

ALTOONA, PA.

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ing is to require payment in advance, or a guarantee from known persons. It is therefore useless for all such to send

8. M. PÉTTENGILL & CO., Advertising Agents, 119 Nassau street. New York, and 10 State street. Boston, are the Agents for the Altoone Tribune, and the most infinential and largest circulating Newspapers in the United States and the Canadas. They are authorized to contract for us at our basest rules.

Postal Reforms.

Within the past year, two reformations in our postal regulations have been sug gested, both of which have their advantages as well as impracticabilities. First. we notice that of taking the Post Office Department entirely from under the control of the general government and placing it in the hands of Express Companies, or companies formed specially for the purpose allowing said companies to appoint post masters, at the different points where post offices are established, in the same manner as Express Agents are now appointed. giving them all the revenue derived therefrom and making them responsible for all matter passing through the mails. The fact that the general government, while it exercises due care and endeavors to prevent the loss of money or other valuables passing through the mails, is not responsible in case of losses occurring, neither can be made so, is one of the strongest ar guments in favor of the proposed change while on the other hand it is urged that Express companies, or those formed for the purpose, as before stated, being vate carriers, could be held responsible and thus a better guarantee be afforded the public of the safe delivery of all valu ables delivered for transmission. Another argument in favor of this system is, that the Post Office Department is an expense to the government—that the revenue deriyed therefrom is not sufficient to pay the expenses of the department, and that an appropriation from the revenues of other departments is required each year to keep it up. This is a good argument, and one which, if the system proposed should no work disadvantageously to some portions of the country, as we shall show, would be sufficient to at once cause the adoption of the new system, or any other offering equal advantages and guarantees. The disadvantages of this system to certain portions of the country, would be experienced in finding companies willing to carry the mails through sparsely settled portions of the western States, where there would be but little mail matter, and consequently but little revenue, and the expenses of transmission naturally increased. The reports of the P. O. Department show that the revenue derived from the Southern States does not pay the expenses of transmitting the mails, while in the Northern States there is a large excess of revenue, which is appropriated to make up the deficit of the Southern States. Thus it will be seen that were such a system as propo sed adopted, a portion of the country would be without carriers, as it is not likely that any company would accept of a contract by which it would lose money. To overcome this, it is proposed to increase the price of postage; but this would be manifestly unjust. In general, those who would be compelled to pay the increase are those who are least able to do rial Governments. so. To us the system proposed appears impracticable, although we much desire the adoption of one which would relieve our general government of this burden and afford equal guarantees of safety to mail matter without manifest injury to any nortion of the country. Again, it is urged that this department of our government, on account of the number of persons employed therein, is converted into one of the most dangerous political vehicles in this we will not dwell; as we presume all who take an interest in such matters know full well how partizan friends are reward-

This brings us to the consideration of

believe that at this time public opinion instances are persons appointed to the important position of postmasters, simply on account of services rendered the party in power, who are notoriously incompetent and exceedingly objectionable to the whole community in the vicinity of the office. Had the people the privilege of chosing their officer in this capacity, the majority would always be satisfied. To effect such a change would require an amendment to the Constitution, and we believe it should be made, at least the question should be agitated. Such an alteration in the mode of selecting the officers referred to, could make the matter no worse than it is at present, but might be | The city has three hundred and ten churches. productions of much good.

MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR AT HARRISBURG -We learn from the Harrisburg Telegraph of Saturday last, that a tragedy, involved in considerable mystery, is now the prevailing sensation in that place. It appears that a short time since, a colored woman was imprisoned in Carlisle. While in jail she disclosed the fact that about eighteen months since, while she was employed as servant in the house of Mrs. Black, of Harrisburg, two gamblers, one of them named Knox, came to the house. accompanied by a stranger, for the purpose of gambling for money. During the evening a quarrel arose between them. The stranger drew a knife, and Knox a pistol. Knox fired and shot the stranger through the head, killing him instantly. The colored girl says she has been pre- bushels, against 139,000 bushels for the entire vented from telling the story heretofore by bribes and threats. The girl was brought from Carlisle to Harrisburg where she repeated the story. Knox being in Philadelphia, a despatch was sent to the Mayor to have him arrested, which was promptly done. Search was made for the body of the murdered man in the place where the girl said it had been buried, out no trace of it could be found. Knox as brought before Judge Pearson on a writ of habeas corpus, on Saturday afternoon, where he entered bail in three sccurities to the amount of \$15,000, to appear at Court and answer the charge of perfection.

temporory, of the Erie City Disputch, is after this double-dyed scoundrel, (who edits a Bank Note Detector in New York,) town. with a piece of timber which is sharp at both ends. We gave the same individual "puff" in our "black list," some two years since. The man who trusts to his as great a swindle as its author. Fortunately, we believe none of them are sent to this section, and hope there never will be. He cheated every printer in the country with whom he had dealings, and the man who will systematically cheat the to buy his coal of you!" printer will cheat everybody else but the d-1; he can't cheat him.

WORK FOR THE NEXT CONGRESS.-The National Legislature, at is next session, will have considerable service to perform in the way of creating new governments, State and Territorial. No less than four Territories and two States will ask recognition. The people of Southern Nebraska, disappointed in gaining annexation to Kansas, are moving for a State Government. The Governor is about to call an extra session of the Legislature that the work may be regularly commenced. They intend to apply for admission in company with Kansas. In addition, the people of Jefferson, Arizona, Dacotah and Nevada, are also anxious for Territo- in agriculture.

We have received from our young friend, James Ritchie, formerly of this place, now among the Rocky Mountains, a copy of the Rocky Mountain Gold Reporter and Mountain City Herald, published at Mountain City, Jefferson, (the name given to the new Territory about to rection on a letter dropped into the Post Office be organized by the Pike's Peakers.) It is in this place, a few days since; about half the size of the Tribune, and is published at 10 cents a single copy, \$2,50 the country, by the party in power. This a year at the office, or \$3,00 if mailed to is true; and pity 'tis, 'tis true. But on the States. Advertisements are inserted at the rate of 25 cents per line for first insertion, and 10 cents per line afterwards. Our advertisers would consider these pried thereby, and the will of the people often ces pretty steep.

Gen. Houston's victory in Texas is the rascally concern! the second reformation proposed, viz: even more sweeping than was at first rethe election of Postmasters. To this the ported. Of one hundred counties, from objection is raised that the Constitution which returns had been received on the vests in the President the right to appoint 16th instant, he had majorities in all but ambassadors, public ministers; consuls twenty-one, and it was believed that his and other United States officers, including total majority might reach 12,000

which the returnation spoken of proposes Chicago Press and Tribune says that to take away from him and vest in the since the 15th day of last May, the price people at large. It is argued that the of standard wheat has fallen in that marpeople gave to the country the constitu- ket seventy-four cents per bushel! It tion, and the people can take it away, says that the sesult to grain dealers and alter or abridge it to suit themselves. We speculators has been very disastrous all along the lakes, and that the losses at Chidemands such a change. In how many eago, Milwaukie, Racine, and other points, cannot be less than half a million of dollars.

PEN AND SCISSORS.

Dr. J. H. Wintrode is to deliver the

address at the Huntingdon County Fair. Judging from the accounts published in he papers of Huntingdon, the rowdies of that place must be equal to those of Baltimore.

Burned—a whiskey distillery, at Jersey City, on Saturday a-week. Loss, \$20,000 in money; morality nothing.

The new Reformed Church, at Martins

ourg, in this county, will be dedicated with appropriate exercises on Saturday, Sept 24th. There are ten million dollars worth of property in Philadelphia exempt from taxation.

Pretty nearly all men are benevolent when it don't cost their much. Tom never sees poor John suffer but he thinks that Sam ought

Henry Ward Beecher says, "A man never has good luck who has a bad wife," which probably accounts for the very great number of unfortunate occupants of this planet.

Wien Forney has retired from the Cenral Press, Bellefonte, and is succeeded by his partner, Mr. Kurtz, who intends going it alone

Levi Cline, John Covode and Dr. Gazzam are spoken of in connection with the nomination for Governor, next year, by the Peoples party One of the Railroads in New York, is

Col. A. G. Curtin, Hons David Taggart,

aid to be the safest in the world, as the Superntendent keeps a boy running ahead of the trains to drive off the calves and sheep! The receipts of wheat at Chicago, from the 1st to the 20th of August, reach 405,000

"I have been to the capital to see your friend sworn into office," said a politician to an opponent, on the evening of the 4th of March.

Yes, and I have been to see yours go swearing Bro. bell, of the Star, hopes that Bro Nash, of the American, won't get Spear'd in his Spear'd, Speer will stand a good chance to get

Steam power has been applied to sewing machines. An upright engine has been introduced into a clothing manufactory at Albany, which uccupies the space of about one cubic foot, and works several sewing machines to

BES. The Reading (Pa.) Gazette says that a snapping turtle, the largest ever caught in JOHN S. DYE. - We notice that our co- Berks county, weighing 22 lbs., and "able secured a few days ago in the vicinity of Kurtz

Whilst a congregation was worshipping in a Dutch Church in Rochester, one day last week, the floor gave way at the centre, sliding all the worshippers into one mass and then popped them in a heap to the basement floor Director will be grossly deceived. It is Singular to relate, no one was seriously injured. The daughter of the proprietor of a coal

mine, in Pennsylvania, was inquisitive as to the nature of hell. Upon which her father repre sented it to be a large gulf of fire of most prodigious extent. "Pa," said she, "couldn't you get the devil

dollar for killing a calf, you smutty rascal." said at planter to an old negroe. "No, no, charge fifty cents for killing calf, and fifty

nachine which changes money. It is used by for fifty-three years. railroad conductors who receive and give change for fare without once handling the coin. Wonder if he couldn't invent a machine to pay passengers fare for them. It would be very

Georgia is probably the lightest taxed tuxes. Georgia is one of the most flourishing States, also, rapidly rising in manufactures as

A darkey on his way to the colored campmeeting at Huntingdon, a short time since, accidentally, of course, rolled up Hon. John Covode's shawl along with his baggage when he got off the cars at Huntingdon Station, and did not discover his mistake until the constable took

him on a "whereas," He then forked over. The following is the verhatim, et literatim, et punctuatim, et spelatim, et capitalim di-

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The inevitable Parson Brownlow is again extant, though in rather a damaged condition. He is now at the Virginia Springs for the benefit of his voice, which he has almost entirely lost; but he says he intends to raise it against North Beaver township, in this county, (a short Locofopolsm as long as he can, and when he can distance up the run from the rail road bridge,)

HARD ON GRAIN SPECULATORS. The when he fell to the ground and was taken up unconscious, although hopes were entertained of his recovery. After he was thrown out, the balloon ascended, carrying with it a little dog belonging to the Erconaut.

> Another "champion" has turned up ninety large peaches on a wager of \$250. He the following: arose from the repast apparently refreshed, and resumed his artistic avocation as boot-black, amid the enthusiastic cheers of a large and on- been made, and by shrewd methods managed to lightened concourse of his fellow-citizens.

"The Rocky Mountains," says Horace Greeley, "with their grand, aromatic forests, their glassy glades, their frequent springs, and dancing streams of the brightest, sweetest water. their pure, elastic atmosphere, and their unequaled game and fish, are destined to be a favorite resort of civilized man. I never visited a region where physical life could be more surely prolonged or fully enjoyed."

F. D. Rutter, residing near Orbisonia, Huntingdon Co., advertises a stray horse and carriage, which were left at his house on the 27th ult., by an unknown man, who had with him a woman and child, and was rather a suspicious character. He left in the night and has not been heard of since. We have read several notices of horses and carriages disappearing in different parts of the country, without the owners consent, and quite likely this is one of them.

Horrible—The telegraph has mentioned that a man named Jock Murphy, who was convicted of murder in Henderson, Ky., was executed on Friday week. The Henderson Reporter states that the culprit's neck was not broken by the fall. After he had been suspended ten minutes, he changed his handkerchief from one hand to the other, and made signs which were not understood. After hanging 27 minutes he was cut down.

Mr. Prentice, of The Louisville Journal who knows as well as any man the virtues of "old Monongahela," envies the Pittsburghers their glorious supply of his favorite beverage. He says: "The Pittsburghers are fortunate: they get their delicious, pure drinking water from the Allegheny River, which bounds one side of their city, and are supplied with exhaustless quantities of Monongahela, which lave

169. A day or two age a party out riding stopped at one of the hotels in Copuke, Columbia County, New York, when four young ladies, in company, repaired to an out-house in the vicinity, where they had no sooner entered than the floor gave way, and the whole party were precipitated into the vault below. They were unable to extricate themselves from their unpleasant situation, and must have perished, had friend had not a creditor at the Saut, and, in

in the magnetic telegraph office on Friday night aurora boreallis-between 9 and 10 o'clock, and without perceiving anything unusual. We give profound and awfully solemn impression." contain. - Harrisburg Union.

THE OLDEST CHURCH IN AMERICA -It was built in 1681, in the town of Hingham, Massachusetts, and is still occupied as a place of worship. The bell rope hangs down in the mid lie of the house, where it was placed in order that | York, and calling himself Jim Patch, jumped The following is true of more things the bell might be rung instantly to give therm than one in every day life:-"You charge a of any sudden Indian incursion. There are water below, a distance of eighty-five feet, at many of the old fashioned square news in the house, enclosed by what resembles more a high lower dock, Sing Sing, in about seven feet of and substantial an ainted tence than anything water. At the appointed time in the presence Massa," replied the gentleman from Africa, to be seen in the modern church. The frame is a of about four hundred villagers Jim made his of oak, and the beams are huge and numerous jump, firing a couple of pistols in his decent -The old house is good for two hundred years more. This old church has an old paster, the that was the last that was seen of him until a A Yankee in Brooklyn has invented a Rev. Joseph Richardson, having preached in it young man made a drive from the dock and

A FAMILY OF GOVERNORS. -The Boston Express, in an interesting historical sketch of the Boylson market, mentions the following noteworthy incident: Levi Lincoln, who signed the charter of the Boylston Market Association, as Governor of the Commonwealth, was the father of the last State in the Union. Its State tax is only two- when Gov. Sullivan died, thereby becoming Gov-Governor, Levi Lincoln, and was Lieut Gov. thirds of a mill on the dollar. A man owning ernor. Governor Levi Lincoln, the elder, died \$10,000 worth of property pays only \$6.62 at Worcester, April 14, 1820, aged 71. His widow, Martha, died at the same place, April, 1828, and was followed to the grave by two sons, both of them Governors-Levi. Governor of Massachusetts, and Enech, Governor of Maine. There probably is no instance on record themselves Governors of two States in our Union.

Incendiabism.—We are informed that on Thursday evening last, in Hopewell township, one of the most inhuman and fiendish acts was perpetrated that has ever disgraced our county. Three men in disguise, with blackened faces, went to a widow's house, carried her out, together with a few articles of her furniture, and then set fire to the house, and burnt it to the ground, leaving the poor woman to the cold charities of the world. No cause can be assigned why they committed this hellish deed .-At last accounts, a warrant had been issued for their arrest. It is to be hoped that they will receive a just reward for their doings .- Hunt.

PETRIFFING SPRING.—We are told there is a spring on the farm of William F. Davidson, of no longer speak, he intends to make mouths at the water of which petrifies, moss, wood, leaves, &c., that comes in contact with it. The spring Went up Feet Foremost-A Mr. Hall, is pretty strong and passes down almost peran Æreonaut, after a successful ascension from pendicular over a large rock—the water has Newcastle-on-Tyne, descended about seven miles rather a peculiar taste. It is quite a curiosity from the place of starting. Thinking his bal- and may be the cause of scientific investigation loon was fast, Mr. Hall was just stepping to hereafter. We have two pieces of the moss in the ground when it arose, taking him up by the our possession—one entirely petrified and the feet, to the height of about one hundred feet, other partly so —Lawrence Journal.

TOR RENT.—THE STORE ROOM

hereafter. We have two pieces of the moss in heretofore occupied by H. Tuck, on the corner of the height of about one hundred feet, other partly so —Lawrence Journal.

July 28th if.

Important Arrest.

Several times during the past few months attempts have been made to throw the passenger trains on the Ohio and Ministippi Railmad off the track at different points along the lise. The Cincinnati papers have some interesting disclosures concerning the wretches who under-A regro in Sandusky, one day last week, eat took to accomplish the villainy. We condense

The mayor of Cincinnati placed the whole matter in detective Reany's hands Reany proceeded to the points where the attempts accertain who the parties, were, and by a system of wireworking, ingratiated himself so thoroughly into their favor that he learned and stealthily laying his plans he was rewarded capturing two men in the very act. One of ie gang informed Reany that his party had several times undertaken to throw the cars from the track for the purpose of robbing passengers in the confusion which would necessarily follow the accident, and that the intention was to place a log on the road near a steep bank on the night of the 30th, which, had the plan been carried out, it would have caused the loss of numerous

Renny was expected to go to Mincennes and get on board the train, observe the car containing the passengers likely to have the most valuables, and when the train reached the spot where it was to be thrown off, to jump from the platform as best he could. Other persons in the league were to be stationed at the point where the accident would occur, and they were to assist in plundering the living, the dying and the dead. A compact had been formed by which various parties in case of an arrest, were to swear to the innocence of the prisoner, or do

anything to prevent his punishment. Of course, the dastardly outrage of throwing off the train did not take place, and on Wednesday morning the mayor received a telegram from Reany, dated at Clay city, stating that two scoundrels who had made the attempt had been arrested and lodged in jail at Salem Ill. This will probably be the first step towards breaking up another gang of the most desperate outlaws that infest the South or West.

SAVE THE MAN WITH THE RED HAIR. - It roaires great coolness and experience to steer a noe down these rapids, (the Snut St. Marie,) correspondent,) two Americans had ventured to lescend them without boatmen, and were conequently upset. As the story was reported to s. one of them owed his life to a singular coinsidence. As the accident took place immediately opposite the town, many of the inhabitants were attracted to the bank of the river to watch the struggles of the unfortunate young men. thinking any attempt at a rescue would be hopeless. Suddenly, however, a person appeared rushing toward the groupe, frantic with excitement "Save the man with the red hair!" he rehemently shouted; and the exertions which were made in consequence of his earnest appeals proved successful, and the red-haired individual. n an exhausted condition, was safely lauded -He owes me eighteen dollars." said his resoner, drawing a long breath, and looking approvingly on his assistants. The red haired man's default of conpeting claim, was allowed to pay s." said the narrator of the foregoing incident, complacently drawing a moral thereform, "a aan il never know how necessary he is to society if he don't make his life valuable to his

our attention was called to experiments which Ireland, greater than heretofore in that country, is extending to Scotland and Wales. It to test the relative effect or power of the elec- has reached the colliers of Staffordshire, and in tricity whilst the aurora was at its height or one place it is estimated that there are five hunrather the most brilliant, he moved a little lever | dred converts. From among their own number brass plate having an ivory knob in its centre, the word with great power. In many of the coal-pits daily prayer meetings and Bible readoff the connection between the several wires; as lings are held. In South Wales, so extraordinary is the revival interest, that all the churches and was considerably burnt, emitting a strong | are held morning and evening. In one town this simple statement, leaving the scientific to some districts, notorious for blasphemy, an oath measure and develop any importance it may is now never heard, and drunkards in thousands that in two counties only, 9,000 persons, within

> ago a fellow hailing from Rockland county, New He struck the water and suck in the mud, and brought him up by the hair. By the aid of a boat book he was dragged ashore. After rolling him on a barrel he was restored to consciousness

An engineer was walking on the leves it St. Louis, one day last week, when a nimble thief snatched his watch, a valuable gold hunter, and ran off at a speed that bid fair to defy pursuit. It so happened, however, that the party robbed had with him a large Newfoundand dog, and instead of troubling himself by running, he spoke a few words confidently to his four-footed companion. Off started the noble animal, and before the their had gone many blocks he was dragged to the earth and secured by his singular captor. The fellow thought fit where a mother, and she the widow of a Gover- to submit to the warrant displayed two full nor, has been followed to the grave by two sons, rows of formidable teeth-and made no resistance to the majesty of the law.

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Member, his bady and Children under 12 years of age, to the Fair, provided they all enter the enclosure at the rame me. II. Exhibitors must become Members of the Society, and have their Articles and Animais entered on the series Books on or before Tuesday Morning, and all ha male must be brought within the enclosure at early s noon of said day. Premiums will only be awaried t those who comply with the links of the Society.

111. Persons are desired to forward to the Secretary a list of articles that they intend to exhibit, previous to the 28th of September, in order that proper arrangements my a made for their accommodation.

1V. Articles of Animals removed from the grounds pre-

ious to the close of the Fair, (without permission from the President) cannot receive a Fremium, though awarded V. All articles must be labeled with the owner's name and their mumber as outcred on the books, and will take precodence according to said number, in their arrangements and accommodation. Cards for such purpose will THE PLOWING MATCH.

Will take place on FRIDAY, at 9 o'clock, and all Tams must be hitched and ready to start at the appointed time. Each Plowman is required to drive his own team. DB. The Managers solicit the exertion of all our far or's Mochanics, and Citizens generally, to make the kr same by sending his P. O. address to the Sec'y or calling upon him at the office of the Society

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TO LAIR COUNTY MARBLE YARD -Messrs. Freeman & Hoover respectfully infermible Public that they have established a NEW MARKLE TARD, on the corner of Allegheny and Front Streets, in Helish burg, where they will keep constantly on hand a full as

CHOICE MARBLE. and be prepared to execute orders for Tomb Stones, Monuments, Table Topic de., in a prompt and workmanlike manner. Holliday-burg, April 14, "59-6m."

TOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—
The subscriber offers at Private Sale the HOUSE and LOT now occupied by her, on the corner of Adaline and Julia streets.

East Altoona. The House is a good Two Story Frame Building, containing sellal.

Parlor, Dining-Room and Eitchen on the second feet, first flour, four, good sleaping, report on the second feet. first floor, four good sleeping rooms on the second floor, a finished Artic. The lot is in good order. imformation will call upon the subscribe Altoona, Aug. 11th, 1859-tf.

R. BOYERS. • ATTORNET & COUNSELLOR AT LAW. ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA. Will practice in the several Courts of Blair, Cambria

Particular attention given to the collection of Claims and prompt remittances made.

He speaks the German language fluently.

Source:

Office, for the present, with J. M. Cherry, Seq. opporte Reseler's Drug Store.

Altoona, August 4 1859.—tf

DSTRAY.—CAME TO THE RESI DENCE of the subscriber, in Logan township, on or about the 4th of July last, a RED AND WHITE HEIFFER. supposed to be three years old, with the left ear cropped and a broad white stripe down the face. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take his away, otherwise she will be disposed of according to law JON ATHAN HAMILTON. Logan Township, Sept. 8, 1859-St.

LTOONA NURSERY.—The Subfor transplanting this Fall, consisting of Apples, Peach, Plum. Prunc. Gage and Apriot Trees, grafted in the root. All trees warranted.

Altoona. July 14, '59-3m R. B. TAYLOS. DERSONS wishing to change the

business to a rapidly increasing Country, a New Settlement where hundreds are going. Where the climate in mild and delinated ton Settlement, in another column.

ANTED.—A PERSON OF EN-ERGY and good character, as agent for an ethal-lished Fire and Life Insurance Company. Address Box 482, Phil's Post Office.

I RAPE growers can carry on their busi-frosts. Some firty Vihyards set out the past season.

A. C. C.