ente, holding it up to the light, 'you must give us another upon this occasion. A wedding day does not often come more than

once in a man's life. 'I must trouble you for a candle, Bettina, said Balducci, rushing and taking out the

keys of the cellar. The candle was brought, and Balduce

went to get another bottle of winc. In a few seconds there was a loud noise C. S. KAUFFMAN, of Columbia, as a candina of something falling. The Padre and duate for the Assembly, subject to the decis-Bettina flew to the door and followed in the direction of the sound.

'O Blessed Virgin! O Maria Santissima,' exclaimed Bettina, 'the signor has fallen down the cellar stairs!'

The stairs were dark as night, but a deep groan from below proved that she was right. the stairs was scarcely the work of a minute. Hover, Hover's Liquid Hair Dye; Sprenger Balducci was lying grievously hurt at the & Westhaeffer, School Books; Hiram Wilson, foot of the stairs: his head had struck, and Padre was a strong man, and with the ast Parer d. Slicer; George Bogle, Executor's sent for. On examination it was found that Compound; B. F. Appold, Shop to Rent. besides the injury on the head, one of his legs had been broken. The limb was set, care and attention of Bettina.

ding-day.

For more than six weeks Balducci lay reasonable prices. was something more desirable than riches. known.

Will you take 50,000 zwanzigers now in exchange for your wife?' asked the good natured Padre, as Bettina was holding her hus-

'No,' replied Balducci, 'nor 100,000. I have learned to value a good wife above all small expense, and is certainly not only a until his guilt is conclusively proven, and effect of the salt air; but, sleepy-head as I things, and to prefer the prize I have drawn contribution to the comfort of the traveler, the may be entirely innocent; but it seems in the lottery of life to any which the imperial royal lottery of Vienna can offer.'

## Arkansas Snipe.

A good story is told by H. P. L., of one Pory-a great sportsman- who met in Arkansas a regular "child of the woods" (rather large for a "child" being full sixfeet-four.) The Twain commenced talking about all sorts of hunting, and Dory grew tention to the above valuable attachment to bail to answer. quite eloquent over the beauty of snipe-shoot- gas meters, for the regulation of the flow of ing, which he regarded as the finest sport in gas, patented June, 1857, by John H. Cooper, the world.

the question. "What ar' snipe?"

English or Wilson's snipe, and are splendid! in Columbia. Long legs, long bills, dusky hue,"--

"Stranger stop thar! I've seen the critters-know 'em like an old boot, returned Rackensackian. I've been down in the Sewisianny swamps-I have! Do you rally eat them ar critters up North?"

"Certainly we do," said Dory; but you said you had seed 'em down in the Louisiana ewamps-they winter there, I expect."

"Winter and summer both. Thar ar a few, I should think in Arkansaw! Two of may boys were down choppin, wood for the ing that it was a pistareen. Framer t'other day, and them ar snipe sung

they sang before!"

"Sing," said the Rackensackian-"they ions, we most cheerfully endorse him as an North? Stranger, if you'll only come up to excellent judgment. my plantation and shoot off the crop. thar, I'll give you the best horse you can pick out, and throw in a nigger to take keer of him."

"Where do you live?" asked Dory, "if ever I am up your way you'll have to owe me a horse and a negro."

"Wall stranger, I live at Powder Horn P'int on Meto Creek, 'bout thirty miles from Napaleon, and cuss me if the man that shoots of them or birds for me don't be my cternal friend, he will?" Look here, the eternal things pitched into my youngest child after it was born, so that its head swelled up as big as a pumpkin!"

"Pitched into your child!-swelled head! -big as a pumpkin! Did snipe do this?" asked Dory in great hopes of having discovered something new.

snipe. We call 'em mus-kee-teer s."

Grand tableau. Curtain descends to slow

Agricultural Joke .- Hon. David Taggart selike the tail of a Newfoundland dog-an the September number of this quarterly. immense wag. His latest piece of fn isu It is a magazine published by the Cosmopol- as follows, described in the letter above shores of eternity?" perpetrated upon the candidates for the itan Art Association, and shows much taste mentioned: Governorship and their predecessors. In in the manner in which it is gotten up and appointing the committees to act at the illustrated. The illustration to the poem of the Susquehanna was about two miles we must say good night." And I expect coming State Agricultural Fair, he has se- "The Lover on the Sea," by John McLenan, ahead; we were just abeam of the Agamem- you also, friend Samuel, feel like saying nation, a book in no wise inferior to that lected as Judges of Hams the following is worth an acre of the mezzotints and line non. Captain Sands signalized, I am going good night, and good-bye to this long letter Governors, Ex-Governors, and candidates for engravings, which used of old to prevail in to Plymouth,' as much as to say, 'Can't the Governorship: James Pollock, Milton; all the monthlies. The literary contents of wait for such slow coaches,' We concluded William F. Packer, Williamsport: David the Journal are well selected and interest, to go to Plymouth also. Each ship's smoke-Wilmot, Towarda; Isnae Hazlehurst, Philaing. delphia; Joseph Ritner, Carlisle, David R. Porter, Harrisburg: William F. Johnston, Pitteburg; William Bigler, Clearfield.

A revolution has broken out in Yucatan. and nearly the whole State is in arms, the revolutionists being the Radical party.-

## The Columbia Spy.

A PENNSYLVANIA INDEPENDENT JOURNAL

COLUMRIA, PA. SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1857.

Assembly .- We are authorized to announce ion of the Union County Convention.

Sept. 5-tc NEW ADVERTISEMENTS .- Alexander Oelsner, Fur Store; Andrew Wurfflein, Gun Notice; Abbott & Co, Platform Scales; Laneaster County Agricultural and Mechanical Society, Exhibition; French Richards & Co, To get another lighted candle and descend Furmers Depot and Pluster Mills; Joseph S. Stores &c; A. M. Rambo, Notions; Columwas leaning against the cellar door. The bia P. O., List of Letters: E. L. Pratt, Apple sistance of Bettina he carried the injured Notice; Columbia Gas Company, Report; and almost unconscious man up the stairs, | Daniel Herr, Fresh Groceries; Joseph Corns, and deposited him upon the sofa in the sa- New Slyle of Portraits: Union Delegate Elecloon they lately occupied. A doctor was tion; Harvey Birch & Co., Bach's American

As will be seen by his advertisement in and the patient, in his bed, was left to the our columns to-day. Mr. Joseph Corns, the half-brother of Herzog, were arrested on the the trees. The other houses are of the usual Thus ended Guiseppe Balducci's wed- tures on paper, is at Mr. Summerils Gallery, express freight car of the Penna. Railroad miles, is too great to distinguish the fanci-

helpless on his bed. Bettina's kindness and Specimens of his portraits exhibited to us attention were unremitting. She was the are highly finished and beautiful pictures, lest and most untiring of nurses. Padre and we can recommend them to those de-Clemente also had been constant in his vis- siring to test the new art. They are taken its. His cheerfulness raised the patient's on paper and can be handled and rubbed spirits while his piety taught him resigna- without risk of soil or fracture. For mailtion to the Divine will. Balducci rose from ing they are the most convenient pictures his bed of sickness and suffering a better yet introduced, and must command a very and wiser man. He had found that there extensive patronage when more generally

WILLIAMS' PATENT REACTION CARRIAGE Spring.-This patented improvement, by was arraigned, and a sufficient amount of flourish about; it may be well called "sleepy band's crutches, and assisting him to lean which the jolting and rocking motion of vehicles is prevented, is a simple arrangement serious looking case against him. He of which can be adapted to old carriages at but course is entitled to every charity of opinion though one could do nothing but sleep-the but a saving of wear and tear of machinery. Mr. Lewis Tnedenick, of this place, is the agent for the State of Penn-ylvania, out of which embraced a market for the stolen a number of the springs in Columbia, which Herzog if he can prove that he is not the rehave given entire satisfaction. Those have ceiver. ing carriages will do well to give them a

on sawing away about how the snipe rose by the inventor. They are of but trifling returns immediately to York. and fell until Rackensackain woke up with cost, and can be attached to meters at a slight expense, which will be fully repaid by the saving in consumption of gas effected by that flies. The kind that I mean are called by his advertisement, is agent for their sale

> Sold.—Quiz, (entering Sanctum tumultu ously to dun Editor for a quarter.)-Say! when is that public sale to take place? Editor, (blandly, having an eye to hand-

hills.)-What sale? Quiz, (shewing his "tenth".)-Your sail

in the Hiawatha. We acknowledged that the sale had just come off, and handed over the coin, which gislature and County offices: Quiz, in the fulness of his satisfaction at

so load they come back at night and said Och Senaton.—The Democratic party has Manor; Samuel Wicks, Fulton,. thar was a camp meetin' goin' on down the selected to represent it in the Senate next i winter, (if elected,) Wm. Patton, E-a., of "Sing?" inquired dary. "That is singular, this place. They have certainly put for-At the North, as they rise, I have heard ward a man with many friends in this part them utter a low whistle, but never knew of the county, and aithough personally op-· posed to him in some trifling political opin-

sing so they make my hair stand on end .- able, active, energetic centleman, and give You really shoot them ar' critters on to the the party which nominated him credit for HARPER'S MAGAZINE .-- We have received the September number of this excellent cock. magazine. Our commendation will weigh but slightly beside the many tributes to the Coleraine. ability and judgment of its management. from eminent sources. After all, the proof S. J. Morrison, City. of periodical excellence is in its success; and Prism Inspectors .- O. C. M. Caines, City; by this rule Harper stands pre-eminent, no Chris, Hunshberger, West Earl, other monthly in this country, and, as far

good wood cuts, among which are some of Strother's original negroes. KNICKERBOCKER FOR SEPTEMBER .-- This number of "Old Knick" is, as always, en- turning to England, a trial of speed took tertaining, and the Editor's Table more than place between H. B. M. ship the Agamemnon "Well they did leastwise what you call usually interesting, albeit John Phoenix ap, and the United States steam frigates Niag in the morning; is that your opinion Miss pears to have risen from his ashes and left. ara and Susquehanna. The Niagara soon Julia?" asked the Judge-It is illustrated with a portrait on steel of evinced her superior speed. This circummusic of toddy-sticks, broken ice, and the John G. Saxe, the poet, and filled with such stance is very gratifying, as the Agamemall all the time," said Harry. tween its covers.

as we know, abroad, has ever attained to

COSMOPOLITAN ART JOURNAL -- We have per hour.

Letreric Merical Journal,--- We have received this medical monthly, for September. It contains much that is valuable and interesting to the profession. Published by just see her smoke; the Susquehanna was R. S. Newton, M. D., Cincinnati.

WATER CURE JOURNAL - We have received They were every where successful, and, at the Water Cure Journal for September. It keep company with the Agamemnon, the excitement in Wall street is now greater than ever. The failure of J. H. Prentiss & as a candidate for the office of State Senator, the latest dates, the Governor was marching is published by Fowler & Wells, N. Y. at Niagara stopped and waited for her to come

THE RAILROAD ROBBERY.-Lancaster has again been distinguished by an operation, which, for boldnes, if not for extent, is on Tuesday night of last week, it was disand goods to a considerable amount abstracton, and gave notice to one of the Lancaster the party to a house in the suburbs of that city. Goods having been found strewed along the turnpike, the nature of the depredation was suspected, and information given to Col. Shaeffer, the attorney for the Penna. Railroad Co., who immediately took every precaution to detect and arraign the

Goods were traced to the store of Jacob Herzog, a merchant of Lancaster, and it was discovered that Leai Trumpy had sold him (Herzog) goods to the amount of \$500 .hearing.

on the charge of receiving stolen goods, and held to bail in the sum of \$5,000. His bail afterwards surrendered him, when he was! again bailed, other sureties being obtained.

Mr. Herzog, by means of a eard published previous to his arrest, denied all complicity in the rascally transaction; but suspicion evidence produced to make out a tolerably hollow." plainly shown that a system of plunder has been carried on in and around Lancaster. Philadelphia, and we learn has disposed of goods somewhere. It will be well for Mr.

Since writing the above we learn that Herzog has been arrested on a charge of forgery, at the instance of Jacob Leitz, of Coopen's Gas Rescuators.—We call at Lebanon. He was held in \$1,000 additional waters and dashing up the white spray as favor of divinity.

formerly of this place. They are highly -The train which left Columbia for York tide is not too low you can wade up to your He "drew it strong" about his own ex- commended by those who have them in use, at 3 A. M., has been discontinued, and the chin, which I assure you I never tried to do, ploits—being away from home—and went as being everything that is claimed for them evening train, which arrives here at 7.45, even though Philip declared I was too light

Ziegler has been appointed night operator, down for a week, and we all returned to-"Snipe," said Dory, "are the best game their use. Hiram Wilson, as will be seen for the Penna, Railroad Telegraph Co., at gether. At Jersey City we met the Bowlies, Remedies for the cure of disease a like unthis place.

between the hours of 81 and 91 A. M., and Whatever information he gained on the sub- benefit from their use. Millions of savages '8 and 9 P. M.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION .- At the Democratic County Convention, held in Lan- able: I felt as if some sort of a serpent had ternal and internal remedies. The missioncaster on Wednesday, 2d inst., the follow- got hold of my brain. ing gentlemen were nominated for the Le-

Senators .- Wm. Patton, Columbia: Dr. should say you were jealous." having done us, pocketed, without discover- Jno. K. Raub, Providence.

Assembly .- Jno. II. Brenneman, Mt. Joy; T. S. McIlvaine, Salisbury; James Bones,

Sheriff .- Jacob Sener, East Hempfield. Prothonolary .--- Dr. A. S. Bare, Upper

Register .-- William Hayes, Little Brit-

Recorder.-Henry Rush, Providence. Clerk of Quarter Sessions .- Jacob Foltz,

Clerk of Orphans' Court .- Jacob Myers, County Treasurer .- Ino. L. Lightner, Lea-

County Commissioner .- John Whiteside. Directors of the Poor .- Lewis Haldy, City;

Coroner .- Dr. J. B. Froeland, City.

Auditor .- Amos A. Hauke, Paradise.

its immense circulation, and popularity .--The present number is filled with varied; RACE BETWEEN THE NIAGARA, AGAMEMand readable matter, and illustrated with NON, AND SUSQUEHANNA.-We have been permitted to see an extract of a letter received at the Navy department, dated Auguet 13, from which it appears that, on reoriginal contributions as we find only be- non is said to be the "crack" vessel of the English Navy, easily making 11 or 12 knots

pipe at once told the tale of hard firing up. The sea was smooth and the wind light.

"At five o'clock in the afternoon the pothe Agamemnon was far astern, we could about seven or eight miles astern."

As Captain Hudson, however, wished to

For the Columbia Spy

WOODVILLE, August 19th, 1857. "Speak of angels and you see their worthy of ranking with her past financial wings," is an old saying, which was exemplicoups. On the arrival of the express freight fied last week, for when Silvia returned from train of the Penna. Railroad at this place the post-office whither she had taken my last, she brought me a "white-winged mescovered that one of the cars had been opened senger" from Philip. "Mamma, Julia and I," he wrote, "are going to Cape May; you ed. As everything had ben safe at Lanens. must go with us. I want to pay off old ter, it was evident that the robbery had been debts by holding you under the breakers, committed after leaving that place. In the and then if you don't scream too loudly you meantime the keeper of the first toll-gate on shall have plenty of rides on the beach."the Harrisburg turnpike had had his saspi- O, deary me, didu't I want to go! but it was cions aroused by the conduct of men passing no use thinking about it. The doctor had through the gate with a heavily loaded wag- ordered Tom to the Sulphur Springs, and father and mother were preparing to take officers, who getting upon the track traced him, so I forthwith sent my regrets, with an urgent request for a list of their adventures, on their return.

Last Summer I spent July on "old Long Island's sca-girt shore." Mrs. Granton's cottage is at the Narrows, and commands a magnificent view. Opposite is Staten Island, whose hills are studded with country seats; one just on the point near the light house, looks like an old castle, being built somewhat in the form of one. The fort near it seems, from there, like the the accompanying hamlet. Further up is a brown stone On Thursday Trumpy and Henry Levan, a building, with five gables peeping out from inventor of a new process of taking Sun pie- charge of breaking open and robbing the style, with pillars, though the distance, three Corner of Front and Locust Streets, where Co., the former of whom was committed to ful parts without a glass. Every steamship he will furnish excellent likenesses at most prison and the latter bound over in \$1.000 and all large vessels pass there; you cannot for his appearance on Monday for a further imagine anything more glorious than a large ship in full sail, bearing up swiftly before On Monday morning Herzog was arrested the wind. I have seen them pass each othon complaint of Wm. II. Myers, freight er, one going up the other down, with all agent of the Penna. Railroad at Lancaster, sils spread, which seemed very strange to me-as though the wind was blowing both ways.

We could always tell an emigrant ship, when we would get out the glass, and see the poor creatures crowding the deck, and gazing round on the strange scene, looking like so many Van Winkles: by the way it is

The first few days there, one feels as am, I was the first one up in the morning, when I went round and tapped at the doors to inform the inhabitants it was time to down to the beach, where the water gave a deep toned bass to the matins of the birds. A few pilot boats, or small sloops, would ometime- le dancing out to sea, or a large though seorning all things sublunary.

There are no breakers at the Narrows .-CHANGE OF HOUR ON THE N. C. RAILWAY. The beach is very shelving, so that, if the headed to be in danger of sinking. He was on his way home from Yale, when, hearing TELEGRAPHIC .-- We notice that Joseph of the party at Mrs. Granton's, he came who had been to Nahant. I was very anx-The National Line will hereafter be kept lious to ask Nannie if she had seen the ser- All countries, tribes, and races upon the open for the use of the public, on Sundays, pent, but Master Phil usurped my place .-The ride to Philadelphia was very disagree-

morning," whispered Harry Bowlie, "I

"Please, Harry, I have such a headache!" "Too much glare, depend upon it, from sings which the latter sought an opportunity those brass buttons," said the provoking to bestow.

Uncle Marshall's coachman, bobbing among people, and advertised in every tongue on the cabmen when we reached the city .- earth, may smile contemptuously (as we Judge Bowlie a-ked if he should have the did.) and think the tale a humbug:-but let pleasure of taking me to Woodville the next them be convinced (as we have been,) that day; but Philip answered, he was going to is nothing but the naked truth. Wherever take me himself next week; upon which he types and printing presses exist, Professor received an invitation to ----. I expect, Holloway employs them to proclaim the thought I, he will be asking the Judge to sterling merits of his remedies:-wherever take him for a law student the next thing.

herself again. We went round in the evening for the Bowlies who were staying at the tongues to which the Bible is a stranger, are Girard, and a right merry time we had .--Such a chattering and laughing, till old great physician who has scattered gifts of Peter's voice was heard above the din invit- healing over all lands and seas. ing us to the dining room.

"Lilies on liquid roses floating. So floats the foam on pink Ghampagne; Fam would I join the pleasant boating, And tempt the ruby main!" sang Harry Bowlie, taking up the bottle .-

"But seas are dangerous, grey beards say,

He—

"Ah' true it is, it drowns old care, But what care we for him? "Old care," said Julia, "is something like

a fly, downing don't kill it."

"Then we had best keep the sham going

"Ah! but," said Mrs. Bowlie, "time has an end ato, what will you do then my son, when the duties and cares you have drowned The circumstances attending the race are in wine will be left high and dry on the

"It is striking eleven," said the Judge, "This morning, (the 13th,) at 9 o'clock, "can it be possible? Come, young folks, and— MARY WOODVILLE.

An embezzlement of seventy thousand doliars of the funds of the Mechanics' Banking Association, of New York, was detected, on Monday night, and yesterday morning one sition of the vessels were nearly as follows: of the officers of the concern was arrested on the charge. In consequence of the defalcation, the Association has closed its doors, and it has given rise to quite a panic in Wall street. Messrs, Bebee & Co., an extensive banking firm, have suspended. The against the city of Campeachy, at the head the astonishingly moderate price of \$1 00 a up. Buring the race the Niagara's speed also announced, with two or three dealers in July 11, 1857 to Co., an extensive hat manufacturing firm, is subject to the decision of the Union County

A Nip of Punch.

THOUGHTS LYING IN THE SAND .- Adversity orings to light many a hidden beauty. It is like a handsome leg revealed for the first time on a showery day.

The charms that Fashion lends to wome would be considered positive defects if Nature had given them.

We are never astonished at any happiness that drops into our lap, for we always fancy we are deserving of it; but if any piece of ill luck falls down upon us, we cannot imagine what we have done to deserve it.

We fancy we are becoming wiser, as we grow older, when it is simply our incapacity to commit the same follies as when we were young.

Envy lashes principally the fortunate .-It is like the ragamuffins in the street, who cry out, "Whip behind!" directly they see one of their comrades who has got a lift. To appreciate a free country, you must travel in a despotic state. It is like coming Convention. into the open air after visiting a prison.

FORTUNE IS NOT SO BLIND .-- We accuse Fortune of blindness, when it showers its gifts upon a young prodigal. It is better, we think, that a prodigal should have them than a miser. The prodigal, at all events, invites others to share his good-fortune with Christian Shenk, of the City of Lancaster, him—the miser would keep it entirely to will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff, himself.

DIPLOMATIC DIFFICULTY .- We are sorry to be under the necessity of suggesting the question why the French and British Ambassadors at Constantinople are not like two peas; because the obvious but unsatisfactory answer is, that there is a difference between

RUSSIAN GENERALSHIP .- In a very sensible letter on "Our soldiers' dress in India," a correspondent of the Times quotes the observation of a military authority who remarks, "that the first duty of a General is to bring his men fresh into the battlefield." The Russian Generals are in the habit of observing this rule after a fashion of their had settled so strongly against him that he just the place the old gentleman used to ally advance so fresh that they may be said to come up groggy.

## The Royalty of Evidence: OR THE WORLD IN THE WITNESS-BOX.

bathe. Then in various costumes, each with that a universal concurrence of mankind in a bundle, we would rush to the steps and favor of any problem should be regarded as ship coming in, maje-tically parting the and skepties as a resistless arguement in

animity exists in the opinion of the world. earth employ these remedies and derive ject I could never discover, but they certainly to whose cars the very name of Christ has talked amazingly for new acquaintances .- | nevar yet been whispered, are famillirr with the properties and powers of Holloway's exaries of health have preceded those of the "If it was not for the epaulets I saw this Gospel; and in numberless instances, the physical relief imparted by the former has obtained and secured favorable audience for the more abstract and intangible bles-

Our readers, when they hear that Hol-I was rejoiced to see the woolly head of loway's medicines are employed by every they do not exist, he has employed accom-Dinner, a nap, and a bath, and Mary was plished interpreters, and estatablished special organs that make known his discovery; eloquent with the name and fame of the

The world is in the witness-box and gives enthusiastic evidence in favor of Professor Holloway's remedies; and let those who would impugn such testimony be cautious-for, in so doing, by a parity of reason, they strike at the very foundations of religion and morality. The world is in the witness-box and gives its evidence for Holloway!-Boston Traveller.

NATHANIEL HAWTHORNE.-The Washington Union states that Mr. Hawthorne's pri vate interests made it desirable for him to give up the Liverpool Consulate, and in February last he sent his resignation to a friend in Washington to be placed at the disposal of the President after his inauguration. It is understood that Mr. Hawthorne will spend a year in Italy, and then return to educate his children in their native land. Freedom from the cares of office will enable this favorite writer to prepare and publish a work which he has been for some time contemplating; and, as the "Scarlet Letter" followed his retirement from one office, we romance in power and popularity.

The official result of the gubernatorial election in Micsouri is-Rollins, American, 47,641: Stewart, 47,975; Stewart's majority

CLERK OF THE ORPHAN'S COURT .- We are authorized to announce S. P. LINDENUTH, of Columbia, as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Orphan's Court, subject to the decision of the Union County Convention. Columbia, July 18, 1857-tc

SENATOR.-We are authorized to announce

announce that Peter Martin, of Clay two.
will be a candidate for the office of Prothonoary, subject to the decision of the Union County Convention.

April 25, 1857-tc. REGISTER .- We are authorized to announce OHN JOHNS, of Upper Leacock, as a candidate for the office of REGISTER, subject to the decision of the Union County Convention

SHERIFFALTY - We are authorized to announce Mr. JAY CADWELL, of Lancaster, as candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject o the decision of the Union County Conven

May 2, 1857-tc

CLERK OF QUARTER SESSIONS .- We are authorized to announce, that SAMUEL EVANS of Columbia, will be a candidate for the office of Clerk of Quarter Sessions, subject to the lecisions of the Union County Convention.

RECORDER .- We are authorized to an

nounce George Leamon, of East Lampeter, as a candidate for the office of Recorder, County subject to the decision of the Union THE SHERIFFALTY -We are authorized to announce Benjamin F. Rowe, of Providence

to the decision of the Union County Convertion. [May 16-te We are authorized to announce that subject to the decision of the Union County

township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject

[May 2, 1857.-tc. Convention. Hollaray's Pills are of infinite benefit to persons suf-

Type of. Wood, the renowned discoverer of the invaluable "Har Restorative," still continues to labor in behalf of the ufficed. His medicines are universally admitted by the American Press to be far superior to all others for causing the hair, on the head of the nged, to grow forth with as much vigor and luxuriance as when blessed with the advantages of youth. There can be no doubt, if we place credit in the immunerable testimonials which the Professor has in the most continue that it is one of the greatest discoveries in the medical world. It frequently happens that old mean the medical world. It frequently happens that old mean marry beautiful and rainable young lades, and not unfrequently crusty old mades make vicinum of hundsome, good natured young gentlemen, and by what process it has ever been determined, until lately, when it was nutributed to the use of this invaluable Hair Restorative,—Lasalle Journal.

Supposed Consumption. Prof. Wood, the renowned discoverer of the

## SUPPOSED CONSUMPTION.

Diverse are the opinions of men even of the same age and country about subjects apparently the simplest and least liable to misconstruction; it is not to be wondered at that a universal concurrence of mankind in favor of any problem should be regarded as (to use a lawyer's term,) a "royal evidence" of its truth. Indeed, so conclusive is this concurrence deemed that many theologians urge it upon the attention of materialists and skepties as a resistless arguement in favor of divinity.

In fact upon only two propositions can we obtain the universal concurrence of human-days in the compositions can we obtain the universal concurrence of human-days in the control of the service of the service of the service of the vegetables of the first of the service of the vegetables of the service of the service

obtain the universal concurrence of humanty; upon all other points and questions mankind have "agreed to differ."

In the existence of a Supreme Creator, all
tribes and races concur. They give him
different attributes in accordance with their
peculiar taxtes; but in the general belief that
those is a God. they are unanimous.

August 1, 1857-2m

White Trefit, Perfection Breath and Breath and Breath and Breath and Breath and Breath and Breath when by using the "Balm of a Thiotecand Flowers" "What hady or a Thiotecand
would remain under the curse of a disagreeable breath, when by using the "Balm of a Thiotecand
Every would remain under the curse of a disagreeable breath, when by using the "Balm of a Thiotecand Flowers" is would not only render it sweet, but leave the teeth white as alphaster! Many persons do not know their breath is bad and the subpect is so delicate their friends will never mention it.

Because of counterfers. Because each bottle is signed.

For sale by all druggists.

For sale by all druggiets. Feb. 14-6incow

Greatness.—Blackwood says "Nature throws forther able men as a salmon does its spawii; she produce her great ones as a honess does her cub—singly, one is a birth and air rare intervals. This we have schools of the former, and only now and then a leviathan." The hypothesis of slother and light her a leviathan.

August 8, 1856.

IID\*EQUALITY TO ALL!—Uniformity of Prices! A New Feature in Business! Every one his own sales man—Jones & Go. of the Crescent One Price Clothing Store. No. 200 Market street, above Sixth, Platadelphia, in addition to having the largest, most varied and fashomable stock of clothing in Philadelphia, made expressly for retail sales, have consulted every one his own salesman, by having marked in figures, on each article, the very lowest pine it can be sold for, so they cannot possibly vary—all must buy alike.

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Add Dividends On the 2d inst. by the Rev. C. C. Russell, William McDivit to Miss Eliza L., youngest daughter of Richard Derrick, Esq., all of Columbia.

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The commit The young couple for their kind remembrance of

At Gailingherville, August 31, by Rev. W. Duncan,
JOHN E. FOX 10 CAROLINE A. HOOGS, both of Philad's.
On the 3d instant, by the Rev. J. H. Menges, Mr.
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A SHOP suitable for any kind of business, municipal Walnut street, between Second and Third. Apply B. F. APPOLD.

Columbia. September 5, 1-57-4 MOTTOE

TETTERS Testamentary on the estate of Nelson I Sutton, deceased, having been granted the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebied to raid estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those baying claims, will present them, duly nutritional for establishment. and mose having claims will present them, duly au thenticated, for settlement, to GEORGE BOGLE, Executor. Columbia, September 5, 1857 6t

STOVES! STOVES!! THE subscriber desires to call the attention of the public to his new and complete assortment of STOVIES, now ready for the fall trade, consisting of Cook Stoves.

Royal Cook, William Penn, Noble, National, Young America, Morning Star, Complete Cook, Cooking Ranges, Parlor Cook, four patterns. Parlor Stoves of every make, size, style and variety, Bar Room and Olice Stoves, &c.

Tin and Sheet Iron Ware. A large stock of articles in the above line of busi-A ness, comprising everything that is manufactured of Tim. Sheet Iron. Ac. for Household purposes. His stock is of his own manufacture, and he can vouch for its excellence and durability.

Chandeliers, Gas Fixtures, &c. A LARGE and complete assortment of elegant Gas four, three and two burner Chandelers, consisting of six, four, three and two burner Chandelers, sangle burner Hall Pendants. Side Lights plain and ornamental. Drop Burners, &c., always on hand. GAS FITTING in all its branches attended to with promptness.

House Roofing, Spouting, &c.

HOUSE ROOFING and SPOUTING put up in the most substantial manner, Plumbing, Bell Hunging and other branches of the business, carried on a heretofore, on the most reasonable terms.

Cooper's Gas Regulators. HE is also agent for Cooper's Gas Regulators, and prepared to attach them to meters.

HIRAM WILSON, HRAM WILSON, Corner of Second and Locust streets. Columbia, September 5, 1857.

NOTIONS.

A LOT of notions which will be sold out at a very A small profit. Pull Boxes, Velvet Chulk, Chinese Powders for preserving the skin and beautifying the complexion, used by Her most greeious Majesty, the Queen. Poudre superfine a la rose, Balm of a Thousaind Flowers, Hart Oil of all kinds, Ager's Cherry Pectoral, Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers, the last two named acticles are the last two named acticles are the last ever used for the cursand Flowers, Hair Oil of all kinds, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers, the last two named articles are the hest ever used for the cure of coughs, colds, consumption, &c; Terrel's Ointment, Indian Mixture, Tooth Wash, Military Shaving Soaps, Taylor's Shaving Cream. Also, all kinds of Toilet Soaps, Perfomery, Fine Comiss, Pocket and other Combis: pocket link Stands, Violin and Guitar Strings, Gum Rings and Balls. A select assortment of Fine Cullery, pocket and pen Knives, fine Damascus Steel Baoes, Partses, Segar Cases, Guita Percha Pens, fine steel commercial Pens, Stationery of all kinds, Penciels, Gun and Pistol Tubes, Percussion Caps, Clothes, Tooth, Hair and Bat Brushes, Ladies' Shaulder Bruses, &c. Braces, &c. Sept 5, 1957-6t

PROTHONOTARY.-We are authorized to Report of the Trustees of the Columbia Gas Company, UP TO JANUARY 1, 1857, INCLUSIVE.

Fo the Stockholders of the Columbia Gas Company: The undersigned having been appointed a

Committee, by the Board of Trustees, to examine the books, and investigate the condition of the Company, respectfully submit the fol-lowing statement and accompany report. J. G. HESS

ALEX. CALDWELL.

ASSETS. By balance of capital stock unsold, \$2,725 00 Works as per original contract, 37,500 00 Construction and Improvement acct. 5.272 61 " Expenses of making Gas,

901 79 Gas bills due previous to Jan. uncollected, 599 95 " Coal, Lime and other material on hand.

" Deficiency, being div'd unpaid, \$61,835 47 LIABILITIES.

4,914

197 71

\$37,500.00 To capital stock, "Sales of Gas,
"Scrip div'd No. 1, bal. unpaid,
" " No. 2, " " 17,417 38 1,152 60

" Debts, " Balance due Tr. Jan. 1, 1857,

\$61,835 47 The Committee regret that a report of the operations of the Company has been delayed until so late a day, the Company having gone into active operation for the manufacture of gas, in 1853, and this being the first report made to the Stockholders. From this fact the Committee have been subjected to much delay and inconvenience, in preparing the present statement, having been obliged to examine the accounts running from 1853 to the present time, which could only be done after so long delay in a slow and tedious manner. It is hoped that this explanation will suffice to ex-onerate the undersigned from any blame for want of minuteness or details in this report.

The Columbia Gas Company was chartered in the year 1851, with an authorized capital of \$37,500. The contract for erecting the works was taken by Jno. E. Carver & Co., at a cost of 37,500, and put in actual operation in 1853.

The details of all the transactions of the Company, as per the statement above, with explantions of the several accounts, are given below under their separate heads; and all that now remains for the committee, is to present a brief analysis of the result, and suggest such matters for your consideration, as, in the judgment of the committee, the necessary prepar-

ations for the future are deemed to rea The amount of charges for gas per each year, from October, 1853, to January, 1857, were October, 1853, 1854, 1855, 1856, 4,783 35 5,046 47

6,973 35 \$17,417 38 Deduct expenses for labor, mate-

12.098 68 rial, &c., Will leave Nett profit, \$5,318 70 which is near 5 per cent. per annum on the amount of capital stock sold, and may be consi-dered a fair average of profit for new works.— But in consequence of the necessary improve-ments made to the works, expenditures for ex-tensions, pipe, meters, &c., necessary upon an increased demand for gas, the profit has all been absorbed, and a debt incurred of \$6,720 38, (including the dividends unpaid.) The Company owns \$2,725 of stock which they have not deemed advisable to sell. The works are now considered to be complete and in good working order, with a fair prospect hereafter of a steady increase in the demand for gas, from which fact the committee think the

Company will soon be in a condition to declare and pay regular dividends to the stockholders. Two scrip dividends have been declared:
No. 1. Dec. 27, 1854 \$1,468 55 No. 2, Mar. 8, 1855, 798 11

\$2,266 66 Paid on acct. of No. 1, \$315 95 144 64

Leaving a bal. unpaid amounting to \$1.806 07 the committee cannot but think the policy of

bis old for, so they cannot possibly vary—an must buy alike.

The goods are all well sponged and prepared and great points taken with the making, so that all can buy with the full assurance of getting a good article at the very lowest price.

Remember the Crescent, in Market, above Sixth, Note to Jas. Magee,

No 2001

No 2001 \$1,073 11 680 28 1,053 66

1,000 00 1,107 26 Sundry book accounts, \$4.914.31

\$6,720 38

The committee are of the opinion that with a capital of \$10,000, the company can safely carry a debt of \$6,000, reserving a portion of the profits of each year for its gradual extinguishment. By this arrangement the stockholders would receive a dividend on their stock, at the same time create a surplus with which

to liquidate the debt.

By reference to the statement it will be seen that the works cost, as per original contract, \$37,500, and for meters, service pipe, extension of main pipe, &c., since, \$5,272 61, making the total cost of the works, \$42,772 61, Company still holding \$2,725 of its own

stock. The expense account amounting to \$12,098-68, is composed of salaries, labor, lime, and other material necessarily used in the manu-

facture of gas. facture of gas.

The item of gas bills uncollected amounting to \$599,95, is bills which have been standing, many of them, for two or three years. The committee think this is too large a proportion of uncollected bills, and suggest to the Board that the rule or by-law of the Company rethat the rule or by-law of the Company requiring the flow of gas to be stepped in ten days after presentation of the bill, be rigidly enforced upon all delinquents; and further, if not paid within ten days after the flow of gas has beed stopped, or within twenty days after presentation of the bill, that they then be put in suit immediately, for collection. The committee have no doubt some loss has been sustained by neglecting to enforce promptly the payment of bills, and think the interest of the Company demand that the Treasurer should see that the regulation be strictly enforced.

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The committee think there should be a quarterly examination of the accounts of the Treasurer; and an annual report of the operations of the Company made to the stockholders, and suggest that there be a committee appointed at each quarterly meeting of the Board for this purpose, and that hereafter the Directors give the affairs of the Company that attention their importance demands. This can only be done by having frequent meetings, interchanging views, and giving their personal and individual

attention to the practical affairs of the Company.

The works are now in successful operation and with proper management cannot fail to pay fair dividends to the stockholders.

J. G. HESS,

ALEX. CALDWELL

Sept. 5, 1857-1t UNION DELEGATE ELECTION. THE citizens of Columbia Borough, who are favorable to the nomination of a Union Ticket for Lancaster county, are invited to meet at the TOWN HALL, THIS EVENING. (SATURDAY.) SEPTEM-BER 5, 1557, between the hours of 6 and 9 celock P. M., BER'S. 1897, between the hours of 6 and 90 clock P. Nr., to elect three delegates for the lower and two for the upper wand, to represent the borough in the convention, to be held in the city of Lancaste, on WEDNESDAY, THE 5th INST.

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Sept. 5, 1857. 33 North Queen street, Language.