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THANKS -- Hon. Richard Brodhead, of the U. S. Senate, and Speaker Boyd, of the House, will accept our thanks for copies of public document

accept our thanks for valuable State papers.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT .- We are sorry to learn that on Monday afternoon last, our friend and towns passing that resolution. man, Mr. Adam Senseman, proprietor of the livery etable on North Pitt street, met with an accident great pain from the effects of the accident.

mation of the inebriate, and the suppression of the following is the Judge's card declining a noming generous measures would quelt all attempts at sale of alcoholic liquors. If the Sons of Temperance mation: will but pursue an active and consistent course, John B. Bratton, Esq. they will succeed in effecting more good in one year than all the "Big Tent" advocates could accomplish in a century. Politics and temperance will never be able to work together, and in every instance where it is attempted so to connect them, defeat and mortification must inevitably ensue.

Rowdyism .- Have we a Police Among Us?-Our borough is at the present time much intested my friends. with rowdys, and almost nightly acts of disgraceful outrage are perpetrated within its limits, which are permitted to pass uninquired into and unjunished. On Friday night last, another of these nocturnal disturbances took place, which exceeded in blackguardism anything of the kind which has yet taken place. On that nig t, the inhabitants of the southern part of the town were aroused from are represented to be in a very flourishing condition. their slumbers by terrific yells, hollowing, blowing of trumpets, beating of old pots and kettles, and all other hideous and uncouth noises which very solutary effect upon the morals and useful. Ignies its enomies when they abuse their privileges the ingenuity of rowdyism could devise. For ness of the rising generation. There are, indeed, hours was this disgraceful scone carried on, and few means more efficient for the development of innot an officer made his appearance to endeavor to tellectual qualities than the debuting society; and quell so unseemly a riot!

If we have, it is high time those composing it it is surprising that, in a country like ours, when should attend to the duties appertaining to the the ability to speak with propriety and force, confers offices they hold, and endeavor to render some so much power upon its possessor, few are so ready equivalent for the money they receive. If we have to on'er systematically upon its cultivation. We no police, an efficient and fentless one should at are apprehensive that the popular lecturer has been once be established, regardless of expense. This permitted, rather too far, to intrude upon and throw spirit of lawlessness must be put down, for as into the shade the lyccom, with its periodical dethicity seventh parallel and the British boundary things at present exist people are not safe to walk the streets after nightfall. We shall advert to

PENNSYLVANIA PROHIBITORY CONVENTION. - WE the Prohibitory Law Convention, which assemlarge delegation from Cumberland county. Col. HULTZ, of Allegheny county, was called to the riper years. Chair, who was assisted by a number of Vice The New Postage Bill. - The project for chang-Presidents and Secretaries. Strong resolutions ing the sites of postage under this government, rewere passed in favor of a Prohibitory Law, and an appeal made to the Legislature to submit the Committee on Port- ffices and Post-roads, contemquestion to the people. Two public incettings plates making it abligatory to prepay all letters cent were held in the evening, one in the Hall of the in the mails, and proposes also to fix the rates of only 160 miles wide by an extreme length which thouse of Representatives, and the other in the postage at three cents per half ounce for all distances cannot be travelled over short of 1000 miles. Noof the Maine Liquor Law, was present in the greater distances. House, and made an eloquent address. General meeting held in the church. Great enthusiasm prevailed, and much unanimity of feeling characterized the proceedings of the Convention.

GOVERNOR'S MANSION .- A bill has been intro duced into the House of Representatives at Harrisburg, to appoint a committee of five to inquire into the expediency of erecting a mansion for the signed by the Governor, and is now a law. Pre-Governor. The attempt has frequently been made vious to the final passage of the bill, several sub-Governor. The attempt has frequently been made to pass a bill authorizing an appropriation for the pass a bill authorized in it. The bill included in it. The bill includes the whole county and it is intended to keep the Library open during the entire year. Dr. Da Witt was the inimate, is tration has given general satisfaction, and deserved to the bill be placed under one government. The pass and of the Commissioner of Patents has decided in fever the bill be placed under one government. The pass and of the Commissioner of Patents has decided in fever the bill be placed under one government. The delegates this day appropriation.

HON. JOHN STUART.

The action taken by the recent Democratic county Convention which assembled in Carlisle, in recommending the Hon. JOHN STUART, of this county, as a suitable candidate for Canal Commissioner, and Instructing our Delegates to the Messra. Wherry and Maguire, of the State Senate, many sterling and influential Democrats in other and M'Kco and Moser, of the House of Rep., will also counties. Indeed, the compliment was well mer-

which will probably confine him to the house for stood firm and constant by the principles and pracsome weeks. He was driving a two horse ma- tices of the party in its darkest and most disheartchine, when the lines broke, and the horses taking ening hour. Whilst others proved faithless, and fright, jun away, breaking the machine. Mr. S. openly deserted to the enemy, he never faltered, jumped from the carriage, spraining his ankle and but supported and advocated those republican otherwise injuring his person. Although his in principles which he indibed in early youth from members, universally, but by a large body. of Nor juries are not of a dangerous nature, he has suffered the teachings of a democratic sire. Neither flat-

tery, promises, nor threats have had any effect Sons of Temperance. - We learn that some of his best services have been given to forward and respecting the formation of new territories. Utah the gentlemen who were attached to the two Divi- promote the interests and welfare of the Demosions of the Sons of Temperance, which fo marly cratic Parly. But Judge STUART is centent to striction whatever with regard to slavery, and faithexisted in this borough, have succeeded in resus- remain for the present as a private member of the ful adherence to the true intent of the settlement citating one of the Divisions, and have expend it party, and while he feels proud of the compliment requires the application of the same rule to future ander very favorable circumstances. From this paid him by our Convention, firmly but respect-territories. The division on these questions in Confit would appear that the cause of Temperance is fully declines the honor tend red him. Whoever gress will show who are disposed to maintain the looking up, and its advocates again taking the among the many good men named for the station compromise of 1850 in spirit and in letter, and wh only right and proper course to forward and pro- shall receive the democratic nomination, will find are willing to treat it as a nullity. mote the objects for which they strife—the refor- in Judge S. an active and zealous supporter. The

Dean Sin: -In reading the proceedings of our late County Convention, I see that my Democratate County Convention, I see that my Democra-tic friends have instructed the delegates to the coming State Convention to nominate and support one for the honorable office of Canal Commissioner. Much as I feel flattered by the good factings of my democratic bruthren of Old Mether Cumberland, I most respectfully beg leave to decline the nomination at this time, but will ever feel grateful to my friends.

Truly your friend,

JOHN STUART.

South Middleton towaship, }

February 8, 1851.

DEBATING SOCIETIES. In some of the townships of Cumberland county ve are pleased to learn, Debating Societies have been formed which are well attended, and which not by a sullen silence, which it is impossible to We are glad to hear this, as it speaks well for the intelligence and prosperity of the communities in whenever it is threatened with any positive danger, which these societies are located, and must have a there are tew accomplishments more valuable that Again we ask, Have we a Police among us? the art of speaking fluently and correctly in putte. which is the only true means by which men ere fit-clear back to the Waheatch Mountains, which pass ted for the duties of life.

neglected to notice last week the proceedings of Wo think these societies should receive the support and fostering protection of the Boards of School bled in Harrisburg, on Thursday the 26th ult.—

Directors in every township in Cumberland county.

About 1000 delegates were present, including a sattley certainly contribute much to the education hended in these limits, is some four hundred and with instructions to support the support of the state Convention hended in these limits, is some four hundred and with instructions to support the support to be held at Harrisburg, on the State Convention hended in these limits, is some four hundred and with instructions to support the support to be held at Harrisburg, on the State Convention hended in these limits, is some four hundred and with instructions to support the support to be held at Harrisburg, on the State Convention hended in these limits, is some four hundred and with instructions to support the support to be held at Harrisburg, on the State Convention hended in these limits, is some four hundred and with instructions to support the support to be held at Harrisburg, on the State Convention hended in these limits, is some four hundred and with instructions to be held at Harrisburg, on the State Convention hended in these limits, is some four hundred and with instructions to be held at Harrisburg, on the State Convention hended in these limits, is some four hundred and with instructions to support the support to the state Convention hended in these limits, is some four hundred and with the support to the state Convention hended in these limits, is some four hundred and with the support to the state Convention hended in these limits, is some four hundred and the support to the state Convention hended in these limits, is some four hundred and the support to the state Convention hended in the s

Lutheran Church. NEAL Dow, Esq., the father up to three thousand miles, and six cents for all

Carry, of Ohio, also made a great speech at the save the government a vast amount of revenue that is lost on dead letters, but would prevent much useicss, and, to business men, vexatious correspondence. Let the amendment be adopted.

CONSOLIDATION BILL.—The bill consolidating has eventually passed the Legislature, has been

The widow of Alexander Hamilton, though 98 years old, still retains her faculties in an astonishing gree, and converses with case and brilliancy. always insists upon visitors taking a merry glass properly the direction will be held.—

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NEW TERRITORIES.

The New Orleans Picayone, in alluding to the rmation of territorial governments by the present Congress, says "that the organizing of those Territories, or of any territorial governments over any part of the country, will be infallibly a signal for the country, will be infallibly a signal for the country, will be infallibly a signal for the sale of the public works, made a volumitation of the public works, made a vo missioner, and instructing our Delegates to the state Convention to vote for his nomination, apparrs to meet with the hearty approbation of the Democracy of Cumberland county, as well as by many sterling and influential Democrats in other counties. Indeed, the compliment was well merited, and the Convention did but express the well known sentiments of the party in this county in passing that resolution.

From his youth up, Judge Straat has been a faithful, fearless and consistent Democrat, and has faithful, fearless and consistent Democrat, and has faithful, fearless and consistent Democrat, and has received, except in punishment for crime, shall be received for the public works, made a volumitation to the sale of the public works. The minority of the sale of the public works. The minority of the committee will make a report against the sale, when they will be printed and go out together to the public.

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The Free Soilers and Abelitionists will, of course insist upon the power of Congress to impose the restriction and the duty to exercise it at once. It will be opposed and resisted, not merely by the Southern the spirit as well as the terms of the Compromise

No one North or South ever expected that the however generally approved, is without the second and there is no power anywhere in our government, or to be derived from the genies of our institutions, to silence complaint: or forbid the attempts of the feeblest minority to seek the overthrow of any established policy, whether based on the general assent of the country or the express on the general assent of the country or the express on money, for the purpose of improvements, not exceeding fifty per cent. of their capital stock, and against attack, but it is not violated or abundaned no even in danger, because it is attacked. On the contrary, assaults are to be expected, from the encompanies, and increase their capital stock to the amount sorous the dominion of which the dominion of w

brought up; but we hope for, and expect a rebuke from the intelligence and patriotism of Congress which will show that faction, though it may not be doad, is powerless for evil.

Nebraska and Kansas Territories. These two territories, says the New York Herald re to comprise all that vast region lying between means of instruction for that substantial training and the western boundary of Missouri on the east within eight of the Marmon settlements of the Great Basin, thence northward along the backbone of the Rocky Mountains to the British possession. The States-if not 11 -equal in size to the State of New York, without entirely consuming the raw material No complaint, therefore, can be made from any quarter of elbow room in these two proposed terri

enough in either direction. Dr. De Witt.

We copy the following from the West Chester Republican & Democrat, one of the ublest and most reliable democratic journals in the State, for the the city and county of Philadelphia into one city. De Witt is received in other sections of the Commonwealth.

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Sale of the Public Works.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 4, 1854.

For the Helaware Division Pennsylvania Canal, main line from Philadel hia \$2,500,000

to Pittsburgh, Susquehanna and N. Branch 12,000,000 Division, West Branch Division, 5,000,000

The Governor is empowered to incorporate the Company purchasing any of these divisions, under the general railroad law, or if they are already

company purchasing any of these divisions, under the general railroad law, or if they are already and the Legislatures of Maryland and Virginia, for the Governor shall require the payment of 20 per cent. of the purchase money in cash or State bonds at par—the balance to be divided into ten payments, for which the Company or Companies shall issue bonds, and they shall be a lien on the works. One of these payments to be made each year for ten consecutive years.

In case the said divisions or either of them shall not be allotted, as above provided, the Governor is empowered to open books, receive subscriptions and organize a Company or Companies, with privileges and restrictions hereafter mentioned.

Should the whole number of shares not be subscribed for, if not more than one-fourth of the whole, and the bonds to be given by the Company shall be reduced in proportion pro rata to the amount subscribed, which said stack shall be disposed of under authority of the Legislature.

Any of the companies are empowered to borrow

contrary, assaults are to be expected, from the nature of the questions involved, and the cessential bitterness of the passions from the dominion of which it rescued us, and which linger yet unappeased in many bosoms.

The stability of the compromise is to be tested not by a sullen silence, which it is impossible to impose and absurd to expect, but in the readiness and success with which support comes up to it impose and absurd to expect, but in the readiness and success with which support comes up to it is threatened with any positive danger, and the sentiment of moral reproduction which are positive danger, and the sentiment of moral reproduction which are positive danger, and the sentiment of moral reproduction which are positive danger, and the sentiment of moral reproduction which are positive danger, and the sentiment of moral reproduction which we have omitted. There is a disposition in dispose of the public works, if an advantageous price can be obtained, with good security. As that it is enomics when they abuse their privileges of speech by attacking what the the mass of the courtry approves as just and wise.

We look for one of those outbreaks of the old will most probably be transferred from the Ergislature for popular decision. The bill probably be transferred from the Legislature for popular decision. The bill are output to the subject will most probably be transferred from the Legislature for popular decision. The bill are output to the subject will most probably be transferred from the contrary approach to the subject will most probably be transferred from the Legislature for popular decision. The bill are output to the subject will most probably be transferred from the contrary approach to the same where the same their capital stock to the subject will most probably be transferred from the total to the Sinking Pund.

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If any portion of the public work the Legislature for popular decision. The bill was prepared by Mr. Evans, of Chester county, who has given much of his time and attention to

the subject.

The House of Representatives passed the bill prohibiting the employment of minors in manufactories more than ten hours a day. The second section, prohibiting any female operative from employing herself more than ten hours a day, was very properly negatived, the day having passed for the Legislature to prevent females of full age rom working just as many hours as they may hink proper.

CHESTER COUNTY.

The Democratic Convention of Chester count has appointed Conrad Crilley, John D. Pettit and as they certainly contribute much to the education mended in these times, is some four four with instructions to support them. Of the properties of the support times of the support times of the support times of the support times. In other words, 10 LER, for Governor, and Hon. J. S. Black, for with instructions to support Hon. WILLIAM BIG-Judge of the Supreme Court. A resolution com

mentary to Han. James Campbell was passed. We annex a portion of the resolutions adopted : quarter of elbow room in these two proposed territories of Kansas and Nobraska. The former, how to the fact the fact of the fa

sperly guarded.

Resolved, That President Pierce has been ably Resolved, That President Pierce has been ably sustained by his Cabinet, in the respective Depart ments of the Government at Washington—the Reports of these Departments have shown industry, shiftly and a determination to manage the affairs of the Government with fidelity and commony. We are proud of the manner in which the Hon. James Camenbill has discharged the duties of the Post Office Department. He has shown himselffully equally to the arrivous and complicated duties of that Department.

Items of News.

Yankee Sullivan failed to appear for trial in Berk shire county, Massachusette, on the day assigned.

He sent word that he was sick, and his case was continued.

In the Alabama Legislature e bill to emancipate

Mrs. Anchy was run over and killed by the cars near Hanover, Pa., last Friday. She was partially insane, and it is supposed laid down on the track.

The Biltimore American urges, in a long article, The Biltimore American urges, in a long urticle, the propriety of union among the Checapeake cities and the Legislatures of Maryland and Virginia, for the purpose of establishing a line of steamers to Europe, which shall afford facilities to the commerce of

INDIA RUBBER.—Combs of all kinds are now manu-factured from this article. They are said to be very elegant. They do not warp, and may be washed in warm water. The trade in this article has become minerase, the annual importations of the crude arti-tle reaching \$5,000,000.

Rufus Choate is writing a history of Greece. Gon. Cass has not been sick for forty years.

By disasters at soa in all parts of the world, during ast year, about 2500 lives were lost.

short time since, came down two hours after, frozen to death.

is stated, have been indicted for gambling. A man residing in Pottsville, while laboring under a fit of intexication, on Wednesday last, deliberately out off the nose of his little daughter.

rels of egg nog were consumed or drank in that city on Christmas day.

It is complained that no monument has been erec' ed in memory of Franklin. The cruft, certainly, ought to raise for him an imposing stone.

of that city from April to October 30, amouo \$18,704 90. A mammeth hetel, capable of accommodating one thousand guests, is to be creeted in Washingtor city by the Messre. Willard.

hat interesting paper. Mr S Winchester has become an associate editor

of the Luzerne Union, an able Democratic paper published at Wilkes Barre. Dr. Josiah Flagg, an eminent dentist of Boston

sm, leeped out of the third story window of his It is said that one of the most distinguished phy-sicians of New England ascribes the fourful increase of cases of paralysis to the use of stoves in close rooms, particularly in sleeping apartments.

One Week Later from Europe. ARIVAL OF THE ARABIA AT HALIFAX.

IMPORTANT RELATIVE TO THE WAR

NTICIPATED DECLARATION OF WAR BY RUSSIA AGAINST ENGLAND AND FRANCE.

Poles and Hungarians Enlisting in the Cause of Turkey—Preparations for Coming Events in Great Britain and France—Improvements in Breadstuffs and Provisions, &c., &c.

HALIFAX, Saturday, February 4.— The royal mail steamship Archia, Capt, Junkins, from Liverpool at noon on Saturday, the 21st of January, arrived at this port this morning, bringing 79 passengers.

Up to the sailing of the Arabia there had been no definite intelligence from St. Petersburg, as to the decision of the Czar in regard to the last note of the four Powers. Europe was waiting with trembling anxiety for the final answer of the Czar, which, it was apprehended, would be of a character equivalent to a declaration of war against England and France. His answer was hourly expected.

The United States steamer Saranac, with Hon. Carroll Spence, the United States Ministerion board, arrived in the Bay of Naples on the 7th January.

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The details of the battle of Citale, which occupied from the 6th to the 10th January, show a decisive victory for the Turks, the Russians it is said, confessing to 4000 killed, and their generals, Aurep and Tuimont, wounded.

Letters from Asia mention the organization of a Polish rifle regiment by Schmayl, and it is stated that the Hungarians and Poles who had been waiting in Constantinople, had also been shipped for the arthy in Asis, but that Klapka had refused an Asian command.

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The whole of the allied fleets were in the Black Sea on the 5th January, and intimation of the fact, with a statement that they were there to protect Ottoman territory from aggression of hostile act, was forwarded to the Russian government at Sebas topol by the British and French Ambassadors at Constantinople, who express the hope that the Admiral in command of the Russian forces may be suinstructed as to prevent any occurrence calculated to endanger peace.

The C2-r was also informed of this fact by the British and French Ministers at St. Petersburg, on the 12th January.

Forther medifications in the note of the four Pawers have been made by the Porte, stipulating

Further modifications in the note of the four Powers have been made by the Porte, stipulating that the Principalities shall be evacuated within fire the note of twenty days after the acceptance by Russia, and that the renewal of treaties is to be with special reference to the integrity in Independence of Tarkey. These modifications were approved by the Powers, and sent to St. Peterburg, together with a demand by the Porte that the independence of the 2d January, and the Principalities evacousted within from twenty to thirty days of the date of the Carr's letter of acceptance.

England.

In England political circles are beginning to be agulated by the approaching meeting of Parliament.

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Mr. Rochuck had denied that he intended to bring
Prince Albert's alleged political intermeddling be-

fore Albert's alleged political intermedding bafore parliament
England is actively recraiting her coast defences.
Two more steamers were to be sent out by gov.
croment to renew the Artic search.
The clipper ship, John O'Gaunt, from Canton,
was recently wreeked off Holyhead, and several lives
lost.

Frances'

In France some important financial projects are spoken of, one of which is for effecting the fusion of the Back of France and the Credit Mobilier, and by a hold expansion of the currency obviate the necessity of a lean of from two to three hundred million france by the bank to government. The Bank of France had resided the rate of discount to five percent. ent. Free trade in breadstuffs between France and

Free trade in breadstoffs between France and England is axtended to the 31st of July. Rumor ways that M. Thiers is not averse to holding office under the imporial regime. The greatest activity prevailed in all the French Navy yards, and stores for 40,000 troops are ready for shipment at Toulon.

The news from other parts of Europe presents no feators of striking importance.

THE TOMB OF WEDSTER -It has been proposed to old a fair next summer in the Winslow House, on the estate of the late Daniel Webster, for the purpuse of raising funds to put an iron fence around the

Winslaw Burying Ground, which contains the remains of the departed states mun. Ecuires for THE YEAR. - In the year 1854 there will be two Echipses of the sun, and two of the moon. 1. The moon will be partially Eclipsed on the

12th of May, beginning at 10b. 59m., A. M., consequently invisible to us. 2. There will be an annular Echpse of the Sun on the 26 h of May, visible as follows:

Beginning at 4h. 10m., greatest obscuration 4h. 26m., End 6h. 34m., P. M.

Hon. Alfred Iverson, has been elected US Senator om Georgia. He is a thorough going State Righte

John Beil, a slave belonging to the estate of the late Vice President, Wm. R. King, has been passed.

The London Times publishes the decision of Judge Grier, of Philadelphie, in the case of Mrs. Stowe vs F W Thomas, which it houds 'English Uncle Tomy vs German Uncle Tom.'

Reports from Madrid via Páris aro, that the Mar-uis de Turgot has had his leg amputated, and is in

ondition. dangerous c Pennsylvania numbers 9,699 public schools, at a cost of little more than one million of dollars a year

A man who went up in a balloon from Madrid, a

The Sacramento Journal estimates that thirty bir

The NO Delta's bill for advertising for the cor

Mr. Streeper, of the Pottstown Ledger, has taken Mr. L H Davis as his associate in the editorship, of

the has lately been a fanatical believer in spiritur