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THORSDAY MORNING, : DEC. 15, 1870.

Democratic Editorial Convention, The members of the Democratio Editorial Association of Pennsylvania, are requested to meet at the "Bolton House," Harrisburg, on Wednesday the 10th day of January next at 11 o'clock, A. M. Punctual attendance is requested.

Those editors who were not present at Altoona when the Association was organized, are espectfully requested to be present at this meeting.

J. ZIEGLER, Pres't
P. GRAY MERK, Sec'y.

## The President's Message.

One might as well expect to gather grapes of thorns, or figs of thistles, as to look for any broad and statesmanlike views in a Message, or any other State paper, emanating from the present incumbent of the White House. The Message, in the language of the New York Sun, a Radical paper, "is a poverty-stricken document." Stung to desperation by his recent humiliating defeat in the Southern States, Grant sets out in his Message with the following flagrant perversion of the truth: "It is to be regretted that a free exercise of the elective franchise has. by violence and intimidation, been denied to citizens in exceptional cases in several of the States lately in rebellion, and the verdict of the people has thereby been reversed." Coming from the source it does, this broad and sweeping declaration is decidedly cool. Who was it that by "violence and intimidation" interfered with the free exercise of the elective franchise at the late election in North Carolina? It was this same U. S. Grant, when he sent large bodies of U. S. troops into that State to overawe and terrify the people in the free exercise of their opinions. Who committed the same outrage in the city of New York at the November election? It was U. S. Grant. Who quartered troops at the election polls in Florida, Alabama, and other Southern States at the same election? It was U. S. Grant, who now seems so deeply concerned about the purity of the ballot. Who only a few days ago ordered troops into Georgia, to intimidate the voters of that State at the coming election and to sustain his friend Bullock, who is the vilest fraud that ever disgraced the Executive chair of any State in the Union? Where is the evidence upon which Grant bases this charge of "violence and intimidation," on the part of the people of the South ? There is none, nor can any be produced. So far as Alabama is concerned, there is a direct question of veracity between Grant and Gen. Crawford, who commanded the troops in that State at the late election, who knows the truth whereof he affirms, and who has declared that the election was fair and peaceable. And yet Grant charges an outraged people with the very offence which he him

self has openly committed. It was to be expected that after the signal failure of the San Domingo job last summer, at the hands of a Republican Senate, that corrupt scheme had been consigned to wellmerited oblivion. But the prize is too tempts ing to be lightly abandoned, and Grant surpasses all his former efforts, in his advocacy of this venal project. He calls it "a great prize," just as Seward, his illustrious predecessor in the purchase of real estate, styled the acquisition of barren, sterile and frozen Alaska. To Grant's vision everything in San Domingo, the land of mulattoes and chronic revolutions, seems lovely and of good report. Have the people asked him to acquire it? Has it ever been made a test question at any general election, as the annexation of Texas was in 1844? The treaty between him and Baez having failed of a ratification by the Senate, he is now in favor of a joint resolution of Congress to effect the same purpose. The Senate committee on foreign affairs, a majority of whose members Radical. Warner is a carpet-bagger from are well known to be hostile to the scheme, will effectually checkmate Grant in this plundering job and give San Domingo, in any shape it may assume, its everlasting denly loomed up as a grave and potent Sena-

These are the only two features of the Message to which we have room this week

HON. SAMUEL GRIFFITH, the newly elected Democratic Congressman from the Mercer district, is a native of Wales, having been born in that country in 1816 and emigrated was a miner and worked at that business for a number of years in Mercer county. At the age of 20 Mr. Griffith left his father's residence for the purpose of acquiring an education, and in 1842 graduated from Allegheny College, at Meadville, with high honors. He became principal of the High School in Mercer, studied law and was adto a sister of Gen. HENRY D. FOSTER, of Greensburg. Mr. Griffith's majority in the district was 769. Two years ago it gave a Radical majority of 1812. He revolutionized his district even more thoroughly than Cambria county, where the natives of Wales and their immediate decendents form so large a portion of our population, a Welsh Democrat is regarded as a great political curiosity. A Welsh Democratic Congressman is certainly a flat contradiction of Solomon's declaration, that there is nothing new under

Central Committee recently held at Altoona, Mr. Mutchler, the Chairman, was instructed to issue a call for the next Democratic State Convention to nominate candidates for Auditor General and Surveyor General, at some time between the 4th of next March and the faithful pen picture of the new member from

New Mexico and Colorado.

According to good Republican authority, there is now in Washington a delegation of government officials from New Mexico, whose business it is to procure the admission, during the present session of Congress, of that Territory as a State in the Union. An effort will also be made for the admission of Colorado. During the administration of President Johnson he very properly vetoed a bill for the admission of the latter Territory, but as Grant has shown himself to be merely a willing instrument in the hands of Congress to register its decrees, no danger of the exer-

cise of the veto power is now apprehended. It is a rare thing that the people of a Territory desire to change their relations to the general government and assume the duties and responsibilities of a State organization. The reason is obvious. While they are in a territorial condition all the expenses of the government are defrayed out of the National Treasury, but the moment they are admitted into the Union the taxes are enormously increased and bear heavily upon the scattered and sparse population of the new State .-Some of the men who are pressing these projects are ambitious of becoming Governors of the proposed new States, others United States Sepators, while a majority of them would be content to serve as Congressmen. In 1869, at the election of a delegate to Congress, New Mexico polled 14,467 votes, only 1,481 more than double the vote polled in Cambria county at the President election in 1868, which was 6,498. In 1868 the vote of Colorado was 8,167, only 1,674 more votes than were cast in this county at the same election. The combined vote of New Mexico and Colorado in 1868 and 1869 was 22,684. In 1868, at the Presidential election, Lancaster county polled 24,305 votes, or 1,671 votes more than the vote of both these territories put together. In 1869, Montana polled 9,350 votes, or 1,180 more than Colorado did in 1868, But no Radical members of Congress would ever think of sin Second Lieutenant Fourth Artillery. voting for the admission of Montana, for the simple reason that it would be a certain

The Radical party is rapidly losing the power which it has so long and so flagrantly abused, and therefore as a matter of party necessity, four more Radical U. S. Senators must be obtained by the creation of two rotten-borough States out of the thinly populated regions of New Mexico and Colorado. | in any manner whatever. They were pro-Is it fair-is it just-is it honest-that these | cared by that excellent citizen and patriotic two Territories, when transformed into gentleman, Marshal Sharpe, to be used by Lancaster county, should wield the same Governor Hoffman made other arrangements. political influence in the Senate as New | And now these auxilaries of a free and en-York and Pennsylvania, with more than lightened government are totally useless to eight millions of inhabitants? And yet this and they cannot afford to have their capital is just what the Radical majority propose to therein invested lying idle waiting for ando. The proposition is monstrous and ab. other election to come around. surd, and without the shadow of a reason or electoral votes, might possibly, although we storm, and hence the determination of his have elapsed. friends to put these two Infamous jobs thro'

JUDGE GOLDTHWAITE was last week elected United States Senator by the Legislature of commanding ability, and was formerly one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of the Ohio-a State remarkably prolific of such men-and through the disreputable agencies, so well known to that class of patriots, sudtor. Alabama has vindicated her integrity by repudiating this Ohio importation and electing a gentleman who has resided in the and intelligently represent the interests of

IT will be the duty of the next Democratic State Convention to nominate candidates to this country with his father and the other | for Auditor General and Surveyor General. members of the family in 1818. His father In connection with the first named office we have seen suggested the name of John Hopgson, editor of the Jeffersonian, published at ability and culture-a fearless and courageous Democrat-and is conceded by all who know him to be a man of unquestioned in- banking, of building railroads, and of runmitted to the Bar of that place in 1846. As | and fare a great deal worse than nominating | the event of annexation, to survey the whole a lawyer, Mr. Griffith occupies a front rank John Hodgson. He poseesses in an eminent | pulic domain of the Republic, and to have in his profession. In 1849 he was married degree, all the requirements for a faithful and

Mr. Speer did our own. In this portion of Jas. P. Barr & Co., deservedly enjoys a high at the White House .- Age. reputation, not only with the Democracy of this State, but of the Union. We cheerfully recommend the Post to the patronage of Democrats who desire a cheap and reliable city journal.

-The only Democratic paper published at the State Capital is the Daily and Weekly Patriot. It is conducted with marked ability and with a fearlessness and independence which command general commendation. It Ar the meeting of the Democratic State of the Legislature, the approaching session Mills, Goat Island, (being an island formed of which promises to be of more than ordipary interest. As the central organ of the by a creek and a river,) the public road party it deserves to be well sustained.

> Among the biographical sketches of the members of the next Congress, now being published in the Pittsburg Post, is a very

The Reigning Family.

I. Ulyssus Simpson Grant, President of the United States. II. Jesse Root Grant, President's father, Postmaster at Covington, Ky. III. Frederick Dent Grant, President's

son, cadet at West Point. IV. Orvil L. Grant, President's brother, partner with the Collector of the Port at

V. Frederick T. Dent, President's fatherin-law. claimant of lands at Carondelet, Mo., -eucliered by Wilson, Commissioner of the Land Office. VI. Rev. M. J. Cramer, President's broth-

er-in-law, Minister to Denmark. VII. Able Rathbone Corbin, President's brother-in-law, negotiator of gold and real estate speculations with James Fisk, Jr., and Jay Gould. VIII. Brevet Brigadier General F.

Dent, President's brother-in-law, chief usher

at the Executive Mansion. IX. Judge Louis Dent, President's brother-in-law, counsel for claimants before the President; fees estimated at \$40,000 a year. X. George W. Dent, President's brother-XI. John Dent, President's brother-in-law, only Indian Trader for New Mexico, under Indian Bureau; place worth \$100,000 a

XII. Alexander Sharpe, President's brother-in-law, Marshal of the District of Colum-

XIII. James F. Casev, President's brother-in-law, Collector of the Port of New Orleans; place worth \$30,000 a year. XIV. James Longstreet, President's brother-in-law's cousin, Surveyor of the Port of the French. The investment of Paris still

New Orleans. XV. Silas Hudson, President's own cousin, Minister to Guatemala. XVI. George K. Leet, President's brotherin-law's cousin, Public Stores, New York;

place worth \$100,000 a year. XVII. Orlando H. Ross, President's own cousin, Clerk in Third Auditor's office,

brother-in-law's third cousin, Clerk in the Register's office, Treasury Department, Wash-XIX. J. F. Simpson, President's own cousin, Second Lieutenant Twenty-fifth In-

XVIII. Dr. Addison Dent, President's

XX. John Simpson, President's own cou-XXI. George B. Johnson, President's mother's second cousin, Assessor of Internal Revenue, Third District, Ohio. XXII. B. L. Wymans. President's cousin's

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husband, Postmaster of Newport, Ky.

Three thousand handcuffs. These articles are not second handed, but are perfectly new, never baving been used him in subduing his fellow-citizens at the the dishes, victuals, and all around. States, with a population less than that of last election, but on the eve of the election

Marshal Sharpe, and the "best goverement an excuse. Grant has set his heart on a tremely anxious to realize immediately upon the world ever saw" are unusually and exre-election, and feels that he cannot succeed these articles, and they will be disposed lof without some special political good fortune, at ruinously cheap prices for cash. The New Mexico and Colorado, with their six cash is needed at once to pay about eleven thousand ex-deputy marshals who performed being overwhelmed in the coming political services, notwithstanding nearly three weeks

It is to be hoped that some loyal and paless, unparalleled outrage-a low political this serious emergency. Come up, now, gendevice to bolster up a tottering administra- tlemen; make application at the office of tion and to thwart and nullify the influence nor be afraid, for these are good articles to the United States Marshal. Do not hesitate. and will of the old and larger States in the have on your hands, and the sale will be peremptory.

Who bids ?- N. Y. Democrat.

AFTER a fifty seven days' incubation, of Alabama. He is a Democrat and a man Judge Pierce, on Saturday, hatched out his long expected opinion, discharging Alexander W. Crawford from all legal responsibility, for killing John C. Nolen. Even the State. He will take the place of Warner, offence of carrying concealed weapons, which, one would think, was sufficiently proved before his Honor, did not prevent an absolute discharge. The legal doctrine of the opinion may be condensed into "shoot! shoot!" It was the author of that doctrine so long in mixing, was intended for his Imperial Highness, the King of the Ring. We find a fitness in the title, from an analogy State for forty years, and who will faithfully that often strikes us, between American Radicalism and French Imperialism. The latter's last triumph was the free discharge, who shot an editor. The downfall of the

GENERAL GRANT is but the agent of a New York Company, in the effort to annex West Chester. We have known Mr. Hodg- jobbers is said to consist of twenty shares, at capital of this congregation of brokers and son for twenty years. He is a gentleman of \$15,000 each. To this company, all the mineral lands, mill privileges, and prospective town sites in St. Domingo have been granted. They also have the monopoly of tegrity. The Convention might go further ning steamboats. They are authorized in one fifth of the same by way of compensation. This one-fifth they are to locate for efficient discharge of the duties of the office. | themselves, in any portion of the island selected. With such a fine bargain in pro-JOURNALISTIC .- The Pittsburgh Post has spective, it is no wonder the scheme is pushed the honor of being the oldest Democratic upon the attention of the Senate with such daily paper published in the State and un- pertinacity. The dividends will be large, der the able management of its proprietors, and hence the interest felt in the movement

AN EXTRAORDINARY BRIDGE.-Bethlehem has a remarkable bridge. Being 1,250 feet in length, one end is in the borough of Bethlehem, the other end in the borough of South Bethlehem. While the ends of the bridge are in Northampton county, the middle section is in Lehigh county. It passes over the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Comleading from Allentown to Hellertown, the river Lehigh, six tracks of the Lehigh Valley railroad, and Front street in the borough of South Bethlehem.

WAR NEWS .- War news from France is amazingly conflicting. The Germans claim decided advantages in all the late actions .-A telegram sent by King William to his faithful Consort says: "Frederick Chaarles | peace reports the complete defeat of the Army of the Loire in the battle of Monday, in which the French had the Twentieth Corps, probably the Eighteenth, and portions of the Fifteenth and Sixteenth Corps engaged. A thousand French were dead upon the field, 4,000 were wounded and 1,600 taken pris opers. General d'Aurelles is reported to be wounded. The German loss was 1,000, among them few officers." On the contrary. the French General Chaugy reports that "on the 9th instant an attack was made all along the lines from Meung to St. Laurent Des Bois. Last night and to-day the principal effort of the enemy was at Beaugency. The Germans were very strong at that place, having no less than eighty-six cannon .-Their forces consisted of two divisions of Bavarians, one division of Prussians, 2,000 cavalry and a strong reserve under the command of Prince Frederick Charles and the Duke of Mecklenburg. The enemy were repulsed, and driven beyond Grand Chartres. in-law, Appraiser of Customs, San Francisco, We sleep to-night on the positions we had this morning. The prisoners taken acknowledge that the Prussians suffered heavy losses. The battle lasted till night." This would indicate that the French army is still in a fighting condition, and able to deliver blows and win victories. It is said that a division of the Prussian forces is marching in the direction of Havre, for the purpose of isolating that part from Paris and cutting off the supply of arms from beyond the sea. If this is done, it will be a bard blow upon

> Texas) Gazette contains the following most emarkable communiction :

> continues, and no sorties have been made

since the fight led by General Ducrot. That

General failed to pierce the Prussian lines,

but inflicted heavy losses upon that portion

of the army which bore the burden of the

onset. It is reported that Paris has food

enough for three months. But this cannot

be told .- Age, 12th.

Knowing that you are not given to senthe public an item, the truth of which I can testify as an eye witness, as can also some others living in the neighborhood. On last satisfied with the verdict. Sunday, the 2d inst., about eight o'clock in the morning, some six miles south of Sul- from reliable authority that Samuel Young, phur Springs, when not a cloud was to be of Sugar Grove township, this county; seen to dim the blue vault of heaven, fell raised this season, on one acre of ground. what can be but termed a rain or shower of two hundred and nineteen bushels of ears of blood, which lasted some eight or ten sec- corn, by actual measurment. onds. Its district was quite limited, and it fell in specks about the size of squirrel shot, killing Jacob Bay. a German, was convicted and in density about one hundred to the of murder in the first degree, at Williamssize of an ordinary plate.

and family, who were seated around the trial has been granted to Britton. breakfast table in the yard, at the same time before stated, when, upon a sudden, came pattering the drops of blood upon ularly, on the 5th day of December, for Bussy immediately sent his little son for his subscription in advance. On the last me, whose clothes were bespattered with occasion he brought a new supscriber. blood on reaching my house. An hour elapsed, probably, before my reaching the the distinctly visible marks of blood. No one in the vicinity can give an explanation ter for the scrutiny of science and the light C. J. SULLIVAN.

A similar event happened in Tennessee about twenty years ago. Since then snakes and frogs have fallen in various localities.

VICTOR EMANUEL and those having condo not think they would, save him from who have never received one cent for their trol in Rome, endeavor to make the outside via Stanton, is again revived. A committee triotic citizens, some of those who poured their care. This is not true in any partic- quarter. Congress may be regarded as a foregone con- out their money so freely during the war, ular, according to the latest and most reliaclusion. When it is done, it will be a shame- will rush to the rescue of the government in | ble accounts from the Holy City. The most | dred dollar greenback in the money bag, at outrageous conduct is manifested openly one of the Wellsburg. Ohio, churches, on and daily toward all reiglious men and Thanksgiving Day. He has the satisfacwomen. Schools, are closed, churches pro- tion of hearing his home paper say that his and the lives of all those who profess attachment for the Pope threatened by the crowd of desperadoes and ruffians who entered the | Saturday last at Hydetown, three miles west render his situation intolerable. Yet, he is Both parties were drunk. proclained free to exercise his great office by those who have made it impossible .- Pitts-

> petrated near New Bedford, Mass., week before last. The victim was Benjamin How- that the child still lives. who was, in fact, on trial, and the coat of ard, eighty-two years of age, who had lived white-wash, which Judge Pierce has been alone more than forty years supporting himself on a small farm, and receiving an occadiscovered near a newly made hole or grave, put through during the present session. a few feet within a wood. Charles Clupp, by a partial tribunal, of the Imperial Prince, a negro boy, fifteen years of age, has been of the murder of little Mary Mohrman, was arrested, and has confessed that he murdered sentenced to be hanged on Saturday last, whole dynasty followed. We accept the the old man, assisted by John Pettis, and the Court having refused him a new trial. was robbery, and the amount obtained was jury and asserting his innocence of the mur-

no effort to save themselves. At the inquest | gentlemen. physicians stated that before suffocation by that gives rise to the suspicion that the fam- internal and not dangerous. ily was first murdered and then the house set on fire.

the 8th day of November a mob executed selves to detect the authors of the crime. four men, who would have been important witnesses against them, have since been hanged, although charged with no crime. Offi. with business that the company, to diminish cers sent to arrest parties against whom the volume of despatches, has advanced the warrants had beed issued have been seized tariff. There is great danger that the brothe Legislature, the approaching session lic road leading from Bethlehem to Taylor's is probable that nothing but the presence of laid during the winter, and we may be detroops will be able to awe the miscreants prived, in large measure, of the telegraphic into submitting to the law.

time between the 4th of next March and the faithful pen picture of the new member from this district, R. Milton Speer, Esq., and expedient. It was decided to hold the Context March and the faithful pen picture of the new member from this district, R. Milton Speer, Esq., and which we would have published this week bad not the paper containing it disappeared from the cause of the district of the cause of the district of the cause of the building was blown to atoms.—

The fluid and over seventy wound—

In GHOUSE PROPERTY FOR The greatest excitement prevails throughout the city. The explosion of gunpowder was blad not the paper containing it disappeared from the cause. The fluid in one causing death in each instance. The fluid in one causing death in o

News and Political Items.

-Austria has addressed a fresh note to the great Powers, urging renewed efforts for -It is said there are not ten Irishmen in

Ireland who do not think of coming to America sometime or other. -During one of the recent sorties from Paris, four sons of a merchant of that city

were killed by one Prussian shell. -Pine township, Mercer county, has a model young man. He walks to Mercer-

nine miles—on Saturday to get shaved.
—Mr. Headrich, of Wyhteville, Va., has inventedea six-barreled gun, which may be fired tour hundred times a minute by simply turning a crank. -Twenty-five thousand Catholics turned

out in Buffalo, on Friday, to testify their approval of the Pope's protest against the occupation of Rome by the Italians. -Indians are murdering and robbing men in Arizona, the Apache-Mohaves being the guilty parties, while the Pina Indians

act in concert with the white settlers. -John H. Surratt, in a lecture delivered at Rockville, Md., denies any connection with the assassination conspiracy, but admits having conspired to abduct President

-Last week at Lexington, Ind., Mrs. Matilda Brown got a divorce on Tuesday evening, a marriage license on Wednesday morning, and before dusk was off on her bridal trip as Mrs. John J. Reede.

-General Butler is to introduce a joint resolution this week in the House, to cover the new Presidential policy on the San Domingo job. Grant backs up Butler in Can--Shelbyville, Tenn., already famous for having produced a double-headed calf, is credited, on the authority of ex-Senator Patterson, with another monstraity, in the shape of a double-headed child, born a few weeks since.

-The Butler Herald says that a large U. S. 6's of '81, meteor was seen to descend on Sunday at noon, near the corner of Mr. George Krugh's house, exploding before reaching the ground. A RAIS OF BLOOD .- The Sulphur Springs It had the appearance of a large silver ball, somewhat elongated.

-A jury at Waverly, Iowa, has decided that Miss Isabella Smith's feelings were insationalism, I take this method of giving to jured to the extent of \$18,000 by one John T. Campbell through his failure to marry her. She claimed \$20,000, but is coubtless

-The Greenville Argus says it has it

-Lloyd Brittten, colored, charged with port, on the 7th. The murder was commit-This shower was witnessed by Mr. Bussy ted on the evening of the 16th ult. A new -- The Salem, O., Republican boasts of

subscriber, Mr. Barclay Harris, who has reg-Mr twelve years, called at the office and paid -John P. Cox, General Superintendent

of the Pennsylvania and New York Central vicinity, yet the leaves, grass and table bore | Railroad Company, died suddenly on the 7th inst. of appoplexy, while in the discharge of his duties. He was a most faithful and efof this mysterious affair. I leave this mat-ter for the scrutiny of science and the light —A young man named John David was shot at Erie, Pa., on Friday afternoon last at fifteen minutes past six by a desperado named Jake Gabel, and died about nine o'clock. There is great excitement in the

city over it. The murderer has been arrested. -The project for a railroad in Westmoreland county from Ludwick to Mt. Pleasant, world believe that the Pope is unmolested of citizens has been appointed to confer with in the exercise of his office, and that the the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and Church in that city is the special object of learn what aid they may expect from that

> -Somebody quietly dropped a one hunmoney."

-A. Rowland Kightlinger was killed on city with the invaders. All communications of Titusville, by a gun in the hands of a to or from the Holy Father are read by the man named Turner. The fire arm is said to local anthorities, and every possible means | have been discharged while the deceased of anoyance and insult are resorted to, to was attempting to wrench it from Turner. -A child was recently born in the family

of Mr. Biddle, near Mexico, Indiana, having six flingers on each hand, six toes on each foot, and very much deformed about the -A murder of unusual strocity was per- face, being destitute of any upper lip, or gums in front of the upper jaw. It is said

-The Lower House of Congress has promptly passed a bill abolishing the franking privelege, and the matter is now in the sional visit from an aged sister. He had hands of the Senate. It is to be hoped that been missed for several days, and upon a proper bill for the reformation of the search being made his mangled body was abuses connected with this system may be -John Hanlon, covicted in Philadelphia other boy about his own age, who has not The prisoner made a violent speech accusing been arrested. The motive of their deed the officers who testified against him of per-

-The body of a child, 13 years of age, -A singular fact is noted in connection | was recently taken from the place where it with the burning to death of the family of had been buried in Lebanon, the head and four persons near Markleville, Juniata coun- upper part of the breast being completely ty, last week. The victims, when seen and perfectly petrified. This strange phethrough the flames in which the dwelling nomenon has excited considerable interest was wrapt, lay in bed as if they had made and curiosity among scientific and medical

-- At Niles, Ohlo, Thomas Ryan, a tinner, smoke would take place there would be a while at work a the tower of a new school struggle in an effort to escape, and the same | building, slipped and fell to the roof and thing would occur as soon as they felt the then to the ground, a distance of seventy heat from fire; yet these four persons appeared in the same position they would sitting posture, and with assistance arose naturally have taken in falling asleep a fact and walked a few steps. His injuries were -The most perilous feat that has been

attempted in Harrisburg for some time was the climbing of the flag staff on the dome of THE LADIES COMPLIMENTED! -A high-handed outrage was recently the capital, by a man who ventured up to perpetrated in Butler county, Kansas. On the topmost part, for the purpose of adjustfour men on the charge that they were horse | may again float over the Capitol. The top thieves, and, as the authorities exerted them- of the flag-staff is about one hundred and fifty feet high. -Only a single ocean cable remains un-

impaired, and this has been so overtaxed facilities heretofore enjoyed. -A frightful accident occurred in a fac. Youngstown, Ohio. The victim was the

tory at Birmingham, England, on the after. | wife of Daniel O'Brien. Two lamp explonoon of the 11th instant whereby nineteen sions took place on one day, in Buffalo, persons were killed and over seventy wound- causing death in each instance. The fluid

-The bold flights of immagination in which Grant indulges in his message, while urging the San Domingo job on Congress, convinces the Germantown Chronicle that

there is a vast amount of latent poetry in the President! -A mean trickster named Emerson, recently called upon a Miss Rowa, at Manchester, N. H., and informed her that her brother, who resides in Kansas, had died a

few days previously, and that his friends there were short about \$30 in making up the funeral expenses. She immediately ad vauced the money, supposing that it was to be sent by express. Next day she discovered that she had been made the dupe of a wily scoundrel. Last week three small children, two girls and a boy, aged respectively eleven, nine and seven years, arrived at Canton, O. having traveled all the way from Ireland

alone. They succeeded in finding their father, Mr. John Griffin, employed and residing some five miles from Canton. They had only emigrant tickets, but officers of the railroads. having souls, kindly cared for the young travelers. -The daughter of Brentlinger, the Lima,

Obio, wife murderer, testified that she was at home when her father murdered her stepmother. She heard him throw her down, and her step-mother said to his: "Be merciful to me." He replied "God d-n you, how can I be merciful to you." He then went and got his horse and made the girl hold it, and he went back to the house and said to his wife. "Sarah you ain't got enough yet, have you." He then came out of the house with a knife all bloody, and wiped it off on his sack. The defense is insanity, but ada, and Butler is to help in San Domingo. if he is acquitted on this plea, lynching is feared.

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BY virtue of sundry writs of Vend. Expond issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Clearfield county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Court House in the Borough of Clearfield, on Monday the 3th day of January, A. B. 1871, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following described Real Estate, to wit: All that tract or body of land, comprising 600 Acres, more or less, situate partly in Guelick township, Clearfield county, and partly in White township, Cambria county—the Clearfield county portion containing about 20 Acres, more or less, and the Cambria county portion the residue-said tract or body of land comprising part of the survey in the name of Jas. McMur-trie and the whole of the survey in the name of Ann McMurtrie-the whole being described as ows: Beginning near the Cambria county ine, at the north-west corner of the James Mo Murtrie survey, thence along the western boundary line of that survey and of the Ann McMurtrie survey, south 29 degrees, east 460 perches, to a maple, the south-west corner of the Ann McMurtrie survey; thence north 61 degrees, east along the line of Ann McMurtrie's survey 320 perches, tola dogwood, the south-east corner of Ann McMurtrie's survey; thence north 29 degrees, west along the eastern boundary line of the Ann McMurtrie survey 230 perches, to the common corner of the Ann McMurtrie and Jas. McMurtrie surveys; thence along the division line between said surveys, south 61 deg., west 198 perches, to a hemlock; thence north 15 defaned, private houses entered and plundered, gift was either a mistake or "conscience grees, west 18 perches, to a post; thence south and the lives of all those who profess attach north 4 degrees, west 28 perches, to a hemlock thence south 61 degrees, west 50 perches, to th place of beginning—the portion in Clearfield county being unimproved; the portion in Cambria county containing improvements consist-ing of a Water Saw Mill, with Dwelling House, stable, and about Two Acres of garden. Also about Eight Acres of meadow on the roadside, adjoining S. North, and having about Four Acres of the mountain land cleared and fenced, Seized and taken in execution as the property of Morris R. Sayer.

C. HOWE,

Dec. 15, 1870.-3t.

Sheriff of Clearfield Co.

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