# Congressional Relvs.

#### THIRTY-FOURTH CONDRESS. First Session.

WABHINGTON, May 20. SERATE.-Mr. Summer resumed his speech on Kansas affairs, and proceeded to consider the various remedies proposed for the crime against Kansas, which he successively consid-ered under different aspects.

Firstly.—The remedy of tyranny, in the shape of appropriations and troops to enforce the baurpation. Secondly, the remedy of folly, proposed by the Secondly, the remedy of folly, proposed by the Second ward, Ward, Buller.) Thirdly, the remedy of folly, the remedy of justice and civil war, purposed by the Second to from Illinois. (Mr. Douglass.) and last. It is remedy of justice and peake, proposed by the Second by the Second to find the second to such admission were considered, whether grounded on a want of population, or irregularity of form, and the precedent of Michigan was particularly reviewed. In this connection, Mr. Buchanan's opinions were introduced, who vindicated Michigan on grounds precisely applicable to Kaneas. In concluprecisely applicable to Kaneas. In conclusion, the comparison was drawn between the tyranny of the President in Kansas and the tyranny of King George III, and from Con-gress he appealed to the people in the coming Presidential election to vindicate Kansas.— Let the ballot box of the Union, with multitudinous might, protect the ballot box there. Mr. Cass said he had listened to Mr. Summer's speech with equal regret and sarprise. It was the most un-American and un-patriot-ic speech he had ever beard on this floor, and

he hoped he might never hear such a speech again here or elsewhere. Mr. Douglas adverted to the malignity

which characterized Mr. Sumner's and the many personalities in which it abounded .-He compared it to a patch-work bed quilt, made up from all the old calico dresses in the house, and abounding in classical allusions, most of which were from those portions of the classics which were suppressed in respec-table and decent colleges. That speech was ing the candle and watching he gestures, Mr. Mason defended Mr. Atchison, whom he was proud to call his friend, and said that when Mr. Summer dared, in the presence of the Senate, to connect Judge Butler's name names a superior article of that insury. with an untruth, as he did, he presented himself as one utterly incapable of knowing what truth is. In conclusion he accased Mr. Summer of falsification regarding the latter's re-

marks concerning Southern institutions. Mr. Summer said he had just been attack ed by three Senators, one of them (Mr. Cass) venerable in years and with whom he had been in relations of personal regard longer than any other Senator within the sound of his voice. The Senator from Michigan must know full well that nothing could fall from him (Mr. Summer.) which could possess anyth ng but kindness, and he would say to him that his sentiments regarding Michigan were founded on legal documents, and on the prin-ciples of Jackson, Grundy. Buchanan, Benton, and the Democratic party of that day.-Therefore the attack of Mr. Cass did not fouch him, but them. As to Mr. Douglas, he should leave to him the privilege of the com-mon scold, the last word. That Senator had the audacity to venture to charge calumny against him. He had said he (Sumner) had taken the oath to support the constitution, yet was determined not to support a particu-lar clause of that instrument.

This statement, Mr. Sumner gave to his face the flattest denial, saying that he replied to a similar charge in June, 1854, and he read from his reply as reported in the Washington Globe, in effect, that he had sworn to support the Constitution as he understood it, no more nor no less, and the clause alluded to did not invore upon him any obligation to take part been extensively circulated, dis cussed and criticised by the Senator from Illinois who, in the swiftness of hir andacity had presumed to arraign him He wished to administer to Mr. Douglas a word of advice -not to expend himself in gusts of vulgarity. and endeavor to obtain that truth and character, which is the handmaid of wisdom ; and let him remember hereafter, that the bowie knife and bladgeons are not the proper emblems of Senatorial station, that swaggering and ferocity cannot add dignity to this body. The Senator from Illinois had been sweltering venom and bringing forth statements atterly without foundation, and heaping upon him personalities and obloquy. No person with the upright form of a man----. Here the Senator paused. Mr. Douglas-say it-say it.



Pentièy trans,	mi
DEMOCRATIC STATE NOMINATIONS.	P
For Canal Commissioner, ORGE SCOTT, of Columbia county.	

For Auditor General. JACOB FRY, of Montgomery county. For Surveyor General,

TIMOTHY IVES, of Potter county.

Hotel in this place.

COLTOR'S TABLE. Business Netices.

LAWRENCE House -- Mrs. Thomson informs the sublie, and her friends in general, that she has received a new supply of choice liquors from Philadelphils, at her Co. Compensation,

S. N. Thourson has just received a new Stock of Dry Goods, Grocenies, &c., at his Store near the junction of the Tulpehocken and Plann Creek roads in Lower Augusta

BENJAMIN HEFTNER of Lower Augusts has also jus received a fresh surply Dry Goods, Grocerics, Queensware, &c , at his store, to which he invites the attention of his friends and customers.

CONFECTIONARY, AND FREIT STORE --- We neglect ticed before a glass, with a negro hoy hold-ticed before a glass, with a negro hoy hold-Confectionary of all kinds equal to any that can be had in road.

> MOUNT CARMEL HOUSE -Our readers will see by the advertisement of Mr. Rice, that he has taken this exceltent Botel, located in one of the most healthy and delight- provision store." Our neighbors must be fut mountain regions in Pennsylvania.

Guner's Lady's Block for June consulto us, filled as annal with the good things of the reason. The reading matter is by some of the best contributors of periodical literature. As a Ludy's Book it has no rival and always contains something usetui and interesting for Isilias

The Fatta Journal comes to hand with its usual variety of interesting institer. It is a valuable Journal and de' the streets, a necessary operation in all Borserves en warmgement.

Tax STEDENT and Schoolmate for the present mosth has been received. As usual, it is filled with matter of the most instructive and interesting kind. As a work for soluside it stands unrivailed.

RELIGIOUS Norice .- The Rev. Mr. Marr a rate, and quotes the Sunbury Gazette to In another place was presented the sad specrill preach in the Presbyterian church, in sustain him in the charge. We look upon this piace, to-morrow (Sunday) at half past ten o'clock.

### WANTED.

GF AN APPRENTICE to the printing busi ness is wanted at this office. An intelligent the assessments, it may be possible that some boy of good character would find a good situ- townships may have been reduced too machntion.

G We are indebted to Hon. Richard Brodhead, Gen. Quitman and Gov. Bigler, of the U. S. Senate, for public documents .--

# MAIL ALLOTMENTS. At the recent mail lettings at Washington | County Journal has just returned from an exvice, on the routes in and near this vicinity.

were made, for which we are indebted to Amos E. Kapp, Esq., of Northumberland : North Branch route, B. F. Wells. Comensation, \$2,800 Compensation previously. 8610

Water Street, Michael Buoy. Compense \$1.820 tion. Compensation previously,

\$2,500 Lewistown route, Small and Stedler. Com pensation. \$728 Previous compensation. 800

Washington route, Sheriff & M'Cormick compensation. \$288 Trout Run route. G Fuller, 449

Lewistown and Bellefobte, J. T. M'Corck. Compensation. \$300 Previous compensation, 200 ottsville & Donaldson, T. Dornan, 349 Pottsville & Sunbury, do. 3.048\*

Previous compensation, 375 Williamsport and Bellefonte, H White-Compensation, \$940 Mifflinburg and Selinsgrove, J. B. M

Todd, Compensation, \$475 Previous compensation. 200 Duncan's Island and Northumberland, A

E. Kapp. \$1.600 Previous compensation, 800 Sunbury and Milton, Walter, Murphy &

\$1,000\* \* On these routes the mail is now carried on the rail

The greater portion of the increased pay on the Pottsville route, goes, we presume, to other. The mail between Sunbury and Mil-Erie rail road. From Milton, we presume-

GLEANINGS FROM OUR SEIGHBORS.

# Lewissung .- The Chronicle says, "we want most of all, just now, a family grocery and burg, let them come down to Sunbury .-Lewisburg used to be famous for its abund-

ance of flour, pork and whiskey, but that was

oughs. munications in relation to the county assessmouts, and rates of taxation. The writer thinks Sunbury has been assessed at few low

the whole system of assessments and taxation . as defective. For many years the Borough

of Sunbury war assessed higher than any other district in the county. In equalizing tion but the lower end has been taxed higher

than any other portion of the county. We are pleased to find that our neighbors

provement heretofore unknown to us. In

# MIDDLEBURG .- The editor of the Snyder

tity, the following allotments, for mail set- cursion to New Berlin. Among other notable observations, he remarks that : "Along the road we perceived all kinds of trees in bloom and from present appearances there will be apples, cherries, and pears in abundance, but very few Peaches, the trees having been killed too much by the severe cold

this winter. We should like to know if any of the killed

trees still survice.

#### THE PANAMA BAILBOAD ACCIDENT-ACCOUNT BY A PASSENGER

The accident that occurred on the Panama railroad, on the 6th of May, was far more disastrops than we were 1-d to believe from the accounts published in the Aspinwall and Patuama papers, at a shich we gave on Sat-urday. The train, with the steerage passen-gers who went out with the George Law, had nearly reached Panama when the Superin-tendent discovered that they could not reach there in time for the steamer, and fearing to expose the passengers to the violence again of the Panama outlaws, it was sent back, when the cars ran off, in consequence of an irregularity at the joint of the rail. There were three trains on the line of road at the time, two of which had broken dorn. All of the trains were formed into one, and consisted of twenty cars. The engine was a powerful one, and drew the cars along at full

speed, without difficulty. One of the passengers describes the accident as follows : I was seated in the seventh passenger car

from the locomotive. The train was going at an unusually high rate of speed-so much so that the fact was a subject of remark among the passengers generally in the car in which I sut. The speed was commented upon as dangerous, from the frequent and short curves in the road. 1 felt somewhat alarmed, the Railroad company, as the pay allowed for and put my head out of the windows. I did rail road service is much higher than any when I saw the front passenger car (as the train was passing a curve) suddenly force the ton, will also be carried on the Sanbury and outer rail from its place, and darting from the track, instantaneously turn a complete side summerset. All 1 recollect from that gers jump to their feet and I made a jump myself, but how or where I know not. I only

know that I found myself in an instant lan ded upright on my feet in a pond along-side the track. I either jumped or was thrown some twelve feet from the track.

The scene that ensued it is impossible to describe. The locomotive and first baggage getting hungry. If they are short in Lewis, car having retained their place on the track, proceeded some distance, as if unconscious o the sudden sundering of the link that connected them with the remaining cars of the train. The seven cars succeeding the one before they had the Unifersity and the Couft first thrown from the track were a mingled house. The borough authorities are cleaning mass of shattered fragments. They had been thrown sideways, lengthways, crossways, bottom side up sides up, ends up, and in every imaginable way Portions of the oughs. MILTON.-The Miltonian has several com-wreck were submerged in the pond of water on either side of the track. The crics of agony that arose from amid the ruins were piercing. Here was visible an arm, and there a leg, with no other appendage, tacle of a head separated from the body, and again the trunk of a human body shorn entirely of its bend and limbs.

As soon as possible after the crash, those injured turned their attention to discover Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth. Il anarsecuo, April 19, 1856. tained. It was found that beyond the first eight cars, the injury to the passengers did townships may have been reduced too moche not extend, except in occurional branes, to but as a general average, there is no ques- those occupying the two passenger cars disions. are improving. The editor says, "never has tained their places on the rails, and the peodirectly or indirectly, in restoring fogitive slaves, and yet in the face of all this, the ca-slaves, and yet in the face of all this, the ca-slaves, and yet in the face of all this, the ca-slaves, and yet in the face of all this, the ca-stars. canad injury were seeking to recover from beneath the wreck those still giving ment, in accordance with the opinion thus symptoms of life, the locomotive detached om the train which had come back to the scene of the disaster was dispatched to Aspinwall for help to search for the dead and The place of the accident was pear Gatun's bridge, only nine miles distance from Aspin-The track for some distance was comwall. pletely torn up, so that the cars still remainng on the track could not be attached to county superintendents as commonly suppo-the engine in front. At about 4 P. M., a sed. Your obedient servant, the control of good men. There are many the engine in front. At about 4 P. M., a sed. train returned from Aspinwail. In the interval the wounded passengers suffered dread-fully from thirst. Many of them drank from the muddy pond or either side of the track. DANVIELS .- The Democrat informs us that though it was red with human blood. Fortunately, a supply of water was brought by the train, which greatly alleviated their sufferings. Fifty-three wounded passengers were placed on the cars and taken to Aspinwall for medical and surgical treatment.

# Affairs in Washington-The Dismissal of Mr.

WASHINGTON, May 20.-Notwithstanding what may have heretofore been published to the contrary, it is understood that the despatches recently received from Lord Claren-don neither refuse categorically, nor assent to, the demand of this Government for the

recall of Mr. Crampton and the British Consuls. Our Government, it is believed, has not a copy of the British Blue Book in the enlistment case, although several are known to be in the possession of the members of the Prints, Dress Trimmings, Hose Giaves, Stocks, foreign legations, especially the French Minister. These copies were sent here in advance of their publication in England.

The Cabinet was again in session to-day. If any decision has been arrived at by the Executive, it seems well understood it will

Cc., 5c. HARDWARE a general assortment. GROCERIES, Fish, Cheese, Rausins, Tobacco and Cigars, Queensware, Boots, Shoes, Hais and Caps, and a general variety. not be communicated or officially intimated for some days to come. PLEASE CALL AND SEE AT P. W. GRAY. Sunbury, May 24, 1856.--tf

#### Later from Kanses.

Sr. Louis, May 20.- The accounts from Kansas represent the people as responding to Gov. Shannon's proclamation in large numbers. Over six hundred had assembled at Lecompton; four hundred at Franklin and a large company would leave Kickaped on Saturday for Lecompton, with 2 cannon, all well armed and provisioned. Great excitement provalicul, and a battle was antici

The Vigilance Committee of Kansas City, on Saturday, took from the steamer Orobia, a large field piece, consigned to Lawrence.

It is reported that Gov. Reeder had suc-ceeded in making good his escape.

Communicated.

H. B. MASSER Eso -- Dear Sir :-- Inas much as many of our citizens do not get to not have my head out more than a minute see the School Journal, in which the decisions of the State Superintendant are published every month, and as the May No. for 1856 contains a correspondence between members of the Legislature and Hon. A. G. Curtin, the present State Superintendent, which proves to a demonstration, that an increase of my salary would not have been taken from our county appropriations, as some asserted, and thus made, fully informs the public and serves the cause of truth, I concluded to request you to publish it in your valuable paper.

HON. A. G. CURTIN :- Dear Sir, As there has been much dispute in regard to the man-ner in which the school fund is distributed as regards the salaries of county superintendents and there is still some misunderstanding existing in regard to the same, will you please inform us, how the school Department con-strues the following clause of the 26th section if desired, and shall be deducted from the amount of state appropriations to be paid to the several school districts for said county."

Cambrie, Jaconetts, Swiss, Tarlton, Mull, Bobi-nett, French and Swiss Laces, Edgings, &c. B LAPORTE, WR. M. PIATT.

HARDWARE and QUEENSWARE, II ARRISEURO, April 19, 1856. GENTLEMEN .---- Your note of this date is Cedar-ware, Hollow-ware, Iron, Steel, Planter Salt and Fish. Also a tresh supply of DRUGS AND MEDICINES. Thankful for past favors, we hope by strict attention and a desire to please, still to meet with

immediate predecessor, Hon. C. A. Black those occupying the two passenger cars di-rectly following the eight. Both of these latter cars were thrown from the track, and the occupants received more or less conta-intended for the pay of county superinten-The remaining cars of the train re- dents, although not so expressed in the act." When I assumed the official head of the

## NEW GOODS AT

P. W. Gray's Store. A large assortment just received from Phila-delphis, and sold cheaper than ever for cash or country produce. Among his stock will be tound

#### Fancy Dreis Goods! of all kinds and the latest and most fashionable

stiles, Black and Fancy Dress Silks, Challies, Braize De Lains, Ginghams, Lawns, Shawls,

New Goods for the People !

BENJAMIN HEFFNER

RESPECTFULLY informs the public in gen-

Cloths, Cassimers, Cassinets.

ALSO:

Calicoes, Ginghams, Lawns,

Moussellne De Laines

Groceries,

Also an assortment of Hardware. Iron and Steel, Nails, &c. Also an excellent assortment of QUEENSWARE, of various styles and

Also an assortment of BOOTS & SHOES

HATS & CAPS, a good selection.

Salt. Fish. Nc.

And a great variety of other articles such as are

LF Country produce taken in exchange

Bargains at the Old Stand.

prices.

DRESS GOODS.

SILKS-Plain and Figured Black.

An assortment of Plaid Stripe and Figured Fan-

cy Dress Silks at unusually low prices,

Shellies, Brazes, Braze De Lains, Mus.

WHITE GOODS.

Checks, Towlings, Table Dispers, &c.

Salt and Fish.

Er Country produce of all kinds taken at the

NEW CONFECTIONARY.

FRUIT.

LEMON SYRUP

of a superior quality, by the single or dozen.

ICE CREAM.

E COOD E E COULT

S. N. Thompson's Store,

In Lower Augusta township, at the Junction of

the Tulpehocken and Plum creek roads.

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

Dry Goods, viz :

Cloths, Cassimeres, Cassinets, Jeans, Drillings, Muslins, Vestings, Tweeds, and all kinds of

Spring and Summer Wear,

LADIES DRESS AND FANCY GOODS,

Calicoes, Muslin de Lains, Lawns,

Woolens, Flannels, Se.

GROCEBILS,

Sugar, Tens, Coffee, Rice, Molasses, Cheese, Spices, Salt, &c., &c.

Hardware, Nuils, Screws, Files, Saws, Knives & Forks, &c

Queens and Glassware,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

A large assortment of Boots and Shoes, for

men, women and children. HATS CAPS, &c., of various sizes and styles.

From th

Big Mountain Colliery

SHAMOKIN, NORTH'D COUNTY, PENN'A.

NEWRY DONNEL,

ATTORNEY AT LAW

Office opposite the Court House,

Sunbury, Northumberland County Pa.

Prompt attention to business in adjoining

Sunbury, May 24, 1856 .- tf

Address .- Sheaff & Black, Sunbury. or Sha-

S. N. THOMPSON.

Ginghams, Berages, Robes,

Raisins.

is offered cheap at wholesale or retail.

Sunbury, May 24, 1855 .--- 1v

Prunes, Figs, Carons, Nuts of all kards

the approval of our friends.

Sunbury, May 24, 1856 .--- 1y.

highest market price

found :

French Secrets, Burned Almond

Cream White, <sup>11</sup> Lemmi <sup>1</sup> Rose, <sup>10</sup> Vanilla,

Liquotice,

Commun Secreta

Banouns, Dates, Currants dried,

with Ice Cream.

De Lains, Lawns, &c, GINGHAMS-from 61 to 25 cents per yard.

Lower Augusta, May 24, 1856. -

of all kinds, of linen. cotton and worsted.

and all kinds of Ladies Dress Goods.

splendid stock of

the lowest prices.

the highest prices.

His stock consists in part of

eral that he has just received and opened a

house.

LAVYRENCE HOUSE

SUNBURY, PA.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public

named public house. She has also received a new supply of good

liquors and wines, and trusts that she will be

able to give satisfaction to all who may visit her

nues to keep the above

#### MOUNT CARMEL HOUSE. MOUNT CARMEL.

Northumberland County, Pennsylvania. THIS large and commodinus Hotel is situa-ted nearly half way between Sunbury and Pottaville. The sceney-the sulubrity of the atmosphere and the cool mountain breezes, make it one of the most delightfal summer retreats in the country. The Hotel, is a new structure, four stories high, fitted up with all the modern conveniences. The pure mountain water is introduced into every chamber. The place is easy of access, being but one and a helt hours ride from Sunbury, over the Philadelphia and Sun-bury Rail Road. From Pottsville, it is 17 miles. Every attendance will be paid by the proprieor to make guests comfortable. Charges mode-ate. JESSE RICE.

Mt. Carmel, May 24, 1836 .- tf SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS at his New Store, in Lower Augusta township.

#### CAUTION.

The public are hereby cautioned against the purchase of a promissory note, for \$115.-00, dated May 5, 1856, given by Benjamin Martz and Jacob Mowery, to the subscriber, as said note was lost on the road between his minimum and the torm of Shambin and between his residence and the town of Shamokin, and a new note given in its place. DAVID MILLER, Shamokin, May 17, 1856.-41.

#### NOTICE.

THE subscribers wo ld respectfully announce to their friends and the public in general that they have taken the Steam Grist Mill. Situated in Upper Augusta township, Northumberland county Pa., at Klines-Grove known as Klines Mill, and would solicit the patronage of the public having confidence to be able to give suitable to the trade, all of which will be sold at entire satisfaction to all, who will patronize them being able to accommo late their customers at all times. and at the shortest notice.

ALSO .- Wheat & Rye Flour, Bran and Chop and give us a trial and satisfy yourselves.

N. B.-Grain of all kinds wanted. L. CAMBENE & CO. May 17, 1856.-3t.

#### DISSOLUTION.

THE partnership herefolore exaisting between the undersigned, under the firm of Weiser & Bruner, is dissolved by mutual con-sent, this the 14th day of May 1856. All persons having unsettled accounts with us will please call and settle the same without delay.

GEO, B. WEISER, WM. A. BRUNER, Sanbury, Nay 17, 1856 ---

Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended I would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, at the store, next door to E. Y. Bright's, Market St. where a fresh supply of Drugs & c., can always be found WM. A. BRUNER, Sunbury, May 17, 1856.--Brown and blesched Muslins, Drillings, Ticks,

#### GEORGE SCHALL & CO. MANUFACTURER 07

BLASTING POWDER, Mt. Carmel, Northumberland County, Po. May 10, 1856 .--

### SHERIFF SALE.

By virtue of a certain writ of Fieri Fancias to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the house of Capt. Huff, in Milton, Northumberland county, Pa., on TUESDAY, the 10th day of June, 1856, at 10 o'clock,

FRILING & GRANT A RE now opening a new and very desirable stock of Spring and Summer Goods, em HARRISBURG, April 19, 1856. bracing an endless variety. Their stock consists in part of Black & Fancy Broadcloths & Cassimeres. Summer Wares for men and boys, all styles and

of the act of 5th May, 1854, "which said com-pensation shall be paid by the superintendent of common schools, by his warrant drawn on the State Treasurer in half yearly instalments.

CALICOES- " 3 " 12] " Truly Yours, J. Holcown,

before me. In his last annual report, my

Yours in esteem, J. J. REINESSNYPER.

Mr. Summer, replying-I shall say it. No person with the upright form of a man, can be allowed to discharge from his tongue inde-cent personalities. The noisome, nameless animal is not a proper model for an American Senator. Will the Senator take notice. Mr. Douglass-I shall, and certainly shall

not imitate you in that point. Mr. Summer-Ah! the Senator again

switches his tongue, and again fills the ate with an offensive odor. I would simply say to the Senator from Virginia that hard words are not arguments, nor do scowls belong to Senatorial duty. Mr. Mason was understood to say-The

Senator is certainly non compos mentis .---[Laughter.]

Here the war of words in the presence of densely crowded galleries, ended, and Senate adjourned.

Sr. Louis, May 16 .- The Kansas correspondeat or the Republican, of this city, writes that Gov. Shannon hashent an express to Lexington, My., with the papers necessary for the arrest and return of Mr. Robinson .-The Committee of Investigation are in session at Leavenworth. It is understood that Mr. Oliver will present a minority report

when the committee return to Washington. CHUCAGO, May 17 .- A letter from Kansas dated the 9th inst., states that the Missourians having threatened to destroy the testi mony of the Investigating Committee, scaled packages of the proceedings, up to the time of the departure of Mr Robinson, were placed in cherge of that gentleman to be conveyed Washington. These despatches were not d'scovered in possession of Mr. R. after his arrest at Lexington ; his wife, at his reguest, having proceeded with them. Had it not been for this, she would have remained with her husband.

BURNING OF THE ST. LOUIS HOSPITAL -St. Louis, May 16 .- There were 96 patients in on Friday. menced, but; with one exception, they were sel rescued. The building cost \$100.000, aed was only insured for \$35.000. The putients were removed to the county farm, on which the U. S- Marine Hospital is located.

ONE OF THE FAMILY.—An Exchange grave-ly tells us that Mr. Thomas King, attached to Rowe & Co.'s Pioneer Circus, in San Fran-cisco, California made a leap in the pavillion of said Circus, over 10 horses, the distance cleared is the accomplishment of this feat, being thirty four feet and five inches !

Our cotemporary is evidently mistaken in attributing this feat to Tom King, as we are certain the man who taid he performed it must have been Jo king.

A GREAT INPROVEMENT.-In Sardinia. which is now one of the most liberal govern-ments in Europe there was a regal decree is-sued in 1825, that no one should be allowed to read and write who was not in possession of 1500 livres sbout \$200.

CT The Post Master General has appoint' ed Mr. James, B. Falls route agent between Port Clinton and Elmira, on the Cattawissa, the Jarge Steam Saw Mill, above town was Williamsport and Elmira Railroad, at a salary of \$700 a year, in place of Joseph Houghawout, resigned.

The President has vetoed several improvement bills that had been passed by Congress, for the improvement of the navigation of rivers in Michigan and Mississippi. The President was in a quandary, as the veto issue." will make him many political enemies.

CORONER .- The Governor has appointed James Covert, Esq., of this place, coroner for Northumberland county, in place of Aaron Kelly, resigned. The appointment is a good one. Mr. Covert was formerly sheriff of this county, and therefore will be well quali-

fied for the duties of the office. ....

S BOROCON ELECTION .- An election for Supervisors and Assessors of the Borough of Sunbury, was held at the court house on Monday last, and resulted as follows ;

88

83

86

91

91

78

76

	FOR SUPERVISOR.
Samuel	Gobia,
Samuel	Alspach,
Charles	Rinehart.
George	Harrison.
1.1	For Assessor.
Wm. A	Bruner,
George	17. Smith,
George	Lyon,
Wm, T.	Grant,

ST A new locomotive called the "A R. FISKE" has been-placed on the Philadelphia and Sunbury Railroad. It is a coal burner of the largest class, built on a new plan, at Patterson, N. J., and cost \$9,000. The improve, ment is the invention of Mr. Fiske, the able superintendent of the Philadelphia and Sunbury rail road, and from what we can learn. will obviate all the difficulties heretofore en. countered by coal burning locomotives. 'The fire box is nearly double the usual width, and the fire surface will accordingly he twice as great. There are other important improvements. The engine will bring a train to town eters, the scholars will have a delightful time.

to Ma. KRAER, the President of the Williamsport and Elmira Railroad, was in town on Wednesday evening. He was at Shamokin during the day, making arrangements for a more extensive and efficient coal room in the extensive buildings already erectrade between Elmira and the Shamokin ted is insufficient for the amount of work reregion.

The coal business; at this place, is not as brisk as it should be, and is, in this respect. by throwing himself into the river of Sunday similar to the trade in other regions. There evening last. His intention was suspected, is, however, no reason why the coal trade however, by some persons who were watching should not be active, as the stock on hand is him, and who succeeded in getting him out of smaller than last year, and before long we the water before he was drowned. may expect a rush for supplies of an article

that cannot be dispensed with. Mr. Charles W. Peale. of Shamokin says that the collier- place, and states that the firm of Colsher & ies at Shamokin are cupable of producing Moyer, boat builders, have dono much for 600,000 tons per annum. Ten collieries are Selinsgrove. A musical school hus just been already opened, and four more are under way. opened in the place.

every direction we see buildings in the course of erection, and extensive preparations for the building of more. The frame work of raised this week The company is composed of good and reliable men, and expect to have

the mill in operation at an early date. The steam Sash and Door Factory is in an advanced stage of progress, and is also under other improvements deserving of notice, but we have not the time or space in this week's

the Rev. Mr. Williard of the Lutheran Church, of Danville, preached his farewell sermon, and is about removing to Lovsville. Perry county, to take charge of the church at that place.

The Danville Troop, Capt. Baldy: the Montour Rifle Company, Capt. Zuber, and on Saturday last

The Borough authorities have passed an ordinance requiring property holders in cer-tain localities to pave in front of their premi-lanterus, showing visibly here and there

DANVILLE GAS COMPANY .-- On Monday of the ensuing year, viz :

Dr. W. F. Danowsky, Wm. H. Magill, V-Best, Wm. Henrie, T. O. Van Alen, E. H-Baldy, W. Jennison, M. C. Grier, Paul .eidv BRIDGE COMPANY .- At an election held at the office of the Treasurer on Monday, of last

week, the following officers were chosen to

serve for the ensuing year : President-Jacob Hibler.

Oberdorf, James M'Cormick, Treasurer and Sec .- J. G. Montgomery, WILLIANSPORT .- The Gazette finds fault,

and very properly too, with the school directors for building a new school house in a lo, cality where the rail road bounds one side of the lot, and the new Gas works on the other. Between the puffing and blowing of the loco. motives, and the odors emitted by the gasom-We should think it much better adapted fo a deaf and dumb institution. where scholars,

if they could not hear, could at least smell. The Williamsport and Elmira Railroad Company are making preparations to build a large addition to their machine shops. The quired to be done there.

SELINSOROVE .- The editor of the Demcra urges the importance of manufactories to a

No physicians came with the train, though the reason why none were sent was not explained. The bodies of the dead, as far as recovered from the wreck, were not removed the Columbia Guards, Capt. Forrest, paraded It was about 8 o'clook in the evening when the first train returned to Aspinwall,

I remained to assist in digging out the dead podies. The night was dark and with the

heaps of dead bodies, and the increasing mouns and shricks of the wounded, added to last week, at an election held pursuant to in the removal of the shattered wreck, made the mournful countenances of those at work notice given to the stockholders, the follow- it a scene never to be forgolten. At four ing named persons were elected Directors for o'clock in the morning, a second train arrived from Aspinwall, and carried back more of the wounded. I left in this train. The bedies

of the dead and some of the wounded still remained at the scene of the disaster. I did not get the names of any of the killed or wounded. Two young men in company with myself, and occupying the seat directly in front of me, were instantly killed. Their names were Wm. McMüllen and James Crawley, of Rochester, New York. The former leaves a wife and two children. I learned that all the brakesmen of the train Managers-Philip F. Mans, Valentiae were killed. Over eight hundred persons Best, Andrew F. Rassel, Roht, Moore, John were on the train. Of these 1 should presume that three hundred were killed and

seriously wounded. Col. Tottea writes, "We can only count. as yet, fifteen killed and sixty wounded badly, wounded have all been brought to our hospital at this place, where they are receiv.

ing the attention of our own surgeons." Mr. Shew, a passenger, says, "I was scated in one of the rear cars, and the first sensation I felt was a sudden jerk, and immediately looking out of the window, I could see the cars rushing upon each other until nine in number were completely demolished. Every car was crowded with passengers, containing at least sixty persons."

HOLLOWAY'S OINTNEST AND PILLS the best medies for the Cure of Female Complaints .- The extraordinary effect these Pills have upon all complaints peculiarly inciden-tal to females, would appear incredible to the citizens of the Union, if it were not con-firmed daily by the wonderful cures they effect in the various States. It is an unquesequal them for exterminating suffering from the softer sex, particularly for young girls entering into womathood, therefore all are requested to give them a trial, which will insure their recommendation.

#### ...... Unfonnded Rumer.

BALTINGER, May 20 .- There is a romor prevailing here to night that Mr. Fillmore is dead. As there has been no European arri-val, the report must be false. It was given out on the arrival of the train from the North.

out and entered on the i expressed by Mr. Black, and partiy paid,-Guided by the precedent thus set me, and H regarding it for obvious reasons as sound, the payments for that year were continued as indicated, and the appropriation for the present

year is now being disbursed upon the same principle. You will thus see that the appropriation to the school districts of the respective counties is not affected by the salaries of

A. G. CURTIS. Superintendent of Common Schools. To Messes. J. HOLCOME. | HOUSE of Rep. B. LAPORTE. WM. M. PIATT, Senate.

MARIAGES.

On the 15th inst., by Rev. P. Born, Mr. WILLIAM PACE, of Point township, to Miss MARGARET SHITH, of Northunsberland. On the 14th inst., by Daniel Beckley, Esq.,

Mr. ENOCH BRINKWORTH, to Miss CAROLINE He has also opened an 'ce Cream Saloon, and Pumports, both of Treverton.

DEATHS.

In this place on Saturday last, MAGDA. LENE SCHEAP, wife of C. Schlap, aged

24 years and 8 days. In this place on the 77th inst., Mr. WIL

LIAM HILLIS, nged about 34 years. In this place on Sunday morning last, ORLANDO, son of Emanuel and Margaret

THE subscriber having returned from the city with a new and extensive assortment of Wilvert, aged 3 years and 4 days. fashionable goods, respectfully calls the attention of Farmers, Mechanics and others to the same The Markets.

Philadelphia Market.

May 21, 1856.

GRAIN .- The supply of Wheat about equals the demand. The city millers are buying all the prime lots offering, but inferior descrip tions are hard to dispose of. Sales of Dela-ware and Penn. at \$1 50 a 1 52 ; Jersey at 1 55, and choice Southern white at \$1 65a1. 75. Rye is in fair demand at 72 cents. Corn is arriving freely; sales of Southern and prime Pennsylvania at 546., affoat, and 5#a 52 cents in store. Oats are dull ; sales range from 31a34 cents.

Whickey is firmly held. Barrels at 28c., and hnds at 27 cents.

SUNBURY PRICE CURRENT.

WHEAT. Besides a large and general assortment of fashionable goods. Call and examine for your-Bys. Cons. selves. EP Country produce of all kinds taken in exchange at the highest market prices. OATS. POTATOES. HECKLES FLAD. Lower Augusta, 5 mo. 24, 1855 .--10 20 SHEAFF & BLACK, MINERS AND SUFFFERS OF FLAXBEED. 125 WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL.

New Advertisements.

#### NOTICE.

A LL persons are hereby notified not to por-chase or meddle with a certain promisary, note, drawn by the subscriber, payable to A. J. Taul, at the Bank of Nurthumberland, for the som of Two Hundred dollars, dated the 29th day of April 1856, as he has not received value and will not pay said note unless compelled by law.

J. P. ARMSTRONG. May 14. 1856 .- Pt

#### WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. M. C. GEARHART,

A. M., the following described property, to wit :---AS just received a new and excellent assort A certain tract or piece of land, situate Fruit Store in MARKET STREET, Sunbury, in Turbut township, Northumberland county, adjoining lands of Nathaniel Britton. David where he manufactures and keeps on hand, at all times, the most choice Confectionary, &c. Wholesale and Retail, at Philadelphia prices. Among his stock of Confectionaries, may be

Lecland, Peter Kunkle and Samuel Blain, containing five acres, more or less, all of which is cleared, whereon is crected a two tory Brick House, a frame Smith shop, outbuildings, &c. Gam Drops, all kinds of scent Seized, faken into execution, and to be Giam Drops, all kinds of scent, Lave Drops, red and white, Jelly Cakes, Fruit Drops, sol all scents Rock Candres, Annost Candy,

old as the property of Robert G. Girton and Isabella Girton. IENRY WEISE, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Sunbury, May 17, 1856.

#### SHERIFF SALE.

By virtue of a certain writ of Fieri Facing to me directed, will be exposed to public ale, at the Court House, in Sunbury, on MONDAY, the 4th day of August, 1856, at superior quality of Segars and Tobacco, and a variety of Confectionaries, fruit, &c. all of which 1 o'clock, P. M., the following described pro-

the Borough of Sanbary, being the eastern half part of 101 No 162, in the general plan will at all times be ready to serve his customers of said town, fronting on Blackberry street, and bounded on the east by lot No. 161, on the west by the half lot No. 162, on the north by an alley, containing in front 30 feet and 230 feet in depth, whereon are crected a

two story log louse, weather boarded and painted white, and some outbuildings. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold

as the property of Jacob Kable. H. WEISE, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE. Sunbury, May 17, 1856.

#### Estate of Mary Updegrove.

Notice is hereby given to Casper Upde-grove. Elizabeth Udegrove, intermarned with John Brenisholtz, John Updegrove, Adam Updegrove, Lydia Updegrove, widow of Snowden Hunt, Thomas Updegrove, Sarah Updegrove, intermarried with James Lytle, and to Sarah J., Levi, and Elizabeth, minor children of Isaac Updegrove, who have for their Guardian, John Ebright, and to John Ebright and ---- his wife, who was the wid-ow of said Isaac Updegrove, heirs and legal representatives of Mary Updegrove, deceased, late of Lower Agusta township, Northumberland County, Pennsylvania ; that upon the petition of Thomas Updegrove, aforesaid, the Orphans Court of said county made an order awarding an inquest of partition and valuation upon the real estate of said Mary Updegrove, dc'd., situate in Lower Augusta town-ship, county aforesaid, adjoining land of Christian First, Adam Christ, Lydia Starr, Peter Coldrain, and Casper Snyder, dc'd., contain-ing thirty-three and one-quarter acres more or less-and that in persuance of soid order of said court, I will hold an inquisition upon the said real estate of said Mary Updegrove, dc'd., on Friday the twentieth day of June, next, (A. D. 1856.) at 10 o'clock, A. M., of that day, on the said premises, to make partition and valuation of said real estate, at which time and place you may attend if you think proper.

HENRY WEISE, Sheriff of Nothumberiand County. Sheriff's Office, Sunbury, May 8, 1856.

JAMES F. CALBREATH'S

#### LADIES FANCY SHOE STORE.

No. 59 North Eighth Street, Above Arch, East side,

#### PHILA DELPHIA.

Ladies from the country, can have shoes made to order in the very best style and workmanship on a few days notice. An excellent amortment

May 10, 1956 - 19

BEERWAX BUTTER. Cons. Pour. TALLOW.

A stranger in town attempted to commit

suicide, while is a fit of temporary insanity, tionable fact, that there is not any remedy to