THE GAZETTE. LEWISTOWN, PA. Friday Evening, July 9, 1852. FOR PRESIDENT, FOR VICE PRESIDENT, of North Carolina. JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT, JOSEPH BUFFINGTON. of Armstrong County. CANAL COMMISSIONER,

JACOB HOFFMAN. of Berks County.

### Important Notice.

We have been at considerable expense of late in replenishing our office with type, &c., late in replenishing our once with type, &c., sent Minim county in the next legislature. and would now thank those indebted—par-ticularly in accounts ranging from \$5 and upwards—to make payment. We do not often dun, even for old accounts, but we can assure all, that when we say we NEED MONEY we mean what we say.

### « Justice to Henry Clay."

A locofoco paper in a neighboring town complains that the whiles there did not exhibit feeling enough on the reception of the news of the death of Henry Clay. It is not necessary for the whigs to set up outward lamentations for the decease of the greatest civilian of the age; they have shown their od of years : in short, did Henry Clay justice while living, and hence have naught to reproach themselves with now that he is dead. But it onay well become the band of politicians who followed him with the tenacity of bloodhounds him all the essentials of a Jefferson democrat and the malignity of hyenas until on the verge of the grave, to put on at least the semblance of sorrow-for if not callous to every feeling, if not dead to that still small voice which sometimes sears the heart of the most obdurate. the memory of the past must be anything but but prudence and considerable management pleasant so far as respects the great and good man whom they so vilely traduced while livmg.

HON. JOSEPH BUFFINGTON .- The Butler Whig says :- The nomination of the Hon. discordant elements. One will receive a post Joseph Buffington as a candidate for the of- in futuro, another plenty of soft soap and fice of Supreme Judge, is peculiarly gratify- flattery, and should other aspirants in the the highest order, he possesses all the quali- of the faculty in cases of sickness. ties, moral and social, which endears man to P. S. Since the above was put in type his fellow citizens. Judge Buffington is well we see the name of Major Wm. Wilson anvotes in October next will testify a just ap- yesterday's Democrat. preciation of his character. We are rejoiced at the favorable prospect that is now presented of elevating to the Supreme Bench a gentle- cratic National Convention has been called man so eminent for purity of character and profound legal learning.

" The Charger."-Messrs. Stover and Mc-Clure, proprietors of the Chambersburg Repository and Whig, will issue a campaign pa-ples declared at Buffalo, at the memorable per from the 17th instant until the close of Convention of August, 1848, are requested to the presidential campaign, at 25 cents per send delegates. In connection with this call, copy. It is to be edited by Col. A. K. Me- it is stated that the Hon. Mr. Durkee, repre-CLURE, late of the Juniata Sentinel, and we sentative from Wisconsin, is determined to ship was put to no very severe test, having have no doubt will prove a valuable aid to oppose the election of Pierce and King. met with "no serious resistance." politicians in contradicting the evils put forth Other democratic members of Congress, it is We next find him with his brigade at the ertain locofoco sheets, specially established to invent and propagate calumnies against the Dr. Townsend, of Ohio, and the Hon. S. P. fought on the 20th August, 1847, beginning hero of many a battle, Gen. Scott. For any Chase, Senator from Ohio. amount remitted, packages will be forwarded by mail, and where such papers may be wantof The Charger. ' We have received the first number of the torty numbers, making four handsome vol- burg. of one hundred and twenty engraved portraits yesterday at Patterson, from a disease reof the most eminent persons who have occu- sembling the cholera, and that one or two pied a place in the bistory or cotemporary others were down with the same complaint. annals of the United States .- All of which This is the season for dysentery, diarrhea, are executed on steel, by the best Artists, cholera morbus, &c., and none can be too and from the most esteemed likenesses careful in their diet, or in cleanliness of perpanied by a concise, authentic, and characteristic Biogriphical Sketch of the individual : in the preparation of which, the work has been aided by the ablest writers in the coun- hanna at that place. try: and recourse has been had invariably to the most competent and unequivocal author- at Hollidaysburg last week for selling goods ities in the statement of facts .- The work without a license. will, without fail, be completed in forty numof July, 1853 .- The first number is issued on sional row-the result of Pat-riotism. the 1st of July, 1852-The second will be published on the 1st of August, and one number will be regularly issued every week thereafter. Each number will contain three Portraits Persons throughout the Union, by remitting the subscription price, Ten Dollars, will have a copy of the work sent to them regularly every week, per mail, free of postage. A specimen number will be sent on the re ecipt of twenty-five cents. ROBERT E. PE-TERSON & Co., Publishers, North-West corner have declared the Alianthus tree a nuisance of Fifth and Arch streets, Philadelphia. Merry's Museum and Parley's Magazine, published by S. T. Allen & Co., New-York. at \$1 per annum, is a little work we have often taken occasion to commend to our juvinile readers as eminently worthy of support. It contains a large amount of good reading matter, calculated both to amuse and instruct. and is amply illustrated. The publishers we perceive now offer to schools and other librasubstantially bound.

Democratic Nominations. The time is again at hand when our democratic friends in Mifflin county will bring forward their usual supply of candidates for the and with the advice and consent of the Great Council who rule the roast. Gen. Ross having had his share of the honors and accompanying documents, will of course be no candidate for representative-hence the party, or at least its managers, will have to look round enough in private life, but not too knowing to be beyond influence should occasion arise for its exercise. As a preparatory step, the Democrat will soon have annunciations of

like the following : "As the time is rapidly approaching when the true and tried democracy will have to make a selection for member of the Assembly, I would respectfully suggest the name of our mutual friend, PETER WIGGLEWAGGLE, of Kickapoo township, as a proper person to repreent Mifflin county in the next legislature. OLIVER TOWNSHIP.

This will be a sort of feeler, and on the following week we may look for another an- to throw forward supplies, and bring up the nouncement:

"Messrs, Editors-I see a recommendation in your last paper of that highly esteemed democrat,, Peter Wigglewaggle, as a suitable be nominated for the Legislature unty convention. With no object by the county convention. With no objec-tions in the world to the gentleman named, I civilian of the age; they have shown their devotion to him and his principles for a peri-od of years; in short, *did Henry Clay justice* when the bolic of the secretary of War," as the talent it contains, and would therefore name HIRAM GUMTREE as decidedly the best man whom the democracy could send to the Legislature next winter. He embodies in He embodies in and could not fail to give general satisfaction in the capacity of a legislator. A DEMOCRAT."

Then a third party will be brought out, when a slight disturbance will be raised among the democratic flock, which naught can reduce to a state of order. But it must be done, and as a last resort the Council is convened for the purpose of partitioning out such spoils as may be necessary to hush the

known to most of our citizens, and their nounced as a candidate for the Legislature in

#### .... WHAT'S IN THE WIND ?- Another Demo-

by a circular issued at Washington and signed by Samuel Lewis, Chairman. It is to meet at Pittsburgh, Pa., on the 11th of August, to nominate candidates for President and Vice President. Friends of the princi-

General Pierce's Military Services. There are a number of persons in this and other counties in this State who are disposed to make capital out of the military services Legislature, Commissioner, and such other of Gen. Pierce, by proclaiming him a hero offices as may be filled according to law, by whose merits rank above his compeers on the battle fields of Mexico. To set these right, we take from the Kittanning Free Press some remarks and documents which will speak for ken part in the bloody conflict of Molino del themselves.

We are not disposed, says that paper, to disparage the patriotic services of any man, for some "suitable" person, respectable and shall certainly not begin by attempting to pluck a leaf from the chaplet of General Pierce ;---but, when we see attempts made to depreciate the services of greater, and, in every respect, superior men, in order to give city of Mexico, we again refer to his own recandidates on their own hook, and probably eclat to his military achievements, we feel it port : a short communication, mayhap something incumbent upon us to expose the attempts at deception and let the truth, in its own naked severity, be known.

For this purpose, we will let Gen. Pierce tell his own story, in his own words, and if it makes him out a greater hero than Gen. Scott, or any one of the thousands of gallant American officers and soldiers who served in Mexico, we are much mistaken.

Some time after the fall of Vera Cruz and the battle of Cerro Gordo, Gen. Pierce arrived in Mexico, having been commissioned by President Polk as a Brigadier General .---He was immediately detailed by Gen. Scott rear detachment of the American army from Vera Cruz to Puebla, at which latter place the commander-in-chief was then concentrating his forces previous to his descent into the Valley of Mexico. When safe at Perote Gen. P. forwarded the following despatch to Gen. Scott. (We quote from the "Appendix" January 4, 1848.")

# HEADQUARTERS PIERCE'S BRIGADE. Perole, August 1, 1847. GENERAL: 1 had the honor to receive this

morning, by Captain Ruff, a letter from Gen. P. F. Smith, informing me that you have experienced great anxiety on account of my I wrote you a note from Vera ommand. Cruz and another from La Hoya. I presume that the first was intercepted; the last, I trust, you received yesterday. From the moment I arrived at Vera Cruz to the hour of ny departure I was incessantly occupied in chieving a tolerable degree of preparation for the march. I will not give you particu-larly the causes of my delay, as they will be furnished in detail by my aid-de-camp, Lieut Thom, topographical engineers, by whom this will be handed to you. When it is remempered that my command consists, to a great extent, of northern men, you will perceive that I have been particularly fortunate, so ing to the Whigs of Butler county, as it meantime have sprung up, the usual sticking far as disease is concerned. On the march, doubtless is to the Whigs of the entire Com- plaster is applied with greater effect than was although the bridge at San Juan was parmonwealth. In addition to legal ability of ever produced by following the Pharmacopia tially destroyed, and the main arch at Plan del Rio blown up, and although we had been five times attacked, I have really encountered nothing that can be construed into serious re-sistance. I lost but one man by vomito at Vera Cruz, and none by that disease on the march. Three of my wounded men have died, but my command is, on the whole, in fine condition, so far as health is concerned. Although they are recruits, they are able and willing men. I shall bring to your command about twenty-four-hundred of all arms. Tomorrow morning, at four o'clock, I shall leave here for Puebla, and shall make the I have the honor to be, with the highest

onsideration, your obedient servant, FRANK PIERCE. Brig. Gen. U. S. Army. Maj. Gen. Winfield Scott,

Com. U. S. forces in Mexico.

From this it would appear that his general-

\* \* \* \* \* \* Accompanying this report is a return of the killed, wounded and missing. I have the honour to be, very respectfully. your obedient servant.

FRANK PIERCE,

last, having been moved out of its place.

morning last.

other lodge furniture.

a leather medal.

ra Academy was burnt down on Monday

A frame building owned by W. J. Kirk,

n E. Waterford, Juniata county, was parti-

The locofoco paper in Coudersport, Potter

county, lately informed its readers that Gen.

Scott had declared in his official dispatches

that much of the glory of the Mexican war

the author of this new historical "fact" with

Thursday evening of last week that a water-

spout had poured its torrents on Hollidays-

parts of town, but it was soon ascertained to

LOOK OUT .- We saw a very large copper-

head snake on the ridge (just above the sand-

hole) a few weeks ago. As children ascend-

ing the ridge frequently take that course,

they ought to be cautioned to be careful as

his snakeship is one of the most formidable

looking customers we have seen for a long

The next question to be debated by the

medicine or a dose of brandy was the best

cure for a pain in the stomach ?" was decided

brandy; when the club forthwith adjourned

to the bars of the several hotels to test whose

We would advise the people of Lewistown

to keep their "young gentlemen" (!) at home hereafter during the celebration of a national anniversary. We think it would be much to their credit.—Huntingdon Globe.

Certainly, captain, we'll try and do so-

become scarce. The mania for enlarging has

seized quite a number of printers of late,

and paid for, mind that,) a rush of three or

four hundred new subscribers who would fork

SPIRITUAL RAPPINGS .- The rise of water in

is now well established to be caused by the

was the ne plus ultra!

ample.

FALSE ALARM .- A story was circulated on

ally burnt on Sunday last. The Waterford

Brig. Gen. U. S. Army. We do not see Gen. Pierce's name mentiontioned in the reports of officers, as having ta Rey, on the 8th September, but he appears to have sufficiently recovered from his fall by the 12th of that month, to take charge of his brigade just previous to the storming of the stronghold of Chepultepec. For his share in that and the two following days, on the latter of which the American army entered the

HEAD QUARTERS, 1ST BRIGADE, 3d DIV. Tacubaya, Sept. 15, 1847. CAPTAIN :-- I have the honor to submit for

the information of the Major General commanding the division, the following report of the operations of my brigade during that portion of the 12th, 13th and 14th days of eptember, whilst it was under my immediate mmand. On the morning of the 12th, be fore the dawn of day, my brigade, consisting of the 9th and 15th regiments of infantry, (the 12th regiment having been left as guard to the hospitals at Mixcoac,) proceeded com the village of Tacubaya to take up a position to the left of said town, as a covering force to our heavy batteries, destined to ac against the enemy's strong works at Chepultepec. This position, taken without opposition, was maintained until dark without any other change than showing front to the left in the course of the day, in order to oppose a strong body of cavalry and infantry, which, for a time threatened that flank. As soon as t became sufficiently dark to conceal the manceavre, the brigade was directed by the General commanding the division to move silently under cover of a long range of buildings, known as the Molino del Rey, which place is immediately under the guns of Che-pultepec. *Previous to this movement, however,* I was compelled to leave the field in consequenc of severe indisposition, which confined me to my bed during the 13th, and, of course, deprived me of the satisfaction of participating with my brigade in the glorious achievements of that day.

The regiment composing my command having acted under the immediate orders of the General commanding the division and Brigadier General Cadwalader, I would respectfully refer you to the reports of the latter officer, and those of the commanders of the above named regiments, for an account of their operations of the 13th. At 4 o'clock, on the morning of the 14th,

rejoined that portion of my brigade (9th reent) then acting under the orders of Maj. Gen. Quitman, at the garita on the Tacubaya road, the 15th regiment having previously been directed to remain as a garrison to Che-pultepee. In this position, I remained until the news of the surrender of the city was communicated to General Quitman, and, having soon after received orders from headquarters of the army to that effect, I withdrew my command for the purpose of garrisoning the towns of Mixcoac and Tacubaya.

> Respectfully submitted, FRANK PIERCE,

Brig. Gen. U. S. A. Capt. J. HOOKER, Ass't Adj't Gen.

We have thus placed this matter in its true his exploits himself, and we drop the subject | Mifflin? for the present, after admonishing our oppo-Pierce's extraordinary military services, the the singular shaking of windows, doors, &c., better for his fair fame. It will not do for which at one time caused so much consternaare too convenient for that.

#### .... EDITORIAL OLLA PODRIDA.

The Shippensburg News has been consid-

erably enlarged and otherwise improved.

FITHE MIFFLIN COUNTY MEDICAL SO The Perrysville Bridge, over the Juniata, L CIETY will meet in Lewistown on July 19th, 1852. By order of the President, James Culbertson, M. D. was much injured by a storm on Tuesday A small building attached to the Tuscaro-R. MARTIN, Recording Secretary.

Lewistown, July 9, 1852.

# SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY virtue of sundry writs of Lovari Facias, Venditioni Exponas, and Fieri Facias, sued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Lodge of Odd Fellows, who occupied the part Mifflin county, and to me directed, will be destroyed, lost their charter, regalia, and exposed at public sale, at the Court House, in the Borough of Lewistown, on

# SATURDAY, July 31, 1852,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following described real estate, to wit :

All that lot of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon, situate or lying in was attributable to Gen. Pierce ! The whigs the Borough of McVeytown, as lately extend of that county ought by all means to present ed, bounded as follows: beginning at the order of this new historical "fact" with corner of Criswell street and Shippen alley, on the north side of said Criswell street, thence with said Shippen alley north one and a half degrees east one hundred and fifty feet and nine inches to Vine alley, thence with the same north eighty eight degrees west fifty three feet and seven inches to lot No. 50 burg, and that the Juniata was coming with thence with the same south one and a half the towpath and sundry other fixtures on its degrees west one hundred and fifty feet and back. Some alarm was created in the lower nine inches to said Criswell street, thence with the same south eighty eight and a half degrees east fifty three feet and seven inches to the place of beginning, and known in the general plan of said borough as lot No. 49, being part of the piece or parcel of land which was allotted to and taken by Robert U. Jacob at the appraisement and partition made between him and the heirs of Joseph Jacob deceased, on writ of partition sued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Mifflin county, No. 71, August term, 1833, and of No. 48 of November term, 1834, which land so allot ted te the heirs of the said Joseph Jacob, deceased, in the same partition, were previous tracts held by the said Robert U. and Joseph Lewistown Lazy Club is, "Are new Potatoes Jacob, in his lifetime-and after his decease healthy at \$1,50 a \$2 per bushel?" The by his heirs as tenants in common by virtue last question up, namely, whether a dose of of a sheriff's sale, made on fifth pluries vend exponas, No. 98 of August term, 1824, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Mifflin county, at the suit of the Juniata Bank of unanimously on Saturday last in favor of Penn'a against John Webb, deceased, and deed made by James Edmiston, then Sheriff of Mifflin county, to Joseph Jacob, &c. ; and the said Robert U. Jacob and Mary his wife, by their deed dated March 28, 1836, granted and conveyed the said tract of land of which the above described lot. No. 49 is a part, unto James Criswell and Anna his wife, by their deed dated March 8, A. D. 1845, granted and conveyed the above de-scribed lot of ground, together with other lots, unto John C. Montgomery, his heirs, &c., but for gracious sake, if ours stay at home, and the said John C. Montgomery and Han don't let yours come down, as they have done nah C. Montgomery, his wife, by their deed on several occasions, and thus set the bad ex- duly executed, dated on the day of

A. D. 1845, granted, conveyed, &c., the same lot, No. 49, unto the said Adam Holliday, his Our friends of the Valley Spirit at Chamheirs and assigns-together with all and sinbersburg have followed the enterprising pub- gular, the buildings and improvements, &c. and appurtenances whatsoever thereunto be lishers of the Repository and Whig in enlonging, or in any wise appertaining. Seized. larging their sheet, and both offices now issue larging their sheet, and both offices now issue papers large enough to serve them for sheets perty of *Adam Holliday*, with notice to terre and bed quilts, should these articles at any time tenants.

### ALSO.

A lot of ground situate on the north side of Broad or Juniata streets, in the Borough and having now a press, (just come to hand of Lewistown, Mifflin county, being 60 feet front on said street, more or less, and extending back to an alley adjoining lot of N. Comfort on the east and Brown on the west. over the cash, would almost induce us to en- Also, a lot of ground situate on Main street, light, by letting Gen. Pierce tell the story of large the Gazette. What say the whigs of in said borough, fronting 200 feet, more or less, on Main street extended, and 120 feet, more or less, on Elizabeth street, with a foun-Pierce's extraordinary military services, the singular shaking of windows, doors, &c., ate in the Borough of Lewistown, on the corner of Brown and Third streets, fronting them to belie his history-the "documents" tion among the believers in the rappers, but 30 feet on Brown and 111rd streets, fronting street, more or less, with a two story brick vibration of the air from the water falling dwelling house, brick stable, and other imover the dam in the creek at this place. We have repeatedly noticed of late that when the areak along arose the variation of the the the and interest of A. B. Long and George H. Long in 2 acres of ground situate in the creek alone arose, the rappings almost inva- Borough of Lewistown, adjoining the Kishariably followed—but if the river rose at the coonillas creek Kishacoonillas stre same time so as to back up against the dam, Amos Hoot and others, with the Isabella Furnace Stack blowing apparatus, washing ma-Longs, dated 16th June, 1846, and recorded in book Z, page 141. Also, the following tracts of mountain lands situate in Granville 400 acres, 129 perches, more or less, surveyed in the name of William Potts, one tract containing 400 acres, 129 perches, more or less, surveyed in the name of Joseph Potts, one tract containing 400 acres, 129 perches, more or less, surveyed in the name of David Potts, one tract containing 400 acres, 129 perches more or less, surveyed in the name of Ste phen Potts, one tract containing 400 acres, 400 acres, 122 perches, more or less, surveyed in the name of David Rutter. Also, a tract of land in Granville township, containing 12 acres and 16 perches, more or less, adjoining lands of L. T. Wattson and others, known as the Wattson Ore Bank. Also, a lease of Peter Townsend to Duncan & Long for ore leave, The Pennsylvania (York) Republican, for be accommodating of visitors to the dated 29th July, 1846, recorded in book Z, BEDFORD SPRINGS. Hacks from the page 593. Also, a right of ore from L. T. Wattson as per agreement 22nd June, 1846, and also a right on land of Joseph McGark in. Granville township. Seized, taken in execu-tion, and to be sold as the property of A. B.

said, will do the same ....

Yesterday, a German, while at work in the ed, we hope an effort will be made in favor hay-mow at James Parker's, became exhausted from the effects of heat, and died in a short time thereafter. He was a stranger. National Portrait Gallery of Distinguished Robert McNeil, Esq., of this place, we Americans, now publishing in numbers, at learn, was prostrated yesterday by a stroke brigade during the several engagements of the sun or an apopletic fit at Hollidays-25 cents each; the whole to be completed in of the sum or an apopletic fit at Hollidays- the

known, or extant; and each portrait accom-son or premises. Remember, an ounce of der (whose battery had already suffered prevention is worth a pound of cure.

The Columbia Bank and Bridge Company offer for sale the bridge across the Susque-

A boatman named Hagerty was fined \$54

bers, and will be finished on or before the 1st Point, Blair county, are kicking up an occa-

A man convicted of murdering a constable in St. Louis, has been sentenced to the penitentiary for ninety-nine years.

PEACHES .- This delicious fruit as well as watermelons have made their 'first appearance this season,' in Savannah ; the former bring \$6 per bushel.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Ohio railroads have connected their freight arrangements between Philadelphia and Massillon, and Cleveland, Ohio.

The Board of Health of Washington City on account of the offensive odor it emits when in bloom.

By the Montreal Courier we learn that her majesty the Queen has disapproved the liquor law passed by the New Brunswick legislature, on the Maine pattern, on the begislature on the Maine pattern of the diraction of Gen. Smith had crowned the ground that its provisions are a violation of the liberty of the subject.

REVISING THE LAWS .-- GOV. BIGLER, under the authority of an act passed at the last ses sion of the Legislature, has appointed JAMES M. PORTER, E. A. PENNIMAN and J. ELLIS ries the entire series of Merrry's Museum, BONHAM Commissioners to revise and codify the laws of Penneylvania.

opening of that splendid where we again let him speak for himself, der Mills and Presses. which he does as follows:

HEADQUARTERS, 1ST BRIGADE, 3D DIV.

Mexsoque, August 23, 1847. CAPTAIN: I have the honor to report, for the information of the Major General commanding the division, the operations of my

Agreeably to instructions, the 9th and 12th umes, bound in two, and containing upwards We hear it stated that two persons died Ransom and Lieut. Col. Bonham, were directed by me to support that portion of Gen. Twigg's division ordered to attack the front of the enemy's work at Contreras.

These regiments moved with great alacrity and coolness for three-fourths of a mile under a heavy fire of round shot and shells, to a position a little to the right, and in advance the battery commanded by Capt. Magrugreatly from the enemy's vastly superior weight of metal) and as he was authorized by the orders of the general commanding the division, in case of an inability to make an impression on the opposite works, to with-draw his guns, I directed him as well as the force which supported his battery, con-sisting of the 9th and 12th regiments of infantry, four companies of the 3d infantry The workmen on the railroad at Kiitanning and rifles, to retire to the base of the heights, about a mile and a half in front of the enemy's works, and there to await further orders .-At 1 o'clock on the following morning, (the 20th,) General Twiggs, with Capt. Lee of the engineer corps, whose distinguished services both days will not, I am sure, be overlooked, came to my bivouack with orders from the general-in-chief to assemble all the forces in my immediate neighborhood and occupy a position in order to create a diversion in favor of Brigadier General Smith, who was to storm the enemy's works at dawn of day. Being myself unable to keep my saddle, or to walk, in consequence of a severe injury from the fall of my horse the day be-fore, the command of this force devolved upon Col. RANSON, of the 9th infantry. The night was extremely dark, and the rain poured in torrents, but this gallant and efficient officer succeeded in organizing his force, and in the direction of Gen. Smith had crowned the hill immediately in rear of their works; and, when this brilliant achievement of storming the enemy's batteries was perfected, Ransom' command poured a devouring fire into the ranks of the fugitives. After the rout of the enemy at this point, my command, in com-mon with other troops, followed the retiring enemy into the town of San Angel.

The Lightning Rod business having pretty well supplied the country, the next thing on

PLEASANT WALK !--- Go up Granville Gap and and come out through Bixler's-thence up the railroad home. If you don't believe it, try it !

THE WEATHER .- We do not know how our readers feel in regard to the weather, but the thermometer verging from 90 to 96 is quite hot enough for us.

HURRAH FOR THE SOUP BOYS !- The locofocos, by their reference to the hasty plate of soup, have already stirred up associations for Scott who call themselves the Soup Boys ! They'll go it with a rush, and no mistake.

The most prominent things for which Lewstown is at present noted, are dogs and children. A mathematical friend thinks it would be hard to cypher out which makes the most noise

ed by Messrs. T. E. & J. J. Cochran, has been disposed of to Samuel J. & Wm. C. Shav.

Some love to roam in Champagne's foam, In Brandy dark to raise a spark-On three cent Whiskey to get frisky Or on logwood wine to swear "dem'd foind But of all the drinks far or near, We go in for Seachrist's Beer.

The third story of the Odd Fellows' Hall was dedicated by the Masonic fraternity on Monday last, when the Rev. W. C. BRYANT delivered an able vindication of the order before a large number of ladies and gentlemen who graced the ball with their presence The whole affair passed off agreeably.

The anniversary of our independence passed off without any public demonstration, save by some patriotic citizens who fitted up the old cannon on Monday, and made the hills and valleys ring with a National Salute of were out in different directions, who mostly returned at an early hour, while the boys, untrammeled by the presence of parents and teachers, made the day almost unpleasant and night hideous by a perpetual firing of squibs, &c. The proprietors of the Panorama of a Voyage to Europe, then on exhibition, illuminated the Town Hall in the evening.

tion we hope will enable some who have been thereon erected, together with lease of waexcited on this subject, hereafter to sleep in ter right from Sterrett & Potter to Duncan & quiet.

> Hard to Please .- When Henry Clay was the Whig candidate for President, he was held township, Mifflin county: one tract containing up by locofoco papers and "orators" as a duelist, whose hands were stained with the blood of Cilley, although Mr. Clay had nothing whatever to do with the meeting which resulted in the death of the party named. Strange as it may appear, the consistent gentlemen who found so much fault with the great Kentuckian for fighting bloodless duels, 129 perches, more or less, surveyed in the new find full with Gen. Scott because he name of Samuel Potts, one tract containing now find fault with Gen. Scott because he would not fight a duel with Gen. Jackson !

Mrs. E. C. HALL has opened a private BOARDING BOUSIS

nearly eighteen years well and ably conduct- town to the springs can be procured at all July 9,-3t. hours.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given to the members of the "Cumberland Valley Mutual Protection Company," of Dickinson township, Cumberland county, Penn'a, that Long. an assessment of four per cent. has been laid W. Rawle and James Hall, in and to a tract of on the premium notes of said Company by the Board, which amount is directed to be paid to the collectors of said Company that shall be appointed for receiving the same. hundred and ninety acres, and one hundred By order of the Board.

JOHN T. GREEN, See'y. July 9, 1852-3t.

## TO BUILDERS.

ROPOSALS will be received at the house of Wm. Brothers, in Reedsville, on SAT-

URDAY, the 17th day of August next, for the erection of a D W E L LING HOUSE at Mrs. Sloan's gate, on the Lewistown and Kishacoquil-las Tarnpike Road, 30 feet in length, 22 feet in breadth, and 15 feet in and other improvements thereon erected ght, from the front floor to the top of the square, with two apartments on each floor. THIRTEEN GUNS from Ard's Hill. Small parties and a cellar under one half of the house. taken in execution, and to be sold as the The building to be constructed either of stone, frame, or a modern fashioned plank house. intractors will make their calculations for either of said structures. The plan of building and the kind of material will be more fully determined on, on the day of the meet-

> By order of the Board of Managers. SHEM ZOOK, Secretary. Reedsville, July 9, 1852-td.

ALSO.

All the right, title and interest of Francis land situate in Brown township, Mifflin county, surveyed in the name of James Miller, and containing by the original survey three and nineteen perches, more or less, known as the Cooper Gap tract, with a saw mill, dwelling house and other improvements thereon erected. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Francis W. Rawle and James Hall.

ALSO.

A lot of ground situate on the south side of, and fronting 30 feet, more or less, on Mill street, in the Borough of Lewistown, Mifflin county, and extending back to a 14 or 16 feet alley, with a two story frame dwelling house, bounded on the east by lot of W. Hoops, and on the west by lot of John Himes. Seized. property of Paul Pickle and Susan Pickle, his wife.

WILLIAM SHIMP, Sheriff. SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Lewistown, July 9, 1852.-3t

N. B. Purchasers at the above sheriff sales are here. notified that the amount of the sales will be required to be paid, in all cases, immediately on the property being knocked down, or it will be forthwith resold to the highest bidder.