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Ley We have received the initial num. ber of a new paper called the Forsst County Press, published at Tionesta, the new county seat of that county. We believe it is neutral in polities.

"HE SOCIABLE .- The next meeting of the Sociable will be held at the house adge Dickinson. We have no hesiall's in in saving that a cordial welcome all be given to all who attend.

JUDGMENT NOTES .- We have on hand a superior lot of Judgment Notes -both "tight" and "promissory." Porsons wanting them would do well to send in their orders immediately.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTH-DAY BALL. -Our esteemed friend, David, of the Thayer House, has tickets out for a hopat his new hotel on the 22nd inst. We predict a pleasant time for those attending.

Everything about it works as neat as can be expected, and we flatter ourselves that we can now de job-work as well as it can be done elsewhere. So give us a call.

FUN AHEAD .- The Acolian Minstrels, as will be seen by their bills, promise to ern Chilinghun. He has been known give our citizens a rare treat on the 13th inst., in the shape of an entertainment consisting of vocal and instrumentri musie, dances, dialogues, &c., &c. As the proceeds are to be devoted to religion, miles, and bring him an unswer. . He we have no doubt but that they will have a crowded house. Tickets can be procured at the different stores and ho. tels in Ridgway ..

THE EALE DISPATCH .--- Although we are not in the holdt of saying anything good of Republican newspapers, as a gen-

We have received one of the circulars of The World Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York While this Company insures in all the usual modes we notice that it has a special feature in its inducements which is called Nou-Full sheet hand-bill, 50 copies or less participating Policies Life Insurance as conducted in the United States is mutu-For any quantity under five quires, \$1,-to per quire ; en all amounts ever that a reasonable reduction will be made. TERMS OF PAPER. \$1,50 per year in advance-\$2,00 if paid within the year, and \$2,50 if not paid with-to that is the accumula-ted profits of the Company is at stated times divided between the insured. This company however embraces two classes of insured-the one participation in of insured-the one participating in these profits-the other not participa. ting. It is claimed, and we believe with truth, that these non-participating policies are issued upon much lower premi. have the kindness to give me a solution ums than others, and therefore that in by position, and oblige.

this company one can be insured any certain sum at a lass rate than he can in on being much of an " Arithmaticker," my other. J. F. Fracauff of Hollidays. yet we cannot see that our correspon bung. Elsir county is the general agent, dent is entirely right in his solution .--

K. Whitmore, Esq., Mr. FILLIS BURNS will see that we were right : to Miss JANE E. KLINE, both of Clear- solution to ostRANDOR NO FORTY-RIGHT. field county.

THE AMERICAN CENT .--- The first opper cant was produced in 1782 by Robert Morris, the great limancier of the Revolution, and was named by Jeffers on, two years later. It hogan to make a appearance from the mint in 1702. It then bere the head of Washington on one side and a chain of thirteen links on after created a rage for French ideas in America, which put on the cent, instead of the head of Washington, the head of the Gobless of Liberty, with neck thrust forward and flowing locks. The chain on the reverse was replaced by the olivawreath of peace. But the French liberty was short fived, and so was our porcian features, and a fillet round the hair, came into fashion forty or tilly years ago. when the much smaller and more convenicut tickle cont appeared, with a flyarg caule in the place of Liberty's head, Ocu Jon Panss.-We have now got our job press in good working order. seen retored.

> A Swift RUNNER - A Moxican correspondent writes: "Wy have had some colobrated runners in the United States, but nearesly equal to a young Mexican thirty-three years of age, mimed Oction, who lives at III. dailgo, h. South to beat a man on horseback for a disance of thirty miles. He has often made a hundred and fifty miles in twonly-lour hours. A friend of mine lately have gallous to inches. Then as the conhim filve dollars to earry a latter filty did it in twenty two hours, taking, as he thought, plenty of time, there being no square of the bottom required; the great hurry. The last fifty miles he square of which will be 17,3048 inches made slowly in seven hours. From this across on the bottom, and twice that may be gained some idra of the trained amount [35 8036] neross on the top, courier systems of Montezuma and the Peruvian Incas.

IN a crowd, where it was almost im- lons it would hold would be 18.83. assible to keen the toes of our boots off the shortest trails flaunted from hoop. for news on our exchange list. The towards our forry hoat. At one side propriotors have been in lefatigable in marched a "high private," whose face their efforts to establish a daily paper in and gait were slightly influenced by duct of those two numbers when multisomething stronger than water. The poor fellow did his best to avoid about a | numbers ? quarter of a yard of silk hailing from a fairy storm just ahead. His best was not good enough, and down come the heavy military boot upon the silk. The voice was not extremely mild that chi ded him with, "Take care, Sir !" "Close (clothes) up in the rear there !" were our orders, marm, always, them's military orders." The fair fice more than smiled, and the worrying crowd joined

## A Column for the Young Folks.

Mr Editor :- In your notice of my answer to Ostrandor's problem last week (Number 48.) you say, "Will came within a quarter of an inch of the true answer." I think you must have given my answer but a passing notice, for, by referring to it you will observe that I gave the answer as 8 feet, 11 inches, adding plus sign, denoting remainder, which remainder is about the fortieth pose of cutting lumber. part of an inch, or .025901201901+with additional fractions to the extent of the worker's patience to produce them. With regard to the examples given by A. R. they were done by Al gebra, as I failed to obtain a correct an. swer by " Double Position," and will he WILL. -" Locals," does not pride himself We give the solution of A. R., solved

by Double Position. Our correspondent will see that we were right :

Add the numerator and the denominator of the given fraction (5-15) togother, then as that number is to 12 hours, so is the numerator of the fraction as to the time of day the job commenced (3:20 P. M.) By the same process find when the job was finished (4:40 P. M.) Then 8:20 from 4:40 leaves 1 hour and 29 minutes, which is the time employed. Then suppose the bottom the other. The French Revolution soon diameter to be two inches and the top four, and the length of the staves six inches. Then as the top diameter (four iaches) is to the time employed (eighty minutes), so is the length of the staves (six inches), to the length of the diagoand line of the required cistern, 120 in. Then find the square of the perpendicu. lar of the supposed eistern by subtract. trait in our cent. In its stend a staid, ing the square of its shortest base, one classic dame, with finely chiselled Gre- inch, from the square of the stave, 36, and also the square of its diagonal, by adding the square of its longest base and continued until about ten years since, (three inches), to the square of its perpendicular, 35. Then as the square of the supposed eistern (44), is to the square of the diagonal, 120, so is the square of its perpendicular, S5, to the square of the perpendicular required ; the square root of which will be the perpendicular, 107.025 inches. A. R.

us the following solutions to last week's Ostrandors. As will be seen, they are

ANSWER TO NUMBER ONE. ANSWER TO NUMBER TWO.

20,655 inches, and the number of gal-

#### Within the last 200 years 7 ,295 treaties of peace have been signed.

Between New York and Liverpool the wheels of a large ocean steamer make 200,000 revolutions.

The parade of the trade societies in London cost the participants £100,000 in the loss of each man's day's wages. A colony of emigrants is being located

at New Smyrna, Florida, for the pur-

"Tom," an old negro living in Hamilton, is said to be the only person now alive who witnessed the surrender of Cornwallia.

Our "darling Lillie," of three years while trying to get on her stockings one day, discovered a few hairs on her legs, when she exclaimed, "Mother, I think I shall be an angel soon. the feathers are begining to grow ! "

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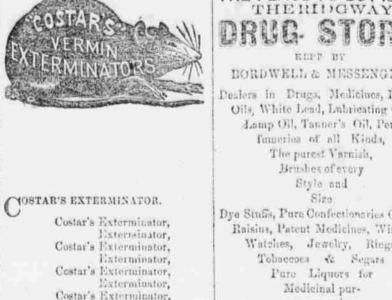
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JOS. WILHELM. St. Mary's Jan. 10th 1866.

## ORPHAN'S COURT SALE. By virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Elli county, Do. 1 will sell Court House in Roleway, Pa., on Thursday, the 7th day of February, A. D. 1867, at two and one-half o'clock, P. M.,

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II. W., another correspondent sends Suppose a kettle three inches on the

correct: bottom, six on the top, and twelve inches deep. Find the contents of this upposed kettle in inches, and reduce 25

tents of this supposed kettle (137.3208) is to the 25 gallons, (7050 iuches), so is the square of its bottom (3) to the

The diameter of the globe would be

oral thing, yet we must say that the above journal is one of the best papers skirts shead, we were pressing our way Birie, and they have succeeded beyond their most ardeut expectations.

FIRE AT OLEAN .- We are sorry to learn that a five occurred one day last week at Olean, N. Y., in which M. V. face that turned did not smile, and the Moore, the former host of the Hyde House in this place, was burnt out. Mr. Moore had lately bought the hotel in which he was keeping, we believe the Petroleum llouse was the name of it. There was on incurance of \$3,000 on it. His her laugh with a hearty roan. friends in this section will be sorry to learn of this, as the Colonel was well liked by everybody who knew him.

The citizens of Ridgway will be gratified to learn that John J. Ridgway, Esq. has donatel lot No. 103 towards the erection of the Episcopal Church. The vestry some time ago selected this and the adjoining lot No. 104 as together Church-building, and no sooner was the decision made known to Mr. Ridgway than he with his characteristic liberality as to every, thing pertaining to the in terests of our town, offered to make a gift of the lot for that purpose. This hist generous act of his adds another to the many obligations by which our citizons are bound to Mr. Ridgway.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT .-- Last Friday morning an accident occurred at the station in this place, on the line of the P & E. R. R., which might have had rath. er serious convequences. Two freight trains were due here near about the time of the accident. The first one came in, and we believe was held for orders, the engine being at the water tank, taking in water, when the other train came up, some say at the rate of twentyty-five miles an hour, and the advancing train ran into the "cabouse" of train No. injured.

ECONOMY .- When a Spaniard ents a peach or pear by the Roadside, whereyer he is, he digs a hole in the ground with his foot, and covers the seed. Consequently, all over Spain, by the roadsides and chewhere, fruit in great abun, dance tounts the taste, and is ever free. Let this practice be imitated in our country, and the woary wanderer will be blessed, and bless the hand that ministered to his comfort and joy. We are forming the most cligible site for the bound to leave the world as good, or better, than we found it, and he is a selfish churl who basks under the shadow and eats the fruit of trees which other hands have plauted, if he will not also plant trees which shall yield fruit to come ing generations.

> MALTESE PROVERBS .- A man who will rob a hen roost of its eggs, will also them. steal the hous,

It is out of a thief's power to rob a naked man.

A person who is never in love is sure to be fut.

To drink pure water you must seek the fountain head.

You know not your man before you talk with him.

No one performs a service without a Lope of reward in some way or other. An ox is bound by his horns, a nina by his words.

A mechanic having taken a new apprentice, awoke him the first moraing at a very early hour by calling 2, and "went through it," then struck out that the family were setting down the tender attached to the locomotive, to the table. "Thank you," said the throwing it on top of it. The employees boy, as he turned over in bed to adjust on board the train had jumped off before himself for a new map; "Thank you. the collision took place, and no one was but I never cat anything during the night."

Ostrandor Miscellancous. NUMBER THREE.

There are two numbers in proportion to each other as 46 to 69, and the proplied together is 384. What are the

#### NUMBER FOUR.

The sum of two numbers is 180, and the product of those two numbers is 1376. What are those two numbers? NUMBER FIVE.

Divide 180 into two such parts that when the greater part is divided by the less the quotient will be 24. A. R. Our Devil has lately become " mat-

thewmatical," and gives the following

He wants to know what would be the antindicular perpendicularity of a passenger just getting off of a train of cars going at the rate of 60 miles an hour, and having taken 10 drinks of the poor. st whiskey the hotels of Ridgway can afford, also having a keg of lager under DEVILJOE. each arm?

When is a greybound not a greyhound? When it turns a hare.

Why is a heard like common sense ! Because no woman possesses it.

To what race of giants do tipplers belong ? To the Titans [tight'uns.]

Why is the letter U the gayest letter in the alphabet? Because it is always in Tatal.

What is the best way to keep a gentleman's affections? Not to return

Why does the eye resemble a schoolmaster in the net of flogging ? It has a pupil under the lash.

What sort of a drum is that which is best when it cannot be beaten ? Why a conua-drum, of course.

What is the difference between a peudthrift and a feather-bed? Que s hard up, and the other solt down.

Why are young lodies like arrows ? Because they never go off without a bow beau,] and they are always in a quiver ill they get one.

A young man who has recently taken wife, says he did not find it half so hard to get innrried as he did to get the lurniture.

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