Bloomsburg Democrat.

BLOOMSBURG, PA. PRIDAY MORNING, MAY 28, 1869.

THE COLUMBIAN has the Largest Circulation of any paper published in Northern Pennsylvania, and is also a much larger sheet than any of its cotemporaries; and is therefore the hest medium for advertising in this section of the State

Trouble at Headquarters. THOSE noble and disinterested mer who serve their country as Senators and Representatives are becoming highly disgusted with the powers that be, Senator Ross after a cheerful interview with the Chief Magistrate, requests him to depart to a locality where overcoats are superfluous. Mr. Snanks after calling seven times without seeing the Secretary of State remarks that the fish-y old establishment can be conducted hereafter without his valuable assistance and last of all comes Sumner also, who having been requested to wait fifteen minutes to see Mr. Grant not only refuses to do so but declares that he would not waste so much valuable time for the Queen of England, the Grand Khan of Tartary or any other equally proud and haughty despot. He furthermore gives it as his unblassed opinion that the White House is nothing more nor less than "a mere military headquatters." This is indeed and, for how can we look for the success of an administration unaided by the mighty minds of a Ross, a Shanks (sweet name and a Sumner? Don't do so Mr. Pres bloot, at least have Sumper admitted to instant audience that we may not be left desolate and without a "foreign policy." Consider your own comfort as well, for should Sumner turn in wrath against you, he might deliver a speech which-you might be compelled to

THE State Guard in an editorial fulsomely eulogistic of the President, says He has not been addicted to foolish ways; accepts no personal flatteries; and uses his powers like a man who feels that he is sworn to do his duty. Officially, Grant is prompt and impar-

Now It may be that Mr. Grant's first attempts to form a Cabinet from such dissimilar materials as he employed, and his appointment of a high tariff advocate to fill the place of a free-trader. and a Conservative that of the blackest of Radicals, are not "foolish ways" but they look a little like it to the ordinary human intelligence. He may not accept "personal flatteries," but if so who gets all the presents left at the White House? If he uses his power as the Guard states he must have sworn very strongly in favor of friends and relations, and i "officially" he "is prompt and impartial," those who subscribed liberally must have presented their claims for office at an early day. In short, if the statement of the Guard is correct, Mr. Grant possesses a happy faculty for doing exactly as he does not seem to do.

MR. GRANT said in his inaugural shall on all subjects have a policy to recommend." Here is "a policy" out of his assortment. Major Moore, ex-Assistant Adjutant General of Sheriturn informed Major Moore that there untary and upon his own responsibility "shall be no election held in Texas before November." "Tis not so good a views were afterwards fully sustained by the military authorities at Harrisserve."

THE United States will soon be finely represented abroad. To the court of to the Deputy Provost Marshal in the France, goes the elegant and accomplished Washburne, who knows almost as much of French as he does of English and as much of diplomacy as either, whilst the proud old Court of Spain is to be blessed with that magnificent genius Daniel E. Sickles, whose "little onpleasantness" with Philip Barton Key is yet well remembered and whose career as an unscrupulous politician of had odor eminently fits him for the delicate duties of a Foreign Minister.

THERE is one man in England, who assuredly does not like Mr. Charles Sumner, here is what he thinksof him LONDON, May 6.—SIR: I inclose the opinion of one of the leading journals of this country as to your conduct, and have only to add myown, which is, that you are a mischief-making, ill conditioned Yankee scoundrel. Your obedient servant, AN ENGLISHMAN.

It is a noticeable fact that after every speech Mr. Sumner makes, he is sure to receive threatening letters. He publishes them, so we know that he gets them. But who writes them? Sumner?

THAT remarkable Statesman John Creek to the Hemlock election polls W. Geary, has been heard from again. four miles distant, where they gave He has pardoned Hester Vaughan, the their votes. Thus the shamful fraud child murderer, on condition that she should leave the country. She accord- All honor to Josiah H. Furman and to ingly sailed for England some days the men concerned with him in execut-Now we do not believe that ing this act of evident justice! They there is any power conferred upon the preserved the law from violation, secur Governor of this Commonwealth to ed to two of their fellow-citizens their impose banishment for any offence undoubted rights and defied the rage committed or to confer pardon for a and vengeance of power! Their action "valuable consideration." How is this was legal, laudable, bold and timely,

IT is to be hoped that those patriots be held in lasting remembrance. who are so anxious to get the country into another war, will not attempt to dodge the conscription in case of its outbreak. It is to be hoped they will not cry out against the taxes which it will necessarily involve. It is to be hoped | Horn to enable them to vote, Radical they will not deal in shoddy or try to got contracts. It is to be hoped they will understand themselves before they go in, and understand the business into which they are going, so that there may be no trouble with them afterward.

THE Evening Post, in discussing the great advance in gold since March last, says that the "meaning of the advance is simply that the public are beginning to understand the financial situation better than heretofore." Judging from the recent smashes of business firms in New York we should say that some of Block or Biggs' Buildings. This order the public at least, must understand the "financial situation" pretty thoroughly

A. T. STEWART, the Merchant Princy of New York returns a yearly income yards of the jali, on their return, when of over \$5,000,000 or \$60,000 per week. the soldiers met and arrested them.

The Columbia County Invasion. They were all—the whole party—put in VIII

ELECTION ARRESTS. Ones of Holler and Heller : On Saturday Oct. 8, 1861, (three days before the State election,) Daniel Holter a citigen of Hemlock township was arrested by soldiers under the orders of the Depuly Provost Marshal, and was brought by them to Bloomsburg and lodged in the county jail. On Monday following Wm. H. Heller another citizen of Hemtock towaship was arrested by the same authority and was also lodged in the jail. He was promised a hearing or ex-amination of his case on Monday and again for Tuesday morning, but none was given him. In fact both the prismers were committed to prison without any warrant or other written author-

ity, or cause shown, and no hearing or examination of their cases was permitted up to the afternoon of election-day when the events to be presently meationed took place. That they were unlawfully arrested and for the express purpose of depriving them of their votes at the election, is most unques tionable; and it is equally unquestionable that in this nefarious action and purpose the Radical leaders at Bloomsburg were directly and deeply implicated and concerned. The arrests were made in their interest and were applauded by hem, and when an honest officer of the county by judicious, prompt, lawful, and patriotic action defeated the object of the arrests, their rage was excessive and was openly and indecently mani-

Holter and Heller secured their votes in the manner we shall describe, but were hurried off to Harrisburg on election night and held there in confine ment for two days. But when their cases were examined by the military authorities there, they were promptly and honorably discharged and returned to their homes. There being no cause nor even a reasonable pretense for their arrest, they could not be held in custody nor their persecution continued. high-handed, outrageous and shameless proceedings against them came to an inglorious conclusion.

Case of Sheriff Farman and Robert C Fruit:-Holter and Heller (of whom we have just spoken) being in the cus tody of the Sheriff on election day, it was believed that their votes were silenced or prevented and that a certain Radical gain was secured. The fact was the subject of conversation in the town and of evident exultation with the Radical leaders. It was so good a thing to have power on their side; to have an accommodating Deputy Provost Marshal with a guard of soldiers under his er fruits. Leave only one or two berries hand, acting in concert with the troops in the county, to pick up voters and keep them away from the polls! After a time the rights of Holter and Heller as voters came into consideration among their political friends, and the Sheriff consulted Senator Buckalew on the subject. The latter promptly advised him that Holter and Heller had been unlawfully and improperly arrested; that they were not liable at all to be arrest.

The same effect of removing ed by the military authorities of the United States, never having been mus-

this they will seen give out. Of the approved kinds the Philadelphia is the tered into the Federal service nor draftmost prolific and the hardiest, the Anted under United States laws; that there werps the best flavored and prolific too was no law, State or Federal, which rebut tender. The Black-cap (Doolittle) quired or authorized him (the Sheriff) is a humbug, a wild kind, but prolific to receive drafted men or deserters, or those claimed to be such, into the counbearing kinds are here (Bloomsburg) custody for one moment; and that assured Mr. Grant that it is impossible for "the Republican party to gain a victy prison, or to hold them there in for "the Republican party to gain a vic- and might thereafter do in the matter tory in Texas if an election were order- of receiving and holding such men in to the Philadelphia in productiveness of being almost thornless. Gooseberries. (Let us have a derivation of this name.) These are wonderburg and by Gov. Curtin and his Secre fully prolific, and some of our fair friends

of depriving them of their rights as

we can ascertain, was the advice receiv-

ed by Sheriff Furman and he acted up-

on it promptly. A carriage was procured, Mr. Robert C. Fruit (Clerk to the

County Commissioners) volunteered as

an aid to the Sheriff, and the men were

street and the mouth of Little Fishing

intended by their arrest was defeated.

every "loil" breast. The dignity also

of Mr. Deputy Provost Marshal Silver

had been touched at a tender point and

required signal vindication. Therefore

a squad of soldiers of Capt. Silver's

guard was sent in pursuit of the Sheriff

and his companions with orders to ar-

rest them and bring them to the Cap-

tain's Head Quarters in the Exchange

was executed with as much of speed as

possible, but almost too late to take the

arrested parties flagrants delicto. For the Sheriff and his assistant with Holter

and Heller in charge were within 500

tary and Attorney General. The Sheriff know how to prepare a delicious pre was further advised that his relations serve of them. No use to try those matter, (putting the legal question make them do well! The Houston, if side,) were simply those of comity; not the best, is one of the very best. that having received the men to accom-Grapes are subject to mildew, or rath modate the Dep. Prov. Marshal and er to mildews in various forms. The holding them for that reason alone most efficient cultivators prevent this good faith could only require that he should not peamit their escape but almost fatal evil with th ree or four applications of flour of sulphur; one beshould deliver them up to the Deputy fore blossoming, one soon after, one Prov. Marshal when called for: In the when the berries are half grown and meantime he could permit them to the last just before they begin to ripen vote in their proper election district Some varieties must be thinned. Mulwithout any violation of faith or of luty. Further, that it was evident that ching promotes mildew. Holter and Heller had been arrested and put in his charge not only without

WE last week published a list of th lawful cause but for the express purpose owners of unpatented lands in this county and amount of taxes due. The following is the official notice with reelectors, and that to this fraudulent and unlawful enterprise he (the Sheriff) would become a party by keeping them County as well. away from the polls. This, as nearly as

SURVEYOR GENERAL'S OFFICE. HARRISBURG, Pa., May 6, 1869. To the Owners of Unpatented Lands:

In obedience to an Act of Assembly, approved the eighth day of April, one thousand eighth hundred and sixty-nine, you are hereby notified that the "County Land Llen Docket," containing the list of unpatented lands for Dauphin county, prepared under the Act of Assembly of the twentieth of May, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and the supplement thereto, has this day been forwarded to the prothonotary of the county, at whose office it may be examined. The liens can only be liquidated by the payment of the purchase money, interest and fees, and receiving patents through this Department. Proceedings by the Attorney General have been stayed for one year from this date, in order that parties may obtain their patents without additional cost.

JACOB M. CAMPBELL. To the Owners of Unpatented Lands: driven from the jail by way of Iron

patents without additional cost.
JACOB M. CAMPBELL,

met the necessities of the ease in exactly the proper manner, and deserves to WHY IS IT?-Many business me advocated Grant's election on the But the Sheriff and his assistant did ground that it would give confidence to not escape punishment for their upright the business community, and strengthconduct. When, in the course of the en trade. When Grant was inauguratafternoon, the fact transpired that they ed gold stood at about 130, and now it had taken Holter and Heller to Buck ranges about 140, an increase of ten per cent. Why is this? Where is the deexcitement and indignation became increase in the cost of living, and the easy tense. To have the fruits of rascality times promised? We confess we don't snatched from their mouths in the very think matters have been improved by hour of sweet enjoyment was intolera-Grant's election. ble, and a desire for vengeance filled

THE "Woman's Rights" movemen s daily progressing. Mrs. Van Cott has seen regularly licensed to preach in the Methodist Episcopal Church and is now holding forth in New York. She is the first woman ever licensed by that denomination. Postmistresses, Editresse and Preacheresses-we've no doubt they'll vote eventually.

In the south-eastern part of Nevada long, six hundred feet high, and of unknown depth; said to be as pure as

The Eight Hour Law. By the President of the United States of America:

strict confinement and held behind

were reserved. That there was no pop-

home and abroad who defa med them.

By unbroken patience and by upright

conduct they proved beyond all dispute that the charge of insurrection by them

or of an insurrectionary spirit among

hem, was a base and utter falsehood,

Sheriff Furman and the others above

named, were arrested about four o'clock

in the afternoon. They were sent in

the evening of the same day, under

guard, to Harrisburg, where they ar-

rived a little after midnight. They

The conclusion of their case will be giv-

Horticultural Items.

STRAWBERRIES should be daily sprin-

See to the currant bushes before the

destroyers have commenced; prevention

pulled out; how thrifty this will make

valuable fruits. Is it not a sin to neg-

lect a horse or a cow? Well then, it is

also a sin to neglect plants. Pull them

The same effect of removing the suck-

them! Currants are some of our most cratic Guard.

en in our next number.

on each petiole (stem.)

fit only for denunciation or contempt.

bayonots and barred doors during the remainder of the day, with imperfect access of friends and with no knowledge A PROCLAMATION. WASHINGTON, May 21 .- Whereas, of the treatment or fate for which they The set of Congress approved June 25. 1868, constituted, on and after that date, ular outbreak upon that occasion; that eight hours a day's work for all laborthe arrested men and their friends and ers, workmen and mechanics employed the people generally submitted to this by or on behalf of the government of open and insolent outrage upon the the United States, and repealed all acts laws—this most flagrant invasion of private right and of the principles of and parts of acts inconsistent therewith; Now, therefore, I, Ulysses S. Grant, iberty-furnished high evidence not President of the United States, do hereonly of their peaceful disposition but of by direct that from and after this date their determination to give no color of no reduction shall be made in the wages justification to the slanders of their paid by the Government by the day to enemies. In fact, during the whole latter half of 1861 while arrests wholly such laborers, workmen and mechanics on account of such reduction of the unjustifiable were being made in varihours of labor. ous parts of our county and circumstan-In testimony whereof I have hereun-

es well calculated to excite indignation o set my hand and caused the seal of and turbulence were continually occurthe United States to be affixed. ring, our people everywhere remained Done at the City of Washington, this peaceful and law-abiding. Under great and continued protection they firmly 19th day of May, in the year of our kept the peace and by their conduct gave the most effectual contradiction

Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-third. possible to those miscreants both at By the President: U. S. GRANT. HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

THE COLUMBIAN is one the best and ablest Democratic papers in this section of the State. In fact it is the only Democratic paper which has met the expectations of the Democracy of Columbia county, and we congratulate friend Brockway upon his abundant success. It is the only Democratic organ at the county seat—no factional paper now being published there—and as a conse-quence the Democratic party in that county are united, harmonious and were then thrust into a room in the

The success of THE COLUMBIAN af third story of a building used by the fords us great pleasure. It is a young Provost Marshal, among negroes, bounpaper, started only a few years ago. THE ty jumpers, deserters and other vile COLUMBIAN started out as the paper of scum of the army. There they were the people, and, though cried down by kept that night and Wednesday and the "ring," as it was called, went for Wednesday night, but by reason of the the interest of the whole party, and the active exertions of their friends on result last fall proved the wisdom of its Thursday they were graciously allowed course—the democratic majority of the county reaching 2,000, and now THE Coquarters in the County Penitentiary. LUMBIAN is, it seems, the only paper published in that county. We congratulate the editor upon his prosperity, and the wonderful success of the party. Let our county profit by the kled from the time they are in blossom glorious example of Columbia county. till they begin to color. The effect is Our majority here can easily be made to sexual and consists in a more uniform reach one thousand, if more liberal diffusion of the pollen from the male views were advocated in certain quarters organs. It greatly increases the crops and the people will themselves make and no labor pays better. But they their own selections of leaders and standneed only sprinkling, the roots need no ard-bearers. This fall let us have watering. The Russel strawberry has greater harmony than ever. Let us go not sufficient constitution to complete to the primary elections, each man voting for his choice, despite the clamorthe ripening process, and why should they not be thinned as well as someothings and misrepresentations of broken down politicians, and when a decision is made abide by it. Not only abide by

STATE SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVEN-TION.—The Annual Convention will be held at Williamsport, Pennsylvania, beginning on Tuesday, June 1st, at ten ers is seen on the raspberries. Without o'clock, A. M.

it, but mark those who do not. Then we

will all-must all-work together for

the success of all our principles .- Demo-

is better than cure. Suckers should be the ticket-for upon its success depends

Arrangements have been made on a iberal scale, to make this the best Sunday-school Convention yet held in Penn-Sunday-school teachers and superin-

tendents, and clergymen interested in the work, are cordially invited to be present, from all parts of the State. Each Sunday-school is requested to send one or more delegates. In order to secure entertainment, de-

legates will please notify the committee and hardiness. The horticultural press at Williamsport, of their intention to day afternoon, shortly after three o'clock has not yet alluded much to the point attend the Convention. Address as a boiler connected with an oil well on that this last berry possesses the merit early as possible, A. UPDEGRAFF, Esq.,

Williamsport, Pa. Ministers and superintendents throughout the State, and newspapers generally, are requested to give publicity to the large English kinds; no doctoring can ed to all Sunday-school workers who can attend this Convention.

The prominent Railroad Companies have agreed to make the customary reroads.

GEORGE A. PELTZ, Pres., ALFRED TAYLOR, Sec'y. Of the Pennsylvania Sabbath-School Association.

GENERAL SLOCUM, in his lecture on "Military Lessons of the War," tells the following story in his reference to the battle of Bull Run:-

The influence of our officers over their men, and the state of our discipline, is best illustrated by an incident which ocgard to the same, which applies to our curred on the field in the heat of the battle. An officer, who has since become very prominent and well known throughout the country, was then in command of a brigade on the right of our line. While ter having started for sea. She had riding over the field, he discovered a soldier concealed in a hole in the ground ish flag. She was intended for Cuban which was of just sufficient dimensions to afford him shelter. The General rode up to him, inquired as to his regiment, and ordered him to join it at once. The man, looking him full in the face, placed his thumb upon his nose, and replied.

> this hole yourself," EXTENSIVE ART-GALLERY.-Next bridged is an extensive art-gallery,cona vast library, giving information on been burned so far. almost every mentionable subject. It indeed has been well remarked that it is the most remarkable compondium of human knowledge in our language. Household Advocate.

FERANSOF LIGHTNING .- During the thunder storm on Sunday afternoon last, the pole in front of Mathias Gressle's Eagle Hotel, 369 Centre street, this borough, was struck by lightning. It then glanced off to the iron rod projecting from the corner of the hotel, and to which the sign is attached, and then penetrated the building, stunning Mrs. Gressle and a young lady, and killing three or four favorite young canary birds, and stunning two of the older ones. Fortunately, no further damage was done. - Poltsville Standard.

WHAT has become of all the 'rebels,' raw-heads and bloody-bones that used to fill the columns of Radical papers there is a mountain of salt, five miles and frighten the Sunday schools of New England? It looks as if the loil were that got from the mines of Cracow in to find hard words to throw at other friendly relations between the two I people.

General News.

BOSTON, May 20.—The first mass rehearsal of the Boston singers in the Peace Jubilee chorus, numbering over three thousand, took place in Music Hall last evening, under the superintendence of Carl Zerrhau, and is pronounced by musical critics an extraordinary success. In numbers it was the largest chorus ever assembled in this country.

HAUTFORD, Conn., May 20.-A remarkably large and brilliant meteor was observed at 11:10 o'clock to-night. It seemed to grow rapidly from about the size of a star to a large ball of fire, which shot across the heavens from south southwest to east northeast, about forty-five degrees above the horizon, leaving a very large and brilliant trail. It shed a paleish-blue light, much more brilliant than moonlight, casting shadows in the streets and attracting the attention of persons indoors. PAPER MILL BURNED IN NORRISTOWN.

NORRISTOWN, May 20 .- The paper mill of Markley, Smith & Co., at this place, was totally destroyed by fire Tuesday night. The mill has been but lately fitted up with all the new and improved paper machinery. The origin of the fire is, at present, unknown, but is supposed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion. The loss, as pear as can be estimated at this time. will be about \$80,000, only half covered by insurance.

NASHVILLE, May 21.—The Republican State Convention met this morning. There was a split on the election of temporary Chairman, and a motion was made to adjourn sine die, which was carried.

NEW YORK, May 21,-The General Assemblies of the Old and New School Presbyterians met yesterday, and it is highly probable that a reunion of the two branches will be effected. A committee of Conference from each body was appointed for furthering this object. SCRANTON, May 22 .- The miners have held a formal meeting, and voted-for suspension 369, and against it 408. There will consequently be no suspension.

NEW YORK, May 23 .- We again have to chronicle two horrid murders, one in the city, where a German named Kobel, made a frightful attack upon his family smashing his wife's skull and killing one child, a girl, and then shot himself twice, in the breast. At last accounts both he and his wife were alive. The other was in Westchester county.

It seems that Cowan and McDonnell, proprietors of the Rossendale Hotel, Morrissiana, quarrelled, when Mc-Donnell struck his partner on the head with a club, killing him instantly. McDonnell surrendered himself to th

THE MINERS' STRIKE RESUMED. SCRANTON, May 24 .- This morning an anonymous notice threatening death to any miner who descended the shaft to work was found posted up at the Oxford mine. A wild and most unreasonable panic rapidly spread among the miners. In all but four mines the men refused to work. Everybody has been taken by surprise by this change of front and nothing can be predicted as to the ultimate result. MAY 24th .- A Helena, Montana, dis-

patch reports a desperate seven-hours' fight between the men of the settlement of Muscle Shell and about two hundred Santee Sloux, who made an attack on the settlement, and the final repulse of the attacking party, with thirty killed, including a "renegade half-breed," and thirty scalped. BOILER EXPLOSION.

TITUSVILLE, Pa., May 24 .- Yesterthe farm of J. W. Humphrey, about three miles from this city, exploded with terrific force. The engineer, whose name is yet unknown, was instantly killed, and the fireman injured in such a manner as to render his recovery fact that a cordial invitation is extend- doubtful. Fragments of the boiler were thrown a distance of one hundred yards The cause of the explosion is unknown

NEW YORK, May 25 .- A frightful explosion took place yesterday at the duction to delegates who pass over their oil works of Weeks & Co., Bulls' Head which resulted in the destruction of property to the value of \$150,000 and the wounding more or less of some 20 men.

PHILADELPHIA, May 25 .- The First Division of Pennsylvania Militia were reviewed yesterday by Gov. Geary, the Mayor and Members of Common and Select Councils. It is estimated that twenty-five hundred men uniformed and equipped were in the line of parade.

CUBAN SYMPATHY It is reported that the steamer Qua ker City, which has been fitting out be low this city for several weeks unde suspicious circumstances, was seized af changed her name and hoisted a Britservice.

NEW YORK, May 25.

EXTENSIVE FIRE. The extensive refinery of Devoe Pratt located at Hunter's Point, Long Island, was destroyed by fire this morn "No you don't, old fellow, you want ing. The flames extended to the establishment of John Provost, oil mer chant, which together with its contents. was consumed. Several adjoining build to the Bible, no book is more useful ings were burned down. A brig lying than Webster's Dictionary. The Una- at the dock also took fire and was burned to the water's edge. The total loss taining over three thousand engravings | will not fall short of one million dollars representing almost every animal, in- The fire at Hunter's Point is still ragsect, reptile, implement, plant, etc., ing. Over four acres are now burning. which we know anything about. It is Eight propellers and other vessels have

Washington News

WASHINGTON, May 20,-The Secre tary of the Treasury has directed the Assistant Treasurer at New York to sell gold hereafter, until otherwise ordered. to the extent of \$2,000,000 weekly, instead of \$1,000,000, as heretofore, on account of the surplus gold still accumulating in the Treasury. PUBLIC DEET STATEMENT.

May 23.—The monthly statement of the public debt for May will show a de crease of \$7,000,000. MOTLEY'S INSTRUCTIONS.

THE most that can be reliably ascer tained of the instructions to Minister Motley is that they are more of a general than a specific character, and do not contemplate any speedy action on his part with regard to the Alabama claims. copperheads, 'ku-kluxes,' and other In view of the present sentiment in England upon the subejet, if for no other reason, Mr. Motley will inform her Majesty's government of the desire of our own to adjust all pending questions too much engaged in domestic quarrels on a basis that will strengthen the

A Reminiscence of the Rebel-

THE Wheeling (Va.) Register, publishes an interesting and curious anecdote concerning the Hampton Roads Conference between President Lincoln and Mr. Seward on the part of the United States, and Messrs. Hunter, Stephens and Campbell on the part of the Southern Confederacy, for the cessation of hostilities and the conclusion of peace. A little previous to this meeting, it will be remembered, Mr. F. P. Blair, Sr., made a mysterious visit to Richmond -the object and result of which are disclosed in the paragraph to which we refer,-the essential part of which is the

following:

following:

"While in Marion, Smyth County, a
few days ago, I had the pleasure of
several lengthy chats with Hon.Fayette
M'Mullin. He says that since the war, he
was one day in the President's house in
Washington, conversing with Hon. F.
Blair, Sr. Mr. Blair told him that soon
after M'Mullin's 'peace resolution' had
been introduced into the Confederate
Congress, Mr. Lincoln, being extremely
anxious to bring about a peace, honorable alike to both sections of the country, and foreseeing, and wishing to avoid, able alike to both sections of the country, and foreseeing, and vishing to avoid, the political consequences of the military subjugation of the South, sent him (Mr. Blair) to Richmond to confer with Mr. Davis and learn what arrangement of the difficulties could be made. He was passed through the lines of the contending armies and conducted to Mr. Davis' house in Richmond. After a long conversation with Mr. Davis and other prominent gentlemen for whom Mr. prominent gentlemen for whom Mr. Davis sent, and for whom Mr. Blair inquired, Mr. Davis said that he had no proposition to make. Mr. Blair then proposed that General Lee's army be marched into Mexico against the French; that General Grant would follow and that General Grant would follow and support the movement; that the united armies would drive out Maximilian; and then the Southern States should name their own terms of reconstruction, everything short of independence being guaranteed. At Mr. Davis' request this guaranteed. At Mr. Davis' request this proposition was made in writing, and, after some consultation and reflection, was signed and accepted by him. Mr. Blair returned to Washington and Mr. Lincoln was highly delighted with the success of the negotiation. It was in the hope of consummating this arrangement that Mr. Lincoln and Mr. Seward met the 'Peace Commissioners.' Hops. met the 'Peace Commissioners.' Hons Stephens, Hunter and Campbell, at Fortress Monroe; but there, to Mr. Lincoin's chagrin, the Committee de-clared that they had been instructed by Mr. Davis to insist upon the indepen-dence of the South, and would listen to no other proposal. And thus the whole affair came to a most lame and impo-

THE Princess de-la Tour D'Auvergne has purchased the Mount of Olives, and has presented it to the French Govern-

tent conclusion.

POLITICAL.

Democratic State Convention.

The Democratic State Convention for the nor nation of candidates for the office of Governo and Judge of the Supreme Court, will meet at 10 o'clock A. M., on WEDNESDAY, July 14th, 1869, in the Hall of the House of Representatives, at Harrisburg. By order of the Democratic State WM, A. WALLACE, Chairman, DAVID CALDWELL, Secretary. Candidates for Nomination.

r nomination to the several County Offices to be filled by election the present year, and their names will be presented for the consideration of the Democratic County Convention: ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

PROTHONOTARY,

J. R. JAMESON,

MAIN TOWNSHIP.

WELLINGTON H. ENT.

JESSE COLEMAN, REGISTER AND RECORDER.

B. FRANK ZARR, BEAVER TOWNSHIP.

WILLIAMSON II, JACOBY, BLOOM TOWNSHIP,

JOHN SNYDER,

OHANGE TOWNSHIP. D. B. HAMPTON,

MADISON TOWNSHIP.

TREASURER. DAVID LOWENBERG,

ILOOM TOWNSHIP, W. B. KOONS, DLOOM TOWNSHIP,

J. S. SANDERS, BERWICK BOROUGH.

COMMISSIONER, CYRUS ROBBINS,

PISHINGCREEK TOWNSHIP,

H. P. WHITEMAN, GHEENWOOD TOWNSHIP

GREAT REMEDY. THEOAT AND LUNG DISEASES. Dr. Wishart's Pine Tree Tar Cordial. It is the vital principle of the Pine Tree, ob ained by a peculiar processin the distilliation of the tar, by which its bighest medical propertie

Special Notice.

tre retained.

It is the only safeguard and reliable remedy which has over been prepared from the juice of he Fine Tree.

It invigorates the digestive organs and restores he appette.

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