The Herald.

CARLISLE, PA.

Wednesday, June 1, 1859.

PEOPLE'S STATE CONVENTION.

The Citizens of Philadelphia and of the several Counties of this Commonwealth, attached to the PEOPLE'S PARTY, and all voters who are opposed to the unjust, unwise and extravagant measures of the National Administration, are requested to send DELEGATES, equal in number to their several Representatives in the General Assembly, to a CONVENTION to be held at HARRISBURG, on WEDNESDAY, June the 8th, 1859, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to nominate candidates for AUDITOR GENERAL, and SURVEYOR GENERAL, to be voted for at the General Election in October next.

HENRY M. FULLER, Chairman.

WM. B. MANN, Secretary.

Contents of the Herald.

The HERALD this week, exhibits a variety which we hope will be acceptable to our numerous readers. The poetical article "While 'tis day-time let us work," and "Memory," were selected by two of our fair correspondents, to whom we are under many obligations for the interest they manifest in the HERALD. No. 6, of the series of Letters by Prof. Bennett, gives us an interesting sketch of the late W. H. Prescott. Mr. Bennett is a writer whose rich poetic fancy, lends a charm to every subject he touches. Ida Glenwood, whose contributions always tend towards the purest moral teachings, gives us, this week, an essay on "Love."

"Our Far West Territories," selected by a friend, for publication; embodies much information to the general reader, as well as to farmers.

"A Romantic Story," contains the experience of a young lady of Cleveland, Ohio, who spent three years alone on a desolate Island in lake Superior, which fully entitles her to notice, as a female Robison Crusoe. "Growing Old," will find a response from many hearts. "Fairly Represented," from Harper's Magazine for May, is a "sober second thought" in relation to the late Catholic excitement in the common schools of Boston.—

An article on Physical Education, and an amusing item for our Firemen, fills up our first page. On the inside will be found News, Politics, Locals, and a number of new advertisements, to which last, we call special attention.

BLACK REPUBLICANISM.

Under this head, the Democratic papers, are endeavoring to make political capital out of the fact, that an amendment has been introduced into the constitution of Massachusetts, requiring all foreign born citizens to reside in that State, two years after naturalization, before they have a right to vote or hold office. This article provides that

"No person of foreign birth shall be entitled to vote, or shall be eligible to office, unless he shall have resided within the jurisdiction of the United States for two years subsequent to his naturalization, and shall otherwise be qualified according to the Constitution and laws of this Commonwealth: *Provided*, That this amendment shall not affect the right which any person of foreign birth possessed at the time of the adoption thereof: *Provided further*, That it shall not affect the rights of any child of a citizen of the United States born during the temporary absence of the parents therefrom."

If this amendment is regarded as a party measure, it has a squinting towards *Americanism*, rather than of *Republicanism*, but, so far as we can ascertain, it was not made a party question; nearly the whole Republican vote was thrown against it, while the Americans and Locofocos of Massachusetts, combined together, and thus secured its passage. However we do not consider this provision of the Constitution of Massachusetts, so very odious after all; certainly, not more so, than those laws which compel a native born citizen of Pennsylvania to reside from one to two years in another State, before he can exercise the right of suffrage.

But if it were even true, that the Republicans of Massachusetts advocated and passed the amendment, what have we in Pennsylvania to do with it? We hold, that every State has the right to declare how, and when, her citizens shall be entitled to vote, and it would be as silly to charge the Republican party of Pennsylvania, with this law of Massachusetts, as it would be to charge the democrats of Pennsylvania, with the property qualification of democratic Virginia. If the Democrats are really sincere in their lamentations over this provision of the Massachusetts constitution, where are all the tears they shed when Mr. Buchanan attempted to disfranchise the people of Kansas.

THE NEXT SENATE.

If our friends pursue a prudent course during the ensuing political campaign, we may confidently expect to cary the Senate. The Senators holding over are equally divided; eleven Republicans to eleven Democrats; of those whose term expired with the last session, six were Democrats,—Wright and Randall of Philadelphia; Fetter of this District; Brewer of Franklin and Adams; Steele of Luzerne; and Creswell of Blair. Five were Republicans—Gazzam of Allegheny; Coffee of Indiana; Myer of Bradford; Scofield of Warren; and Harris of Butler. We shall not lose any of the Republican districts, as they are now "right side up, with care." In Philadelphia we shall certainly gain one perhaps two. In the Franklin and Adams district, Col. A. K. McClure is likely to be the candidate, and if so, will undoubtedly be elected; the Blair district can also be carried, if the opposition unite their forces.

In our district, taking the vote of last year as a basis for calculation, a small blanket will probably be sufficient to cover both the candidates. From the official returns, we find the vote of the four counties on the Supreme Judge and Canal Commissioner, to be as follows:

	Read	Porter	Frazer	Frost
Cumberland	2501	2811	2498	2830
Juniata	1216	1215	1179	1204
Mifflin	1466	1122	1391	1108
Perry	1791	1628	1704	1636
	6,974	6,776	6,862	6,866

We repeat, that if the PEOPLE go into this campaign, in a conciliatory spirit, with an earnest desire to do right, regardless of unimportant outside issues, we may expect to see a Republican majority "hang up their hats," in the Senate chamber next session.

THEATRICAL.—We notice from our exchanges, that a portion of the company attached to the Arch Street Theatre, among whom are Mrs. John Drew, J. S. Clark and other eminent performers, are making a summer excursion to this section of the country, and were to open at Chambersburg on Monday last, under the management of Mr. Geo. Gile. As they contemplate playing at Harrisburg, Columbia, Lancaster and other large towns, perhaps they could be induced to spend a week at Carlisle.

Rev. B. H. Nadal D. D. of Washington city is to deliver an address at the dedication of the Mount Olivet Cemetery at Hanover, Penn.

Straight American Convention.

The Harrisburg Telegraph gives an account of a "Straight American" State Convention, which was held in that place on the 25th ult. The morning session was held in the Hall of the House of Representatives, and was composed of two delegates, Mr. Colton, of Philadelphia, and J. J. Herron, Esq., of Newville. In the afternoon, fifteen delegates assembled said to represent the counties of Philadelphia, Westmoreland, Armstrong, Washington, Green, Crawford, Fayette, Allegheny, Dauphin, and Cumberland. J. J. Herron, of Cumberland, was appointed Chairman, and T. F. Wilson of, Allegheny, Secretary. After an interchange of opinion, they adopted a preamble declaring it inexpedient to take any action in regard to the State election; resolved that they were still Straight Americans, and authorized the chairman to appoint a State committee.

The Telegraph now says, in reply to a statement in the Pittsburg *Gazette*, that 40 delegates were in attendance, that "there was but seven actual delegates at Harrisburg, and but fourteen persons were in the Hall of the House of Representatives at the time the resolutions were passed. We have made diligent search for the names of those who were here, and can find but three, F. B. Colton of Philadelphia, Thos. F. Wilson of Pittsburg, and J. J. Herron of Newville."

ATLANTIC CITY.

On Thursday last, the season at this delightful watering place was formally opened, by an excursion given to the members of the press, and other invited guests, by the President and Directors of the Camden and Atlantic City Railroad Company. We acknowledge the honor of an invitation to join the excursion referred to, and regret that engagements elsewhere, deprived us of that pleasure.

We learn that on the arrival of the train at the sea-shore, the party embarked on board of a large schooner and enjoyed a pleasant sail on the ocean. On their return they sat down to a sumptuous dinner at the United States Hotel, to which the guests did ample justice, and after the removal of the cloth, speeches were made by Morton McMichael, Mayor Vaux, Gen. Cameron and others.

Atlantic City, is one of the most popular, as it is said to be the safest watering place on the coast, streets have been laid out and graded, trees planted, boarding houses and cottages erected, and many other improvements made to render the place agreeable and attractive. Persons from this section of the country about to visit the sea-shore, will find Atlantic City very accessible also, as trains leave Philadelphia for that point morning and evening.

Beecher's Rifle Practice.

A certain minister once preached an affecting sermon, by which the entire congregation were melted to tears, with the exception of one man, who sat under it all the time, "calm as a summer morning." On being asked why he did not also weep? "Oh," said he, "I belong to another congregation."

It is not to be presumed therefore, that any one in this community, will consider himself *hit* by the following discharge, from the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher's "eclesinstical gun."

In a recent sermon, Mr Beecher said.

"There is sitting before me in this congregation now two hundred men, who stuff their Sundays full of what they call religion, and then go out on Mondays to catch their brother by the throat, saying: "Pay me that thou owest; it's Monday now, and you needn't think that because we sat crying together yesterday, over our Savior's sufferings and love, that I am going to let you off from that debt, if it does ruin you to pay it now."

A MIXED PETITION.—A correspondent of the Knickerbocker, has been describing to the editor of that Journal, a "hundred-fisted nightmare," which haunts him in the shape of Rail Road posters. Wherever he goes he sees nothing but *Illinois Central Railroad, Michigan Central, Chicago and Alton, New York and Erie, Pennsylvania Central, &c., &c.,* staring in large capitals, until they have become mixed in with his common thoughts;—and the other evening, as he went to sleep he muttered, in a half somniferous jumble:

"Now I lay me down the 'Broad Gauge' to sleep,
I pray 'Great Western Route' to keep,
If the 'Central' busts before I wake,
I pray the 'Air-Line' my trunk to take!"

THE STORM ON FRIDAY.

"The severe storm which swept over our county on last Friday afternoon, was very destructive in some of the lower counties, very little hail fell in this neighborhood, but the wind was high and the rain fell in torrents. The storm passed over Carlisle about 4 o'clock, and seems to have reached Reading in about two hours, as the *Gazette* of that city says:

Last evening, (Friday) shortly before 6 o'clock, We had a violent hail-storm, accompanied by a high wind, and thunder and lightning. For about five minutes, the hail-stones fell in great profusion, and rattled against the window panes with such force as to threaten to shiver them to atoms. In the Methodist Church, on Fourth street, nearly all the glass in the windows looking toward the North, were broken, and we learn that the windows of a number of private dwellings exposed to the fury of the storm, suffered in a similar manner."

On the same day, a terrific tornado passed over part of Illinois, as we learn by the following telegraphic dispatch.

"*Chicago May* 28.—The Jacksonville correspondent of the Springfield Register says that a most terrific tornado occured twelve miles south of that city yesterday. The violence of the whirlwind is described as exceeding anything of the kind ever witnessed in this country, and could only be compared to a West India hurricane. Sixteen persons are reported to have been killed and many others seriously injured. Houses and barns were demolished and blown to atoms. The names of the killed have not been ascertained."

CAPT. E. W. H. Schenley, who, some years ago, eloped with Miss Croghan the Pittsburg heiress, from a New York boarding school and married her, has recently been elected a member of the British Parliment, as an opponent of the present Derby Administration. Capt. Schenley resided near Pittsburg, until about two years ago, when he removed, with his family, to England.

THE VIRGINIA ELECTION.—The result of the election in Virginia, is still doubtful. The Democracy who expected an easy victory, have been taken by surprise.

A dispatch from Richmond dated May 29 states the following as the latest news.

Returns have now been received from ninety five counties, showing a majority for Mr. Letcher for Governor of 428. Forty-eight counties are yet to be heard from, which, at last Governor's election gave Gov. Wise a majority of 2047, the average gain of Mr. Goggin, the opposition candidate, in the counties heard from has been 78. If the counties to be heard from show the same average of gain for the Opposition, Mr. Goggin would be elected by a majority of about 1200.

Washington, May 29.—A private dispatch from a reliable Whig source, dated Richmond, this evening, says that returns from 111 counties make Letcher's majority 385. The 37 remaining counties gave Gov. Wise a majority of 1439.

☞ Don't forget to read the new advertisements.

Correspondence of the Picayune

A Fatal Duel.

BATTLE HOUSE, MOBILE, May 17, 1858.

As announced to you already, by telegraph, two young gentlemen, Mr. Stith and Mr. Vick, came over to this city to-day, from New Orleans, to settle an "affair of honor," the result of which was the death of the latter. Their original destination was Pass Christian, but circumstances brought them here. They were attended by two seconds and a surgeon each.

The meeting took place at 11 o'clock A. M., at the old race course, (Bascombe.) The weapons were common Mississippi rifles; distance, forty-five paces. They fought on the inside of the course—some eighty yards from the inclosure, and under the open sun. Coolness and calmness marked each antagonist, as he walked to his position, and indeed, until the tragical denouement. Mr. Vick won the choice of position; Mr. Stith won the "word."

All preliminaries being arranged, and the weapons placed in the hands of the belligerents, the usual command was given. Each gentlemen answered, audibly, "ready." At the word "fire!" Mr. Vick brought his weapon down and discharged it. At "one," Mr. Stith fired, and his antagonist fell instantaneously dead! The ball took effect immediately under the left cheek, and ranging upward, passed into the brain where it lodged. The unfortunate victim fell, stiffened himself out, and was dead before his seconds reached him. What a change! A robust, manly form, vigorous and healthy! a second, and it lies a bleeding corpse! "There's honor for you."

The War in Europe.

The steamship New York, arrived from Bremen on the 29th bringing Liverpool dates to the 17th.

There has been no battle fought between the allies and the Austrians.

The head quarters of the Emperor Napoleon had been established at Alessandria

The Austrian government is endeavoring to raise a loan of seventy-five millions.

The report of Count Buol's resignation from the Austrian ministry is confirmed.

Queen Victoria reviewed the troops at Aldershoot, on the 16th inst.

Count Persigny, the new French minister, reached London on the 14th.

Count Gortschakoff has also arrived.

It is reported that the Emperor Napoleon, before his departure for Italy, addressed a letter to Queen Victoria, repeating his promise to take no step, during the war, to compromise the interests of England.

The Indin and China mails had reached London. The Calcutta dates are to April 8, and from Hong Kong to March 28th. The News is not important.

The French troops had captured Sargon, a place of Considerable strength in Cochin China.

The American frigate Germantown and steamer Mississippi were at Japan.

Trade at Canton was suffering much from the exactions of the Mandarins.

The War.

Nothing further of importance has been received from the seat of war, no collision having occurred though soon expected.

The Paris correspondent of the London Times says that the confidence of success by the army in Italy is so great, that preparations will soon be made at Notre Dame for a Te Deum thanksgiving for a great victory expected to be announced next week.

All the officers of the regiment of sappers to be commanded by Prince Napoleon, left Paris on the 14th for Toulon.. A train of siege artillery had also left for Italy.

It is rumored that arms have been sent into Hungary, and that the Hungarians abroad are actively employed in fomenting an insurrection in that country.

An official bulletin from Piedmont, dated the 14th, says the Austrians withdrew to-day from Robbia, recently their headquarters, but a second and still stronger reconnoitering force has been pushed forward to the walls of Ver.

The Emperor Napoleon, with Marshal Canrobert, rode through the streets of Alessandria on horseback. He was everywhere received with the greatest demonstrations of joy.

An official bulletin from Turin announces movements made by the Austrians from Strabella towards Vogliera.

A despatch from Berlin says that the Germanic Diet closed on the 14th by the Prince Regent in person, who, in his speech, said that Prussia was determined to maintain the balance of power in Europe, and stand up for the security, protection, and the national interests of Germany, and he expected that all the German confederative Powers would stand firmly by her side in fulfilment of that mission.

The mobilization of the eight federal corps d'armee is completed. Prince Frederick William is commander in chief.

The Austrian government loan of seventy-five millions is to be at five per cent, payable in silver, and will be issued at 70.

NEW JERSEY, ranks as the fifth State of the Union in point of manufacturing industry. The number of establishments within the State are stated at 4,207, employing a capital of $22,293,258, using raw material of the value of $22,011,871, employing 29,068 males and 8,262 females, the cost of whose labor per annum is $9,364,740, and producing manufactured articles estimated at a total value of $39,851,256.

PRIMITIVE HABITS.—An old couple and their son from Schenectady (N. Y.) passed through Syracuse on Thursday on their way to Ohio, where they intended to purchase land and settle permanently. They had adopted the primitive style of travelling on foot, because the old folks were *afraid to trust themselves on the cars or canal!* The old folks had several hundred dollars in cash, and said they averaged nearly thirty miles per day. They went West by the turnpike.

MURDEROUS ASSAULT IN KENTUCKY.—*Lexington, Ky. May* 26.—B. C. Blancoe, the jailor of the Fayette county jail, was last night called up after retiring to bed, by an unknown man, who assaulted him with a knife, ripping open his abdomen. The wound is supposed to be fatal. The assailant was arrested, and there is much excitement creafed by the murderous attack.

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Oriental Elastic Spring Bed in another column. To those who have experienced the luxury and know the value of a Spring Bed, we have nothing to say; but those who have not, should lose no time in procuring one, for all the new things discovered in this prolific age of invention, there is nothing which adds more to the ease, comfort and happiness of mankind than the Spring Bed. If you would really enjoy sleep—natures sweet repose—get a Spring Bed.

MASURY & WHITON, of 111 Fulton st., and 50 Ann st., New York, offer to the trade, White Lead, Zinc Paints, Colors, &c., of their own manufacture. They are also extensive importers of Artist's Materials of every description. As the completion of the East Pennsylvania Railroad, gives us now, a direct route to New York, we advise our merchants who may visit that city in future, to take a look at the establishment of Masury & Whiton.

TRIAL OF MOWERS.—The undersigned propose having a public trial of Manny's Combined Reaper and Mower, with Woods' improvement, in clover, at Kingston, on Thursday the 9th, and at Carlisle on Saturday the 11th of June. The public and all competing machines are invited to be present.

J. Armstrong, Agt. at Carlisle; W. J. Cameron, Agt. at Mechanicsburg.

SURGICAL OPERATION.—We are informed that Dr. J. J. Zitzer of this place has performed a successful operation on a boy named Franklin Shaw, son of James Shaw of this county, in extirpating the lower jaw-bone The boy had suffered for some time from caries of the jaw-bone, and to relieve the patient, the Doctor removed one half of the jaw, and the boy is now doing well. Dr. Zitzer has acquired quite a reputation as a surgeon.

Town and County Matters.

Meteorological Register for the Week Ending May 30th, 1859.*

1859.	Thermometer.*	Rain.	Remarks.
Tuesday.	66 00	—	
Wednesday.	66 00	—	
Thursday.	72 00	80	Thun. Shower
Friday.	70 00	60	
Saturday.	69 00	—	
Sunday.	67 00	5	Rain.
Monday.	62 00	70	Rain.
Weekly Mean.	66 00	1,65	

*The degree of heat in the above register is the daily average of three observations.

THE CIRCUS.—We had S. B. Lent's Circus company in town on last Friday who pitched their tent at the "Poplar Lot;" but very few people were in from the country, compared with what has been seen on other occasions. Before the afternoon performances had concluded, a violent rain storm came up, which threatened to bring the canvass down on actors and audience; a general stampede took place, and it is said there was a much more interesting exhibition of "ground and lofty tumbling," outside of the pavilion than had been given in the ring. The rain came steadily on, and the water flooded the ground and pathways. In the rush to get out, dresses were torn, and bonnets soiled, hoops and crinoline were very inconvenient; skeleton skirts were totally unmanagable, and in some cases were left to hang and sway and grin around, to the horror of all modest male spectators. Gaiters, were engulphed, slippers were nowhere, and hose — well everything outside of the cuticle of bifurcated femininity was thoroughly drenched.

At night, as we learn, there was a large crowd in attendance; but it was the *same old circus*, that has been making its periodical visits for the last twenty years; the same stupid routine of ring performance, the same acrobatic feats; the same dull clown, dressed in the same motley, using the same stale jokes, and retaining all the vulgarity of the clown of former years, except the wit to make it palatable.

The town was unusually quiet, until about 11 o'clock, when a quarrel arose among some persons in the square, which might have resulted in a serious fight, but constable Bretz interfered, and restored order.

MARCH OF RECRUITS.—On Wednesday last, 109 recruits for the 2d Dragons and 38 for the 1st Cavalry, left Carlisle Barracks, under the command of Lieut. Ransom 1st Cavalry, accompanied by Lieuts. Green and Armstrong of the 2d Dragoons. Part of the recruits are destined for Texas; Lieut. Ransom joins his company at Fort Riley, Arkansas.

There are still about 230 men at the Barracks; of these, 110 are expected to be ordered off, about the 5th of July, leaving a permanent Company of 120 men to garrison the Post.

Lieut. Ransom, who has resided here, for several months, has made many friends in Carlisle, who will watch his future course with interest, and hail his return with pleasure, whenever duty shall again call him to this station.

ARTILLERY ASSOCIATION.—It will be seen by the proceedings of the meeting on last Saturday evening, that an adjourned meeting will be held at the Court House, next Saturday (June 4th) in which the citizens of the borough are invited to participate.

As this meeting is called for the purpose of making arrangements for an appropriate celebration of the 4th of July, it is desired that the members of the Association and the citizens generally will attend. Let us have a regular old-fashioned, patriotic celebration, exempt from political questions or party affinities.

TROUT FISHING.—According to the Harrisburgh *Telegraph*, two gentlemen of that place, on Saturday last, made a foray on one of the trout streams in this county, and caught sixty trout, some of which measured *six inches!!* When one of our fishermen accidentally hooks a trout less than 12 inches, he usually throws it back into the stream or— into his basket If he was caught carrying home trout *six inches* long, he would be indicted for malicious mischief.

DAILY FREIGHT FROM PHILADELPHIA.—Since the establishment of daily lines of freight cars to and from Philadelphia, our business men are patronizing them extensively and thereby relieving themselves of the exhorbitant charges imposed upon them so long by the Adams Express Co. We call attention, therefore, to the card of J. & D. RHOADS, who have also established a daily line. Goods sent into the warehouse at 811 Market St., Phila., by 4 o'clock in the afternoon, will reach Carlisle at 12 next day.

ADVANCE OF THE TEMPERANCE REFORM IN CARLISLE.—Short speeches are more effective than long ones, and a single fact may speak volumes. We are informed, that on last Saturday evening, within a period of one hour, thirty one quarts of ardent spirits were sold from one liquor store in this borough.

Now, if any man wants to preach a sermon on Temperance, here is a text.

ANOTHER FIRE IN SHIPPENSBURGH.—The *News* says:

Not content with the mischief already worked and the damage done, the incendiary was at work again in our midst on Sunday night. The barn of Mr. Stephen Cochran, residing in the northern part of the borough, was fired about nine o'clock. It not being far removed from his dwelling house, the flames were speedily communicated thereto, but by the action and untiring efforts of our firemen the flames were here checked; but so rapidly did they spread over the barn that it was soon beyond all possibility of being saved. In a very short time it was reduced to ashes, and with it the adjoining stable, belonging to Mr. William Klepper.

☞ At a meeting of the CARLISLE LIGHT ARTILLERY ASSOCIATION, held in the Arbitration Chamber on Saturday evening, the 28th of May, 1859, Captain William M. Porter was called to the chair, and Lieut. E. Cornman was appointed Secretary.

The chairman stated the object of the meeting be to the making of preparations for the celebration of the coming 4th of July.

On motion, it was resolved that the citizens of the town be and are hereby invited to unite with us in the proposed celebration.

On motion, the meeting adjourned until this night a week.

On motion, it was declared that these proceedings be published in all the papers of the town, and that that the citizens be invited to meet with us.

W. M. PORTER, *Pres't.*

E. CORNMAN, *Sec'y.*

COUNTY CONVENTION.

In accordance with the call of the Standing Committee, the delegates elected by the American Republican party, met in county Convention, on Tuesday the 31st of May.

The following gentlemen presented their credentials and took their seats as members of the Convention.

Carlisle, West Ward—John M. Gregg, Joseph H. Weibly.
Carlisle E. W.—Robt. McCartney, George Zinn.
Dickinson—Thos Paxton, E. F. Haskel.
South Middleton—Wm. B Mullin, George D. Craighead.
Shippensburgh borough—E. W. Curriden, J. O. M. Butts.
Shippensburg twp.—Christian Long.
Upper Allen—J. L. Zook, Geo Chapman.
Munroe—Richard Anderson, Isaac Hull.
Silver Spring—Williams Parker J. C Sample.
W. Pennsboro—Peter Ritner, J. K. Trego.

Wm. B. Mullin was appointed chairman and George Zinn and J. K. Trego Secretaries of the Convention.

After an interchange of opinion, it was on motion ordered that the delegates to represent this county in the State Convention, be instructed to vote for James M. Sellars of Juniata county for Auditor General.

On motion, ordered that George Zinn Thomas Paxton and E. W. Curriden be appointed a committee to draft resolutions expressive of the sentiments of the Convention.

The Committee reported the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That we fully approve of the call for a Peoples Convention to be held on the 8th of June at Harrisburg, to nominate candidates for State officers.

Resolved, That we are wholly opposed to the Administration of James Buchanan, because its entire policy is at war with the best interests of the country, and subversive of the rights of the people.

Resolved, That we are in favor of adequate protection to American industry, and opposed to the wasteful extravagance and shameless corruption which has characterized the administration of the General Government of later years.

Resolved, That John McCurdy, Esq., as our late Representative, justly earned our approbation by his assiduous attention to the interests of his constituents, and the fidelity with which he supported right principles and correct legislation.

Resolved, That E. W. Curridan, W. B. Mullin and B F. Lee, be appointed Conferees to meet the Conferees of the other counties composing this Senatorial District, to meet at Newport, on Monday the 6th day of June, 1859, for the purpose of selecting a Senatorial Delegate, to represent the district in the people's Convention with instructions to vote for R. P. M'Clure, Esq., of Shippensburg.

Resolved, That Lemuel Todd be the delegate to represent this County in Conjunction with a delegate from Perry in the People's Convention.

WM. B. MULLIN, Chairman.

GEO. ZINN, Sec'y.

A DAILY TRAIN OF FREIGHT CARS.—The attention of merchants and others is called to the fact, that J. W. Henderson, has established a daily line of freight cars to Philadelphia. Goods sent to the warehouse of Peacock, Zell & Hinchman 808 Market St. Philadelphia will be delivered in Carlisle the next day.

This arrangement will be of considerable advantage to our business men, who have been under the necessity of getting their goods by the Adams Express Company. They can now have their packages from Philadelphia, within three hours of the time when they could receive them by express, and at a mere trifle when compared with the exhorbitant charges of that monopoly.

TO FARMERS.—We call the attention of our readers, to the card of B. Franklin Clark, who offers for sale, a large quantity of Virginia lands. The land is described as fertile and well watered, and the climate healthy.

Our Book Table.

The Bride of Lammermoor.—One of the most beautiful and touching of Scott's novels, has just been published by T. B. Peterson & Brothers, with a magnificent steel plate engraving of the author, and his autograph. This is one of the weekly issues of their cheap edition of the Waverly novels, completed in 26 volumes, which they agree to send, *free of postage*, to any part of the Union for five dollars!

No library is complete without a sett of the Waverly Novels, and the low price of this edition brings it within the reach of all; we advise our readers, therefore, to make a remittance of five dollars at once to T. B. Peterson & Brothers, Philadelphia, and secure a full sett of these standard works, instead of the pernicious trash, in the shape of sensation stories, which are now thrown broadcast over the land. One volume is issued every Saturday, until the work is complete.

Godey's Lady's Book, for June, is one of the most brilliant numbers we have seen of this model magazine, and no lady without it, can be properly *posted* in matters pertaining to etiquette, fashion and taste. As the new volume commences in July, now is a favorable time for subscribing. For sale at Piper's.

The Ladies Repository, for June, contains a fine portrait of the Rev. Nathan Bangs, D. D., with a biographical sketch by the Rev. Dr. McClintock. The aim of the Ladies Repository is to blend the purest moral teachings, with the attraction of literary excellence, and no lady should be without it. It is published by Swormstedt & Poe, Cincinnati, and edited by the Rev. D. W. Clark.

The Knickerbocker.—The June number of this popular magazine has been received—more piquant and genial than ever. It is embellished with a portrait of Prescott, the historian, "Logan and the home of the Iroquois," and "Wall street to Cashmere," are both well written and finely illustrated. The "Romance of a poor Young Man," is continued, and a rich variety of other articles, the whole making up a table of contents that is not excelled by any other periodical in the country. For sale at Piper's.

Blackwood's Magazine, for May, is on our table. This admirable magazine maintains its pre-eminence, and is never thrown aside for want of interest to detain the reader. The present number contains an ably written article on popular literature. Part 5 of "A cruise in Japanese Waters." Part 3 of "The luck of Ladysmede." "The Witch of Walkern," and a variety of other reading. Leonard, Scott & Co., New York.

☞ Few monthly publications are more attractive than the *Ladies Home Magazine*, by T. S. Arthur & Co. The number for June is embellished with a steel plate engraving—"The Departure of the Orphans," a colored fashion plate and various designs for ornamental needle work, and its reading matter is quite as attractive as its illustrations.

Littells' Living Age for May 21, has a portrait and sketch of the Rev. Henry Melville, D. D., of London. "Chrisna, the Queen of the Danube," is continued, and it contains beside many other articles of unusual interest. This magazine is issued every Saturday, at $6 a year. Delisser & Proctor, New York.

The Great Republic Monthly, for June, has just been received, completing the sixth number, and making a volume of over 600 pages of interesting and profitable reading matter, handsomely illustrated with engravings. This mammoth work is steadily gaining a wide circulation. For sale at Piper's, at 25 cents per number.

Atlantic Monthly.—The June number of this popular magazine comes to us laden, as usual, with a feast of "good things," and we cannot too strongly recommend to our readers a subscription for this work. The enterprizing publishers started with a determination to give the public a magazine worthy of the age, and they have fully redeemed their pledge. For sale at Piper's.

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