## THE FREEMAN

EBENSBURG, PA., TRUBEDAY, : : : MAXCH 4, 1869.

portions of the State as the recipients of his

favore, and to one he loans twenty-five thou-

to another a hundred thousand, and so on,

until he may have out on loans in this way

half a million of dellars. This money, for

the use of which he receives a large per cent-

sury at the end of a specified time. If the

officer understands his business, and he gen-

what length of time the Treasury will be in

sense and common honesty. It is simply an

of interest paid into the State Treasury. A

We have heretofore refrained from saying

tion of the county. We have only one re-

mark to make in reference to it, and that is,

that both the public and private interests of

the County of Cambria demand the Removal

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going there, the people go away from all busi

ness; in coming away from there they return

County, simply to transact that business at

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tained in this precious document :

Andrew Johnson could never be a republaw of this kind would simplify the matter

## ANDREW JOHNSON.

To-day Andrew Johnson lays saids the cares and troubles of the Presidential office | age or discount, is to be returned to the Treaand once more becomes a private citizen .-His administration has been a turbulent one. and no Precident since the days of General erally does, he can readily tell when and for Jackson has encountered as firm and vindictive an opposition as has been visited on his a condition to thus justify him in loaning the devoted head. Hominated by the Baltimore public funds without incurring the risk of a Convention, not because he was a republican, deficiency when claims may be presented for but for the purpose of conciliating the war payment. In this way both the Treasurer element in the democratic ranks, he walks and the banks make what is called a nice forth from the White House with the male- thing out of the operation. The Treasurer dictions upon his head of the party that ele- receives a per centage from the banks for the vated him to power. For attempting to carry use of the State funds, and the banks also out the humane policy bequeathed to him by charge a heavy discount to their customers President Lincoln, according to the testimo- to whom they in turn loan the money thus ny of General Grant before the reconstruction | borrowed from the State Treasurer. The committee, he has been so opposed and tra- State does not really lose anything by the duced by the leaders of the radical party as process, while the Treasurer as well as the to render it almost certain that Abraham banks are largely the gainers. While this Lincoln, had he lived, would have met with practice may not prove hazardous to the the same fate. Standing firmly by his own Treasury, it is morally and financially wrong, resolutions, (the celebrated Crittenden reso- and ought to be remedied by stringent legis-Intions,) which he introduced into the Senate lation. If the money of the people can thus in 1861, two days after the first battle of be loaned to the banks, the profits ought to Bull Run, he has been deserted and denounced | go into the Treasury and not into the pocket by the very men who voted for and sustained of the Treasurer himself. This is common them.

Persecuted by the fierce spirit of rebellion, outrage to say that an officer of the governwhich made a deep impression upon his ex- ment has a right to speculate on the public citable and sensitive nature, he made a great | money for his own pecuniary benefit. Yet many declarations of policy, when he was it is done and will continue to be done if not Military Governor of Tennessee, foreshadow- checked and prevented by the necessary leging future vengeance, all of which vanished | islation. Will not some member of the "vigamidst the general feeling of general joy and orous economy" school offer a bill authorizing congratulation consequent on the successful | the State Treasurer, at stated periods, to loan termination of the war. As President he to the banks that will pay the largest bonus wisely exhibited a spirit of forgiveness which the surplus money in the Treasury, by givas a man, smarting under a deep sense of ing ample security to the State, and requirpersecution and wrong, he had thoughtlessly ing to make report under oath of the amount

lican, nor could be ever sympathise with the wonderfully, and would realize annually not political views of that party. He is a born less than seventy five thousand dollars to the democrat, and his intimate personal relations | State. This sum would more than pay for with Andrew Jackson strengthened and con- the tolding and pasting swindle, and we trust solidated his original political faith. His an- that some competent member who has the nual messages, as well as some of his admi- necessary amount of back bone will underrably written veto messages, were simply the take the task and oush it vigorously through. enunciation of political doctrines as applica- What radical member possesses courage ble to the nature and powers of the govern- enough to inaugurate this much needed rement which had been his constant rule and form? guide ever since he first entered upon public life. In that respect, at least, he has been consistent, and has maintained his well firm a hold on the affections of the people any such purpose.

President Johnson has exhibited rare courage and great steadiness of purpose amidst unequalled difficulties, and his administration will form a prominent epoch in the hisof life, with a vigorous and robust constitution, and may in the future play a prominent part in the political affairs of the nation.

In an able article on Mr. Johnson's admin-Istration the New York World speaks as follows of the retiring President : "While we cannot regard President Johnson

either as a wise statesman or a skilful politician, we must concede that he has been placed in a position so trying and difficult that no address or abilities could have appeared to advantage in it. We must also pay a sincere tribute to his personal character; which is less distinguished perhaps by the amiable than by the respectable virtues. He is a man of settled convictions and stubborn fid lity to them. He cherishes a just deep reverence for the Constitution of his country. He has never been accused, never even suspected, of using any public position for purposes of private With a Democratic Congress to support him, he would have made a judicious and successful, though probably not a brilliant ad ministration. His talents are better fitted for debato; and if, after a needed interval of re pose, he should be returned to the Senate from Tennessee, he will be one of the most important and useful members of that bodya perpetual thorn in the side of the Radicals, and the fearless champion of honest legisla-

## The State Treasurer's Office.

It has long been a well known fact that and the interests of any other portion of the the man who can succeed in getting himself State Treasurer and hold the office for three County Seat, and never can have any relations or even two years, is on the sure road to for- with it. Going to Ebensburg is in truth going tune. We think it may safely be said that away from every business relation of the this has been the uniform result for the last | Ebensburg. It is difficult of access from all fifteen years. We are not aware of any ex- portions of the County, and is an additional ception to it, no matter what may have been ness of the County. By reason of its location, the politics of the incumbent. Hence the the expense attending the administration of great anxiety to get control of the office. Of course this golden stream does not flow from located, that all the principal business of the the mere salary of the office, which is comlarge pecuniary rewards is easily explained transact business, and there could attend to and not difficult of comprehension. An im- their legal and county business, without any

teen or twenty banks located in different to Johnstown. We therefore pray your Honorable Bodies to pass a law to submit the to a vote of the people of said County, and as in duty bound will ever pray, etc. sand dollars, to another fifty thousand, and

## The Immortal Twenty-Eight.

A few days ago, when the appropriation bill was before the House of Representatives at Harrisburg, a member by the name of McMiller, from Montgomery county, made a motion to increase the pay of the members attend to business. from one thousand to fifteen hundred dollars. The proposition received twenty-eight votes -eighteen democrats and ten radicals. The mover of this amendment, McMiller, is, or at least pretends to be, a democrat. Whether this is his first term in the House or not we cannot say, as he has hitherto been unknown to fame, but we are very certain that it ought to be his last, and that the legislative seat that knows him now ought to know him no

This movement, coming from a democratic source and receiving democratic support, is particularly aggravating, in as much as the democratic party has been loud and vahement in its assaults upon radical extravagance. Its sincerity may well be doubted when one from the Constitution was adopted. half of its members in the Assembly, by their

votes, give the lie to its professions. If this Plundering game had succeeded ene increased pay would have amounted to sixty-six thousand dollars. It seems that McMiller and his friend Davis, a very suspicious radical member from Philadelphia, who jointly engineered the movement, were confident of success, but when the crisis came the courage of about one half of their allies, like that of Bob Acres, oozed out at their fingers' ends. Do McMiller & Co. suppose that the people would tamely submit to such shameless robbery? If they do they egregiously mistake public sentiment. The people of all parties demand the most thorough and searching reform in the expenditures of the State government, and any member of the Legislature who stands between them and their settled purposes will be crushed as between the upper and the nether millstone.

We trust that full and ample justice will be meted out to these twenty eight pure and incorruptible patriots by their respective constituencies, and that honest men will be

## The State Convention.

We observe with regret that the seeds of what may result in an angry controversy The Removal of the County Seat. have been sown by the Pittsburgh Post and the Harrisburg Patriot, in reference to the cidence. question of instructing delegates to the next known and long established political convictions anything in reference to a project recently Democratic State Convention. We trust that tions with an ability and tenacity worthy of started by a few persons in Johnstown in the editors of both journals will see the pro eightoen months afterward made her father all admiration. Whatever else may be said favor of the removal of the county seat priety of cutting short thus unprofitable disof him or of his administration of the gov- from Ebensburg to that place. The thing cussion just where it now stands. Its further ernment, his personal integrity is beyond re- in itself was preposterous and absurd that prosecution can result in no good, but may proach. His most bitter enemy cannot charge | we did not care about wasting time in dis- do much barm where none is really intended. him with being corrupt, or of prostituting cussing it, being well satisfied that it had The delegates to the Convention will have an his high office to purposes of venality or per- not the ghost of a chance before the Legis- important duty to perform, and it is to be sonal gain. His greatest mistake was in at- lature. The advocate of the measure, how presumed they will be competent for the tempting, to 1866, to form a new or third ever, were determined to test its merits, task that will be set before them. While we Brownlow recently outraged the person of a new baby-baby with a new parent-all political party. The same thing had been and for that purpose prepared and sent to have no fixed convictions in favor of the attempted before, and with precisely similar Harrisburg a bill to carry out them pur. nomination of any particular candidate, we results, for Webster declared that John Tyler poses. The bill was referred to the Com- yet protest against the argument of locality. and his party could have been carried in a mittee on New Counties and County Seats. We could point to many sore political revergood sized omnibus. No President, even consisting of fifteen members. Yesterday ses which were alone traceable to a too willthough he may wield without check or re- week was fixed by the Committee as the ing acquiescence in this plausible claim. straint the entire patronage of the govern- day for hearing an argument on the All other things being equal, it is entitled to ment, can transfer the allegiance of the great question. Ebensburg was represented by paramount consideration; otherwise, it ought masses of the people from the democratic Hon. A. A. Barker, R. L. Johnston, Esq., not to be entertained. What we want and party. It has existed too long and has too Geo. M. Reade, Esq., F. A. Shoemaker, that we hope to get at the hands of the Con-Esq., Edward Roberts, Samuel Henry and vention is the strongest candidate-the man for them passively to consent to be used for Abel Lloyd. The friends of removal were who can ecncentrate upon himself the most represented by Daniel M'Laughlin, Esq., votes, without regard to the mere circum-Cyrus Elder, Esq., and John F. Barnes, stance of his local habitation, whether that Esq. After hearing all that could be said may be in the east or the west, the north or on both sides of the question the committee the south, or in the center of the State. We made a unanimous report against the bill - have confidence in the integrity of the Contory of the country. He is yet in the prime This ends the matter at least during the vention, and believe that its members will be governed in the conclusion at which they As a decided curiosity we publish below a may arrive, not by personal feelings or local copy of the petition in favor of the removal, claims, but by a determination to win in the which was circulated in the southern por- contest.

## Harrisburg Correspondence.

that in one judgement, no other man in the HARRISEURG, Feb. 27, 1869. State, besides its author, could have com-Dear Freeman-The following bills perpressed within the same limited space as taining to your county are at present before the Legislature: An act extending the jurismany suppressions of the truth with as many suggestions of falsehood as are concriminal proceedings and in cases of surety of the peace to certain districts in the county To the Honorable the Senate and House of Cambria. Passed the House. A supple- voted to the contestants in the Second REPRESENTATIVES OF THE COMMONWEALTH | ment to an act incorporating the Cambria OF PENNSYLVANIAIN, IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY The petition of the undersigned, citizens of in the manufacture of steel rails. Passed by the County of Cambria, Humbly Represents,

The Senate, on Friday, disposed of the Metropolitan Police Bill by a very decided of the seat of Justice from Ebensburg to Johnstown in said County. The seat of Justice is now located entirely out of the way for all the practical purposes of a County Seat - and six of the Republicans voting in the negative. Notwithstanding the efforts of the act their judicial and county business at State Committee, the radical caucus and the ercising the right of suffrage. Ebensburg, the people of the county would Philadelphia roughs, there are six Republi have no occasion to even visit the place. In cans in the Senate of Pennsylvania, to their honor be it said, who were honest and inde to business. There is no community of interpendent enough to defeat this iniquitous ests between the interests of the County Seat measure. There is no coubt but what this county. The developments of the great refaction of everybody but the aforesaid roughs sources of the county are all away from the

and their coadjutors. The two Houses yesterday adjourned over until Monday, the 8th of March, to allow in Philadelphia, and to give the radical memceremonies at Washington on the 4th inst. So says an exchange.

As everybody and all their friends will be out of town next week, you need not expect | fer the murder of Jacob Young and wife, at great extent. Johnstown, on the contrary, is to hear from me.

County centers in it—it is the general market for the products of the County; it is there the paratively small, but has its rise in a more farmer gets everything he needs in exchange Heaven.—A brutal beast named Brown asinexhaustible source. The method by which for his products. It is the business chart of sassinated a man named Bolmeyer in broad the Treasurer's office is made to yield such the County and surrounding counties. The daylight, on a public street of Dayton, Ohio, people of this County go there to traffic and during the late war, simply because the latter was editor of a democratic paper in that mense amount of money, only to be counted by millions, annually passes through the bards of the Treesenst through the city. Brown was arrested, but a change of venue being obtained to the loyal county of hands of the Treasurer, and is always avail dustrious, and increasing population, and des The Bucyrus Forum now tells us that every able, not only for all legitimate demands upon State. The city, with its surroundings, is one either been bereft of reason, died an unnatu-

## LATE NEWS ITEMS.

-Five white men have recently been assassinated by Indians near Sitka, Alacka. -At a ball in Fosterbury, Illinois, a few nights ago, six persons partook of poisoned liquor; one of them has died.

-The Boston Commonwealth makes the

Loyalsock, Lycoming county, was scalded into which it had fallen during a brief absence of its mother.

-The Democrats of the Hartford Conn. district have nominated Senator Dixon for Congress, his term as Senator expiring with the present Congress.

-Twenty thousand dollars worth of proman was fatally injured. -Daniel Sittler shot at a goose, near Kutztown, the other day, but missed the

killing him almost instantly. -Female suffrage was defeated in the Nevada Legislature on Wednesday, and an amendment to strike the word "white"

-It has been found impossible to secure Pollard, in Richmond, Va., and a panel has been ordered from Alexandria and Norfolk. Leavenworth. Kansas, on Tuesday, He was an Englishman, and during the war death. served General Beauregard as his chief

-The California wheat crop is so large that if mistakes have not been made, it has never been equalled in any country. They talk of 75, 80, and in one case 100 bushels

versary of his birth on the 2d inst., in which his posterity and relatives, to the number of about 250, participated.

-Frank Leslie inserted a cut in his Illi skatist, appears as Mercury, arrayed indecently, at the Buffalo Skating Rink. Her parents modestly claim \$50,000 damages. -The largest man on record in modern times, was Miles Darden, a native of North

Carolina, born in 1789. He was seven feet near Beltimore, on Thursday, between Newelected to fill the seats which they have dis. ton Montgomery and Peter Joyce. Thirty three rounds were fought in forty-five minutes, and Montgomery was declared the

-A Christian maiden named Mary Gil-

nine and a half years.

residing in Anthony township, Lycoming county, was, on Monday last, delivered of a female child, and on Wednesday following, had two more male-children.

young negro girl. He was arrested and given in charge of a negro guard, who shot and beat him to death with their muskets. Their commander approved of the deed. other day, resulted in a Democratic tri-

nmph, by the following vote: Democrat 69. Radical 47. In November last the his wife married again, and now Gull turns vote stood, Seymour 64, Grant 60; which shows a handsome Democratic gain. -A project to bring the remains of William Penn from England to this State, and by the Indians, on his way across the erect a monument over them, is being agiportation would not be a difficult matter. -Andrew Jackson had a colored lady arrested at Pittsburgh the other day on the charge of stealing a stove. Horace Greely was put in durance vile, in one of the eastern towns of the State, for stabbing a meerschaum hued "brudder" named John Brady.

-At some points about the country they are taking popular votes to determine who shall be postmaster, under the incoming administration. At Jonesville, Wis., a young lady received the majority of vetes, and has gone to Washington after the appointment.

-A crazy man, having got into the galery of the Senate of the United States during a rambling debate, was taken out, the Sergeant at arms telling him that he was out of place in that gallery. "That's so." diction of Justices of the Peace in certain said the lunatic; "I ought to be on the floor with the Senator !"

-Seventy-five hundred dollars have been Congressional Districts of Louisiana, one of Iron Company increasing its capital stock to whom is a negro. This is one effect of Radfive million of dollars, to enable it to engage | ical reconstruction. Rather expensive business, when the masses are complaining of hard times and high taxes. -In Rhode Island a negro can vote if

any one will pay his poll tax of \$1,00, but majority against it, the vote standing twen- a naturalized white allen must have an inty nays to eleven ayes-all the Democrats come from real estate with at least \$134 before he is permitted to vote. Many Irish and Germans are thus prevented from ex-

-Barney Barnum, a chap in Jennings county, Indiana, who has heretofore had hard work to make buckle and strap come together, will now find them lapping a long ways over, having become helr to bill has been disposed of to the entire satis- \$2,200,000, left by an able and efficient uncle who lately died in Germany.

-To cure foundered horses take a lump of alum the size of a walnut, powder it and dissolve in warm water. The horse must the committee on the contested election case be drenched with this liquor, and it will of Thayer vs. Greenbank to take testimony throw him into a profuse perspiration, and he will soon be well as ever; this should be bers an opportunity to attend the inaugural | done as soon as you ascertain his condition.

-The jury in the case of Nancy E. Clem. Cold Spring, Indiana, last September, have the penitentiary for life. Her counsel has moved for a new trial.

-A new illuminating material, recently patented in Germany, consists of a mixture | Lancaster (Pa.) Intelligencer. of two parts of the poorest rape seed oil and one part of good petroleum. It is burned in a lamp of peculiar construction, be surpassed for purity and brilliancy.

-One ounce of gum camphor and an ounce of powdered shell of red pepper are terprise, of Virginia, Nevada, under date macerated in eight onnces of strong alcohol for seven days, and then strained. With -Nearly half of the town of Chippewa this tincture furs and cloths are sprinkled Falls, Wisconsin, was burned on the 24th. over and rolled up in sheets. This remedy

-A lady in Davenport, Iowa, has jus statement every afternoon, after 3 o'cleck, fallen heir to a fifth share in Texas land some twelve eo fifteen United States Sena- which is valued at \$5,000,000. This tract tors are so drunk that they are unable to is located in Bexar county, near San Antonio, and is known as the Medina "eleven -A child of Mr. Schribner, a resident of league tract." The State government gave it to John Mullen, in 1833, for valuable to death last week in a tub of hot water, services rondered, but after-litigation deprived him of it, and it is only recently that the claims of his heirs have been recog'

-On Friday last, E. H. Buer, formeryl of Pittsburg, R. J. Williams, his son-in-law, of Monongahela City, A. M. Larwell, of Wooster, Ohio, Beckwith Sears, of Morganperty fell a prey to the "fire-fiend," in town, and Stockton Hervey, of Monongahe-Cleveland, on Wednesday night. A fire- la City, left Morgantown in a skiff for Geneva, and have not since been heard of .-They are supposed to have been drowned, as the skiff has been found floating bottom goose and hit a young man named Fegley, upwards and the hat of one of the parties found with it.

-Two fatal accidents occurred in Clarion county week before last. Wm. Reed, while attempting to disengage a log, tripped and fell, when the log fell upon him crushing him in such a manner as to cause his death jury for the trial of Grant for shooting in twelve hours. While engaged in shoving a large log in Wilson's mill, in Helen township, Mr. John W. Lyon tripped and -Aaron Jones, the pugilist, died at fell, and the log fell upon his head and crushed it almost to atoms causing instant

-George S. Twitchell, Jr., the Philadelphia murderer, seems to realize his situation, and spends much of his time in reading religious works and listening to his minister, Dr. Bringhurst. He is quiet and docile, his manner being described as amiable and winning. He still protests, how--Thomas Dutton, of Aston, Delaware ever, that he knows nothing about the county, celebrated the one hundredth anni- crime for which he is to be hanged. A movement has been made by citizens to secure his pardon by Gov. Geary.

-Great preparations are being made celebrate the completion of the Pactic Railtrated News, wherein Miss Elwood, a fair road. It will be formerly opened by a grand excursion on the 4th of next July Gov. Haight of California has received an invitation to meet the Governors of other States in Chicago, to participate in the opening excursion. Part of the programme is said to be the simultane us starting of six inches high. At his death, in 1857, he two "through trains," one from New York, weighed a little over one thousand pounds. the other from San Francisco. It will be -A prize fight took place at Herrin gRun, the biggest railroad event the world has

-Two mysterious attempts have been made to assassinate Mrs. Julia Skaggs, a poor widow seamstress, of Leavenworth .-A few weeks ago she was shot at while sitting at a window, the bullet grazing her more renounced her faith at Chicago last face. Last week she received a box pur-Saturday, and embraced Judaism. The porting to be medicine sent by her sister in same afternoon she married a handsome Kansas City the contents of which were young Israelite, which was a singular coin- found to be arsenic. The poor woman has no idea what motive her fiendish enemy can -The town of Wells has a citizen who have, and is so much alarmed that she has assassin.

-A Des Moines widow, and her baby, bies, travaled Chicagoward by the same -The Pittsburg Commercial say sthat train. Widow saw a friend on a station Mrs. Rachael A. Clarke, wife of Wm. Clarke, platform, put baby in bachelor's lap, went out, got left-bachelor distracted-widow telegraphed back and baby to stop at next station-overtook them by next train-all went to Chicago-all come back togetherhappy together, and nobody hurt-says the

-Fifteen years ago James Gull departed from Belleville, Illinois, bound to California, -The borough election in Clarion, the leaving behind a young wife and child. In a few months news came that he had been killed by the Indians. Three years after up at Belleville, to find her supplied with a husband and eight children, only one of whom is a Gull. Mr. Gull was captured Plains, consented to become one of the tated. It is understood that his body was tribe, and was taken prisoner recently by interred in a leaden coffin, and the strans- Custer. The wife prefers her second husband, and Gull "is willin"."

A WONDERFUL CLOCK .- A citizen of Detroit has just completed a clock which is described by the Free Press: It is inclosed in a case of eight feet high, similar to the old fashioned eight day clocks. Below the cen ter of the face is an ordinary dial, with an attachment for striking the quarter hours; at the left of this dial, set on a pivot or axis. is a terrestrial globe about eight inches in diameter which performs diurnal revolutions. and on which are represented the five grand divisions of the earth. On the opposite side of the dial is a self-regulating calender, cal enlated to run ten years without winding and pointing the year, month, and the day of the week. Immediately above the dial is a section of a tower, resting on two pilasters with a window, or opening, at which appears, each time the clock strikes the hour, one of the Apostles. Still above this tower is a sort of verandah, at each end of which sits an angel with outspread wings, and in the center "Death" presides at a small bell, on which he strikes the hour of the day with a hammer. When the hands point to twelve o'clock, the angel at one end of the verandah "rolls the stone away" and a door flies open, from which emerges the Savior, who takes position, and one by one the twelve Apostles follow and take their places in close proximity to their beloved Master, while death rings out the last stroke just as the Virgin Mary appears at the window of the tower beneath.

HEAVY FAILURE.—Samuel Hess, a lumber merchant, of this city, who has a large lumber yard at Graeff's landing on the Conestoga, failed yesterday. Mr. Hess' liabilities are estimated at \$125,000; we learn that \$57,000 of this amount is in the shape of notes discounted at the various banking institutions of this city. These notes are endorsed in about equal proportions by Mr. Hess' father, Henry Hess and by Christian Lininer, his father-in-law. These endorsers being men of ample means it is supposed that the banking institutions are protected. The other creditors will likely lose heavily.

In connection with the foregoing we regret returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree, and she has been sentenced to to announce the death of Henry Hess, father this morning, it is supposed from an attack of aploplexy superinduced by the excitement created by the news of the above failure .-

DR. CARRIERB, an eminent French physician, gives the following process, which he burned in a lamp of peculiar construction, has employed for forty years, as a sure and but somewhat similar to that of the ordinasimple means of discovering whether death line claims against the same are required to make payment, and those having claims against the same are required to make payment. Is now in perfect order for executing Pictures. ry moderator lamp, and gives a light not to simple means of discovering whether death ing claims against the same are requested to is real or apparent: The system consists in present them for settlement. the Treasury, but even for purposes of private speculation and profit by the Treasurer himself, if he sees proper to resort to them, although there is no legal authority to justify him in so doing. The Treasurer selects fif
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of Nov. 29, 1868, says: A most singular phenomenon was witnessed from this city yesterday morning at four o'clock, by miners and others who were astir at that is used in Russia, under the name of "Chinese Tincture for Moths," and is found very hour. The sky was perfectly clear in every direction, and in the eastern horizon was peculiarly blue and bright, not the slightest sign of mist about the ridges of the distant eastern ranges, yet the morning star rose of a blood red color and with a bright white halo, apparently five or six feet in diameter surrounding it. From the lower part of this halo there extended downward a tail, apparently some eight feet long and two feet in width at the upper part. This tail was slightly curved, of a sabre shape, bluntly rounded at the lower end, and both it and the halo appeared to be filled with small and exceedingly brilliant stars. This strange sight lasted some fifteen or twenty minutes, or until the star had risen so high that the tail of the halo appeared to be two or three feet above the crest of the distant range, when it suddenly faded out.

## BUY YOUR FLOUR

M. L. OATMAN. AND YOU WILL GET

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S OFFICE, WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENN-VANIA, PITTSBURGH -- This is to give notice that on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1869, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of JOHN M. KING, of Johnstown, in thd county of Cambria, and State of Pennsyl vania, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any deb's and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a Meeting of the Creditors of said Bankrupt, to prove their Debts and to choose one or more Assignces of his Estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptey, to be holden at the office of the Register in Bankruptcy in Hollidaysburg before John Brotherline, Esq., Register, on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M. THOMAS A. ROWLEY,

U. S. Marshal, as Messenger. W. F. BATHURST, Deputy. [feb 18.-4t.

NITED STATES MARSHAL'S OFFICE, WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENN SYLVANIA. PITTSBURGH.-This is to give notice that on the 16th day of January, A D. 1869 a Warrart in Bankruptcy was issued against the Estate of AUGUSTINE D. CRISTE, of Munster, in the county of Cambria, and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any Debts and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a Meeting of the Creditors of said Bankrupt, to prove their Debts and to choose one or more Assignees of his Estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptey, to be holden at the office of the Register in Bankruptcy in Ho liday sburg before John Brotherine, Esq., Register, on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.

THOMAS A. ROWLEY. U. S. Marshal, as Messenger. W. F. BATHURST, Deputy. MPORTANT TO FARMERS

## California and Oregon SEED WHEAT AGENCY.

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Loretto, Feb. 18, 1869 - 6t. EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. - Whereas Letters Testamentary to the Estate of Jacob Bender, late of Carrolltown borough, de ceased, have been granted to the undersigned. all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all having claims against the estate of said decedent will make known the same without delay

MICH'L WEAKLAND, of Wm., Ex'rs. Carroll Twp., Feb. 12, 1869.-6t.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Peter Sanders, late of Munster township, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber residing in Gallitzin township, in said county. Persons having claims against said estate will present them properly proven to the subscriber; and those owing the same will make immediate payment. PHILIP J. SANDERS, Executor. Gallitzin Tp., Feb. 2, 1869.-6t.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing or using a Note for Twenty-Eight Hundred Dollars, without interest, dated Dec. 30th, 1868, running ten months, and drawn by me in favor of Urbanus Riggle. Said Note was obtained through false representations, and I will not pay the same unless compelled to do so by legal process.
GEO. S. PERRY.

Osceola, Pa., Feb. 3, 1869. [feb. 11,-3t. DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE! A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE:—
Letters of Administration on the estate of Joseph Springman, late of Susquehanna twp., Camoria county, having been granted to the undersigned, all parties indebted to said action

F. A. SHOEMAKER, Administrator. Ebensburg, Feb. 4, 1869.-6t.

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Feb. 11, 1869.-tf. GEO. W. COPE.

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FRANCIS W. HAY. Johnstown, March 7, 1867.

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