Junction, offering, however, to consider proposals for six times a week. The mails between this and Harrisburg have been has changed hands, and is now edited and anything but reliable, and will hardly be improved, until after the completion of the rail rond. Judge Campbell will not reap many honors for the administration of postal affairs, in this section of the state.

DREADFUL TORNADO IN PHILADELPHIA. On Saturday night at about 10 o'clock, a wife, and to define the liabilities of property received through the wife for the debts of the dreadful tornado passed over the city of Philadelphia, It lasted about fifteen minutes. It provides that hereafter, when persons in The wind blew with tremendous violence. The dust was carried up in clouds, awnings were the debts of the wife further than the property torn to pieces, houses were unroofed, chimnies were blown down, and property was through the wife shall in no case be liable for destroyed to the amount of upwards of one hundred thousand dollars. Five houses were utterly demolished, and more than one hundred and fifty were more or less injured. ticular. Among these were five Churches. The panic for a few moments was fearful. Many of those earth: Russia is just what it was before, not who were in the streets ran for their lives. Signs were dashed to the earth with great violence, and several persons were injured in

PIRE IN PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia was visited with a most disasrous fire on Thursday night. About midnight a fire broke out in the upper part of the Artisan building, a vast establishment five stories in height, forming a bollow square in the rear of Chesnut and Fourth streets, occupied by various branches of manufacture, which together with nearly all its contents was entirely destroyed. Every part of the building was tenanted by workshops, with valuable machinery driven by an eighty-horse

engine in the basement. Mr. Duval, the well known Lithographer occupied one floor. His loss is estimated at \$100,000, on which he has but \$30,000 insurance. He had forty steam presses and an mmense stock of stones, &c., including the lithographs of Commodore Perry's Japan Expedition for the Government, and plates worth \$6,000, all complete and ready to be

The whole loss is estimated at \$350,000 and may reach \$400,000. An old lady, a Mrs. Chester who occupied the house ad. joining the United States Hotel, died during the fire from fright. The rear of the United States Hotel was on fire several times, and its destruction seemed inevitable. The boarders fled in consternation. Mr. Mac Lelland, the Proprietor suffered considerable damages by water. An iron safe containing \$40,000 worth of Jewelry was taken out of the fire uninjured.

THE LITERARY SOCIETY Met on Tuesday evening. A lecture was Esq., but a Professor Sweet volunteered his services, and as he was a stranger, Mr. Youngman yielded the stand to him. The Professor talked about an hour on the proper mode of teaching the alphabet, &c., after which he treated the audience to a short lecture on the subject "Home." This selection would met the sympathy and wishes of the

The lectures before the society have hitherto been free, but the Prof. had the admirable coolness to pass around the hat. After is generally obliging and attentive to his du- a collection had been made, a travelling companion asked leave to add a few words. We regret being unable to name the subject. for the speaker did not announce it, and it was impossible to discover it by any other means.

These gentlemen having occupied the whole evening, the regular exercises of the embarrass a policy which has already produ-society were necessarily postponed until next ced the most striking and useful results, both

GLEANINGS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS.

LEWISBURG .- The papers of this thriving borough announce the arrival of farmers and others who have made Lewisburg their residence. The bonds given by the borough of Lewisburg to the Susquehanna Rail Road Company were burnt by the Treasurer on Saturday last. The bonds had been given on condition that the road be extended to Lewisburg. The University Female Institute will open on the 22d inst.

SELISSGROVE .- The editor of the Democrat speaks encouragingly of the business prospects of this place, and its excellent location for manufacturing purposes, especially when the bridge is built to connect the town with the Northern Central rail road.

DANVILLE .- The workmen of the Montour up to March 1st, and to pay monthly there running a train on Tuesday evening, leaving after. Payment was postponed until Saturday, when it is supposed matters will be ar-

THE MINERS' JOURNAL, of Pottsville, has been for several weeks past, publishing statistics on the subject of tunnelling the Broad Mountain, and making a new railroad. The project is a great one, and will, no doubt be accomplished. It is only a question of time. The table of distances are, however not correct. The distance from Philadelphia The new Steamboat built by Mr. Ira to Milton by Harrisburg and Sunbury, is only 169 miles, whilst by the Cattawissa rail road, it is 172.

From Philadelphia to Harrisburg, 104 " Harrisburg to Sunbury, Sunbury to Milton, 53 12

Total. Making the whole distance about 12 miles less than the distance given by the Journal, Harrisburg route is equivalent to at least

20 miles more in its favor.

The Journal also assumes Milton to be the terminus of the three reads. This also is a

Those of our renders who may visit It cannot be worse than the present arrange. Philadelphia, should not fail to visit Shaw's ment of carrying mails to Northumberland in Washington Daguersean Gallery, No. 128 the evening to be put in the cars, which leave Arch street, opposite the Theatre. His picthis place next day at 11 o'clock, as they tures are of the best quality, and of the latest pass through Northumberland. The depart- style, and the gentlemanly proprietor spares ment also received proposals for carrying the no effort to render entire satisfaction to his

> The Mining Register, of Pottsville, published by Henry L. Cake, Esq. Mr. Cake was formerly a printer, and withal an energetic and talented business man.

HUSBAND AND WIFE .- The Legislature of Georgia has passed an act to define the liahusband for the debts of the husband existing at the time of the marriage. received through the wife will satisfy, and the debts, defaults, or contracts of the husband existing at the time of the marriage."— killed. Several other States have looked into and tured. secured women's rights in this important par-

Rev. Theodore Parker baving received a letter from an Alabamian, calling him a by 230 majority, and the whole Democratic "d—d white hearted, slave stealing scoundrel." Mr. Parker says he never before had the title of D. D. conferred on him, even in same meterity. There is a tie in the Countries of the conferred on him, even in the conferred on him. small letters!

NORTHERN CENTRAL RAILWAY COM-

PANY. The general meeting of the stockholders of this company took place at the Calvert Station on Saturday, when William E. Mayhew was called to preside, and R. S. Hollins appointed secretary. The meeting was called under the charter for the purpose of electing twelve directors, and also to take action of the purpose of th on some other important matter, which it was designed to bring before them. Among these were the acceptance of an act supplemental to the charter of the company passed by the Legislature of Pennsylvania at its present session, which anthorizes the company to dispose of its bonds for less than par, and also to make special contracts for the use of their machinery and cars on the line of other roads with which the connect, and to make special contracts with other companies for ransportation, and with manufactories on their line and on the line of roads with which the connect for the transportation of coal, stone lime, iron ore and lumber. On motion therefore, of R. M. Magraw, seconded by Gen. Packer, the following resolutions wer

unanimously adopted: Resolved, That the act of General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. entitled "an act supplemental to an act incorporating the Northern Central Railway Company," passed at the present session, and approved the 25th March, 1856, be and the ame is hereby accepted by the stockholders

ia general meeting assembled.

Rev.d. That the Secretary of the Company deposit in the office of the Secretary of the copy of the said acceptance, in accordance with second section of said act,

Another matter which it was desired that the stockholders should take some action upon was that of the policy of the company with regard to tolls, in reference to which the following resolution, offered by Mr. Magraw to have been delivered by John Youngman, and seconded by Gen. Packer, was also unanimously adopted:

Resolved. That the stockholders of the company have received the annual report of the directors of the proceedings of the year with satisfaction; that they cordially approve of the policy which has been adopted by the Board as eminently conducive to the prosperity of the company; that they are fully of opinion that charges for tells of transportawas well chosen and appropriate, and the tion have hitherto been altogether too low. and required to be raised to a standard adopted to the fair remuneration of the company for the work it performs; That they are con-vinced that erroneous notions upon the subject of tolls have been prevalent throughout the country, and the general opinion amongst intelligent managers of railroads now is in recognition of the absolute necessity for a scale of increased rates; that the stockholders have learned with pleasure that the Legislature of Pennsylvania and Maryland have successively, upon full investigation and reflection, concurred with the directors of this company in the propriety of the changes, by refusing to

to the public interest and to the company. Mr. Magraw in the absence of the pres dent, addressed the meeting, stating that the committee appointed by the board of directors in pursuance of a resolution, has consu-mated a contract with capitalists of New York, interested in the Treverton Coal and Railroad Company, for the transportation of the company, and that in consideration of oad between Treverton Bridge and Millersburg-by this there remains only money to be raised to build the upper section, less than Jones. 10 miles, which will complete the road (with the exception of the bridge over the Susque-

hanna) from Harrisburg to Sunbury.

The stockholders then went into the election of directors, with William Bose, Esq., Hop, A. Kennedy and Gen. Warford as

tellers: ... Weyhew, 30,878; Zenus DANVILLE.—The workmen of the Montour Barnum, 30.872; Lloyd N. Rogers' 30.778; Iron Works had come to terms and agreed William F. Packer, 30.878; R. M. Magraw, to go to work. The company agreed to pay 30,126; W. A. Keighler, 39,877; Jno Herr, 30,878; Eli Lewis, 29,878 Simon Cameron 18,796; Francis White, 18,796; W. D. Miller, 18796; W. H. Brune, 18,796.

Not Elected-John Hough, 12,082; Michael Herr, 12,082 James Frazier, 11,436; Lewellin Barry, 12.082; Thomas Whitridge,

752; J. H. Lucket, 166.

The old board is elected with the exception of Michael Berr, Esq., and a vacancy caused by John Hopkins, Esq., who declined a re-election. Messrs. W. H. Brune and W. D. Miller supply their places.

THE DISTINGUISHING GENIUS OF THE

Nature, now and then, brings forth such geniuses as Newton, Shakespare, Taileyrand, Milton, Nelson, Napoleon, Washington, Franklin, Jefferson, Luther, Cromwell and Jackson. Their powerful intellects com-pelled the world to admire them.

The genius of the present age is Discov-KRY. In the progress of the arts and sciencos, this age is immeasurably superior to any former one. The present century stands pre-eminent for its wonderful di coveries in the sciences and arts. Among these, the noble science of Medicine has made great progress. Professor Holloway has discovered and prepared a remedy for the diseases of man in whatever clime destiny may have given him birth. We have, in a former article, introduced to our readers this disalready engrafted on the world's history. As a physician, he has copied Nature, and among peror. Both in the sale of his medicines, and in the number of patients that have taken them, he is unrivalled, Professor Holloway has labored to supply the human family with a permanent remedy for their diseases, to which the afflicted may have recourse with a moral certainty that they will one week. be cared. There is no disease to which they will not afford relief. His Pills and Ointment, prepared from selections from the vegetable kingdom, with great care, will drive disease out of the system. Thousands of the most intelligent minds of all nations, men distinguished in every sphere of lifethe statesman, philanthropist, conqueror, and those whose highest aim is to do good to their fellow men, unite in their praises of the remedies discovered by Professor Holloway

for the removal of disease.

In uniting in this general recommendation of the remarkable virtues of Holloway's remedies we only perform a Christian duty, which the press should never neglect. Those who are emineut for the good they do in the world, have a just claim upon the press for aid in extending the good to the extent of their power. Therefore, we have determined to express our opinion that Holloway's Pills and Olnthest are adapted to the removal of disease, and have restored millions of the sick to health .- New York Atlas.

New Ozleans, April 12.—The steamer Louisiana has arrived with Galveston dates of the 11th inst. The Indian depredations on the Northern

Mexican frontier continue without abate-A camp of Lapan Indians had been surprised by Colonel Lenagus, when a conflict took place in which the Indians lost 40 One hundred prisoners were cap-

TRESTON, April 15.—The municipal elec-tion in this city took place yesterday. Jo-seph Wood. Democratic, was elected Mayor

PROSPECTS OF NEXT HARVEST .- The Alton

(Ill.) Courier, of the 7th ult., expresses its opinion that we may expect another fine crop of wheat, and the opinion is based upon the following reasons:

"The early winter was very mild, so much so that the late sown wheat, of which there is much, continued to grow to a much later date than usual. Then the snow will have protected it from injury by the frost. Lastly, such uninterrupted cold weather for so long a period and until so late a date, augurs an uninterrupted springtime when it comes. It is further said that the number of acres put under wheat in that part of the country last fall was greater than ever before known.

The Chicago Journal says :- "We must have large crops next fall. The snow which has fallen during the past sixty days is equal to five inches of manure. People capable o estimating matters, imagine that the wheat crop of 1856 will be the largest ever harvested in this country. To estimate the value of snow upon the ground at ten millions of dollars, would be a low figure."

PENGUIN OIL .- The sloop Copy, arrived here a few days since from Sag Harbor, has on board a barrel of Peguin oil, received from the brig Parana, which arrived at that port recently from the South Shetland Islands with 190 barrels of the same kind of oil. The brig's crew killed 43,000 birds, from which they obtained this quantity of oil. We are informed that the brig will return to the above named Islands and pursue the same business—the Captain being confident of securing as much as twelve barrels of oil a day. While the Parana was lying there a Commonwealth of Pennsylvania a certified French vessel was also there engaged in the same business .- New Bedford Standard.

> FIRE AT THE LANCASTER POOR HOUSE .--Another incendiary conflagration took place at the Poor House on Thursday morning. The barn, which was 140 feet long and 40 feet wide, partly stone and partly frame, was consumed, together with 900 bushels of oats, threshed, 65 bushels of rye, 25 tons of hay, a quantity of straw, all the horse gears, harness, &c., belonging to the property; 36 head of cattle, of which 24 were valuable cows, 2 bulls, 2 fat beeves, and eight young beifers: 4 valuable horses burnt, and one so badly injured that it is feared be will be The whole loss at a low estimate,

is no insurance. In addition to the barn, the pump bouse, a mail building 18 or 20 feet square, containing many useful articles, was also burnt .-Berks County Press.

ILLEGAL EXECUTION .- A man, named H J Render, Franklin, was sentenced at the last fall term | of Walker county (Alabama Court, to be hanged on the 4th inst The jail of Walker Co., Dani Swartz Jordan not being secure, the doomed man was confined in that of Tuscalous, until the day preceding that fixed for his execution, when he was removed by the Sheriff of Walker county Meanwhile a respite was obtained from the Governor and forwarded to the Sheriff of Tuscaloosa county, who immediately forwarded it to his brother official. The Sheriff of Walker, however, refused to acknowledge the validity of the document, because it had no official seal, and accordingly executed the vretched man at the prescribed time.

OVERTAKES BY DEATH .- The Memphis Tenn.) Enquirer says that the young man who a week or two since killed Captain Ste their coals from that company's large estate | vens. of the Ohio Belle, and was in turn tied to Canton, on most advantageous terms to and thrown overboard, was Jos. Coche, jr. son of Cocke, a highly respectable citizen of this arrangement these parties had advanced Mississippi. Young Cocke, killed a man money sufficient to build that section of the named Sanderson, at Holly Springs, Mississippi, a few years since, and has been a fagitive from justice ever since under the name of

MACHINERY IN THE HUMAN FRAME -- Very few even mechanics, are aware how much muchinery there is in their own bodies. Not only are there hinges and joints in the bones, but there are valves in the veius, a forcing pump in the heart, and other curiosities .-One of the muscles of the eye forms a real pulley. The bones which support the body are made precisely in that form which has been calculated by mathematicians to be respectively, unless previously discharged, to strongest for pillar and supporting columns

Thomas Jefferson was born in Shadwell, Albemarle county, Virginia, on the 14th of April, 1743, and Monday was consequently the 123 anniversary of that event. He died on the 4th of July, 1826, just fifty years from the date of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, his great work.

SHARPA'S RIFLES .- It is stated that Sharpo's rifles sell in Kansas for a mere trifle. Some keen Yankees there, the Dayton Empire informs us, have been buying them up, almost from the first month of their introduction, shipping them East, and reselling them to humbugged, to be again sent back as "aid to Kansus." It is supposed that a large number of these famous weapons have been | 314 paid for by the Beechers and others half a dozen times over.

THE JAPAN REPORT - Although some of the plates prepared to illustrate Commodore Perry's report of his expedition to Japan were destroyed in the great fire, on Thursday 17 night last, it gives as much pleasure to state, on the authority of the Superintendent of Public Printing, that their destruction will not delay the publication beyond two or three weeks .- Phila. Sun.

Communicated.

For the Sunbury American. TEACHERS INSTITUTE.

We are happy to learn that a Normal In- | 44 stitute, under the charge of Prof. Sweet, of New York, is to be held at Muncy, commencing Monday April 21st inst., and continuing 200

These Institutions have so commended 150 themselves to public favor, that the New England States, New York, and several other States have made appropriations to sustain them, and they are exciting a general interest in the commonwealth of Pennsplvania.

Though we have no state appropriation. the liberality of the citizens often renders the | 20 expense to teachers merely nominal.

The whole expense to each member of the 10 Muncy Institute is only one dollar, board 127; Teachers of Northumberland, another opportunity like this for improvement may not

soon occur. If you value your own success as teachers, and the progress of the educational cause, avail yourselves of every opportunity for becoming familiar with the modern mprovements in the art of teaching.
Go to the Muncy Institute and aid in eleon to the Muncy Institute you belong.

DEATHS.

Sunbary, April 16, 1856.

In Selinsgrove, on the 13th inst., JACOB HAUPT, aged 41 years, 2 months, and 12 | 197

In Northumberland, on Friday, the 4th inst., ELIZABETH, wife of John Shriner,

in the 62d year of her age.

Death! Death! sad monitor. Only a few weeks since a much loved daughter was saddealy summened home, and ere the hearts that mourn the loss are calmed, the mother is taken from them. MARY, MOTHER, God grant they may be thought of and loved as happy angels, until met again by those now left to other trials

Sad indeed must be the hearts thus suddenly and doubly bereaved. Those only who have experienced the loss can know the sorrow. Sympathies we firsty glos, but Gold sless sen comfort.

The Markets.

Philadelphia Market.

April 15, 1856. GRAIN .- For Wheat the demand is quite limited. Small sales of red at \$1,60@1,65, and white \$1,75@1,87 per bushel. Rye is in little demand—sales of 500 bushels Western were made at 88c. Corn is dull and 1 cent lower-4500 bushels Southern yellow. sold at 58c, delivered. Oats are in better

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Northbmberland county to make distribution of the monice in the hands of William V. Silverwood, Administrator of Adam Renn, dec'd., to and among those entitled to received the same, will attend to the duties of said appointment at his office in the Borough of Sunbury, on Friday, the 15th day of May, A. D, 1856, at 16 o'clock

A. M. of said day, at which time all persons interested may attend if they see proper.
WM. M. KOCKEFELLER, Auditor. Sunbury, April 19, 1856 .- 3t.

NOTICE!

A PPEALS to be held at the following named A places and days in the several Townships and Boroughs in the County of Northumber- 250 may be set down at \$5,000, on which there land for the year 1855, to wit: PLACES. TOWNSHIP. DATE. H. Hass, for Northumb'd Point April 28, 1856. Fordsman. Chilisquaque 29, A Kiesinger. Turbut. Isaac Reader, Lewis, Lielaware Milton Lower Mahonov F Fryer. Washington G B Rebuck Up Mahonoy Peter Beisel Peter Weikel, Cameron Juo Weaver Zerbe Widow Raker, Little Mahonoy Elias Emerich Lower Augusta

Commr's office, U Augusta & Sunbury, May 15

School house in Rush twp.,

Chas Leisenring Shamokin

Coal Alm Osman, Mount Carmel Wm Leich. PHILIP RENN, FRED'K HAAS. CHAS. HOTTENSTEIN. Commisse's Office, Commissioners Sunbury, April 19, 1856.

May 16, 1856

TREASURER'S SALE.

A list of unsented lands advertised for sale by George Bright, Treasurer of Northumberland County, agreeable to an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, passed the 13th day of March, 1845, and the supplement thereto, an act directing the mode of selling unseated lands for taxes and other purposes, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in the borugh of Sunbury, on Monday the 9th day of June, 1856, at 10 o'check, A. M., the follow ing described tracts of rand, for arrearages of taxes due and the costs accrued on each tract

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. acre	s. Warrantees names Am	't due
	Coul Township.	
- 1	Antis Henry	
	Adams Thomas	
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1674	Jenkins Jamos	
	Antis Frederick	
	Adams Kobert	
	Huff Edward	
)	Grier James	
3	Grier Thomas	
1779	Campian Robt.	163 73
- 9	Camplain I homes	
	Morrison William	40.00
	Baily John N. (23-48 for sale)	48 94
		26 25
44		167 16
51	Billington Thomas	10 76
0	Bellas Hugh	15 60
	Bower Christian	17 92
2.0	Consein	123 46
31	Evans Smith	4 56
0	Fegely Wm & Solomon Grant Thomas Gray Robert	25 00
31	Grant Thomas	35 98
1	Gray Robert	141 50
11		5 2
0	Grant Thomas	3 9
10	Gardener Archibe.d	11 70
0	Gardener Archibald	1 3
0	Gardener Archibald	86 9
34	Hepburu James Hunter Alexander	5 3
17.	Himmelrich Henry	92 0
1	Hepburn James	109 4
31	Jordan Robert	2 9
7		103 0
13	Jackson Jeremiah	24 3
171	Kennady David	136 9
0	Kroll Michael (19-48 for sale)	34 1
3	Lambert William	117 5
137	Lake Richard	6
184	Miller Isano	45 6
6	Maury Peter (23-48 for sale)	45 0
194	Martin G. I	12 2
104	Myers Mary	9.8
00	Moyer George	2.6
32	Paul Jeremiah	30 2
21	Prince George	82 9
	Rees Sarah	34 5
16	Rees Daniel	66 8
19	Revs Thomas ir.	33 5
144	Rees Thomas (1-3 for sale)	16 6
14	Ruston Thomas	4 6

Extracted from the Record and certified 95 99 76 24 Sheed Wm. (1-3 for sale) Sassaman Peter (23-48 for sale 40 22

Shannon William Smith Mary Steedman Win. Scott Abraham Boott Hester Tunis Richard Titsworth John l'aggert Robert White John Wilson William Walker Lewis Yoxtheimer Heary Ziegler Isaao

Ruston Mary

Rees Daniel

Smith Peter

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Sheete George

Starr Merrick

Reynolds John

Ruston Charlotte

Zimmerman Mathias Mt. Carmel Township. Camplain Robert Camplain Thomas Morrison William

Stevenson James

Davidson Mary

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Recs Sarah Cameron Township, Boyle Luke 1 96 6 76 Batton Samuel Darr John 15 60 10 28 9 76 1 96 3 12 3 90 24 96 9 76 1 96 1 96 1 96 Darr Mary Durr Peter Darr Luke Derr Lawrence File Luke Grant Thomas 250 50 50 Harrison William Hunter Alexander Meddling John 9a 78p Moyey Henry Smith Abegail 7 66 Smith Evens 2 88 Shamokin Township. Betterton Benjamin 16 46 101 92 Brandy H'm 1'. (1-2 for sale) Hunter Alexander Jackson Jeremiah 11 86 2071 171 303 1971 100 Lake Riebayd 2 72 1 64 Scott Abraham Titsworth John Taggert Robert 3 52 1 80 Young Samuel Lower Augusta Township. Brady Walter 15 60 10 26 Dewart John Hunter Alexander 1 96 Hall Charles 5 70 Upper Makanoy Township Did John 10 14 Darr Mary Darr Peter 12 46 Darr Luke 7 80 Harrison William Housel John Moddling John 8 89 Little Mahanoy Township. Dewart Willim 5 18 6 50 Dewart John Gardner Archibeld 5 20 Gardner B'm. P. 3 20 5 68 5 72 4264 Hanter James Hall Charles 219 Lake Richard Smith Daniel 2 62 Trickel Charles G. Zerbe Township. Grant Thomas 58 87 Habley Barnard 43 44 Himmelrich Henry 313a 108p Heller Jacob K roll Michael (19-48 for sale) 14 08 25 Ziegler Isauc Jackson Township.

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Chilisquaque Tosonani Noddenott James GEORGE BRIGHT, Treasurer. Treasurer's Office, Sunbury, April 5, 1856,

NOTICE

S hereby given that the following petitions for License for Taverns and Restaurants, under the late Act of Assembly, have been filled and that they will be presented to the Court for their approval at an adjourned Court on the 5th day of May next. Residence. Public Botel or Tavern.

John Frymire, Turbutville, William Farrow, Snydertown. H. J. Reader, McEwensville, C. Leisenring, Shamokin t bhamokin tp., Eins Wiest, Hickorytown, C. S. Brown, Northumberi'd * Isaac Reader, Turbutville, Georgetown, J. Bingamun, G. W. Arbogast, C. W. Snyder, Shamokin tp., Gen A. H. Blair, Milton, John M. Huff. Elizabeth Sticker. Mt. Carmel, Josse Rice, Chilisquaque, Geo. Riffie. Abraham Osmun, Shamokint'n, " Peter Hauselman, Northnub'd, " Jacob Leisenring, Bear Gap, " Wm. M. Weaver, Shamokint's " John Weaver, Trevorton, Elizabeth Raker, Lit. Mahonop H. J. Egbert, Chas. Heaver, Milton. Sunbury. Thomas Scarch, Chilisquique, Harriet Gibson, Shansokint'n., Annie S. Burr, Northumber'd Win. Cooner. Edward Burks, Northumber'd " Peter S. Yeager, Coal township " Beuj. Knauss, Trevorton, Maria Thompson, Sunbury, James Covert, Elias Emerich, L. Augusta tp. Jonathan High, Lewis tp., "Judith Rothermel, L. Mahonoy," Northumber'd 'Up. Mahonoy, Henry Haas, Daniel Heim, Beni, Derk. Cameron Peter Weikel, Up Mahonoy Duniel Herb, Up Mahonoy Godfrey Rebock, Washington Daniel Eisenhart, Up Mahonoy

John M Keperling, Northumb'd, Restaurant, Edward Gass, Sauburg, Smick & Hileman, Wm. Ashmon, Trevorter, Joseph Eckbert, Milton, Joseph Harris, Stouch & J. Shipman, Sarah J. Davidson, Turbut, Rectifier John Kohr, Miltou,

Mount Carmel

Wm. Lerch. Mount Co J. Galen Smith, Jackson

Samuel Hertzel, Delaware

April 10th, 1856. JAMES BEARD, Proth'y Per John S. Board, Deputy

DENTISTRY.

DR. E. C. MESTER, A NNOUNCES to the citizens of Sunbury, Northumberland and vicinity, that he has opened an office in Sunbury, one door west of the Post Office, where he is prepared to attend 3 52 to all kinds of work belonging to the profession.

109 54 in the latest and most improved style. All work well done and warranted. 22 88 Also continues Gum Work, which is very 18 56 durable and neat.

April 12, 1856 .- tf JOHNSON & BROTHER, CABINET MAKERS,

No. 74 North Second Street, first door above Christ Church, Philadelphia. DBRSONS in want of Bureaus, Tables, Sofus

Chairs, Bedeteads, and every variety of household furniture, would do well to call, as those articles are made up in the last styles and well at the lowest prices.

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