28th. I.C. Simonton, Reporter, and Edwards and Triglet, members House of Rep-resentatives at Washington, expelled for bri-bery and corruption.-Massacre of Europeans at Sarawak and Borneo avenged by slaughter of 2000 Chinese, by Sir J. Brooke.

Pennsylvania Legislature.

The Legislature of this State met on Tuesday last, and were organized by the election of W. H. Welsh of York as Speaker of the Senate, and A. B. Longaker of Montgomery as Speaker of the House. The Governor's Message was delivered yesterday, a portion of which we give below, being as much as we can make room for to-day :

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

To the Honorable the Senators and Members of the House of Representatives of the General Assembly

GENTLEMEN-By the suffrages of your fellow-citizens, you have been charged with the duty of representing them, and the interests of the Commonwealth, in the Legislative branch of the Government. The responsibilities you have assumed and the duties to be performed should ever be regarded as paramount to every selfish or partizan cons ation. The prosperity of the State and the general welfare of the people, should receive your earnest attention, and be the aim and end of your legislative action. To promote these objects, I will cheerfully, in every legal and constitutional manner, during the continuance of my official term, co-operate with you.

The past year, with the exception of recent financial embarrassment, has been one of general prosperity. No foreign wars-no fraternal strife, has disturbed the peaceful quiet of our homes. Unwonted health, with its blessings, has been vouchsafed to us.-Seed time and harvest have not failed-the earth hath yielded her increase, and richly rewarded the labor of the husbandman. The Arts and Sciences have been advanced, and the great interests of Education, Morality and Religion liberally encouraged and sus tained. Our nation in its unity-our free institutions in their integrity, with our rights and privileges, civil and religious, have been preserved. Recognizing in these blessings the goodness of Almighty God, we should render to Him the homage of grateful hearts and the devotion of our sincere praise; and whilst humbly acknowledging His mercies to us as a people, let us still further express our gratitude to Him, by acts of individual charand kindness to the poor and helpless in

toidst. Sorrow now fills the hearts, and toity darkens the homes of many of our ans. Our liberality should be generous; tonefactions munificent; and thus whilst nts of the poor and suffering are reta the generous giver will find a rich remin the pleasure that results from communicated good.

The finances of the Commonwealth are in a very satisfactory condition. During the past year every demand upon the Treasury been promptly paid, from the revenues derived from the ordinary sources. The op-erations of this Department will be presented you, in detail, in the report of the State

o: the fiscal year ending November, 30, dishe receipts at the Treasury, including use in the Treasury on the first day of Typer, 1856, of one million two hundred dogty-four thousand seven hundred and dow ve dollars and forty two cents, (1,244,-ing h ere five millions nine hundred and or less housand three hundred and eighty of these nd 26 cents. (\$5,935,383 26.) of a door expenditures for the same pehalf, in thaillions four hundred and sev-

report the sum of four hundred and fourteen thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars and twenty-nine cents, (414,920 29) as now in the Treasury to the credit of that fund.--This amount will be applied to the redemption of Relief Notes yet in circulation, and to the payment of the funded debt of the Commonwealth. The Commissioners of this fund, on the 7th

day of September last, reported to me that sum of one million forty-two thousand the eight hundred and fifty-seven dollars and sixty-four cents, (1,042,857 64) of the debt of the Commonwealth, was held by them, as follows-viz:

Loans of 19th of April, 1853, \$400,000 00 over due, temporary, Loans of 9th of May, 1854, over

164.000.00 due, temporary, Certificates of stock, loans of April 11, 1848, 6 per cent,

rious dates, 5 per cent, Relief Notes cancelled and de-

stroyed. Relief Notes in Treasury, set aside for cancellation,

\$1,042,857 64 Total. As required by law, I directed the certificates and evidences of this indebtedness to be cancelled; and on the 19th of September, 1857, issued my proclamation declaring the payment, extinguishment and final discharge, of one million forty-two thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven dollars and sixty-four cents, (1,042,857 64) of the public debt.

In addition to the amount reported to be in the Treasury to the credit of the sinking fund, and applicable to the payment of the public debt, the Commissioners of the Fund now hold the sum of seven and one-half mil-lions of dollars, (\$7,500,000) bonds of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, pledged by law to the payment of the funded debt of the Commonwealth.

By the 4th section of the 11th article of the Constitution, as amended and ratified by a majority of the qualified voters of the State, at the general election, held on the second Tuesday of October, 1857, it is made the duty of the Legislature at its first session after the adoption of this amendment, to cro-ate a Sinking Fund, which shall be sufficient to pay the accruing interest on the present public debt, and any additional debt thereafter constitutionally contracted, and annually to reduce the principal thereof by a sum not less than two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, (250,000,) which "Sinking Fund shall consist of the net annual income of the pub lic works from time to time, owned by the State, or the proceeds of the sale of the same, or any part thereof, and of the income or proceeds of sale of stocks owned by the State, together with other funds or resources that may be designated by law. The said Sink-ing Fund may be increased from time to time assigning to it any part of the taxes or other revenues of the State, not required for the ordinary and current expenses of government, and, unless in case of war, invasion or insur rection, no part of said Sinking Fund shall used or applied otherwise than in extin guishment of the public debt, until the amount of such debt is reduced below the sum of five millions of dollars," (\$5,000,000.)

This being the first session of the Legislature since the adoption of this amendment, the duty therein enjoined devolves upon you, and should

be promptly and faithfully discharged. The funded and unfunded debt of the State, including temporary loans, on the first day of December, 1856, as per Reports of Auditor General and State Treasurer, was as follows,

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of the country, after a careful consideration of the present and prospective condition of the finances and resources of the Commonwealth, I cannot hesitate to reafirm my belief, "that the time is not far distant when Pennsylvania will stand redeemed from the oppression of her public debt, and her people be relieved from a taxation imposed to meet its accruing interest and maintain the faith and credit of the Commonwealth," and that "by practising strict econ-omy in all departments of the Governmenting extravagant expenditure-refusing to undertake any new schemes of internal im-provement, and helding to a rigid accountabil-ity the receiving and disbursing agents of the State, the realization of these views may be anticipated with confidence.1

As corroborative of the opinion now and heretofore expressed, a brief review of the operations of the Treasury during the past three years, as connected with the payment of the debt of the Commonwealth, may not be inap-propriate. In my first annual message to the Legislature the fact was stated, that during the three years intervening, between December 1, 1851, and December 1, 1854, the public debt had been increased one million, five hundred and eighty-four thousand, three hundred and fifty-nine dollars and thirty-four cents; and that the total debt at the close of the fiscal year, December 1, 1854, was forty-one millions, six hundred and ninety-eight thousand, five hun-dred and ninety-five dollats, and seventy-four cents, (\$41,698,595 74.) At the close of the late fiscal year, December 1, 1857, three years later, the funded and unfunded debt, as before shown, was thirty-nine millions, eight hundred and eighty-one thousand, seven hundred and thirty-eight dollars and twenty-two cents; (\$39,-881,738 22) decrease in three years, one million, eight hundred and sixteen thousand, eight hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifty-two cents, (\$1,816,857 52.)

Thus in three years the public debt has been decreased, by actual payment and without resorting to the expedient of temporary loans, one n, eight hundred and sixteen thousand, millie eight hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifty-two cents. If to this be added the sum of four hundred and fourteen thousand, nine hundred and twenty dollars and twenty-nine cts. (\$414,-920 29) now in the sinking fund, and applicable to the payment of the funded debt, the reduction will be two millions, two hundred and thirty-one thousand, seven hundred and seventy-seven dollars and eighty-one cents, (\$2,231,-777 71.)

These facts are not only gratifying, but encouraging. It has already been stated that there is in the Sinking Fund the sum of seven millions, five hundred thousand dollars—bonds of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, bearing interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and pledged to the payment of the funded debt. If this sum be added to the reduction before stated, we have presented to us a virtual, if not an actual decrease, of the State debt of nine millions seven hundred and thirty-one thousand, seven hundred and seventy-seven dollars and eighty-one cents, (\$9,731,777 81:) showing the total funded and unfunded debt of the State on the first day of December, 1857, to have been thirty one millions, nine hundred and sixty-six thousand, eight hundred and eighteen dollars and forty-one cents (\$31,966,818 41.) In anticipation of the sale of the Main Line

and the decrease in the public debt, the State tax, by an act of the last regular session, was reduced from three to two and one-half mills on the dollar; a reduction equal to one sixth of the tax imposed for State purposes prior to that act. These facts speak for themselves. Well may the people be congratulated on such an auspicious beginning in the process of liquidaand well may they with confidence anticipate the day of their deliverance from State taxation. Financial and commercial embarrassment may postpone,-nothing but unwise legislation, and the imprudent or dishonest management of our finances, can prevent-the early realization of their well founded anticipations.

The condition of the public works, their general operation, the receipts and expenditures during the past fiscal year, will be presented to you in detail in the Report of the Canal Commissioners

The total receipts at the Treasury, from the public works, for the year ending November 30, 1857, including receipts from the Main Line 20.556 00 last w million, three hundred and eight thousand, five 4.448 38 1,164 00 hundred and ninety-eight dollars and sixty-two cents, (\$1,308,598 62.) The aggregate expen-400,000 00 ditures for the same period were one million three hundred and twelve thousand seven hun-184,000 00 dred and five dollars and sixty-seven cents. (\$1. 312.705 67;) the expenditures exceeding the

of the country, after a careful consideration of claim and demand of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to all property, real, personal and mixed, belonging to or used in connection with the same by the Commonwealth; and the purchasers having given notice of their readiness to take possession of the said works, possession of the same was accordingly delivered to the Company on the first day of August last; of which notice was given to all Superintendents and Agents of the Commonwealth, by proclamation bearing date the 31st day of July, 1857, as required by the law authorizing the sale. The bonds of the Pennsylvania Railroad

Company, in the sum of seven and one half millions of dollars, were received by the State Treasurer and are held by him for the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund; the entire proceeds of the sale being required by the 12th section of the act to be paid to the Sinking Fund and applied to the payment of the State debt.

I cannot forbear congratulating the people of the Commonwealth on the consummation of this sale. Public sentiment, as expressed through the ballot box, and in other forms equally significant, demanded it-public policy and the interests of the Commonwealth required it. It is done. The many approve; few complain, those most, who have gained an unenviable reputation by a reckless disregard of the public interests, as exhibited in the extravagant, useless and fraudulent expenditures of the public money for selfish or partizan purposes.

The sale of the Main Line has directed public attention to the importance and necessity of disposing of the remaining divisions of the public improvements. The reasons and policy that required and justified the sale of the one, apply with equal force to the sale of the other. The propriety of separating the State from the care and control of the public works, is not only evident to all who have given the subject a candid and impartial consideration, but the necessity is clearly established by the history of their construction and management. They have failed to be a source of revenue to the Commonwealth, and if retained by the State, will require an expenditure in their repair and management, largely exceeding any revenue that under the most favorable circumstances, can be derived from them.

[CONCLUSION IN OUR NEXT.]

The your lungs diseased, and would you be cured, do not allow yourself to be exrimented upon, but try a remedy that has relieved thousands and proved itself worthy of your confidence. We refer to Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, for sale by C. Ritz.

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On the 24th December, in the Methodist Episcopal Church, by Rev. J. A. Ross, J. IRWIN WALLIS to Miss ELIZABETH HUDSON, both of this place. On the 31st December, by the same, WM.

N. STARK, of Armstrong county, to Miss MABY SMITH, of near Lewistown. On the 24th ult., by Rev. Franklin Gearart, LORENZO D. RAMBLER, of this

ounty, to Miss SARAH D. STACKPOLE, of McVeytown. On the 30th ult., by the same, WM. A.

County Teacher's Association.

THE annual meeting of the Mifflin County Teacher's Association will be held at A Teacher's Association will be held at Milroy, commencing on Thursday, January 21st, 1858, and continuing until the follow. ing Saturday at 12 o'clock. All the Teachers in the county are earnestly entreated to at tend. The hospitalities of the town and country have been generously proffered. A programme of the exercises will be published in due time, and furnished to Teachers and others desirous of attending. The Annual Address will be delivered by

JOSEPH W. PARKER, Esq., on the evening of the 21st.

Signed by the Executive Committee Lewistown, Jan. 7, 1857.

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Dissolution of Partnership,

TOTICE is hereby given that the co part. nership heretofore existing between 8. & FRANK was dissolved on the 22d day of M. December, 1857, by mutual consent. December, 1857, by mutual consent. The books and accounts are in the hands of M. Frank, at the store, where all those indebted will please call and settle their accounts. SAMUEL FRANK. MEYER FRANK

Lewistown, January 7, 1858.

TAVING purchased the interest of S. Frank, I now offer the extensive assortment of goods on hand at very low prices.-The stock is large, comprising everything usually to be found in stores. Very thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to the store, I respectfully solicit a continu ance of the same, as I feel confident of being able to please all in price, taste and quality ion7.3m M. FRANK.

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COOD Brown Sugar at 9 a 11 cts. per lb. With the the second seco Lovering's best Syrup, 75 per gallon New York " New Orleans Molasses, 50 do All for Cash at the old Steam Mill Store, br

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W E will sell at Philadelphia prices. Now is the time to pull off your old clothing and buy new at the cheap store of **KENNEDY**, JUNKIN & CO. jan7

A PPEALS .- The Commissioners hereby give notice to Taxpayers and all interest ed, that they will meet at their office in Ler. istown on the following days, for the purpose of hearing appeals from assessments and aluntions for the ensuing year ; Tuesday, January 26. 1858, for the distric

emposed of Oliver. Wayne and Bratter wnships, and McVeytown and Newley Hamilton boroughs. Wednesday, January 27, 1858, for the district composed of Armagh, Brown, Unional

Menno townships. Thursday, January 28, 1858, for the dis triet composed of Derry, Granville and Dea tur townships, and the borough of Lewistown, By order of the Board. R. D. SMITH, Clerk. Commissioners' Office, Jan. 7, 1858.

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door. As fo hundred and seventy-six Interest certificates outstanding,

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upper half nty-nine cents. (\$5,407,276upper half uty find course becember 1, of weather, d and twenty-eight thousand Balance temporary loan, April verely cold d six dollars and forty seven sertions 206 47.) Excluding the balance posite, sury on the first day of December, great receipts from all sources were four ble six hundred and ninety thousand five ured and eighty seven dollars and eighty-our cents. (\$4,690,587 84.) The ordinary

expenditures for the same period were three million nine hundred and ninety-two thousand three hundred and seventy dollars and twenty-nine cents. (\$3,992,370 29;) exhibit ing an excess of receipts over expenditures of six hundred and ninty-eight thousand two hundred and seventeen dollars and fifty-five cents, (\$698,217 55.) The extraordinary payments for the year, were one million fou indred and fourteen thousand nine hundred and six dollars and fifty cents, (\$1,414,906 50,) as follows, to wit: To the completion of the Portage Railroad, forty-nine thousand and sixty dollars and ninety two cents, (\$49, 061 92;) to the North Branch extension one hundred and thirty-eight thousand seven hun-

dred and ninety-eight dollars and eighty-five cents; (\$138,798 85;) to relay the South Track of the Columbia Railroad, ninety-one thousand four hundred and five dollars and forty-six cents, (91,405 46;) to enlarge the Delaware Division, forty-six thousand two hundred and sixty-three doilars, (46,263 00;) for motive power in 1856, eighty-one thousand six hundred and four dollars and twenty-four cents, (81,604 24;) for repairs in 1855 and 1856, forty-nine thousand five hundred and sixty-four dollars and seventy-eight cents, (49,564 78;) for the redemption of loans, eight hundred and twenty thousand and ninety seven dollars and three cents, (820,097 03;) damages on the Public Works, forty six thousand five hundred and fifty-two dollars and sixty-five cents, (46,552 65;) old claims on the Main Line adjusted under the several Acts of Assembly, forty-six thousand five hundred and forty eight dollars and fifty seven cents, (46,548 57.) and for the new State Arsenal and Farmers High School, forty-five thousand dollare, (45,000 00.) The interest on the funded debt, due in

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February and August last, was then promptly paid, and that falling due in February next, will be paid out of available means now in the Treasury. By virtue of the provisions of the Act of the 13th of October, 1857, en-titled "An Act providing for the Resumption of Specie Payments by the Banks, and for the relief of Debtors," the State Treasurer will be enabled to pay the interest due in February, in specie or its equivalent. The credit of the Commonwealth has been fully and honorably sustained. The promptness with which every legitimate demand upon the Treasury has been met, has inspired public confidence in our securities ; and although recent and 'existing financial revulsion may embarrass the operations of the Treasury, and reduce, to some extent the revenue ; yet the ability of the State to meet her engagements and maintain her credit, under an honest and economical administration of her finances, is undoubted. The honor and credit of the State must and can be preserved intact.

19, 1853. Balance temporary loan, May 9,1854,

\$40,701,835 25 The funded and unfunded debt, at the close of the last fiscal year, December 1, 1857, was as follows vizt

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Decrease during late fiscal year, \$820,097 55 These statements exhibit the gratifying fact, that during the past fiscal year, the public debt has been reduced eight hundred and twenty thousand, ninety-seven dollars and fifty-five cents. During the same period large appro-priations and payments were made on account of our public improvements, for old and unset. tied claims adjusted under the act of last ses-sion, and for other extraordinary purposes.

The condition of the Treasury prior to the uspension of specie payments by the Banks. justified the appropriation of at least two hun-dred thousand dollars more in payment of the public debt, and arrangements were made by the Treasurer, under the direction of the Com missioners of the Sinking Fund, to liquidate that amount, but after the suspension, and the consequent financial embarrassment of the ousequent infancial empartassificity of an ountry, the proposed payment, from pruden-ial motives, was postponed. Had this paytial motives, was postponed. Had this pay-ment been made, in addition to the payments already reported, the statements and calculations submitted in my last annual Message in relation to the early payment and final extin-guishment of the public debt, would thus far have been sustained by their actual verification. The causes that prevented their realization, it

is believed, will soon cease to affect injuriously the revenues of the Commonwealth. Actuated by that indomitable energy that has ever characterized the American people-faltering for a moment, but not disheartened by the adverse circumstances that surround us-roused to more vigorous action by disaster and defeat, our progress cannot long be checked, nor our prosperity long be interrupted. Confidence, the sensitive, yet powerful agency, that binds in unity and strength the great financial, commer-cial and industrial interests of our country and the world, has been suddenly impaired, producing financial and commercial distress, and affecting the revenues of the Commonwealth; but with the advantages resulting from the rapid development of our resources during the last quarter of a century-the immensely valuable increase of our agricultural, mining and manthe abundant harvests of the past year-our completed improvements, and all the elements of material wealth in our midst, its restoration at an early period is not problematical. Re-turning confidence will be the herald of return The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, present embarrassment and gloomy condition

revenues four thousand one hundred and seven dollars and five cents, (\$4,107 05.) The receipts at the Treasury from the several Divisions were as follows, viz :

Main Line, to August 1, 1857. \$796,550 33 Susquehanna and North and West S0 00 Branch Divisions, 287.718 95 12 52

224,329 34 Delaware Division, The receipts from the Delaware Division are less than those of the previous year. The com-pletion of rival Railroads and other causes, have lessened the receipts from this important division of our public works; and it is will continue to decrease them. Its management has been satisfactory, and compared with other divisions of the public improvements, economical. The net revenue, at the Treasu-ry, was \$174,001 87, a decrease of \$90,093 23, economical as compared with the receipts of the preceding year. In addition to the ordinary expenditures, the sum of \$46,263 was paid for the enlarge-

ment and improvement of this division. The North Branch Extension of the Pennsylvania canal, although so far completed in the fall of 1856, that boats freighted with coal and other products, were successfully passed throuts entire length from Pittston to the Junction canal, yet in consequence of a large portion o the "Horse Race Dam" having been car away by the freshet of last spring, business been carried the canal was suspended the greater part of the past year. It was repaired during the summer and in the fall business was resumed along its entire length. Soon after, the same dam was again extensively injured by a sudden and heavy freshet, and the greater part of the canal rendered useless for business. An appropriation will be required to re-construct the dam

This canal although useful and valuable, appears to be doomed to failure and disaster .-These are the fruits of former mismanagement and fraud in its construction. Every effort has been made to repair the errors of its early man agement, and to complete and render useful this division of our public works. Under proper management it can be successfully accomplished

In pursuance of the act of the 16th day of May, 1857, providing for the sale of the Main Line of the public works, after giving the notice required by law, I caused the said Main Line to be exposed to public sale at the Merchants' Exchange, in the city of Philadelphia, on the 25th day of June last, and sold the same to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for the sum of seven millions five hundred thousand dollars, the highest price bid for the same, and the minimum price fixed in the act.

After a full compliance by the purchasers with the conditions of the act authorizing the sale, and the delivery of their bonds in number and for the amounts equal to and falling due at the time provided for the payment of the respective instalments, the Secretary of the Commonwealth, on the 31st day of July. A. D. 1857, as directed by the act, transferred, under the great seal of the State, to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, their successors or assign, the whole Main Line of the public works between Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, together with all the right, title and interest,

which contains all the information that can be obtained in regard to all counterfeits, broken banks, and the rates of discount on all the bank notes of the country. Messrs. Drexel & Co., the well known Bankers and Brokers of Philadelphia, will supervise it and make the corrections in each number of the list, so that it may be perfectly relied on, while the well known house of E. W. Clark & Co., Commission Stock and Exchange Brokers, will correct the Stock List. Not being intended to subserve the purpose of any banking house, as most of the Detectors do, it will be a useful and reliable publication to the whole business community, and we would advise all of our readers to remit the price of

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> THE MARKETS. LEWISTOWN, Jan. 7, 1858.

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Butter, good, 2 tb.

Eggs, & dozen, Our Millers yesterday were paying for white Wheat 75(@115c; red Wheat 90(@) 100; Corn 50; Rye 50; Oats 22. Flour is selling at from \$2 50 to 3 50 \$2 100 lbs. s in quality.

Flour, Grain, &c.

Flour, Grain, &cc. Breadstuffs of all descriptions are quict, there being a total absence of any export or speculative inquiry. The rescripts and stocks of flour are small, but there is none selling except in small lots for home consumption at \$4 \$7 up to 625 for common and fancy brands, according to qual-ity. Ry dour is held at \$4, and corn meal at \$3 per barrel, without sales. Grain-There is some inquiry for prime wheat, but other secriptions are not wanted. Good red ranges from \$112 to 1 15 per bushel, and white from 1 20 to 1 30. Pennsylva-ia Rye sold at 70 cents, according to dryness; white sold at \$2 cents. Oats are doll - prime belaware sold at \$3 cents, and common do, at 51 cents per bushel; Pennsylvania sold at Shabi cents. Cloverseel is in limited supply, and com-mands \$5 per 640s. 25000 lbs. sold from second hands for export at a price kept secret. No sales of timothy or flax-seed.

On the 22d ult., in Altoona, by Rev. II. Baker, THOS. MONTGOMERY to Miss RE-BECCA YEOCUM, both of Huntingdon ounty.

In this place, on the 24th ult., by the same HENRY ALBRIGHT to Miss MARY J. Me CARTNEY.

On the 29th ult., by the same, WM. H DIVEN, of Juniata county, to Miss SARAH A. STROUP, of this county. On the 31st ult, by the same, THOMAS

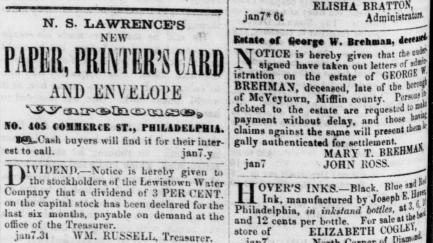
TAYLOR, of Centre county, to Miss CATH-ARINE REIDEN, of Mifflin county.

On the 24th December, by Rev. R. Elliott Wilson, WILLIS V. B. COPLIN to Miss PRISCILLA SWANGER, both of Milroy, Mittlin county.

Died.

On the 24th December, in Oliver township, after a lingering disease, JACOB GARVER, aged about 56 years.

Died, at his residence near Delphi, Indiana. on the 15th December, DANIEL BAUM, Sr. From an obituary in the Journal, we learn that Mr. Baum was born on the 7th day of October, 1780, near Lewistown, Pa. At the age of four years, he lost his father. He was married to Ascenath Rottrock, near Lewis town, on the 20th day of February, 1801. In the year 1805 he removed to Chillicothe, Ohio. He became a member of the German Baptist Church in 1811. On the 6th day of March. 1825, Mr. Baum started with his family for the Wabash and landed at the old Baum farm adjoining Delphi, en the last day of April, 1825. At the date of Mr. Baum's arrival there were but six white families within the bounds of what is now Carroll county, to wit: Henry Robinson, Abner Robinson, Benjamin D. Angell, John Cary, Martin Kay and Cary Black.



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jan7 IRWIN'S GROCERY. WANTED-500 additional cash subscribers for the Gazette.

Estate of Daniel M. Yeager, deceased,

TOTICE is hereby given that letters of a ministration on the estate of DANIEL M. YEAGER, late of Devry township, Mill county, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in said township. Al persons indebted to said estate are reque to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

ja7* ELIAS HUFFNAGLE, Adar.

Estate of James Stackpole, deceased.

TOTICE is hereby given that letter of a STACKPOLE, laterof the borough of MeVer town, Mifflin county, deceased, have bee granted to the undersigned, residing in Granville township. All persons indebted to sa estate are requested to make immediate pay-ment, and those having claims to press them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

JAMES B. STACKPOLE, ian7-6t Administrator

Estate of Jacob Garver, deceased. OTICE is hereby given that letters of ad GARVER, late of Oliver township, Millin county, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, the first named residing in Univ township, and the remaining two in Oine township. All persons indebted to said e tate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

BENJAMIN GARVER, HENRY GARVER. ELISHA BRATTON, jan7*6t Administrators. Estate of George W. Brehman, dereased

NOTICE is hereby given that the under signed have taken out letters of admin

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Wolf's Hanover Gloves.

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