FRED KURTZ, . . . Editor CENTRE HALL, PA., May 17, 1883.

The tanning of human skins seems to be an industry peculiar to Massachusetts, and carried on to a considerable extent. -Bellefonte Republican. .

The Republican might as well been a a little more explicit and said the tanning of negro skins by negro-loving Massachusetts, etc.

Governor Pattison issued a proclamationideclaring forfeited the charters of all those corporations which have failed to make a return to the Attorney-General within three years and which have not responded since the issuing of a previous proclamation thirty days ago. Between 650 and 700 charters are declared forfeited. The list is composed largely of defunct concerns.

The Chicago Inter Ocean : Some of the biggest grumblers of the Republican parideas of the "best methods for securing the county of Clearfield. He was reapharmony in the Republican party." One of the best things they could do would be to resolve to quit grumbling and fault-finding. When a man delights to hurl rocks in at the window and smash his own furniture, he is not just the man to instruct his neighbors as to the best methods for securing a quiet household.

Ex-Sepator Conkling, in his recent New York speech, said, among other things, the Democrats were about to take control of the country. Two years ago the Republican party came out of a stoutly fought battle victorious from sea to sea north and south of Mason and was organized, and held the office until invitation to everybody to come and Dixon's line. It fought the greatest political battle ever fought. It was a battle heavily weighted, but the Republicans rallied under the old leaders and gloriand now the speaker could think of but three of the Northern States in which the Republicans were victorious. In concluding his remarks the ex-Senator said tre and Clearfield. He served during the that many of those who were influential in shaping the affairs of the Government were "merely playing push-pin party to supply the place of that gentleover the rot and rubbish of low, tricky politics."

Mr. Henri Waterson says that "Pennsylvania may go to the devil." She may, possibly-but the chances are that she will go Republican .- Omaha Republican. Well, where's the difference ?

ter counties show that prospects are good for large crops of hay and grain. him to the grave. Two sisters of the de-ceased still reside in Carlisle, Pa.

## THE CENTRE REPORTER. DEATH OF HON. JAMES M'MANUS.

James MacManus, the nestor of the "How. Centre county bar, died at Bellefonte, on isn't it? Saturday afternoon, 5 instant, and was buried on Tuesday following. His was 78 years, 11 months and 18 days. His age

A committee appointed by the bar at a meeting prepared a minute of the life of

pointed the same position in 1828 and '29, by attorney generals Blythe, Elmaker and Markley. In 1830 he was appointed by Attorney General Douglass, deputy attorney general for the counties of Clearfield and Centre. This appointment was re newed by attorney generals Ellis Lewis and M. Dallas in 1833, and Ovid F. John- SPRING OPENING '83. son in 1839. In 1844 he was again reappcinted to the same position by Attor-ney General John K. Kline, but declined

to accept.

When Jefferson county was annexed to the fourth judicial district Judge Burnside appointed Mr. MacManus to prosecute the pleas of the Common wealth for that county. He was appointed by Judge Woodward to the some position ing up my goods, I extend a cordial for Clinton county, when that county

1842. He was council for the commis-

years.

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and elected to the legislature, with L. W. Smith to represent the counties of Cen- Valises in the county. I haven't \$40,-

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W. W. Potter, he was the choice of his say, but what I have is new and of the

man as representative in Congress for this district, but declined to accept a nomination. He was once offered the po-

sition of president judge by Governor some cheap goods. I have some of Schunk, but declined."

He was married early in life to Miss Jane Armor, who died in November, 1859, almost 24 years ago. Three chil-dren survive him, viz.: Mrs. W. S. Zel-ler, Miss Frances MacManus and Miss Maggie MacManus. There were five

Reports from Berks, Lebanon, Lehigh, Lancaster, Bucks, Montgomery and Ches-bim for the grave. Two sisters of the deal of the data of what I will do, but if you

Songs Never Subg. "How does that verse run ? Something like this

"There are who touch the magic string, And noisy fame is proud to win them,

Alas ! for ihose who never sing, But die with all their music in them."

"Yes that's beautiful, pathetic and true," said Mr. MacManus consisting of General your representative. "The poet alludes to people

meeting prepared a minute of the life of Mr. MacManus consisting of General Mr. MacManus consisting of General Maximum and A. O. Furst, esqs., and Hon. Jobn B. Linn. These gentlemen subsequently presented a sketch of con-siderable length. The county bar at-tended the funeral as a body.
We knew Mr. MacManus well and have lost in him a most sincere and cherished friend. He maintained his large mental faculties until his end. We have in our possession his last legal', la-bors, some thirty pages of manuscript prepared only a few months ago for a case to be taken to the Supreme Court, presenting a forcible and clear argun-ment.
The following sketch of the deceased we copy from Maynard's History : "He was born on the 17th of May, 1804, in Carlisle, where he was reared and ed-ucated. In 1824 he was entered as a stur-dent of Thomas Burnside, in Belletonte, and was admitted to the bar in August, 1826. In 1827 he was appointed by Fred-erick Smith, then attorney general for the State, as deputy attorney General for the State, as deputy attorney General for the state, as deputy attorney General for the county of Clearfield. He was reap-

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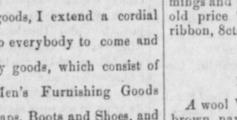
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