Sunbury American. H. B. MASSER. | Editors. SUNBURY, MAY 24, 1873.

THE new Postal Cards have bounded into sudden popularity all over the land. They were issued last week, and on Wednesday were disposed off at the City Post- the casualty was great. offices by the thousand. Nearly half a milliou were sold in New York, Philadelphia 165,000, and in Washington City 75,-000 on the first day. Orders from postmasters are sent to the Third Assistant Postmaster General at Washington, and the cards are forwarded in care of special agents from the printing house to the dis- graves of Union soldiers buried in that tributing post-offices, necessitating constant activity and travel, as the demand everywhere has been very large, indicating that where has been very large, indicating that the cards will soon become as popular in the United States as in England and Cana-donations of flowers for the purpose of de-

A number of business firms in the city have ordered their addresses printed upon be it therefore Resolved, That we, the members of the the cards on the address side, sending them under cover to customers in the country, under cover to customers in the country, hereby give notice that the 30th of May who have only to write on the back for being set apart by the Grand Army of the goods and drop the card into the postoffice. Republic as a memorial day to their com-They are also largely used by firms print- rades who died in defence of their country, ing their business circulars on the back.

The postal cards are sold only through postmasters, at one cent each, no reduction being made on any account, whether for large or small purchases. The cards are large or small purchases. The cards are of the decrased Union soldiers," any at-light salmon tinted, 51 by 3 inches, but tempt by the friends of the rebel dead to most too thin, it is thought, to be handled | strew rapidly, and not thick enough to prevent garded as an inteference with the programthe impression on the face from being seen on the reverse side. The job is not considered a good one, but of course all defects of Gen. Meigs : well be remedied in time. The face of the . card has lines for the address, a one cent stamp, and the words "United States Postal Card," with the direction, "Write the address only on this side-the message on the other," and a border, the whole printed in light brown. A watermark runs through the cardboard, indicating the special man-

ing of the Russian mission, made vacant by the death of Governor Orr. the first gentleman to whom the place is offered, Judge Pierrepoint, of New Vork, declines on the plea of pressing private business. "This decision may, be a disappointment to the President, but it will revive the 'hopes of all that are eminently fitted for, and have strong claims on, the Muscovite ambassadorship; and, as usual on such important occasions, the names of the persons desirous of serving their country is legion.

Since writing the above we learn that Ex-Governor Jewell, of Connecticut, has been offered the position, and the probabil- departed comrades to be tarnished by such ities are that he will accept. A most ex-.cellent appointment.

THE RESULT OF STRIKES .- We have Rhode Island have found help enough to the Mexican robbers again commenced

FATAL ACCIDENT AT SHAMOKIN .- On Thursday last, a 'terrible accident occurred at Shamokin, which resulted in loss of life, and maining of quite a number of men, women, and children. While laying the corner stone of a Roman Catholic Church, at that place, a scaffolding, on which were a large number of people, broke down, and precipitated those on it into a cellar, over which it was crected. We do not know the exact loss of life and limb, but learn

DECORATION DAY IN WASHINGTON

CITY .- The Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic has determinnot to allow the graves of the Confederate dead to be decorated at Arlington on the 30th, the day set apart for decorating the cemetery. At a meeting held lately the following resolution was addopted :

Whereas, A notice has been published da in all departments of business, for brief correspondence between individuals in the city and at a distance. peace in case of its attempted enforcement;

Executive Committee of the G. A. R., do and the grounds at Arlington and other national cemeteries being opened on that

special day by order of the Quarternaster General of the Army to the Grand Army of the Republic "for the purpose of strew-ing flowers upon and decorning the graves

flowers on their graves will be reme of the day, and will not be tolerated. me of the day, and will not be tolerated. In this connection the Executive Com-mittee call attiention to the following order collect damage of the party who sold the

WAR DEPARTMENT, QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18, 1873. Stft : You are directed to have the national cemeteries under your charge put in good arder previous to the day which may be set apart by the Grand Army of the Republic for the purpose of strewing flow-ers and decorating the graves of the deceas-

ufacture. Δλ.τπουση there was much anxiety among prominent public men as to the fill-sary to assist in preparations for the occa-

You will direct the superintendents, or others in charge of the cometeries, to admit all organized processions or parties visiting them for the purpose indicated, and to extend to them all necessary facilities as far as in their power. Very respectfully, your obedient servant.

M. C. MEIGS, Quartermaster Gen,, Byt. Maj. Gen., U.S.A. It is said, notwithstanding all this, the friends of the rebel dead will attempt to decorate the graves of these burried at Arlington, on the day fixed by the Grand Army of the Republic for decorating the graves of the Union dead. The "boys in

blue" will not allow the memory of their unscemly conduct.

INDIANS ON THE WAR PATH.-San Autonio, May 19.-The Mexican robbers. ance. Suches commission left the lower trontier fill the places of the strikers, who are now out applied to be and defenseless citizens and rabbing their marker and definition of the strikers. ing their ranches and driving off herds employment. It would seem as if the of horses and cattle. Several shirmishes some cattle. On the 10th instant, while several ran-cheros were before the United States Commission, a courier came in the office and reported that a band of Kickapoo Indians were sixteen miles from this city herding their stock, shooting down every one who interfered with their legitimate business. Several of the above rancheros have returned since and reported that nearly all their stock was gone. It seems that the Indians have taken advantage of the absence of the rancheros while before the commission to steal their stock. Mr. Schuardt, United States special agent at Piedras Negras, writes to the San Antonio Express that he cannot complete negotiations for the return of a stolen caplive boy until his captor, a Kickapoo Indian, returns from a raid into Texas. There is a rumor on the street to-day that a government train en route from Austin to Fort Concho had been altacked this side of Fort M'Kavett and robbed and seven Mexican teamsters murdeded. ----

FREIGHT HOUSE BURNED. - The extensive freight house belonging to the Phila-delphia and Eric railroad company, at Lewisburg Jonction (Montandan station), caught fire from the spark of an engine, Thursday afternoon of last week, and was

Thursday atternoon of last week, and was totally destroyed, consuming a considera-ble amount of freight. A large lot of oil was, fortunately, rescued before the flames reached that portion of the building where it had been stored. A large frame stable about one hundred yards distant, belong-ing to Mr. N. V. Anderson, was also con-sumed. The entire town was for a time in imminent danger, and great damage was only averted by the exertion of men, wo-men and children, who worked with a

Sr. P. J. John

hearty will. NEW COAL OIL LAW .-- It is important that the people of this State be fully inform-ed in regard to the provisions of the law

lately passed concerning the sale of oils, and therefore present here a synopsis of its leading points : I. It forbids the sale of any product of petroleum to be used in lamps for burning of a lower fire test than 110 decrees. This completely shuts out all the patent fluids, made from benzine or gasoline, except so far as they are used in the manufacture of

gas, burned through pipes like ordinary U. It provides that all oil sold for use in this State shall be inspected by a regularly appointed inspector, and that every barrel or package shall be branded as follows : "STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, FIRST TEST, ONE HUNDRED AND TEN DEGREES," with the name of the inspector. If, however, the oil is better than 110, it shall be marked. III. All barrels which have contained oil, must have the inspector's brand re-

moved, before they are sold or refilled. IV. Any oil found in the hands of a retail dealer, which have been fraudulently branded, or has been adulterated, or not coming to the test of 110, is liable to seiz-

V. Any violation of this law is followed by a fine of not less than two hundred and fifty dollars, or imprisonment not less than one year, or both. Any person sustaining It will be seen that the provisions of this

act are very strict and its penalties very severe. It is to be hoped that every dealer will use his best endeavor to have the law fully enforced.

From all parts of Missouri, Southern Illinois, Kansas, and Iowa come predic-tions of a large and excellent wheat crop,

but short crops of oats and corn. James Smith, a retailed merchant of St. Louis, has given 200 shares of stock of the Boatmen's Saving Institution, valued at \$75,000, to Washington University, in that

A fire in Knightsville, Cape Elizabeth, yesterday burned three houses and a barn, owned by Mr. H. Deal, valued at \$33,000 insured for \$5,000. The furniture was insured for \$1,200.

The political situation in Arkansas quiet, and the militia on duty at the Stateiouse, Little Rock, have been disbanded, the Governor not apprehending any further present need for their services. John Warren, who beat Sullivan to death at the Oak House, Portland Me., a 'few weeks since, pleaded guilty of manslaugh-

ter, and was yesterday sentenced to four months in the county jail. The Governor's Convention at Atlanta, Ga., met yesterday. An address of wel-come was delivered by Governor Smith. Mr. Thomas, of Iowa, was chosen tempo-

rary chairman. There was a large attend-

COBBBORS The Junior editor, and proprietor of the Ameri-cus, now in attendance at the meeting of the

Letter from Philadelphia. PHILADELPHIA, May 19, 1873.

viend Wilcert :-The arrival of the "AMERI

CAN," always a welcome visitor, reminds me that I should once more write you a few items, although what to write abo hard to tell, possibly when once at it, I may succeed in finding something of inter-est to yourself and readers, and should I fail must crave your kind indulgence. After a month of constant rain and a backward spring, we have had a week of clear

and pleasant weather, as a consequence the backward vegitation has made a ra-pid stride forward, and businesses whose

success depends upon fair weather, start forward with redoubled energy after the long delay. Late as it is, one can yet hardly lay aside the winter garb, a great difference in comparison with last year, when at this time the lightest fabrics were far to heavy for comfort. Our seasons seem very much awry. It has been thought in some quarters that we can have no bet-ter until we remove Mr. O. Probabilities from his present position in Washington, whether it is any misbehavior upon his part or not I will not attempt to say. The few bright days have brought out the Spring fashions, and it really seems as if it were, upon the feminine side, the only thought, where to put another ruffle, flounce or puff 1 All is overdone, and the exception is to see anything neat or becom-ing. The moderate following of the fashing. ions is undoubtedly well enough, and as the old adage is, "better be out of the world than out of fashion," will, no doubt, have to be submitted to, but the extreme,

haunched and disfigured, are certainly val gar and suggestive of anything but good, in the extreme. As a result owr better class of Ladies decry the effict that would compel them to appear upon the street in the extreme of the fashion, fit only to be worn by the soiled doves of society. Your readers will, no doubt, have no-

ticed in the daily papers, the account of changes in the Baldwin Locometive Works and the retiring of M. Baird, the senior partner and successor of Baldwin, the the founder of the establishment, with a competence. The firm is the largest of any in the world, and have contracts to supply 500 Locomotives during the present year. A few weeks ago Broad St., for some forty feet in width and the length of over half a square, was piled with immens boxes, and boxed boilers and other por tions of Locomotives, marked by numbers and addressed to several Railroads in South America, chiefly in Brazil. A New York paper in noticing the fact says. with their usual unwillingness to credit Philadelphia with anything, "that the Brazil Railroads have all their engines built in this country," which is the fact and not only of that country, but the greater part of the world, and to be entirely rreet, should have added, "are built in Philadelphia," in stead of leaving, as they no doubt intended, a chance for the publie to infer that New York was the city to whom the credit was due. It is so also in reference to the Centen-

nial in behalf of which our people, and the nation at large are concentrating their best effort, to render successful, and New York alone bangs back, and from her ef-

forts arise the stories of extravagance and prospective failure that we hear so much of, we on the spot, knowing the ability and will of Pennsylvania, and of our city, know that it cannot, shall not fail ! and so far have met with greater success than we anticipated. During the past week the commission have been in session, and the work has assumed a better shape than ever. Already our people are preparing for the great event, our park confinission-ers are increasing the facilities of getting to and from the park, having recently ad-

vertised for proposals to lay and operate street Bailways in the origing and other purposes, and render it more accessible for the poorer classes, who, now, cannot fully enjoy it owing to the great distances ne-

Two hundred teamsters employed on the bridge tunnel excavation at St. Louis, struck yesterday for higher wages.

It is rumored at Salt Lake City that Brigham Young will resign the presidency of the Mormon Church during the conference how being held there.

A special dispatch to the Horald attri-butes all the loss in the engagement of our troops at the lava beds on the 26th ult. to the desertion of Company G. of the Twelfth infantry, and some of the artillery.

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SHERIFF SALE.

SHERIFF SALE. BY Virtue of a certain writ of Fi. Fa. to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, on Monday Jane 9th, 1853, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property, to wit : All those certain three lots or pieces of ground situate in the borough of Shamokin, Northum-beriand county Pa., known and designated in the general plan of said borough as lots No. 3, 4 and 5, in block 85, bounded on the north by an alley, on the east by Second street, on the south by Mulberry street, and on the west by lot No. 2, erch containing 25 feet in width, and 150 feet in depth. On lot No. 5 is crected a one-and-a-half story house.

story house. Scized, teken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Daniel Dooley. S. H. BOTHERMEL, Sheriff. Shoriff's Office, Stabburg, May 17, 1873.

UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE.

Notice to Special-Tax Payers.

The law of December 24, 1872, requires every person engaged in any business, requires ever ployment, which renders him liable to a SPECIAL TAX.

to procure and place conspiciously in his estabut or place of busines

A STAMP denoting the payment of said Special Tax before commencing business.

The taxes embraced within the provisions of law above quoted are the following, viz : Rectifiers..... \$200 00 25 00 100 00

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ALSO : ALSO : All those seven contiguous lots or pieces of ground situate in the borough of Shamekin, Nor-thumberiand county, Pednsylvanis, known in the general plan of suid borongh of Shamekin as lots numbers 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, in block num-ber 39, containing in width each, twenty-five feet, and in depth each one hundred and fifty (150) feet, fronting on Lincoln street on the north, and on the east by Eighth street, on the west by let No. 1 of the same block, and on the south by an alley whereon are crected on lots No. 3 and 4, a frame dwelling house two stories high, and on let No. 5, a ware and lee house, and a well of good water. foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penaltics. Special tax Payers throughout the United States are reminded that they must make appli-ution to the Collector (or Deputy Collector) of

their respective districts, and procure the proper stamp for the Special-tax Year, commencing May 1, 1878, without walting for further notice. C. J. BRUNER, Collector Internal Revenue, 14th District, Pa.

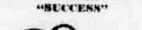
May 10, 1873.-4w. [ADJOURNED COURT.]

Proclamation.

WileREAS the Honorable W. M. Rockefel-ler, President Judge, and his Associates, for this District, have issued their mandate for an adjourned Court for Northumberland county, to be held on Monday the 9th day of June, A. D., 1873, being the 2th Monday of said month, in Sunbury. I therefore give notice, that all per-sons interested, to be and appear at the place aforecald at 10 celeok a. D. of said day. aforesaid at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day. SANCEL H. ROTHERMEL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Sunbury, Feb. 1, 1873.

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Rule on Heirs of Daniel Weimer,

Deceased. STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, (SS. To the Sheriff of said County, Greeting

To the Sheriff of said County, Greeting : We command you that you notify Christian L. Weimer, George L. Weimer, Mary, intermarried with Henry Reville, Catharine, intermarried with John A. Lloyd, Margaret, intermarried with John S. Mallock, Elizab th, intermarried with John A. Weimer, Sarah Weimer, Genelia Wei-mer and Wilfam Weimer, all heirs and legal re-presentatives of Daniel Weimer, inte of the bor-ough of Northumberland, Northumberland County, Pa., that at the March Ac. D. 1873, a Kule was granted upon them the said heirs and le-alrepresentatives of the said decedent, command-ing them to come forward and accept or refuse the Real Estate of said decedent at the valuation put upon the same by an Inquisition issued out ALSO: A certain building is as building is a hotel of two stories with an attle the entire building be-ing frame, having a front of fifty-four feet, and a depth of thirty-eight feet, situate upon a certain lot or piece of land within the borough of Wat-sontown, county of Northumberland, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, the lical Estate of said decedent at the valuation put upen the same by an Inquisition issued out of this Court reternable at the January term of the year A. D. 1872, or show cause by the first Monday of Angust, A. D. 1873, why the same should not be sold according to the Act of As-sembly in such case made and provided. Witness the Hen. Wm. M. Rockefel-[1.8.] ler, President of our said Court, this 21st day of March, A. D. 1875. GEO. B. REIMENSNY DER, Deputy Cheft, Cardon Court vis : on the north by hot of John Yagle, south b other lot of said Christian Grubb, east by Mal

SHERIFF'S SALES.

SATURDAY, MAY SISt. 1878.

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street, and west by an alley. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Christian Grabb, owner or reputed owner and contractor

Deputy Clefk, Orphan's Court. May 10, 1873.-4t.

All that lot or plece of ground situate in the borrough of Shamokia, county of Northuis berland, Peunsylvania, and known on the peneral likhographic plot or plan of said borough a-block No. 167, bounded on the south by Shakes pears steect, on the cost by Vine street, on the North by Independence, on the west by Pear street. BY virtue of certain write of Ven. Ez., Isreari Fucias, Fi. Fa., Alias Ven. Ezp., and Plur-ius, Legari Facias issued out of the Court of Com-mon Pleas of Northumberland County, and to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale or

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in the borough of Shamokin, county of North-umberland, and State of Fennsyltania, bounder

umberland, and State of Tennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: on the norm by lot number five (5), on the west by Market street, and on the south by lot number seven (7) of the east by an alley, being lot number six (6) as marked on the general plan of said borough, containing twenty-five feet in width, and one hundred and fifty feet in depth, whereon is crect-od a frame house.

ed a frame house. Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as

ALSO :

the property of J. J. Bloom.

All that certain tract or piece of land situate in Upper Mahanoy township, Northumberland county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit : On the east by land of George Fetter, on the south by land of William Smith, on the west by land of Philip Runkle, and on the north by Line Monntain land, containing thirty-seven (37) acres and ninety (90) perches, strict measure, whereon are erected a two story frame dwelling bouse, a frame tannery, and other im-provements. Also all that certain tract or piece of wood land situate in Upper Mahanoy town-ship, Northumberland county, Pennsylvania, wounded and described as follows, to wit : be-ginning at a store heap, thence by land of Miat th o'clock, A. M., at the Court House in the borough of Simbury, Northumberland county, Pa., the following described property, to wit : The, the following described property, to wit : Two certain lets or pieces of ground situate in ise borough of Shawokin, Northumberland County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit:-On the the worth hy lot number six (6.) on the cast by Shamokin Street, on the South by lot number nine (9), and on the west by Rock Street, known and designated on the general plot or plan of said herough as lots the general plot or plan of said borough as lots numbers seven (7) and eight (8) in block wear-ber one hundred and eighty-four (184) each con-taining twenty-five (25) feet in width, and one hundred and ninety (199) feet in depth, where-on are creeted a two story frame dwelling house and strikle. ginning at a store heap, thence by land of Mi-chael Brann, north eighty-five degrees, east eigh-ty-one perches and one-half to a stone heap; thence by land of Henry Masser, north two de-grees, west forty perches to a stone heap; thence by Line Mountain, south eighty-five degrees, east eighty and ourschiff to a stone heap. eighty and out-half to a stone heap; thence south two degrees, east forty perches to the place of beginning, containing eighteen acres, and one bundred and nineteen perchos and al-

ALSO:

number four hundred and thirteen (413), bound-ed on the north by Sunbury Street, on the west by lot number four hundred and twelve (412), on the south by Commerce Street, and on the east by an alley, lot number four hundred and fifteen, bounded on the north by Sunbury Street, on the west by lot number four hundred and fourteen, on the south by Commerce Street, and on the east by lot number four hundred and six-teen, each being forty feet in width and one hun-stred and sixty-feet in depth. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John R. Houghner, Henry Bough-ner and James A. Shipp. All SO : All those seven contiguous lots or pieces of All that certain lot or piece of ground known and designated in Boyd's plan of lots laid out in a portion of the Wetherill tract so-called in Cont Township, Northumberland County, Pa., as lot surger one in black 7, bounded on the cast by Sherman Street, on the south by an alloy, on the west by lot number 2 and on the north by Onelda Sheet, whereon is creeted a frame dwolling house.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Levi Aibright.

All that certain tract of land situate in the township of Lower Mahanoy, in the county of Northumberland, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded by lands of Peter Borrell, Chaffes Brostons, William Shafer, Michael Lahr, Philip Bobb, and the Susquehanna river, containing thirty-five acres and seventy-three perchas, whereon are erected a house and two barns and

and on set No. 5, a ware and ice house, and a well of good water. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of John H. Dewees, and T. S. De-wees, trading as John H. Dewees, & Bro., also as the property of Elijah Hammer, and Catharine Hammer, his wife.

ALSO: All that certain piece or lot of land situate in Upper Augusta township, Northamberland county, Pa., Beginning at a stone, set for a cor-ner which stands north twenty-nine degrees cast two feet and eight inches from the north east corner of Catherine Coble and Prederick Coble's house; thence by land of John B. Lonker north sixty-three degrees and fifty minutes west, one hundred and eighty teet to a stone; thence by the same south nineteen degrees and fifteen minutes RESL OUS 'HEDDREAL AND, LYCELY, feet to a stone, minutes cast one hundred and eighty feet to a stone, and by the same north minetcan degrees and fifteen minutes cast one hundred and twee, and fifteen minutes cast one hundred and twenfeet to the place of beginning, containing one half of an acre of thereabout more or less, it be-ing part of an out lot No. 13, which was convey-ed to John B. Lenker by John G. Markle, executor of Thomas Robins, deceased. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Catharine Coble and Frederick Coble. ALSO: ALSO: All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the berough of Shamokin, Northumberland county, Pa., known and designated in the gener-al lithographed plot or plan of said borough, as lot number five in block number fifty-two, bounded on the north by lot number four, in the west by an alley, on the south by lot number six and in the east by Market Street, containing tweaty-five feet in width and one hundred and fifty feet in dorth, where wa are created one feame

street. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of James B. Henry. ALSO : All that certain tract or piece of land situate

And stroke. ALSO: Two certain lots of ground situate in the bo-rough of shamokin, Northumberland County, Pa., bounded and described as follows:-Lot number four hundred and thirteen (413), boundlowance Select, taken in exception, and to be sold as the property of Solomon Enterline.

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a saw mill. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold a the property of Israel P. Whitmer. ALSO : All that vertile lot of place of ground situate

in the borough of Sumbury, county of Northum-berland, and State of Pennylvania, bounded and berland, and State of Pennyivania, bounded and described as follows: beginning at a point os Ri-ver street, 250 feet from Elderberry street, at the north-wast corner of iot 292, where an alloy in the general plan of said borough intersects said River street, thence along the southern like of said alley, in a westwardly direction, 105 feet to an alley, in a westwardly direction, 105 feet to an alley i thence by a line slong said alley par-allel with said River street, 45 feet, at a distance of 105 feet from said River street, thence by a line parallel with said Elderberry street 185 feet from said Elderberry street to Said River street from said Elderberry street to said River street 105 feet; thence nlong said River street, in a

teachings of this spring would be of lasting have been had and numbers killed and good to the labor organizations. Not one of the many strikes has accomplished the purpose for which it was inaugurated poverty and hunger have been their only off over two hundred head of horses and results.

THE lease of the Northren Central railroad, from Elmira via. Sunbury and Harrisburg to Baltimore, to the Pennsylvania railroad, is a fixed fact, notwithstanding it was violently opposed by some Baltimore interest when submitted to the stockholders last winter. The subject was then referred to a special committee of stockholders who have just submitted a report recommending a lease to the Pennsylvania railroad as necessary to the payment of future dividends on the stock and the development of the capacities of the road. The lease will probably be made on the basis of an annual rental equivalent to six per cent. per annum on the stock, and the assumption of all the indebtedness of the corporation. The Pennsylvania railroad now controls a majority of the stock in the Northern Central, and the lease will be made on these terms, unless legal impediments are thrown in the way by the Baltimore opponents of such a transfer.

OAKES AMES' WILL .- The will of Oakes Ames was admitted to probate on Saturday. The bequests are as follows :- To his wife, Eveline O. Ames, \$100,000, all the household furniture, horses and carriages and use of his dwelling house during her life. To his daughter, Susan E. Franch, \$2,000 a year during her life. To each grandson, now or hereafter to be born, \$25,000 ; each granddaughter, \$20,000. To his son, have gone to Pekin to submit to the Em-Frank W. Ames, all his interest in the Kinsley Iron and Machine Company and in house, hand and buildings bought or reclived from the estate of Lyman Kinsley, in Canton.

To his sons, Oaks A. and Oliver Ames, all his real estate in Easton, Cauton, Braintree and West Bridgewater, with all machinery, tools and fixtures pertaining to or that are in any way connected with the shovel business. The income of \$50,000 from seven per cent. railroad bonds to be used for the support of schools in District case the court directed the jury to render No. 1 in North Easton. All the remain-der to be divided among his sons, Oakes A., Oliver and Frank M. Ames. Oakes A. and Oliver Ames, his son, are appointed No. 1 in North Easton. All the remain-

On Tuesday last the superintendent of the Pennsylvania Railroad turned over to the Pittsburg and Connelisville Railroad Company the entire control of the Mount Pleasant and Bradford road, as ordered by the decision of the Supreme Court. The employes of the Connellsville road proceeded, without opposition, to restore the tracks and bridges lately destroyed by the opposition.

It is reported in Philadelpha that Col. John W. Forney is to be run for Sheriff by the Reform Association. The Sheriffalty of that city is one of the most fuerative offices in the country, a term there in being regarded as equivalent to a fortune.

From China and Japan.

CONVLAGTATION IN HONG KONG-44 ACRES OF HOUSES DESTROYED, ETC .--San Francisco, May 15 .- The mails by the steamship Japan were landed to-day.

A terrible conflagation occurred at Hong Kong, China, on the 22d of March. Fortyfour acres of houses were destroyed, and five thousand persons rendered homeless. The Great Northern Tolegraph Company have established a connection with Amoy, and a party of nine Chinese officials are engaged in making tests of the working of the The members of the Corean Assembly

peror of China as vassals of his power. L'IRES AND EARTHQUAKES IN JAPAN, ETC.-A terrible conflagration occurred in Osaka, Japan, on the 9th of March, and mony lives were lost. The flames raged all one day and night. Two violent shocks of earthquake occurred at the same place on

the 12th of March.

GRONGE FRINCIS TRAIN SENT TO THE STATE LUNATIC ASSYLUM. -In the Train ed, and that part of the case is disposed of. Dr. Cross testified that his insanity continucd, and Train must be sent to the State Lunatic assylum. Mr. Train (excitedly)-I protest against the proceeding here. I have been five months in jail without being granted a trial. Then addressing Judge Davis he said, "Before leaving here I move

your impeachment in the name of the people." Judge Davis ordered him to sit down, and an order was made to send him to the State Lunatic asylum. Judge Fancher bas granted a writ of habeas corpus, returnable on Thursday next, to show cause why Train should not be released.

Governor Dix, of New York, has veloed Governor Dix, of New York, has veloed the local option liquor bill, and the Assem-bly has failed to pass the bill over the velo M. Richard Muckle, Representative G. L. U. S., Druggist and nearly every Country Grocer throughout the land keep it for sale.

Grand Lodge I. O. O. F., of Pennsylvania, arsemtry to be traversed. bled at Wilkesburre, Pa., writes the following The Gowen Guards of Pottsville arrived Correspondence for the American.

WYOMING VALLEY HOTEL, Wilkesbarre, May 20, 1873. I arrived at this place yesterday at 1 o'clock. great coal mart of northern Pennsylvania, but ment to our Guardsmen, and as well to the

from what I have seen of the place I must come to the conclusion that there is yet room for improvement. Outside of the business part of the town it is built up, principally, of wooden buildings. I have observed some very fine buildings on Front street, among which is the Wyoming Valley Hotel. This Hotel far exceeds many hotels outside the cities in point of beauty, comfort, and accommodations generally. At preproprietor, Mr. J. B Stark, together with the attendants, are disposed to make all feel at home,

and are receiving the plaudits of every one stopping here. There is more than the usual stir in the town, caused by the meeting of the Graud Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd-Fellows, which has brought together a large number of persons from all parts of the State. The grand Encampment convened yesterday, and held its session in Music Hall. Seventy-eight applicants were admitted to membership, as follows : Augustus Pfaff, M. W. Grand Patriarch, re-

tired, and James McGahey, of Philadelphia, was installed in his stead. John Curtis, of Philadelphia, was installed as M. E. G. High Priest; Sullivan S. Child, of Harrisburg, as Senior Warden ; James B. Nicholson, of Philadelphia, as R. W. Grand Scribe; John S. Heiss, of Philadel-

phia, as R. W. Treasurer; George Bertram as R. W. Grand Junior Warden. To-day the Fiftcenth annual meeting of the

Grand Lodge took place in the Music Hall, which was attended by more than the usual number of representatives, who represent a brotherhood of over ninety thousand in this State. The morning session was taken up by the reading of the

reports of the Grand Officers, which show the reports of the Grand Officers, which show the Order in a most fourthing condition. The Grand Secretary reported that during the year infrty-alor new Lodges have been admitted with-in the pale of the authority of the Grand Lodge. These added to the seven revived Lodges, bring the number of active working Lodges under its jurisdiction up to 754. The last Lodge for which a Dimension was consider was numbered No.

a Dispensation was granted was numbered No 859. The following is the report: ETATISTICAL REPORT.

" Deceased, &c... Present number of members

burying the dead.

Total amount paid for relief \$397,311 45 the great amount of pain and suffaring that can be alleviated through this use, make

this morning, and last week we had a crack company from Washington, accompanied by the Marine Band, and Gov. Cookes 1 arrived at this place yesterday at 1 o'clock. staff, as the guests of some of our organiza-and have had but little time to look around the tions. Our Governor lately paid a compli-

soldiers of the late war, in appointing Col. Latta of the 1st Reg't P. G. of Pa. Adjutant General of the State, vice Gen. Pursell resigned. Knowing Col. Latta, personally, I know the appointment to a good one, well deserved, and the Col. able to fill it with credit to himself, and to the good of the Commonwealth, we regret to loose Gen. Pursell from the place that he has filled so long and so well, but have known sent there are over three hundred guests stop- for some time, it must come, as the Gening here all of whom are well provided for. The erals personal affairs would not warrant his remaining longer. Our Governor, like the President, seem to have the faculty of putting the right men in the right places, re-gardless of the politicians, and 'is making himself many more friends than he would

The steam being confined in the Washer, the clothing while being washed is also bleached. Over 890 Machines were sold in York and Lan-caster Counties and over \$70,000 worth in this State and Ohio, within a year; giving milisfac-tion. The celebrated Self-Adjusting EUREKA Wringer is attacked to the machine. **E**³⁷ In **form** one to two hours a large Family's Wash can be done and rinsed, with less than half the labor required by hand. otherwise, by his independent course. Long may Veto Jack reign ! is the wish

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Sunbury, May 3, 1878.

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the property of George Heitzman. ALSO: All that certain tract of land situate in Sha and that contain tract of land situate in Sha-mokin Township, County of Northumberland, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and de-scribed as follows, to wit : Beginning at a White Oak, thence by lands of John Repley, north six-ty degrees west one hundred and fifty-three

ty degrees west one hundred and lifty-three perches to a stone, thence by lands of James Yo-cum south twenty-hinc and a hulf degrees west forty two perches to a post, thence north sixty-five and one fourth degrees west twenty-three perches and 5-10 to a post, thence south twenty-seven degrees and 54 west forty perches and 4-10 to a White Oak or stone, thence south sixty-sev-en and a hulf degrees east two perches and 4-10 to a White Oak, thence by lands of George Heck-ert, south twenty-nine degrees east ninety-three perches and 4-10 to a stone, thence by lands of Leonard Pensyl and Daniel Adams north forty-three degrees and one half east eighty-four three degrees and one half east eighty-four perches to a stone by the church, thence eightyone degrees east eighty perches to the place of beginning, containing seventy acres and one hundred and fourteen perches, whereon are creet-ed one Frame House, Bank Barn and other,

buildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as Manufacturer and Agent, Sunbury, Pa. the property of Peter Boughner. ALSO,

The exclusive right and privilege to dig, mine and carry away coal in and from all the veins of coal in the William Green tract of land, in Coal coal in the William Green tract of land, in Coal township, Northumherland county, Pennsylva-nia, which are above er overlie the twin velas now worked by Robertson, Gulterman & Co., and the right to take timber for the use of the mines upon the sais tract of land from one hundred, acres of the said William Green Tract, together with the breaker thereon erected, and all im-provements, fixtures, machinery, and appurte-nances known as Frank Gowen Collisry, and also twenty-fourdrift cars, one forty horse power provements, fixtures, machinery, and appurte-nances known as Frank Gowen Collisry, and also twenty-four drift cars, one forty horse power engine, two thirty inck bollers, one five foot screen, two four foot screens, two holsting rig-gings, screen bars and rosts, four hundred and fifty feet belting. fifteen pulles, two husdred tons railroad "T" iron. fifty lip screens, four time shafts, five hundred feet of wire rope, two push-ing bulls on planes, two dirt dumpers, three tons of sheet iron, one forty-eight inch stack, one string clevators, one soit three foot rolls thrity inch diameter, one sett Monkey Rolis eighteen schute gates, and thirty six slides, one smith shop, and fixtures, and three stores; And, Also, all that certain leasehold estate of the said James A. Shipp, John R. Boughner and Thomas C. Reese of in and to the veins of coal in the said William Green tract of land, in Coal township, Northumberiand county, Pamsylvania, which are above, or overlie the Twin veins, now work-ed by Robertson, Gulterman & Co., and the tim-ber upon the said William Green track for min-ing purposes; and all that certain memorands of Laase, from E. P. Wolvertos, administrator ds boxes won case issues of Ministrator ds boxes won case issues of Ministrator ds boxes and staty-eight, and assigned un-to the said James A. Shipp, John R. Boughner and Thomas C. Reese by the said William Kutzner of Shamokin, Pennsylvania, dated the 10th day of November, A. D., one thousand of the and James A. Shipp, John R. Boughner and Thomas C. Reese by the said William H. Douty and William R. Kutaner by assignment dated the thirteenth day of July A. D., one thou-sand eight hundred and sixty-eight, term of year claim and demand whatsoever of, in, to or out of the same logith, privileges, the term of year claim and demand whatsoever of in, to or out of the same logith and the state with the barditiaments and sp-partenances. same, together with the heriditaments and apourter

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of James A. Shipp, John R. Bough-ner, and Thomas C. Recee.

parts of lots Nos. 289 and 202, wh ed a one-and-a-haif story frame ha en a one-and a thair story imme house, &c. Also all that certain half for of ground, situate in the lorough of Snubury, Northunsberland county, Pennsylvania, being the western half part of low No. 255 as marked in the general plan of raid town, and bounded on the south by now Wainut town, and bounded on the south by how Walnut street, on the north by Raspberry alley, on the west by lot No. 276, and on the east by the east-ern half of the sold lot, No. 275, containing in front on Walnut street 30 feet, and 200 feet in depth, whereon are creeted one two story frame dwelling house, and other buildings. Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of John F. Kapp. Sheriff 's Office.

Sheriff 's Office, Sunbury, May 10, 1878.

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The following Grand Officers were then install-