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WASHINGTON LETTER.

Washington, May 13, 1889 Harrison's religious following will probably be greatly shocked to learn that the truly good and pious Benja-min has been judulging in a sinful Sun day excursion. But such is the fact. Pious Benny left Washington Saturday morning on board of the Government vessel Despatch and the sailing masters orders were to keep going night and day until the return to Washington tonight. And to make matters worse he has led off with him such innocents as Secretary Windom, who has not yet recovered from the effects of his own indulgence at the late New York celebration, Secretary Rosk, who by the way, needs salt air very much since he was "fresh" enough to think that wielding a scythe for five minutes in the presence of newspaper corres-pondents was sufficient to popularize him with the Agriculturists and working people of the country, and lastly but by no means least, Joe Hawley, who although born in the state of North Carolina, can and does constantstate which he represents in the United States Senate—Connecticut—points in all manner of things. Mrs. Harrison was along, but so also were the two McKee children, who probably fully occupied her time leaving the four—mark the number—pions gentlemen to

are likely to tell any tales. Chief Justice Fuller finding the residence in the suburbs which he now occupies under lease to be too far from the capitol for him to walk to and from when he was again seized by the cata-the Supreme Cour room in the Capitol, leptic fit, from which he never recoverhas purchased one of the most desirable private houses in this city, located in its centre. The price paid was

Mr. Palmer the new Public Printer took charge of the Government printing office this morning. Mr. Benedict, the realring Public Printer has not he has nevertheless been one of the very best Public Printers we have had. There has been less waste ard more work turned out for the amount paid than was ever before known in the history of the office.

At last the colored man and brother has captured a Presidential appointment. The lucky man was Rev. J. M. Townsend of Richmond, Indiana, and

months. Nearly four-fifths of the

The appointment of Ex-Governor in spite of the repeal of the general Thompson of South Carolina as the Fence law. democratic and Mr. Theodore Roosevelt of New York, and the second re-One of the first things that the Commissioner intends to do is to contest the recent decision of the Interior decivil-service examinations.

Mr. Wanamaker is opposed to one railroad company.—Press. cent postage. He seems to have al-ready become a victim to the fever that Postmaster Generals always get soon after their appointments and sel-dom ever get rid of. That is the absurd desire to make the Post office department self sustaining.

It's dollars to ginger cakes that some New Hampshire paper will get in its work early in the administration, on the New Public Printer. My reason for thinking so is that little "Billy" Chandeller helped Palmer fix up his bond and also went on it himself. Now 49 persons at the Brandon M. Chandeller never does anything for nothing, and his long experience in monufacturing Government contracts in which he has been silently interested were unfounded and baseless. The causes me to believe that in this case he will stick to the same line of tactics that have made him a rich man.

The next Congress will have sixteen contested election cases to determine, thirteen of them from the south. The papers in several cases are now at the Government printing office being put

#### The Mind Reader Dead-

Washington Irving Bishop, who became famous in this country and in Europe by his extraordinary, and to many people inexplicable, mind-reading performances, died at noon Monday at the Lambs Club, No. 34 West Twenty-sixth street N. Y. The circumof thought-reading which caused the known as "the Sayre suspension appearates."

York from Philadelphia to sign a contract with his manager, Mr. Ritchie, and was stopping at the Hoffman House. On Sunday night the members of the Lambs Club gave one of their suppers and entertainments. Mr. Bisher control to their supper

The Columbian.

Dr. A. Irwine, of No. 14 West Twentyninth street, who is a member of the
club, happened to come in and he took
the patient in charge. His prompt use
of stimulants soon brought Mr. Bishop
around when, to the amazement of all
who were in the room, he announced
who were in the room was particularly and walked steedily out of the course his intention of performing the feat

his intention of performing the feat previously undertaken.

Dr. Irwine protested against the attempt and all the gentlemen endeavored to dissuade him, to no purpose, however, for even the physician's allusion to the danger of another attack, failed to shake Bishop. "Why" said he, "I am not affraid of these fits, for I've had over a dozen of them, and I'm alive vet. But I intend to do the feat

afterwards secreting the book in a dis used drawer among some discarded

On returning to the room where Bishop was sitting Dr. Irwine again endeavored to dissuade him from proceeding in what he gravely informed him was a very dangerous experiment. But Bishop for the second time re-marked han he would accomplish the feat even if it killed him, and insisted that he be immediately blindfolded. When the handkerchief had been tied over his eyes he was led downstairs, his right hand being clasped on Mr. Greene's wrist. In due time he discovered the room, then the drawer and the book, and on the leaves of the lat-

occupied her time leaving the four—mark the number—pious gentlemen to indulge in their favorite game to as great an extent as they may wish. What was done will probably never be known as neither of the four concerned are likely to tell any tales.

He had no sooner entered the room where the members were assembled than he pulled a bandage from his eyes and exclaimed. "Quick! quick, give me a bit of paper!" and on receiving it he dashed off "Dnesnwot," that have also at more weight upstairs. being the selected word written back-ward, so that it could be read in a mirror. He had performed the feat but scarcely had be written the word

#### The Ferce Law.

Probably no other act passed at the ecent session of the Legislature is so important to the farmers of the state the retiring Public Printer has not been a popular official, no man can be, in that office, who properly looks out for the interest of the Government, but juries done to them to stray cattle, sheep or hogs in driving them fron their premises, provided the premises were not protected by a high and close fence as prescribed by law. Now there is no need of the fence, the owner of the land is not responsible for injuries done to trespassing cattle in driving them off his grounds. Whether he can obtain damages for the mishief done by the trespassing cattle is not so clear.

Land office not a big office by any means, but just now the race is extremely thankful for any thing it can get.

Corporal Tanner is getting to imagine himself the "biggest" man connected with the administration. Some of his personal friends have already begua to talk of him as a Presidential candidate. If less than two months at the head of the pension bureau has had this much effect, what may be expected of the Legislature was to abolish the necessity for fences it would have accomplished this object would have accomplished th this much effect, what may be expected Fence law has no effect upon the railin four years?

The \$190,000,000 in the United States treasury has all gos to be counted in order that Mr. Hyatt the retiring Treasurer may take the receipt of the new Treasurer, Mr. Huston, for the same. The count began to-day and is expected to last something like three counties, railroads are required to erect fences and cattle guards or pay for road companies in the state at large, fences and cattle guards or pay for money consists of standard silver dol- cattle injured for want of them. These special laws remain operative

As the law now stands it appears that everyone in the rural districts may publican member of the Civil Service suffer his cattle, sheep and horses to commission, makes the board complete for the first time in several months.

One of the first things that the Comthat some irate neighbor who finds them tramping down his wheat may injure them, and in a few counties, it the stray cattle derail a locomotive and partment that appointments in the the stray cattle derail a locomotive and Census bureaus would be made without are crushed in the act, their owner may recover their full value from the

#### Sugarloaf.

Fishing season is in its brightest days. Mr. Gardner of Bloomsburg, tried his skill as a fisherman on Tuesday 14th inst, and succeeded in capturing several fine trout.

Mr. Jno. Klinger, who fell and in-jured himself on Saturday 11th, is convalesing slowly.

Mr. Kaufman of Lancaster, a probibition lecturer, addressed a meeting of thinness of the audience was somewhat of a surprise to many, for it was gen-erally conceded that more voters were in favor of prohibition. The meeting a few very bold and rigid exclamations. One most remarkable was that whose ever cast their vote on the 18th day of June for license, was an accomplice in crime and would have to suffer pun-

#### Died For Scienc's Sake-

Dr. Frank R. Vincent of Clifton stances attending his death were as singular as, and in perfect keeping with, his remarkable career, for it was the effort to perform a wonderful feat been experimenting with an instrument

It consists of a worden tripod about Friday last Mr. Bishop came to New eight feet high, from which is suspen-

their suppers and entertainments. Mr. Bishop seemed to be in excellent spirits and apparently enjoyed the affair very much. When Mr. Clay Greene, the Secretary of the club, called upon him to contribute to the amusement of the evening Bishop readily consented, and performed his famous dagger trick. The hearty applause that greeted this performance led him to announce another and more difficult one, that of finding a word in a book which was to be previously selected by one of the gentlemen present. The mental effort attending this performance proved too great, for he suddenly fell to the floor ranged his linen for the day swith minute care. Then he went to the incident causing considerable confusion among the festive party. Just then

cheerful and happy. He wrapped his room with the officers on his way back bath robe about him, and ran lightly up one flight of stairs to his office, where he had been using the Sayre instrument on one or two patients.

From this point it is all surmise. It is supposed that the doctor adjusted the belt under or around his chin, where it was loosely buckled. Then riving at 2:55 s. m., going east, will leave where it was loosely buckled. Then alive yet. But I intend to do the feat even if it kills me, just to show all that I can do it."

Dr. Irwine and Mr. Greene then decended to the basement, and among a lot of old account books picked out the minute book of the club and on page 87 selected the word "Townsend," afterwards secreting the book in a discount books in a discount books in a discount book in a discount book of the club and on page 87 selected the word "Townsend," afterwards secreting the book in a discount book in a discount book in a discount book in a discount book of the club and on page 87 selected the word "Townsend," tended to render him insensible by habitary to affect the manufacture of the machine beyond his reach, while are the page at 3:25 a. m., going east, will leave Sunbury at 1:50 a. m., arriving at 1:50 a. m., arriving at 3:22, and at Philadelphia at 6:50 a. m. with connection from the north form the morth form the helping to suffocate him. Everything in the arrangement of the machine in-dicated that this must have been the

cause of his death. He leaves a wife and two sons. was regarded as a very able physician and skillful surgeon, and was very popular among his acquaintances. He was thirty-seven years of age. The remains will be taken to Lewisburg,

Great progress is being made in dentistry for animals. Barnum's hippopotamus lately sat and had a bad ooth extracted without a growl, and the same operation is now practiced on lions and tigers. When the wild beasts are all provided with false teeth we propose to interview a few of them in their cages.

The counting of \$178,394,763.45 in fair and complexion rosy.— Young eash in the vanits of the Sub-Treasury Ladies' Magazine.

4-10 2t was completed Saturday last and the amount found to be correct. Assistant Pressurer Ellis can now give his receipt and shoulder the responsibility of taking care of the money. But in giving this receipt Mr. Ellis destroys the independence of his Utica newspaper and joins the army of elitors with padlecked months.

With Wanamaker collecting money help the Prohibition cause in Pennylvania and Quay raising boodle to help defeat the proposed amendment in that state, the republican party maintains its balance on this question in true rope-walker style. With the prons John to look after what the Tribune once called "Sanday school politics," and the wicked Matthew to keep the "rum power" satisfied, the party of high old moral ideas expecta to steer clear of the temperance rocks.

Secret Service officers have been notified to keep a sharp lookout for a bogus five dollar bill which is at present being extensively circulated in and around Pittsburg. It is excellent im-

During the storm last Saturday fternoon in Berks County sixty barns, farm-houses and dwellings were up-

During the storm last Sturdays afternoon in Berks County sixty barra, for the storm of the property blown down by the pstorm, entailing a loss of storm, entailing a loss of storm of s

them to expel the poison or waste matter from the system.

Sentenced to Suffer Death by Electricity. Buffal , N. Y. May 14 .- Wm. Kemmler, for the murder of his paramour Mrs. Tillie Ziegler, on March 29 last, was this morning sentenced to die by

electricity.

This was the first sentence under the ew law since its enactment and that fact drew a large crowd of curious people and members of the bar to Judge Childs' court this morning.

Kemmler was brought in and asked what he had to say.

He looked fixedly at the Judge with

he might have.

After his bath he was particularly and walked steadily out of the court

Change of Time Table on sylvania Railroad.

riving at 2:55 a. m., going east, will leave

bound trains will remain as at present on the time table. No. 11, west bound, Niagara Express,

vill leave Philadelphia at 8:50 a. m., arrive

at Harrisburg at 12:05 p. m. : leave Harris-

burg at 12:15 p. m., arrive at Sunbury at 1:43, where it will pass Day Express. The management have decided to put or was thirty-seven years of age. The remains will be taken to Lewisburg, Pa., for interment.

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Joseph Cook's estimaton is that, at the present increase, in 1910 the population of the United States will number 100,000,000, that in the year 2000 there will be 400,000,000.

The management have decided to put on a train to connect with Harrisburg at 8:50, leaving there at 9 and arriving at Sunbury at 10:43.

An additional train will be placed on the Shamokin division. It will leave Shamo in at 1 p m., arriving in time to connect with Day Express and Niagara, returning leave Sunbury at 2 p. m., except Sunday.

Train No. 8 on Sunbury division will arrive at Sunbury from Wilkesbarre at 4:30 p. m., instead of 12:20 p. m.

> tor young ladies who are troubled with freckles pimples, moth and tan and a bad skin generally to use liquid paints or dry powders, for they only make the skin look well for the time being. To have a good complexion you must have pure blood. Use Sulphur Bitteas and your skin will be

# Take Sarsaparilla

The Chief Henson for the great suc-cess of Hood's Sarsaparilla is found in the article itself. It is merit that wins, and the fact that Hood's Sarsaparilla actually ac-complishes what is claimed for it, is what has given to this medicine a popularity and sale greater than that of any other sarsapa-Merit Wins fier before the public Hood's Sarsaparilla cures Serofula, Salt Rheum and all Humors, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Billousness, overcomes That Tired Feeling, creates an Appetite, strength-ens the Nerves, builds up the Whole System. Hood's Sarvaparilla is sold by all drug-gists. \$1; six for \$5. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

#### NEW YORK MARKETS.

Peter Christensen, Sherwood, Wis.

"Ayor's Fills have been in use in my family upwards of twenty years and have completely verified all that is claimed for them. In attacks of piles, from which I suffered many years, they afford greater relief than any other medicine I ever tried."—T. F. Adams, Holly Springs, Texas.

"I have used Ayer's Fills for a number of years, and have never found anything equal to them for giving me an appetite and imparting energy and strength to the system. I always keep them in the house."—R. D. Jackson, Wimington, Dei.

"Two boxes of Ayer's Fills cured me

Two boxes of Ayer's Pills cured me Headache, from which I was long a sufferer." Emma Keyes, Hubbardston, Mass.

"Whenever I am troubled with con-stipation, or surfer from loss of appetite, Ayer's Pills set me right again." — A. J. Kiser, Jr., Rock House, Va. "Ayer's Pills are in general demand among our customers. Our sales of them exceed those of all other pills com-bined. We have never known them fail to give entire satisfaction."— Wright & Hannelly, San Diego, Texas.

### Important to Railroad Men.

A. E. Smith has been for forty-nine years road master on the Boston and Maine system, and is now residing at Great Falls, N. H. He says track-men, brakemen, firemen, engineers and conducnow residing at Great Palls, N. H. He says trackmea, brakemen, firemen, engineers and conductors, as well as baggage masters and expressmen,
are subject to kidney disease above all others.
All, therefore, will be interested in the statement
of his experience. "I have used Brown's Sarsaparilla for kidney and liver troubles, and can truly
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A. E. SMITH,

Road Master H. & M. H. R."

The kidneys have been labored hard all winter as the pores of the skin have been closed, but now the springtime has come, and they need, ome aid. Maybe you have that pain across the patns. If so, you can get immediate relief by fol-lowing the example of Mr. Smith and his wife, land use that never falling and grand corrector for the kidneys, liver and blood,

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#### ORDINANCE NO. 44.

An Ordinance, to permit The Bloomsburg Beit Rallroad Company to occupy a portion of Sev-enth street for railroad purposes. Wilseas, Th. Bloomsburg Beit Railroad Com-pany, as appears by Letters Patent, exhibited, bearing date the twenty-eighth day of January, 1889 became an incorporated company, under articles of Association declaring that; "The road of the company is to be constructed within the articles of Association declaring that: "The road of the company is to be constructed within the corporate limits of the Town of Bioomsburg, from a peint near the intersection of the Bioomsburg and Sulliva. As Iroad Company's tracks, with the tracks of the Delaware Lackawanna and Western Hailroad Company, castwardly to and upon sever the street to East street, thence by the nost eligible route to and about the surnace of William Neal & Sons, and westwardly therefrom to the canal wharves late of the Bioomsburg Iron Company, and to the place of beginning, and to be of a length of two miles"; and Wilkiams, The said. The Bioomsburg Beit Hailroad Company, has requested permission to locate construct, establish and use a railroad in persuance of the charter of the said company, upon Seventh street; and also a large number of property owners on said Seventh street have requested in behalf of the said Company, the same permission therefore:

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the

To the Town Council of the Town of Bloomsburg,
GENTINE:—At a meeting of the Board of Direction of the Bloomsburg Bott Railroad Company
held 7th May 1889, the provisions of ordinance No.
44 were accepted and approved.
Certified from the misutes.

EXECUTORS' SALE

#### OF A Handsome Town Residence

The executors of Mary N. Harman late of Bloomsburg, deceased, will offer at public sale on FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1889. at 9 o'clock a. m. a lot on Market street, adjoining William Near's, whereon is erected a large two and half story

## with stable, ice house, and all necessary out

with stable, ice house, and an incomplying the providences in the most desirable residences in the most desirable residences in the substances. However, and connected with sewer. Liberal terms can be made with the purchaser.

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H. D. WELSE,
Executors.

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W. H. BROOKE & CO. The fine weather in April has brought up the carpets, and

house cleaning has begun in Right at this point let us say, that the walls and ceilings of the cleaned room will need papering. we are well fixed to show a fine line of plain and ornamental ceiling decorations as you might

wish to see. Last week and this week have been red letter days for wall

paper and window curtains. We have a window full of dado curtains, and more patterns inside which we can't show. We trin: square and hem curtains any length; you select the shades we make the curtains and hang them without extra charge.

W. H. BROOKE & Co. A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Columbia county, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of James Dildine, late of the township of Madison, county of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Vesley litidine of Jerseytown, Columbia county Pa, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to Apr. 12

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of "Manor Rest Inn Company of Jameson City, Pa.," will be held at the office of the Sec etary in Bloomsburg, Pa., on Monday July 6, 1889, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of voting on a proposition to increase the indebtedness of said corporation by placing a mortgage upon its.property at Jameson City,

GEO, E. El.WELL,

Secretary.



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A MENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION A proposed to the citizens of this Commonwealth by the Reneral assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, for their approval or rejection at a special election to be held June 18, 1889. Published by order of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, in pursuance of Article XVIII of the Constitution. weath, in personance stitution.

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of this Common weath:

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonweath of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met. That the following amendment is proposed to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the Eighteenth Article thereof.

AMENDMENT. There shall be an additional article to said Con-stitution to be designated as Article XIX, as fol-lows: AMENDMENT.

The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor, to be used as a beverage, is hereby prohibited, and any violation of this prohibition shall be a misdemeanor, punishable as shall be provided by law.

The manufacture, sale or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor for other purposes than as a beverage may be allowed in such manuer only as may be prescribed by law. The General Assembly shall, at the first session succeeding the adoption of this article of the Constitution, enact laws with adequate penalties for its enforcement.

A true copy of the Joint Resolution.

CHARLES W. STONE, Secretary of the Commonwealth. ARTICLE XIX.



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