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EBENSBURC, PA.,

# Democratic State Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR. NDREW H. DILL, of Union County. FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR. JOHN FERTIG, of Crawford County. FOR SUPREME JUDGE. ENRY P. ROSS, of Montgomery County. SECRETARY INTERNAL AFFAIRS, SIMPSON AFRICA, of Huntingdon. -----Democratic District Ticket." FOR CONGRESS, JEN. A. H. COFFROTH, of Homerset. Domocratic Conney Ticket. AFFEMBLY. 0. WODDRUFF, Comemnugh Borough ; OHN FENLON, EDensburg. REGISTER AND RECORDER. JOHN G. LAKE, Ebensburg. TREASURERS DR. A. YEAGLEY, Jobustown. COMMISSIONERS, HN CAMPBELL, Conemangh Borough : EORGE GURLEY, Ebensburg. Dellarge today permitteet.

JENCE PATTERSON, Johnstown. SURVEYOR. HENRY SCANLAN, Carrolltown APDITORS, PRIMP D. SKELLY, Portage Twp. PATRICK DILLON, Elder Twp.

THE people of that portion of Luzerne sounty proposed to be erected into a new county, to be called Lackawanna, with Scranton as the county scat, voted on the sventh county in the State.

----DEMOCRATIC State, Congressional district, county, city and town committees that have not already done so, are requested to communicate at once with the Demoatic Congressional Committee at Washugton, D. C., addressing their communications to Hon. Joseph C. S. Blackburn, one or more insertions.

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three or four of his blood-and-thunder harangues in Massachusetts, has sought fresh fields and pastures new, and on Saturday last made his appearance at Indian-DAY, - - - - AUG. 23, 1878, apolis. His stay in the West will be brief, as he intends returning to Boston and which will result, if he is successful in the

what sort of a man this ranting reformer is :

a mation, are entitled at least to som in this great republic. [Applause,] issues he pooled. Cricg of "Good !"] Let those internal pirates put that in their pipes and smoke it. [Langhter,] Let them take timoly warning. The air is filled, with the mutterings of the thunder that proceeds the coming storm. Even the leaves in the forest are whispering to cach other about the desolation which is to take them. We contain the met are whispering to prestion last week with the following re-ault : for the new county 9,615 ; against it, 1,086, showing a majority of 7,629 in its hattle-ery? [Cries of "We will."] It is callfor favor. Lackawanna will make the sixtynight; by the sun, that shines by day; by the each and all its inhabitants and by hell beneath us, the Chinese must go. [Prolonged applause.

As Gen. John A. Logan, of Illinois, is said to have joined the church by a message over the telegraph wires, so General Campbell has been renominated for Congress by the conferees from Somerset county de- could catch their lost breath a swath fifty | with the proceeds and the money gone to chahman, or to Duncan S. Walker, secre. claring bim to be the nominee in a pub- feet wide was mown through the forest. tary. A complete list of each committee, lished letter or circular, and the conferees dreadful path. sult would have been the same if there had shot through the swaying trees, so that the

been a formal meeting of the conferees, venerable trunks were cut off level with the In his speech at Matblehead, Massa-and for one special reason it is to be re-ground, and the bodies thrown with re-from Reading, in this State, pretends to Shuseits, last week, Dennis Kearbey among other choice things said: "I am down on bell earned a place on the Republican Na-bell earned a place on the Republican National Committee by going to the White branches of trees-all came thundering cloth weavers conceived it, and now num-House one day last Spring and inducing down amid darkness, ruin and flying deso bers 800,000, in the country at large, 95,000 Hayes to agree to a practical revocation of lation. Ruin and death joined hands, and of them being Pennsylvanians. The order sellow fever, his circular of a year ago, prohibiting office- proportion of this prosperous city. they devastated a fair and considerable is exceedingly secret, having until lately holders from making contributions to an The names of the sufferers so far as aselectioneering fund, and even getting him | certained are as follows : (Hayes) to say that he intended to put up right leg so shattered that it was amputated William Rees, 17 years of age, had his (Hayes) to say that he intended to put up some of his money in that way himself. right leg so shattered that it was amputated at the knee; Andrew Gallagher, 13 years is asys the railroad riots of 1877 gave the ornext Massachusotts andience he addresses. That interview and its results, by which old, had his head completely torn from his Hayes stultified himself, created a good body, leaving nothing but a pulpy mass afterward joined it in great numbers. No deal of surprise, and to this day the country is ignorant of the module operand the which The Republicans of Chester county are is ignorant of the modus operandiby which his hip and lower extremities smashed and after Don Cameron with a very long and so modest and mildly mannered a man as torn so badly that his entrails protruded. a very dangerous pole. At their usual an-usual meeting last week they unanimously pletely reversing Hayes' civil service order. 60 years old, had his leg broken in two places and shattered. It was amputated at esting than that heretofore published of a very dangerous pole. At their usual an- | General Campbell succeeded in so com- he died at 6 o'clock ; Richard Stevenson, If the conferees had met, General Campbell the knee. Sadie Brasier, aged 10 years, this order, because more particular and Resources, That this meeting approves the course of Hon. James B. Everhart, our representative in the State Scale, and that we instruct the members of the Legislature from this county to vote for hom for United States made a speech, in which he undoubtedly Two young ladies who were driving to Minersville had a narrow escape. A large made a speech, in which he undoubtedly Minersville had a narrow escape. A large would have explained to the conferees, and descending rock struck the horse in the through them to the country, just how he side, tearing the astonished animal wide set the thing up on Hayes at the momora. open. The ladies jumped from the carble interview referred to. As it is, con- riage and ran for their lives. Every attenfor United States Senator, and refused to jecture must continue to play its part in cians of this city. tion was given the sufferers by the physiattempting to cut the Gordian knot. The house of Henry Steahlo, was nearly -----torn down, and Mr. and Mrs. Steable both received severe wounds. Latlin & Rand's THE Crawford County system is the magazine near by, containing several hunmode by which the Republican party in dred kegs of powder, was badly shattered, Somerset county makes its nominations, but there was no explosion. and in consequence of the bold and shame-Fisher's huge coal breaker, one hundred less frauds that were perpetrated under it badly damaged. A portion of the engine at the last primary elections, a large name house was demolished. The explosion was ber of disgusted Republicans have revolted heard eleven miles. The house of James Galbraith, at Mount Hope, is a complete against the nominations which were then wreck. The total loss is estimated at \$45,made, and issued a call for the election of 000. The coroner will hold an inquest totwo delegates in each district on Saturday morrow morning. last, to meet in convention on Tuesday last \_THE LATEST-THE CORONER'S INQUEST. the propriety of its action. Under other to nominate a full county ticket. What circumstances the exercise of such a power the convention did on Tuesday we have of yesterday's explosion was visited by several thousand persons to-day, many not yet learned. This new departure cannot fail to seriously affect Republican har- Among the wounded who it is thought mony in one of its ancient strongholds. cannot recover are Mrs. Steahle, an elderly Assuming what is true, that the Crawford lady, whose shall was fractured. Last county system is essentially Democratic, for the reason that it is based on the will hopes were entertained by the physiciaus ope that her life might be saved, but no the second choice of the convention, the of the majority of a political party in a to-day for her recovery. county, it is incomprehensible why it is Richard Stovens, who had his log severely cut and refused to have it amputated, Butler county has been heretofore related soldom, if ever, fairly and honestly carried out. It is the fruitful parent of all manner to day was that Richard Vaughn and An- Plummer for fighting a free pipe bill while the Democracy of the county will yield of frand, while it really ought truthfully drew Gallagher died from the effects of in- in the Legislature. Plummer replied that and absolutely to reflect the popular will. The fault is clearly not inherent in the system itself, but must be imputed entirely and believe it was caused by lightning. Additional discoveries made to day of the wounded makes the number eleven. THE NEXT PRESIDENCY .- In the course nominated as the Republican candidate for Somerset primaries, 1,597 more votes were editor of the Cincinnati Commercial, yes-Governor inspite of Mackey and Quay, who poiled than were cast for Hayes in 1876. terday, a New York reporter asked him :-"What about the third term ?" "It is the subject of a good deal of discussion, which I have desired to promote, believing that the more the people think and talk about it, the less likely will they -----THE Texas Democratic State ticket is a good be to be guilty of such folly." "Whom can the Republicant nominate

DENNIS KEARNEY, having delivered A Terrible Powder Explosion. LIGHTNING STRIKES AND EXPLODES ELEV-

EN HUNDRED REGS OF POWDER-MANY PERSONS EILLED AND INJURED-MUCH PROPERTY DESTROYED,

POTTSVILLE, Pa., August 17 .- At halfpast 4 o'clock this afternoon a line of black ed: Mr. Angell is a man forty years of stumping the Eay State in favor of the and terrifying clouds swept up from the age, agreeable in manner and exceedingly election of his friend, the demagogue Ben west, and in a few moments the entire competent for the position he occupied. Butler, to the office of Governor. Butler heavens over Pottsville were crashing and His social relations have until recently been blazing with electric discharges. is certain of being made the nominee of the storm raged in sublime fury. While the good conduct he has won the entire configreenback party in that state for Governor, sky over Pottsville was in full possession of and is putting forth all his efforts to get a the raging elements, a shaft of red-hot in business. nomination also from the Democrats, forked lightning descended with a frightful roar into the very foundations of a powder leaving two infant children. This loss magazine. The arsenal belonged to H. A. seemed for a time to impair his mental and

game he is playing, in a complete rupture Weldy & Co., and was situated on the physical health. Lately he has gradually of the Democracy, who will never consent, outskirts of the city. About eleven hun- been recovering good spirits, but having to lower their than-honored fing and march dred kegs of giant blasting powder wers suffered during the past winter disappointstored away in the recesses of the massive ment in some social affairs, it now transunder the piratical banner held aloft by a building. The magazine and all the build. pires he fell into disreputable associations, political jumping jack like Butler. It is, ings around it were literally blown into which, however, were unknown even by difficult to conceive how sensible working- atoms. It was like the bursting forth of a bis intimate business friends. At about mon can be led astray by the insane and volcanic crater where explosive gases have been accumulating for ages.

senseless ravings of Dennis Kearney, whose Pottsville is a large town. Its buildings York, as he (Mr. Pullman) was about reentire stock in trade consists in a single rest on solid rock foundations, but this af- turning from Europe, and started East for idea-a chronic batted of the Chinese, ternoon, when the 1,100 kegs of giant that avowed purpose. Mr. Pullman reach-The following extract from one of his powder were touched by the glowing light-ed New York on a steamer on the 7th inst., ning, the town and all the earth around and as Mr. Angell did not appear for a day speeches in Boston, will serve to show shook as if a planet had struck them. Inmates of houses were hurled from dispatched Angell's brother to Saratoga

The workingmen's party is going to be the chains as if they were in the path of an avalanche. Large and decply-rooted trees of fire shuff liek the inderight sky. It must win though hell their should bed over. The work-ingmen have long enough entimited to the die-tates of bank smaller, rail-road thieves and political bunniers. The work-ingmen have been draged all over the country like safe of the stage of the substantial houses and force of interies takes of toll, the men whose brawoy ariss and developed brains and force of interies takes to some respect in mition, are entitled at least to some respect. air like bursting shells. The life of no one , ken, although considerable, is not sufficient, was safe. Slate roofs, masses of flooring, to occasion the company any embarrass huge sections of timbers, chimney towers ment, nor to interfere with its regular busand foundation stones were all mingled to- iness or dividends. The possible maximum gether, and in the twinkling of an eye they of loss sustained is \$120,000, partly in cash were flung in the blazing clouds only to and partly in securities of the company come thundering down again and crush which were in his possession as Secretary. the terrified citizens of Pottsville to muti- | The money he drew out of the bank was lation and death.

At the very moment when the appalling | senting to the company's cashier that he catastrophe was about to occur a party of | was sending it to the office of the company young people were holding a picuic in a in New York, and that proper vouchers pleasant grove about half a mile away .- would be returned, thus evading or over-Suddenly the storm burst upon them, and riding the custom of the office which revivid lightning made the sky seem to their quired vouchers to accompany every pay-young eyes as if it were filled with burning ment of money. So great was the confidence blazing ribbons. In the midst of this reposed in his honor and integrity that this scene of wild and awful splendor a long action created no uneasiness until his igzag meteor hurled its dazzling mass of mysterious and protracted absence became light into the bowels of the powder maga- of itself a cause for suspiciou. It is poseizine, and before the astonished company ble he has converted the securities, and The picnic grounds lay directly in its vigorous measures for Mr. Angell's appre-

with the post-office address of each ment- from each of the other three counties in The thousands of cubic yards of stone in the funds and securities abstracted by him, bet, is desired. Democratic exchanges the district have concurred in writing in the foundations of the magazine were rent but for obvious reasons the measures will confer a favor by giving this notice the action of Somerset. Of course, the re- into squares as large as dry goods boxes,

## Heavy Defalcation.

GEO. P. ROWELL & CO.'S REPLY TO THE NEW YORK HERALD. -In its issue of the A Chicago despatch of the 17th says : 9th inst. the New York Herald threw down The papers to-morrow morning will pablish the gauntlet in this wise : particulars of a defalcation by Charles W. We make, therefore, the following proposi-

Angell, Secretary of the Pullman Palace tion to Rowell & Co.: If they, or their friends, for them, will put up twenty five thousand del-lars, with the condition that this sum shall be paid by them to the Metropolitan Museum of Art or to any public charity that may be agreed on. In case the sworn report of the Heraff's cir-culation is shown by proper and thorough ex-Car Company. From an interview with Mr. Pullman the following facts are learncontribut is shown by proper and thorough ex-emination to be correct. The *Heraki* will also put up an equal sum of twenty-five thousand doilars, which it will agree shall be paid over to the Metropolitan Art Museum or to any public charity that may be agreed on, ip case its sworn The of the very best character, and by years of dence of the company and of his associates

charity that may be agreed on, in case its sworn report of circulation is proved false. The con-dition being that Rowell & Co, shall choose one respectable expert, to make an examination of press rooms, books, papers, etc.; the *Hernid* shall choose another; and those two shall select a third; and these three shall forthwith make the examination and a report, which they shall publish. This much for Howell & Co., who, we trust, to use the binguage of Western sporting min, will now "either put ap or shut up." About three years ago his wife died,

This brought out the following rejoinder, through the New York Sun of the 16th, from Messrs. Rowell & Co. :

### OUR FIRST PROPOSITION

will forfeit \$25,000 to the Metropolitan proposed to meet Mr. Pullman in New Museum of Art against an equal amount to be paid by the Heraid, if the committee appointed according to the Herald's stipulation does not pronounce the Herald's circulation claims as furnished to us to be in excess of the facts, OUR SECOND PROPOSITION.

We will forfeit \$10,000, as above, if the committee appointed according to the Herald's stip ulations does not pronounce the Herald's chain or two became anxious regarding him, and to be more than 10,000 copies in excess of the

# OUR THIRD PROPOSITION.

We will forfelt \$5,000, as above, if the com-mittee appointed according to the Garaid's stipulations does not pronounce our estimate cearer the actual facts than the Gerald's writtea cialin.

# OUR FOURTH PROPOSITION.

We will forfeit \$1,000, as above, if the committee appointed as above do not pronounce that the circulation of \$5,000 copies daily average, as estimated by us, to be in excess of th actual circulation of the Gerald at that time. OUR FIFTH PROPOSITION.

We will forfeit \$500, as above, if the committee appointed according to the Gerahl's stipu-lations pronounce that the actual daily sales of the Gorald, at that time, averaged as much as one-half the number claimed by Mr. W. H. Renry in the written statement furnished by bigs for the guidance of the editor of the Amen-ICAN NEWSPAPER DIRECTORY.

upon two checks of \$25,000 each, he repre-Herald, and shall be glad to know at an early hour which one it elects to accept. GEO. P. ROWELL & CO., 10 Spruce St., New York, Aug. 15, 1878.

A FRVER STRICKEN TOWN .- A correspondent at Grenada, Miss., under date of Friday, gives the following vivid portrayal of the distress prevailing there in conse- erson in West Hoboken, N. J., who has that she should be buried within the r quence of the ravages of the terrible scourge, yellow fever, now afflicting the Southern cities :

Every one able to fly from this fever-stricken business and proposes, if possible, to recover the funds and securities abstracted by him, but for obvious reasons the measures adopted cannot be made public. How STRONG ARE THEX?-A corres-pondent of the New York Tribune, witting from Reading, in this State, pretends to give a full inside history of the Knights of Every one able to fly from this fever-stricken Europe. The company is taking most

But go they do-anywhere to excapt the But go they do-anywhere to excapt the m. I heard that it was only on Sonday death. ch had occurred previous to that time wer yellow fever. The disease has spread rapid; since then and is of the most malignant type The distress is great. No one unacquainte that never has he seen a people so bady scourged. The Howard association has been doing nobig. Their workers are here from Momphis and New Orleans. Toey divide the town into districts, and as speedily as possible town into districts, and as speedily as possible visit the stek and dying and mialster to their wants. Unlike the fever in New Orleans the scourge afflicts the bests citizeas of the pince. In New Orleans the deaths occ ly among the unacclimated and the children Here it is different. The negroes have enounce Here it is different. The negroes have escaped wonderfully so far, but the white people an terribly afflicted. Of course no one cart along the streets and the hurrying footstep of the nurses as they go from her cannot fail ito keep up that horrible feeling

News and Other Notings.

-The French Senator Renouald is dead. -There are about 125 laundries in operation in Philadelphia.

-The Catholics are carrying the faith into Central Africa. Nine Algerian missionaries are penetrating Zauzibar. -At Gaspe recently a brother and two time since. White was committed

sisters married a sister and two brothers. trial. -The Centre county bar instead The families pooled their issues, as it were. -A Westfield (Mass., firm has begun adopting the customary resolutions in occasion of the death of a lawyer the manufacture of circular eigar boxes,

duced a new feature : a succinet name holding fifty cigars. Advantage-superior of his life, tersely and elegantly cheapness. was presented and ordered to be -The Cleveland Herald wants the fence pulled down between the Democratic and among the archives of the association a National parties, since both are advocating printed, which will, as others in tim

added, form a ffeature in the archives the same measures. -The dispatches state that Premier Tis- the county of great value. za has been elected by Sepsi-Gyoergy and man Catholie journal, addresses a perreturned by Schemnitz. Tisza mixed state article to Kearney, in which it says

of affairs, evidently. -A worm in Ireland is devouring the turnip crop rapidly. If science has not christened it, they might call him Micawber ; waiting for something to turnip. -Kimpton stole \$650,000 from the State of South Carolina, and because the State You commit a crime when your in

wishes him to account for the crime, he is and blind utterances hold up the tause added to the list of carpet-bag martyrs, lator to public derision." -In the stomach of a large fish recently -A woman of Attala, Ala,, human caught in the river near Port Washington, eighteen years one way and 105 per

Ohio, was found the watch and chain lost by a man wading the river over two years -Col. Vest is making a very active can- ing 18 pounds, was born on the vass for the United States senatorship in

Missouri. The members of the legislature may take it into their heads to pull him the Gadeden Times, adds the New 7 down.

World, fill the air with perfumas, and -Peter McManus, a Mollie Maguire, has whetted his little batchet on the increase been found guilty at Sunbury, Pa., of mur-der in the first degree. John O'Neill, alstone just before his last laste were press. leged accomplice, will be tried at the next -After the body of John Ten Free term of Court. executed murderer, reached Chaster,

-The Baltimore Gazetic says that some it was exhibited for several hours arrangment must be made, now that the freight house of the Boston & Albany harvests are about to move, to transport a road at ten cents admission fee. The crop of Southern outrages to the close dis- ceipts amounted to fifteen dollars, tricts of the North. colored men, one the father in law of

-Dauiel W. Reed has started on a one deceased, had the body in charge. hundred and fifty days' walk from Malden, said they were forced to exhibit We submit the above propositions to the Mass., to San Francisco. This second clamors of the crowd. Sheriff Daniel will come to judgment when he went to Chester to stop the exhibition meets the first hostile tribe.

-A gravel bed at Sterling Junction, N. Y., gave way Friday morning, burying Fred Baer, Howard Schulze, Nicholas heart has arisen at Nice. An Ann Archer and Tim Dineen. Dineen was ta- lady, who had been conve

ken out alive. The others were dead. -There is a married woman named Ry- Church of Father Lavigne on cond given birth to twenty-six children at eleven cinets of the edifice, The municipal accouchements, namely, eight times twins, thorities opposed such a step to again twice triplets, and once four at a birth.

-The bankrupt act goes out of existence cal legaters thought to get over the it on the first of September, so far as relates calty by burying the heart only in in to filing of new petitions. All petitions church. The family, however, would a filed prior to that date are good, and pro- permit the body to be cut. ceedings in pending cases go on to conclu-

-Benjamin Fisher, of Vergennes, Vi., reer, Senator Dill voted for every mer while shaving before a mirror, discovered a large spider on his shoulder. Misled by Ingmen of the commonwealth ; that the reflection in the glass, in trying to can give the date and page of the brush it off he cut an artery, and bled to the Record where those voters are re-

and we will bet \$1,000 th

Kearney was a "marble-hearted flend," and a marble-headed polyroon, to thus dander his particular friend, "glorious Ben Butler," as he called him in his first speech at Boston. We would not now be surprised if Donnis should give Bon the nnkindest cut of all, by blinting out to the inta month.

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matter and to use all honorable (means to se-

The sting in this resolution is that Everhart refused to go into the Republican caucus last winter to nominate Cameron vote for him in the joint convention. "Charge, Chester, charge,

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THE proceedings of the Democratic County Committee whiching tatthe Court House on Wednesday last, to determine the mode of filling the vacancy occasioned by the declination of Joseph A. Wertner, the nomince for County Treasurer, will be found on our local page. A majority of the committee having decided that it would fill the vacancy itself, and having made a pomination, it is too late now to discuss. source of danger, but in the present instance no fear of trouble or dissension in the party need be apprehended. At the county convention held in June, Dr. Audrew Yeagley received on the final ballot 40votes out of 102, for Treasurer, and being committee could not new disregard his claims, "All's well that ends well," and as Dr. Yeagley's fitness is not questioned, him a cordial and united support,

"A POLITICAL TRIMMER" is the title which Galusha A. Grow has now carned to the election officers under it. If they for himself. He labored under the singu- will not act honestly, but permit members lar delasion up to the meeting of the Re- of the opposite party and minors to vote, publican State convention, that he could be fraud will of course be the result. At the were running the machine in favor of Hoyt. In some Democratic counties in which the On last Saturday week, he delivered a system prevails, the same magnificent respeech to a Republican meeting at Oil City, suits have been achieved. in which he defended the National Banks, opposed the substitution of greenbacks for National bank notes, and closed by vigor ously shaking the bloody shirt. In 1872. Grow was a warm supporter of Greeley for President, and endorsed all off Greeley'skind hearted and benevolent appeals in favor of peace and reconciliation. And now that true and genuine peace does prevail throughout the South, Grow wants to disturb it and to revive the hatred of races and the animosity of sections. It is enough bave placed a few thieving carpet-baggers as he was about the place on the beach of to cause the bones of Horace Greeley to upon it, and thus secured for it his warm the Supreme Comt, holding that it was cate, as he was last winter when he introturn around in their collin, when one of endorsement. Will the editor of the Tri- not a thing to be worked for. But passing duced the Free Pipe bill in the State Senhis supporters in 1872 thus dishonors him bune please to state who, in his superior from Bristow to Biame. I can drop a sug-men, and to Mr. Fertig as a representative self and insults his memory. Grow has an judgment, the Democratic State convention it, and it is that if Blaine is ever to be of the oil interest, to retract the calumny the present uncertain aspect of political af fairs might waft him (Grow' into the United its nominees-ignorant and incompetent ted yesterday by a report that Miss Sand-States Senate as the successor of Don negroes, plundering carpetbaggers, and in. ford, of New Haven, niece of Judge Sand-Cameran. That is his present purpose, transcent. That is his present purpose, and the structure lieb, every one of lore with Sech Bateman Dodge, adopted whom had been a resel, and most of whom for the keeper of a fashrouable boarding to assist him in accomplishing it.

permen of Bourbon straight. Every man on t served in the Confederate army.

On Monday last for the second time, this blood curdling paragraph appeared in are poor indeed if they have not a hundred the editorial columns of the Johnstown eligible men." Tribune. If the Democracy of Texas had prominently before the people as one of the known that their State ticket would have eligible men?" encountered the stern indignation of the editor of the Tribune, they would no doubt the people. He may be about that office

if they do not nominate Grapt ?" "I cannot answer that question. They

"Do you think Bristow is likely to come

"I think him emineutly eligible, but I have doubts whether he will come before

Philadelphia several years ago, when the

kept even its name from the public. "It is so subtly secret that members are prohibited from mentioning it even, outside of der a great impetus, as the baffied strikers professional men or merchants are admitted to membership, which is confined strictly to workingmen. The Tribune man gives the grips and signs of the order, postive, and because of the immense number of Knights he represents as belonging

to it. If we accept his story as true, we must admit that this order is very formidable in respect to its political power and its power to inaugurate and control a universal

· The wonderful increase of membership, which has startled the Knights of Labor themselves of ate, and made continued secrecy absolutely im-resultle, attributable to a settled purpose on bute all the trades, unions un They reason that when this has been ac-ished they can make a strike so anlyersal strikers of last year aver that with the present anity they could have been successful. Last

g they thought the work of annalgamation and gone far enough to insure success, and de-sired to begin a universal strike in July, but ers. The hot-hends are still insisting on mak-ng the great attempt to "grasp capital by the They next suggested August 15, as an picious date. There seems to be a deter-tation to force a strike when the railroads roin greatest demand for moving the bountifu arvest and shipping goods for the fall trado be leaders of the Knights of Labor deny al

lights of Labor deny al nors of a projected strike, while they have ir bands full holding their restiers followers They may 1 ne, but as they hold it it gathers the more

The vote polled by the Nationals in November will show whether the Order of the Knights of Labor is as strong as here represented, and we may presume that there ight portions of it were removed in the will be no demonstration in the way of a general strike before the election. 

A WOMAN SAVES THE DAY .-- HOW Plummer turned the tables on Smith in |

cill probably die. The verdict of the jury in these columns. Smith had iwitted to day was that filebard vaughn and AD-drew Gallagher died from the effects of in-juries received from stones thrown by the explosion of the powder magazine. They find no persons censurable for the explosion of the bill, but that be was representing Crawford county then, and his constitujuries received from stones thrown by the he did move the indefinite postponement find no persous censurable for the explosion Crawford county then, and his constituents remonstrated against it as tending to kill the refining interests here and build it

eye over the remonstrances, whose name should she see there, bold as John Hancock's but L. H. Smith's, her husbaud's rival and antagonist. Her womon's wit told her how to make use of his discovery, name was on the remonstrance at all. ile mittel in default of \$2,500 bail. says the assertion is a manufactured lie.

Fertig refused to give his name against the Free Pipe bill, and was then its advo-

of dread which every with him. No one can tell power to mangurate and control a universal strike. The correspondent concludes his letter with the following : The wonderful increase of membership, which the excitement the people are panic-stric The associated press telegrams undoubt The associated press telegrams undoubt-have not told half the story. Memphisis d refected, but there is a wide-spread fee of dread that the great plague of

> towns along the line of the railroad will suffer greatly, for notwithstanding all precautions people from the fever-stricken districts cannot be kept out entirely. Panies are stronger than

A DEPORMED RASCAL .- The Reading Eagle tells how a horse thief, born without arms and only recently out of prison, succeeded in getting away with a drove of cows belonging to a farmer in Delaware county. Here is the story :

About forty years ago the good people o Marshalton, Chester county, were surprised : the announcement that Dame Woodward h given hirth to a sort of monstrosity in the w ven hirth to a sort of monstrosity in the way Infants, which was declared to be devoid of ands—a sort of Richard the Hunchback, sen ito the world scarce half made up. The in misitive women, who satisfied their curlosity y calling with true neighborly solicitude found that the pulling youngster was indeed a freak of nature. The sole representatives of "pickers and stealers" which the newly arrived ttle stranger bore were two long book-lik

due canvass of the probable causes of the A due can vasib, the producte causes of the phenomenon finally attributed it to the shock Mrs. Woodward had received by the sight of Sam Mosely's bired man, who had met with a gunning accident some months previously, which mutilated the hand precisely as the in-

afterwards developed a coverousness for other people's mags, and this got him into trouble. He served two terms in the Eastern Peniten-tiary for horse thieving. He was arrested at Chambersburg, having stolen a horse and carringe, and was sequestered for several years on

county, resulted in a twelve years' sentence to the Eastern Penitentiary. He was parloned a and armed with this damaging document she took the cars and repaired to Butler, the scene of the Convention, and the arena of contest. Plummer then turned on Smith, showed him up, and turned the tide, wou an easy victory and is now the National nominee ior Cougress. Plummer denies, however that Senator Fertig's name was on the remonstrance at all. He

Daily Times, was tidden in effigy on a rail examined the Record, or else is a all through the streets of Scranton, on Thurs- and deliberate liar. We presume our night, and fired from the mouth of a can- marks on this subject are not liable to non in the public square for opposing the misconstrued. Now, then, put up or du new county scheme, -It is a wise child that knows its own

father from a tame fox that had been kill- limited in Texas, the negroes in the r ing chickens. Albert Cook, of Allegan, of the eclipse did not know what was Mich., did not, and lodged ninety-two buckshot in his father's bowels. At Fran- | On Senator Coke's plantation, near cesville, Ind., William Raider mistook they fell on their knees in the fields Joseph Engel for a woodcock and shot out | exclaimed, that the day of jur both his eves.

hanging to a rafter by his mother, who cut his son's head open with a hatchet, as him down before he had time to die. He ed by a ladder to the roof and cu became indignant at the interference and throat from ear to ear. His wife a was about cutting his throat when a police- same moment ran out into the field man arrived. He was taken to the police hear Gabriel's trumpet, and scene station, where he made the second attempt | 'Come, sweet chariot to hang himself.

-John Ten Eyck (colored) was hanged was twisting the wisp around a shear at Pittsfield, Mass., Friday morning, for wheat the other day, a large raties the murder of Mr. and Mrs. David Still- sprang from the straw directly toward man, at Sheffield, on the 29th of Novem- face. The farmer mechanically three ber last. He confessed committing other | hand out and caught the snake area crimes, but denied the murder of the Still- neck just in time to prevent its faste mans. He was also guilty of bigamy, leav- its fangs in his nose. He held the s ing three wives and a number of children. firmly in his hand and called for all -On Thursday evening, Austin, Neva- companion ran and cut the scrpents da, was visited by a cloud-burst, which off with a scythe. The rattlesnake w flooded the business part of the town, do- itself so tightly about Landis bare a

down a ravine and drowned. The Reveille | half feet long, and had nine rattles office and many business buildings were wrecked. The residence portion of the that the wheat crop for 1878 h town escaped. -It was Hayes and-Wheeler. Yes,

Wheeler. What has become of Wheeler? Statesmen who aspire to the honors of the and Minnesota, the crop for this year Vice Presidency should think of the fate | mains from eighty to minety of this once prominent person. When a ols in excess of the crop of 187 man is made Vice President, by fraud or now safely turn our attention otherwise he drops out of sight as quickly | consideration of the question of how as harlequin when he alights on the trap- grain we are likely to have to sell h door of the stage.

Franklin, Pa., alleged that a certain gen- for it. All present indications por tleman had entered a married lady's cham- long term of very moderate prior ber at a campmeeting at an unseasonable breadstuffs. hour and under suspicious circumstences.

himself the party referred to, and threw stricken town for the past tare pepper into the eyes of the editor and hours beggars description. torsewhipped him. -The Lancaster Intelligencer very perti- sick, dying, or dead. It is put nently remarks, that throughout all itshis- to see an entire family post

man's best interests. He who deserts it hours was seventeen. The popul now makes a fatal mistake, and only aids decreased to a little over two 1 to fasten more tightly about his neck the whites, leaving but fow new of galling collar which years of Republican M. Freedman and wife, from New C maladministration have riveted on him.

risburg Patriot of a recent date, keeps on veloped yellow fever. with its villainous abuse of Gen. Coffroth the majority against Campbell in Bedford Clyde (O.) Enterprise, county will hardly be less than 1,000. living on a farm owned by Mr. Whenever the democrats of Bedford desire er, in Townsend township, shot to roll up a tremendous majority for a can- a flying pigeon, in the crop of wi didate they manage to get the Inquirer to, cut open, he found three kerne

Kirkbride's asylum, has become more and the stubble removed from violent, and it is found necessary to con- by the roots. One of the stor fine him more closely than heretofore. He enty-two stalks, with heads n has shown no evidence of physical paraly- well filled with wheat ; the sis since his derangement, but on the con- about fifty stalks, also headed of trary, developing immense strength of heads filled. But the most muscle and force of endurance, requiring thing about the entire grow frequently tromenduous strength to sub- fact that every head contained due him in his paroxysms.

-The Philadelphia Record thinks they gentlemen were present when have thick-witted thieves in Williamsport, were open, all of whom attest th Pa. Last week one gang broke into a newspaper office in search of plunder, and created by the last Legislati another undertook to rob the Treasurer of

Chase, editor of the Scranton who asserts the contrary, has ather a

-John O'Neill has brought suft an

decoyed and led astray his daughter As

by means of love powders put in ar

this statement, and asserts that he

-The Boston Pilot, the well-known R.

member, Kearney, it is no energy

speaks. Every word we say here a

ingmen. In their name, for their inter-

we conderan your intemperate con

other, is declared to have given birth

high and 91 inches across the chest, we

cently to comparative twins, the

other, weighing 3 pounds, op the 4th

cherry trees in the garden of the editor

arrived too late, the party having statis

-A curtous controversy over a moman

man Catholic faith, left south

the health regulations, but the recis-

-The Bellefonte Watchman says: "

now declare that in all his legislative

of relief asked for by the miners and in

for Blandford.

reach the eyes or cars of a million work

O'Neill's daughter were married

gundrops and caudies." White

Wm. White, both of Pittsburgh.

alleges that White "maliciously

-The circulation of nimanace her happen, and were overcome with come. In Buchanan, where -- Henry Alless, of Pittsburgh, was found began, Eph. Miller ran into his but. -As Jacob Landis, of Erwin, N.

ing damage to the amount of about \$100, - that a broad red mark on the firsh sh 000. A man named Sparlan was swept every coil. The sunks was three a

-It is now put almost beyond ist one ever grown in the U After making all proper deduct partial failure of spring wheat -The Evening News, published at where we shall be able to find a m

A prominent citizen of Franklin considered | Aug. 7th, says : The scene in this -A dispatch from Grounds, Miss. men and women and helpless ch tory the Democratic party has been the swept away in a few brief hours special friend and exponent of the working- ficial death-list for the past two en route to New York, were pul -If the Bedford Inquirer, says the Har- train this morning-both cases of an

> -On the 19th of September last, tember 20, and two of the grams

-The "Middle Penitentiary

blackguard him. That always brings the These kernels he planted perit -Ex-Senator M. B. Lowrie, confined at A short time since they were

last v Pa., tivs of wheat, while and red

the counties of Adams. Brat a Greenback Labor Club. It is well known | Bedford, Cambria, Clinton, C -Curiosity has been excited by the re- that newspapers have no money and no ex- field, Columbia, Cumberland ceut publication of reports of dissensions pectation of any. The Greenbackers have Fulton, Franklin, Lycomiug. in the Oneida community, and of the prob- no money, but they design to make it so Juniata, Mifflin, McKean, able imminent dissolution of that unique plenty that thieves will steal other proper- umberland, Potter, Perry, organization. These reports have now ty in preference. been followed by categorical denials of -At Olean, a small town in the oil re- ty-soven counties, with a their truth, and there appears to be little gions, on Saturday night about nine o'clock about 1,000,000.) The Gov ground for supposing them to have any foundation. It has among its principles three footpads, John Riff, employed in of whom shall be residents of certain doctrines, alleged to be scientific, Barrett's tannery, was crossing the river to select a site, prepare plans which are formulated into a system called "complex marriage." The three hundred persons who now form the community insist that not only are they perfectly well his money, and another cut his throat from less than fifteen acres, and the satisfied with the results of this system, so ear to ear. They then threw him into the to be modeled after the East far as the affections are concerned, but water but he was washed ashore and was tiary at .Philadelphia. that its physical results are in every way found next morning in an onthonse almost thousand dollars were appropriated act toward the work.

kill the refining interests here and build it up in Baltimore, at our expense. But as luck would have it, the original petitions, or remonstrances, were found by Mrs. Plummer at her home in this city. She has been in the habit of preserving her husband's letters and writings, he being

his charge. The second offense, committed in Bucks

had just three classes from which to select -Society at Newport, R. I., was agitatelligent, capable white meo, every one of ford, of New York, ran away the night be-| had "served in the Confederate army ?" house at Bateman's Point.

object in view in the game he is now playing. He will support Hoyt with the hope that if he is elected, a turn in the tide of not wish to see him calumniated uor misrepresented for all that, for political effect. He resents the idea that he started the story and ever charged that Fertig's name was attached to the remonstrance against a Free Pipe bill. - Titusvitle Herald

> . . . . -The days are perceptibly abbreviated. The most satisfactory.