

THE PRYOR AND POTTER AFFAIR OF

TROUGLE ABOUT THE FRELIMINARIES.

INTERESTING PARTICULARS. WASFINGTON, April 13.

The following is believed to be a correct statement of the Pryor and Potter affair, up

to noon to-day. Immediately after the occurrence in the House, Mr. Pryor dispatched, through Mr. Hindman (Ark.) a note to Mr. Potter, asking him to leave the District to receive a written

To this Mr. Potter replied, that as Mr. Pryor's note contemplated avoiding the anti-duelling penalties in the District, and that as his (Mr. Potter's) disqualification was contained in the Constitution of Wisconsin, if he entertained the proposal, therefore, he could not leave the District. On which Mr. Chisman, a substitute for Mr. Hindman, who was obliged to leave for Arkansas, handed Mr. Potter a peremptory challenge from Mr. Pryor, who dated his note from Virginia.

Col. Lander, who had been designated by Mr. Potter as his friend, handed, after a lapse of twelve hours, a note to Mr. Chisman accepting the challenge, and naming common bowie knives as the weapons ; the fight to take place in the open air, and the parties to he accompanied by two friends, each armed with Colt's revolvers.

Mr. Chisman protested against this form of weapon as absurd, barbarous, vulgar, and offered to construe the code in the most liberal terms, provided other arms 'are suggested. Mr. Potter authorized Col. Lander to de cline any other terms, arging the bowie knife as the only weapon. Whereupon Col. Land-er offered to substitute himself for Mr. Potter with other weapons. To both of which propositions Mr. Chisman, without consulting Mr. Pryor, replied that the first, as to the weapons, is vulgar and inadmissable, and that, while appreciating Col. Lander's zeal for his friend, they have no cause of quarrel with him and, consequently, no demand to make on him.

Col. Lander said Mr. Potter considered the whole affair barbarous and inhuman, but as he must fight, he would select weapons which would

place him on an equality. Mr. Pryor is still in Virgnia, and has not yet heard of his second's action in the matter. The latter is believed to have acted after consultation with Senators Mason and Hammond, and Messrs. Miles and Keitt, of the House.

## THIRTY-SIXTH CONGRESS .- 1st Session.

WASHINGTON. April 17. SENATE.-Mr. Johnson (Tenn.), from the Committee on Public Lands, reported back the Homestead bill as modified by the com-

mittee. Mr. Johnson (Ark.) explained the differences in the present bill and that originally presented. The first difference was as to the class of persons provided for The original bill gives lands to the heads of families and all persons over twenty-one years of age. This is only to the heads of families. The second difference was the requirement of the payment of twenty-five cents per acro. The original bill gave lands absolutely away. Twenty-five cents was the actual cost of the lands to the Government. The amended bill further required five years' residence, and actual title to be given at the expiration of that period, the price fixed being then paid. The House bill required a consecutive residence of five years, but the titles not to be givien till two years afterwards. Further, the Senate bill only included the lands open to private entry, while the House bill opens all lands subject to pre-emption. The Senate the Schuylkill & Susquebanna Railroad. bill also required the constant settlement of the land for five years, and prohibits any sale,



H. B. MASSER, Editor and Proprietor.

To ADVENTISERS. ... The circulation of the SCHBURY ARERICAN Among the different towns on the Surquehanna not exceeded, if equalled by any paper published in Northern Pennsylvania.

> DEMOCRATIC STATE NOMINATIONS. FOR GOVERNOR.

HENRY D. FOSTER, OF WESTMORELAND.

CY HAIR DYE .-- Thurgaland's hair dye, black and brown, a very superior article for coloring the hair, for sale at this office.

The weather the past few days has been pleasant. The season has been a backward one, and vegetation and gardening are several weeks behind what might be called an early season.

FRUIT TREES .- A small lot of choice fruit trees for sale-Enquire at this office.

For change of time on the Northern Central railroad, see new schedule.

TP SALMON. - The best fish that swims is, without doubt, our Susquehanna salmon. A number of them have been caught, but they are in great demand. We are indebted to Sheriff Vandyke, for several fine ones.

Fautt .- There were serious apprehensions that much of our fruit had been killed by the frosts. As a general thing the peaches in this neighborhood promise well, and this may be said of most of our fruit trees.

A GRAND BALL, for the benefit of Gract's Cornet Band, will come off at the Central Hotel, on Tuesday night the 24th inst. The object is a worthy one, and will, no doubt, attract a large assemblage.

63 The coal trade of the Shamokin region shows a favorable and healthy increase. The inst. The Pennsylvania delegation left Philtrade at Trevorton has been retarded by the adeiphia or. Wednesday for Charleston, by stoppage of the breaker, in putting in a new the steamer "Keystone State." boiler, and making other repairs.

The New York Legislature, before its adjournment, passed the city railroad bills, called the Gridiron Railroad Bill, over the Governor's veto. This bill authorizes railroads through many of the principal streets in New York.

The letting of the Auburn & Allentown Railroad, advertised to take place on the 10th inst., was postponed until the 10th of May next. We learn that the Reading Railroad Company have proposed to lease

-----COSMOPOLITAN ART JOURNAL-The

THE SANBORN CASE .- Senator Sumner opened a broadside on Mr. Mason, of Virginia, In regard to his Harper's Ferry Committee, and the arrest of Mr. Sanborn. He said one of Milton's judges in hell bad made

it a rule, first to punish and then to hear .--It would seem that the Senator from Virginia referred to the Judiciary Committee.

SHALL CONGRESS ADJOURN ?- Those favorable to an adjournment for the Charleston Convention, finding no chance to succeed. changed their tactics, and moved an adjournon the part of the Republicans, who were ling and the champion's belt. opposed to any adjournment.

The fashion and pattern plates are worth the money is to be returned. price of a year's subscription to the Book .--

There are now in Philadelphin, in active operation, nineteen passenger railroad weight holding the belt against them. It is companies, who transport from one section of thought that if Heenan whips Sayers, he will

ST At the first election held under the City Charter of Harrisburg, on Friday week last, William H. Kepner, Esq., the Democratic candidate, was elected Mayor by 145 majority. The vote polled was large, and

stood as follows : William H. Kepner (Dem.) Frederick K. Boas (Rep )

THE CHARLESTON CONVENTION .- The Democratic National Convention will assemble in Charleston on Monday next, the 23d

The following officers were elected by the stockholders of the Mahanoy & Broad Mountain Railroad, on the 2d instant, at Pottaville : President-JNO. P. BROCK. Board of Directors-Samuel Grant, Burd

Patterson, John Brock, John Gibson, Davis that all the attempts to prevent it will be Kaercher, Jacob Huntsinger, Jr., and H. C. Gibson.

THE INTERNATIONAL FIGHT .- Latest advices from England represent Heenan to

be in admirable condition, and fit to fight a York Times says of the Carstang trial :

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE. The "Benicia Boy" Driven from his Quarter, -Savers' Colors-Opinions About the Fight

-The Locality of the Fight. LONDON, March 20, 1860.

In my last letter I mentioned some of the vidences of the interest felt in England in It would seem that the Senator from Virginia had adopted this rule as a precedent. Mr. Mason, smiling, said there was nothing in Mason, smiling, said there was nothing in has manifested itself in such a decided man-this extravagant language which he could ner that it actually obliged Heenan to quit puff of one of these povel affairs may be heard take as personal. He left it for the Senate be had taken the old Mansion House as a to deal with such lack of decorum. Senators residence-and to retire to some more quiet looked at each other as if apprehensive of a and less known locality. Such was the curidifficulty, but Mr. Summer proceeded in a feeling appeal for Mr. Samborn, without far-ther interruption. The whole subject was

lowed him often for miles. They gathered about his house in the morning, anxious to catch a glimpse of him, and every day applications from all sorts of people were sent into him, with requests for personal introductions ; and in fact the annoyance finally became so great that he was forced to pack up and ment till Monday week, to give time to have decamp to a more secluded spot, where he the desks restored in the Hall. This rallied hopes to be permitted to be let slone, and a larger vote, and the motion would have allowed quietly to pursue his laudable desire a larger vote, and the motion would have been carried, but for the determined resistance with a view to the two hundred pounds sterclothing.

pposed to any adjournment. Sayers has announced his "colors" as ready for distribution among his adherents and de-votees. They are made of silk, with the folready out, and on our table. As usual Godey lowing design :- The standard of England in is very acceptable, and the contents are of a highly interesting character, especially to the ladies, for whom he particularly caters. The ses of his colors at a guinea each ; but with engraving of "A May Party," is very pretty. the reservation that "should fortune fail to crown him with the wreath of victory," the

The general feeling here, among men who Terms \$3 per annum-subscriptions taken at this office. are interested in such matters, is of course in favor of the "champion;" while not a few of the professional pugilists, and their friends,

the city to another, daily, about one hundred do it in a short order, and will conquer from and forty five thousand persons, and receive from save to eight thousand persons, and receive one and one-half inches bigb, and thirteen from seven to eight thousand dollars per day, over two millions of dollars annually. stone ten pounds weight, and the greater

vigor which a man of twenty-five may be supposed to have over one of thirty-four .-But if Sayers succeeds in standing up against these advantages for a few rounds, it is

rience, his perfect familiarity with all the "dodges" of the ring, will, in a prolonged en-counter, tell in his favor, and finally conquer. Still, with two such hard hitters, a chance blow may decide the fight either way in a betting, the odds still continuing five to four | President of the High Priests. on the champion. The locality of the fight is yet kept a pro-

ter, and it will not be generally known until about two days before the 16th of April, when the information will be an about the set as the corresponding

the information will be obtainable at the sporting houses in London. As much secresy as possible will be observed, as there is supposed to be a fixed determination to in-terfere with the "arrangements," and it is said that a committee of religious gentlemen has been formed in London with this sole object in view. Still there is little doubt

Pierson, J. Dutton Steele, Geo. S. Repplier, circumvented, and that the "international" Joseph S. Lewis, John Bancroft, F. B. will come off and decide who is the "best man" and most worthy to wear the champion's belt.

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verdict, and, indeed the only verdict that

could have been rendered on the evidence,

yet the regret is quite general in the commu

THE CARSTANG-SHAW BREACH OF PRO MISE.

A St. Louis correspondent of the New be in admirable condition, and fit to fight a "ork rinks says of the Carlein g that fisher, of Daupnin, "brick house." He would hardly be recog-their three weeks' trial of the most exciting Harrisburg Sentinel.

Gleanings-Editorial and Selected.

Peterson's Detector informs us of a dangerons consterfeit \$5 note on the Danbury Bank, Canbury, Conn.

Governor Packer has signed the bill for the relief of the Sunbury & Erie Railroad Company.

Steamboats are now running on the Union as it passes through Reading.

MILWAUKIE .- The Democracy of Milwankie, on Tuesday week, elected their Mayor by 1000 majority. They also elected the other city officers, gaining a signal victory.

The story has obtained general circulation in Cuba that Gen. Jose de la Concha had been recently killed in a duel, in Spain, with the Marquis de la Pezuela, who was his predecessor in the Captain-Genralship of the Island.

A young couple in St. Louis were robbed the other night of money and clothes, by some villians who administered chloroform The room had been so thoroughly sacked that the plundered pair were obliged to remain in bed till the neighbors brought them some

A STEAM WAGON FOR COMMON ROADS .- A foundry firm in Hannibal, Missouri, has just completed a road locomotive, to run by steam, which, upon its trial, proved eminently successful ; so much so that a gentleman of that city has contracted for one, at a cost of \$2500, for a trip to Pike's Peak.

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY .- It is announced that Prof. Greenough, of New Orleans, has succeeded, after much investigation, in impregnating common burning fluid, or cam-phene, with carbonic acid gas, as a neutrali-zing agent, which, leaving the inflamable na-ture of the fluid unchanged, makes it unex plosise, and consequently harmless.

THE SHORMAKERS' STRIKE IN LYNN IS about over, says the Nantucket Inquirer. Most of the workmen have gone to work at the advanced prices originally claimed. The bosses have agreed to raise their wages, the strike having so largely diminished the goods on hand that they can offord it. Some of the workmen still hold out because the bosses will not sign the schedule of prices. They do not intend to do it, leaving wages to be settled by the market prices of goods.

ANNUAL MORMON CONFERENCE IN ILLINOIS -The Anti-Brigham Young Mormons held these advantages for a few rounds, it is thought that his superior skill and long expe-inst., Joe Smith, Jr., is identified with this branch of the Mormons, and it is proposed to give Brigham a good deal of trouble .-Polygamy was bitterly denounced, and those who practice it had the curses of the church No. 2 pronounced against them. Young very few minutes. There is no change in the Smith was present, and accepted the office of

THE COAL TRADE .- The quantity sent by found secret, even from those who might be Railroad this week is 33,556 15-by Canal supposed to be thoroughly posted in the mat. 25,754 03-for the week 59,310 18 tons

week last year. The shipments from this region have diminished since last week. This was expected, as the men have turned out at a number of the collieries for higher wages. In some in-stances the advance has been granted, in others refused, owing to the low price offered for Coal .- Miner'e Journal.

AN IMPORTANT LAW CASE .- A very impor-tant law suit is now in progress in our Court, before his Honor Judge Pearson, between George M. Lauman, Esq., plaintiff, and the Lebanon Valley and Reading Railroad Com-Oats, Buckwheat, pany, defendants. The amount in centroversy is large-the plaintiff claiming from \$250,000 to \$390,690. This suit has attracted much Potatoes, attention. Both parties are ably represented at the bar : Messrs. Hoffman, of Berks, and Fisher, of Dauphin, for the plaintiff, and Messrs. Kunkle and Mumma for defence.—

A LL persons are hereby cautioned against pur-chasing or negotiating for a certain promise. ry note, dated July 19th, 1859, payable one year Careful and obli

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April \$1, 1860.

The Chowsen HEADS or Evange are all in ! an uptoar, and runners of wars and warlike pequations rebound. The Heads of our country content themselves with cultivating friendly re-COSTAR'S" Rat Roach, & c., Exterminator COSTAR'S" Bed-bog Externionator. COSTAR'S" Electric Powder, for Insects, & c. lations with the rest of mankind, and wearing. when bereft of their natural covering, the grace-Rats-Ronches-Mice-Moles-Glound Mice-Bed.Bogs Ants-Moths-Mosquiloes-Fieus-Insects on Plants, Fowls, Aumala &c., &c.-in short, every form and spe-cies of VERMIN.

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### Religious Notices.

Divine service will be held every Sublath in this B ough an follows: PRESD'TERIAN CHURCH.—North west corner of Blackberry and Deer streets, Rev. J. D. REARDON, Pastor. Divine service every Sublimit at 11 A. M. Prayer meet-ing on Thursday evening. At Northumberland, in Old School Presbyterian Church, at 3 o'clock, P. M., every Sublects

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corner of River and Blackberry streets, Rev. J. W. STRIN-METZ, Pastor. Divine service, alternately, every Subbath at 10 A. M. and 7 P. M. Prayer meeting on Friday THE Stockholders of the Shamokin Steam Ferry and Towboat Company, are notified that an election for five directors for the ensuing

evening. EVANGELICAI. LUTHERAN CHURCH.—Deer streetbelow S V. & P. Rail Road, Rev. P. Rizzer, Pastor Divine service, alternately, every Sabisath at 10 A. M. and 7 P. M. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening year, will be held at the office of the Company in the borough of Sunbury, on Monday the 7th of May next. Polls open from 2 to 5 o'clock, P.M. HENRY DONNEL, Sec'y.

METHODIST EPHCOPAL CHURCH -- Dewberry streen west of S. & B. Rail Road, Rev. E. BUTLER and J. P. Swaxora, Pantors, Divine service, alternately, every Sab-bith at 10 A. M. and 7 P. M. Prayer meeting on Thurs-day exempts.

and evening. BAPTIST CHURCH — Fawn street, below S. V. & P. Railroad, Rev. A. J. Har, Pastor. Preaching every at ternate Subbath at 3 o'clock, P. M. During the preac-month as follows: 2nd and 4th Sabbaths.—Lectur every Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock

MARRIAGES.

On Thursday evening, the 12th inst., by Rev. B. Rizer, Mr. WILLIAM HENDRICKS, to the shortest notice. His stock of Horses are Miss ELIZABETH, daughter of Mr. George admired for speed and gentleness, The vehicles Bright, all of this place.

In Delaware township, on Thursday the 5th inst., by A. S. Ludwig, Esq., Mr. JOSEFH FALLS, to Miss CAROLINE FULMER, beth of the same township.

## DEATHS.

In the losane Asylum, at Harrisburg, on The World's Great Exhibition Prize the 26th ult., ELIAS ZIMMERMAN, of Lower Augusta township, Northumberland county Pa., aged 22 years 4 months 18 days, On the 28th ult., DAVID OSCAR, infant son of Jacob Seasholtz, of Upper Augusta,

aged 7 months and 12 days. In Limestone tp., Union county Mrs. WOLFE, aged about 71 years.

In Chillisquaque, 1st inst., SAMUEL M. son of Joseph and Matilda Frederick, aged 22 years, 5 months, 8 days.

In Lewisburg, 3d inst., Miss NANCY HUCHINSON, aged 34 years.

ceased, aged about 56 years.

# The Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, April 19 1860. GRAIN .- The market is poorly supplied with

at 45c. for Delaware and 444 cents for Penn'a.

New York Barley is dull at 80 cents. Barley Malt ranges from 90 to 92 cents per bushel.

SUNBURY PRICE CURRENT.

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New Advertisements.

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Sunbury, April 21, 1860.

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Sunbury, April 21, 1860 .-

FELLOW-CITIZESS :

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heat. We quote good and prime red at \$1 50 a 1 52 per bus., and small sales of white at \$1 68 a 1 72. Bye is wanted at 88c.

# CENTRAL HOTEL.

SUNBURY, Northumberland County, Pa. THIS large and commodious Hetel, naw managed by J. H. E C K B E R T. It is situate at the Railroad Depot North East corner of Market Square, Sunbury, and at the terminus of the Sunbury & Erie and North-Wheat, \$1 25a1 40 | Butter, - - \$ 20 ern Central Railroads, and is open for the accom-12 modation of Travelers and the public in general The proprietor will give his exclusive atten-12 12 tion, to the comfort and convenience of his guests 8 and is determined to make this establishment 24 | rank among the first in the State.

His table will be supplied with the best the market can produce having the advantage of daily communication by cars direct from Balti-more, and also from those bringing produce from the surrounding country.

His bar will be supplied with the purest liquors Ca-eful and obliging servants always in at

A share of the local and traveling community

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Sunbury, January 12, 1860.



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Sunbury. 21st, April 1860.

are next and in good order.

carry passengers to any point desired.

Sanbury, April 21, 1860 .--

be had at all times with or without driver.

stantly on hand Pranos, equal to those for which he received the Prize Medal in London in 1851. All orders promptly attended to, and great care taken in the selection and packing the same. He has received during the last fifteen years more Medals than any other maker from the Franklin Institute-also, first Premiums in Bos-ton, New York and Baltimore.

Warerooms No. 722 Arch Street, below 8th, south side, Philadelphia, April 14, .860.-381W

Corn-prime quality is selling slowly at 75 cents, partly afloat. Oats are in fair request

transfer, or abandonment under the negality of a forfeiture. The House bill allowed the abandon it for two years and then dispose of

The House bill further provided that the homestead is not liable for any debt contracted prior to seven years' of occupancy. The Senate bill provided that the land shall not be sold for the debt of the settler until the United States parts with the title. The Senate bill further requires an alien to file his declaration of intention to become a citizen before operation of the act to citizens of the United States and the heads of families.

Mr Johnson argued at some length in favor of the new bill, pointing out its advantages over the House bill. It gave the settler the right, at any time during five years, to perfect his title by paying the Government price. He read a statement from the Commissioner at the Land Office, showing that, under the donation acts passed in regard to Oregon and Florida over seventy per cent. of the settlers who availed themselves of the provisions of the Acts, and remained on the land had petitioned Congress to allow them to pay the Government price, and perfect their titles, before the expiration of the period of four years; at the end of which time they might obtain the tittle withot paying any-tning. In the case of Florida, 211,360 acres were seized upon under the grant made by Congress. Of these, 138,400 acres were afterwards abandoned, and forfeited to the Government. He the called attention to another provision in

uld be ceded to the State in which they lie. Mr. Gwin (Cal.) offered an amendment, legalizing the occupancy-of the mineral lands in California and Oregon by cittzens of the United States or persons who have declared their intention to become citizens.

Mr. Mason (Va.) wanted to know if the miners on the Government lands had been troubled by any one.

Mr. Gwin answered, No.

Mr. Mason thought it would be better to ad-here to the old Roman maxim, "Let things at rest remain at rest." Mr. Gwin further avowed that the object of his

amendment was to drive out the Coolie labor from the mines, and confine it to agriculture.

#### ONLY TEN DAYS FROM CALIFORNIA.

The California Pony Express-Arrival of Powhattan with the Japanese Embassy.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 14.-The first mes-senger on the Central Overland Pony Express arrived here at 4 o'clock, yesterday afternoon, with California dates to April 3d, and Carson Valley dates to the 4th.

The United States steamer Powhattan, with the Japanese Embassy, consisting in all of 72 persons, arrived on the 27th. After repairs and coaling, which will take some days, she will proceed to Panama. The Embassy propose spending a month on the Atlantic ide, and wish to return via Panama in the Powhattan.

Wrs. Edward Shippen Burd died in Pollock, he asked us our opinion as to the Philadelphia recently, aged 68 years, leaving nominee of the Charleston Convention. We property valded at from one to two millions remarked that we did not see how the nomiof dollars. The funeral took place at St. nation of Douglas could be avoided. He said Stephen's Church. The coffin is of red he thought so too, and did not think any cedar, very thick, and covered with black other candidate named had the remotest cloth. It has two tops, one top being flat, chance of success. We asked his opinion in and the other commencing two inches from regard to the Chicago nominee. He said he white satin.

March number contains a magnificent steel thorough is the change in his personal ap- courts of this country, materially damaged in settler to sell it at the end of five years or to engraving, entitled, "Good for Nothing," and much other illustrated matter. The future donald, writes that he does not fear the renumbers of this publication will be issued in

advance of their date. for Senator Toombs expresses the opinion

that the Democratic presidential nomination lies between Hunter and Douglas. If Republican Congressmen can manage he could avail himself of the benefits of the things at Chicago, Judge McLean will be bill. The effect of this was to restrict the their nominee for the presidency. It is said that he is full of physical energy.

S NORTHERN CENTRAL RAILROAD .- Mr. James C. Clarke, late of the Illinois Central the water limit. Mr. Lauer has therefore several instances in this amour reveal more Railroad, has been appointed to the office of resolved to continue his operations, and will General Superintendent of the Northern go at least 200 feet further-making a total Central Railroad. Mr. Clarke has had great depth of 2,000 feet unless a jet of the crytal experience in railroad matters, and has been element is previously obtained. employed on some of the most extensive roads of the country.

THE AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST .--- We are indebted to Mr. Judd, the editor and proprietor of this valuable and excellent journal, published in New York, for a variety of seeds which he is distributing broadcast over the land. Mr. Judd is just the man amended bill, not embraced in the House bill, for the position he has chosen. It is with which compels the sale of surveyed public lands bim a labor of love, and he enters into it with two years after the surveys are made. The last provision of the amended bill, was, that lands in all the energy he possesses. No one who has any State remaining unsold after thirty-five years seen and conversed with him, and seen him in his sauctum "hard at work" upon his journal, can doubt of his success. We have, on more than one occasion, remarked to him,

> course, an immense circulation, aided by enterprise and industry.

.... HORACE GREELEY AT MILTON .- We at-

tended the lecture of Mr. Greeley, at Milton, on Thursday evening. In this lecture Mr. Greeley gave his impressions of his overland journey to California, and was listened to

with interest by a large audience. His views of the practical working of Polygamy in Utah, were interesting as well as amusing. At the request of some of our citizens we

inquired of Mr. Greeley if he could lecture here. He said he could do so if he could arrive in time, the same day from New York, and he would then also visit Danville and Williamsport. We showed him that this could be readily accomplished by way of Easton, Reading and Harrisburg, to Sunbury. He said he would come during the moonlight nights, when his men from the interior, heads of streams, &c., would come to hear him.

In the evening, at the residence of Gov. than last.

the outer edge of the bottom one, and having was for Bates, but had no idea who would be overland express from San Francisco reports a rise of two inches. On the top was a heavy the man. Twenty years ago, when we first the arrival of the United States steamer gold plate, with the name and age of the de- met Mr. Greeley at New York, he looked Powhattan, at San Francisco, on the 27th ceased engraved upon it. There were also like an overgrown, tow-headed, beardless boy, ult., with the Japanese Embassy, consisting three heavy gilt mouldings, and heavily plated It is only of late that he has lost the physic of 72 persons, on board. The Embassy is gold handles. The inside was lined with que of boyhood. Mentally, he has always expected to reach Washington about the to Lewisburg Eight Cars of Merchandize first week in May. been a man of mark.

nized by his most intimate friends, so case which has ever occurred in the civil pearance. The "Boy's" trainer, Jack Mac. putse and character. The defendant has sult, and that the proper odds ought to his counsel were obliged to place him before be one hundred to thirty in favor of the the jury and the community in the most un-American Aaron Jones, who fought Sayers, enviable position. A millionaire, trembling on the verge of three-score years and ten ; a also says that Heenan will win with more practical botanist and landscape gardener, ease than his most ardent friends anticipate. whose labors at Tower Grove have won him

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TAUER'S ARTESIAN WELL-A chemical analysis of the latest "borings," by Prof. Lennig, of Philadelphia, proved that instead Jardan des plantes of Paris, if the wise and of the Fire Rock, he had either struck a liberal plan of the donor should be carried out regular deposit of Lime Spar, or coarse granu

lar marble, and had not yet penetrated below

nity that some adequate punishment could THE APPROACHING CONVENTION .--- Both not be inflicted upon the defendant. The Houses of Congress refused to adjourn by de-cided majorities. Senators Slidell and Bright marriage was the sister of the plaintiff, and her testimony was contradicted and impeached have gone to Charleston, and it is understood in almost every conceivable way, and he will bid high for votes against Douglas. Mr. character and that of her sister were shown Slidell assured a Northern delegate that the to be decidedly bad. It would be untrue and too barsh to say that Miss Effie had been North might insert Squatter Sovereignty into proved a public prostitute, but if there is any the Charleston Platform if they would only dependence to be placed in human testimon ignore Douglas. she is and has been for the last twenty years

an intriguante and an adventurer of the FIRE AT WILLIAMSPORT .- Our Williamsmost dangerous type. Possessing a fine port neighbors have again been sufferers from form, pleasing appearance, fascinating man-fire, supposed to be the work of an incendiary. Four stables were destroyed, with their and energy, Effie Carstang's career has been contents. During the excitement the Rescue, a new engine, exploded, blowing the favors. that we could not see how he could afford to brass dome about two squares. The losses give so much for a dollar. The secret is, of are estimated as follows by the Gazette :

Mrs. Harris, about \$600, partly insured ;

known FEES .- By an act of the Legislature regulating the fee bill, it is provided that the large cities this will give this office an enormous salary.

The wheat crop in Pennsylvania presents a very encouraging appearance. It looks remarkably well, the winter and spring having been quite favorable. Some of the economical plan for making cake without

10 Hon. Howell Cobb, in his letter withdrawing his name as a candidate for the Presidency, says be does this to secure union and harmony in the Democratic party, as he would not accept the nomination at Charleston if his own State was opposed to him. THE JAPANESE EMBASSY .- The pony

obtained the verdict, but in order to show that he had never promised to marry the plaintiff

Please announce to the readers of your Journal, that while they are canvassing the merits of the various gentleman named for office of Sheriff, they should not forget that, Lower Mahanoy presents her candidate, in the person of I. H. RESSLER, Esq., a wide renown; a philanthropist, who has mu-nificently endowed the city of St. Louis with gentleman whose integrity, ability and fitness Encouraged by many friends, I am induced for the office, none who know him will for a to effer myself to the people as a candidate for grounds sufficient to create a worthy rival of moment doubt. As our township is entitled to some consideration by the People's party, in its details, he figures in this trial as a libertine of seventy, and, like M'Auley's Marlborough, thrifty in his very vice; for we hope that our claim for their votes in this campaign will be remembered.

LOWER MOHANOY. April, 9th 1860. Although the verdict is esteemed a just

Shamokin Coal Trade. SHANOKIN, April 14, 1860.			G. M. RI Sunbury, April 21, 1860.
Sent for the week ending April		SHINGLES ! SHINGLES	
14th.	3.458	18	THE subscriber has just received the
Per last Report,	25,966	07	and best lot of Shinglesever brough
	29,425	05	place. Also a large lot of White Pine Joice, Studding, Pailing and Sninglin
Last year,	23,385		which he offers very cheap for cash.
Increase.	6.039	18	Yard in Market Street, Sunbury, Pa. A. A. SHISS

The Northern Central Railway.

MAIL TRAIN, NORTH .-- Leaves Baltimore at 7,50 A. M., arrives at Harrisburg at 12,25 P. M., (connecting with trains on the Pennsylvania and Lebanon Valley Bailroads from Philadelphia,) and leaves at 12.50 P. M., SUNBURY at 3,30 P. M., Williamsport at 5,22 P. M., and arrives at Lock Haven at 6,35 very different from that of the mere lewd beauty who lives by the sale of her liberal

MAIL TRAIN, SOUTH .- Leaves Lock Haven rewarded. April 21, 1860 .--- 3t

at 6,35 A. M., Williamsport at 8,00 A. M., SUNBURY at 9,46 A. M., and arrives at Har-STEAM TUGS FOR CARBYING COAL .--- Mr risburg at 12,30 P. M., leaves at 12,50 P. M., and arrives at Baltimore at 5,50 P. M.-Rogerson of New Castle upon Tyne, in a recent letter published in a Southere journal John B. Beck, between \$600 and \$700, partly insured; E. H. Donnell, about \$600, no in-surance; Exchange Hotel property, much less than any of the former, amount not for carrying Coal. In the same period the burg at 2,30 P. M., and arrives in Philadel-

consumption of Coal in London has increased phia at 7,45 P. M. EXPRESS TRAIN, NORTH .-- Leaves Balti-more at 3,00 P. M., arrives at Harrisburg at from 3,000,000 to 4,000,000 tons, and the prices diminished from \$7 to \$5 per ton .--District Attorney's fee on each bill tried These are important facts which ought to 7.25 P. M., (passengers take supper.) and shall be increased from \$3,50 to \$7. In our attract the attention of parties interested at leaves at 7.45 P. M., arrives at Sussumy at Philadelphia, particularly when the trade from this region is suffering for the want of colliers to distribute our Coal when it arrives A. M., and arrives at Lock Haven at 2,00 at that shipping port .- Miner's Journal.

EXPRESS TRAIN, SOUTH .- Leaves Lock Haven at 7,30 P. M., Williamsport at 9,00 WARING CARE WITHOUT BUTTER .- A lady, a famous housekeeper, recommends an economical plan for making cake without and leaves at 10.32 P. M., arrives at Harris-Indiana papers speak very discouragingly. butter. Take a piece of fat salt pork, melt arriving at Baltimore at 6,45 A. M. Passen. burg at 1.05 A. M., and leaves at 2.00 A. M. In Illinois, in no past year has it appeared it down, and strain it through a piece of gers for Philadelphia, via Peansylvania Rail under more favorable circumstances, so far as regards weather and condition of ground.— The Rockford News thinks the yield in Illiv like butter in any kind of cake. In a normal arrive at West Philadelphia at 5,10 A. M., The Rockford News thinks the yield in Illiv like butter in any kind of cake. In a normal The Rockford News thinks the yield in Illi-nois will be thirty per cent. greater this year cake she says it is delicious, and after one adelphia at 1,00 P. M. trial she never used butter again. FREIGHT AND ACCOMMODATION .- North .-

Leaves SUNBURY at 5,35 A. M., Milton at 7,10, A. M., and arrives at Williamsport at

ROAD

5 55 A M.

2 40 P M, 12 10 A M, 8 55 P M.

to The Japan Envoys are expected to arrive at New York about two weeks hence. 11,00 A. M. South .- Leaves Williamsport at 2.20 P. M. A large furnished house will be provided for Milton at 4,48 P. M., and arrives at SCABURY them at Washington. The appropriation for at 5,48 P. M. their entertainment (\$100,000) was passed by

the Senate. There are seventy-one in the The Shamokin Valley and Pettaville Railroad Passenger train leaves Sunhaty at - 600AM. suit-twenty officials, and fifty one servants.

Arrive,

Gerrit Smith continues to improve in LACKAWANNA AND BLOOMSBURG RAIL. health. All the old vigor of mind has roturned. He cannot, however, bear much ex-The arrival and departure of Passenger Trains citement or fatigue, as his physical system is from Danville : yet weak. Bepart,

On Monday last, Peipher's Line brought weighing secenty two thousand pounds.

after date, drawn in favor of Micksel Wilvert for the sum of one hundred dollars, and signed Tommunicated. by me. Said note has been lost or mislaid, and as I have not, nor do I expect to receive value therefor, I will not pay said note unless compelled

Mr. EDITOR :-

COOPER & CONARD, EMANUEL WILVERT. S. E. Corner Ninth and Market Streets. PHILADELPEIA. To the Voters of Northumberland County. NVITE attention to the largest stock they have ever offered, comprising in part, LADIES CLOTH CLOAKS Encouraged by many friends, I am induced Of plain, striped and mixed Cloths, of the newcat shapes and material, got up in the most ELEGANT AND ARTISTIC the approaching election, and respectfully so manner, and to sell at very reasonable rates. licit your seffrages, pledging that in case I am LACE POINTES AND MANTLES, elected, I will perform the duties incumbent on that office faithfully, impartially and to the best BLACK SILK MANTLES. Grey Dress Goods. G. M. RENN. Chene Mixtures, Barege Anglais. SHINGLES ! SHINGLES !! Poplinettes. THE subscriber has just received the largest French Bareges, and best lot of Shinglesever brought to this Barege Robes, ce. Also a large lot of White Pine Siding, ice, Studding, Pailing and Sningling Lath, sich he offers very cheap for cash. Plaid Goods. Bayadere Goods, Black Dress Goods, A. A. SHISSLER. Embroderies. Also. MENS' AND BOYS' WEAR. STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber at Locust Dale, Butler township, Schuyl-First rate Black Cloths, for \$2 25, \$2 50 and \$3 Light Cloakings at \$1 25, \$1 50 and \$2. kill county, a WHITE AND BROWN Cow, with Stock of Cloths is very large, select and cheap wide-spread horns, and had on a brass bell at-CASSIMERES. tached to the neck by a leathern straps. Said animal is supposed to have gone into the neigh-borhood of Sunbury. Any person notifying me of the whereabouts of said cow, will be suitably Fancy, neat, plain, mixed and black, Goods especially for Boys' wear. Fine Black Cassimeres, \$1 to \$2 25. Vestings of Silk, Valencia and Marseilles. JOSEPH KEPLER. COOPER & CONARD.

Ninth and Market Streets, Philadelphia. April 21, 1860

School Letting.

THE Public Schools of the Borough of Nor-thumberland, will be let for the Summer Session, on Saturday, May 12th, 1860. An examination of Teachers will then be held at the Centre School House. All applicants for schools are hereby notified to be present so as to be ex-amined before the Board of Directors.

Examination to commence at 2 o'clock P. M By order of the Board, JOSEPH P. TUSTIN, Sec'y.

Northumberland, April 21, 1860-3

In the Court of Common Pleas of Northumberland County.

I the matter of the petition of William L. Dewart, praying the Court to award and do cree, to him, the balance of the fund raised from the sale of part of his real estate remaining in Court, after payment and satisfaction of the judgments to which it was awarded by the auditor as per report confirmed on the 2nd day of January, 1860; notice is hereby given to all parties interested to appear in Court, upon the first Monday of May next, at ten o'clock, A. M., to shew cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

D. BECKLEY, Proth'y. Prothonotary's Office, Suubury, April 21, 1860. 3t

TRUNKS, UMBRELLAS, &C.,

A LARGE assortment, just received and for sale at the Clothing Store of SCH WEITZER, HEILBRONNER & CO.

Sunbury, April 21, 1860.

NOTICE. Purchasers will find it their interest to call and examine our assortment before N this day purchased at Sheriff's Sale as the property of John Shissler, one two horse wagon, three setts of harness, three mules and Wanted in exchange, at the highest one canal boat called "Two Brother's of Sunbury." All of which we have loaned to the said John Shissler during our pleasare.

FRILING & GRANT.