This TO OUR PATRONS. annu UAL AND ONLY DUN THE GAZETTE MAKES.

The most important question to us in these hard times is, "Shall we be able to pay our bond, or even a part of it, this spring?" The principal and interest amount to \$265, and being the last we must confess we had lived in hopes that the present spring would release us from this incubus, but thus far the prospect is poor. However our patrons some years ago once took a whim to furnish us with the amount needed in a little over a month, and we don't know but they may do so again .-Certain it is, if every one will but get the idea in his or her head that what he or she owes will make it up, and pay over accordingly, the thing's done. We shall therefore, like Patience on a monument, wait for the wagon, and if it comes, we'll pay up-if it don't, we rather think we won't, because we can't.

Notices of New Advertisements.

THE NEW YORK MERCURY .-- Our readers will observe to our advertising columns the prospectus of this popular weekly, which for the past ten years has held a leading po sition in the metropolis of the Union. It will be seen that its corps of writers embrace the most celebrated and popular of romancists, and it is got up in the very best styl for a respectable family newspaper. The proprietors of the Mercury, we believe, are men of stability and character, and the public can rely upon their making good their mu-nificent promises. Read the announcement.

The owners of property would do well by remembering that deeds executed in this State must be recorded within six months, otherwise to be deemed fraudulent and void against subsequent purchasers or mortgagees for value, ore the deed under which the subse

The attention of dealers, agents and others is invited to the advertisements from Richardson's Advertising House,

Housekeepers, Mechanics, and the public generally will notice F. J. Hoffman's new advertisements.

A notice to Tax Collectors—the Sheriff's Sales—and the Register's Notice, are also published. See election for Trustees of Lewistown Academy

SPECIAL LEGISLATION.

OUR MEMBER AND SENATOR.

Our readers will have marked that about all the business thus far transacted in the legislature of this State by our member and senator, has been of a special, and some of it to say the least, unusual character. That an attempt should be made to release bail in a matter in which the commonwealth is concerned, and which could have been easily collected years ago had the State officers done their duty, we are not surprised, as it is no doubt a part of the programme got up some years ago by the democracy, and as several others are also in for "bail" in other matters, such a precedent would come most opportune to get out of it under the plea that it is a hard case to pay that which they guaranteed should be paid; but we must confess we are surprised that Dr. Bower and Mr. Fetter should lend themselves to such petty legislation as that exercised towards the Directors of the Poor, use for sooth the latter do not see proper to do as the 'outside directors' desire. We speak of this matter in no party aspect, for it has been of but little concern to us who was steward or who were physicians, so that the business was properly attended to. In politics, the Board was fairly divided-Mr. Atkinson, a democrat of high standing, Mr. Peachy, a republican nominated on the democratic ticket, and one of the heaviest taxpayers in the county, and Mr. Cubbison, an American republican, who thus far has faithfully performed his duty. The board, by the vote of Messrs. Atkinson and Peachey, appointed Joseph Brower steward for the ensuing year, and after a consultation on the subject Geo. W. Hoover physician, at the same rates charged by the others last year, namely \$120 per annum.-The objection to Mr. H. we believe is that he has not had much experience. This appointment was made in consequence of all the other physicians having combined and agreed to a resolution which fixed the charge for attendance at the poor house at \$200, and all cases outside at regular rates. Heretofore the physicians attended the

poor house and all cases within seven miles of it for \$120. Their resolution not only increased the rates at the poor house, but brought into regular charges all cases outside. What it would cost under such an arrangement in hard times with a sickly season, should such occur, it is difficult even to guess, though those who pay such bills could perhaps come near the mark. Herein we believe the physicians were wrong, and out of time-that establishment being still heavily embarrassed. To these causes, with a sprinkling of ill-feeling towards Mr. C., public rumor attributes the bill which has passed both houses legislating the Directors of the Poor, comprising as good citizens and taxpayers as are in the county, out of office, and giving the whole into the hands of the Commissioners, a the commissioners in any county. It is a who could not sanction the Mifflin county refugee named Bernard had been arrested KERR, Sr., Esq., aged 84 years.

natures, on account of its setting a prece- in the conspiracy to murder the Emperor dent for banking on real estate, could set Napoleon. Later intelligence from India quietly by and suffer a bill to pass changing announces further British successes. The a long established usage, got up in secresy, and certainly not asked for or desired by the people.

We have given above the current reports relative to this bill. If there are more cogent reasons for the measure, we hope some of its advocates will furnish them for publication.

Democratic State Convention.

The Pennsylvania Democratic State nominating convention met at Harrisburg on Thursday last, 4th inst. The Hen. John L. Dawson, of Fayette, was chosen President, and in taking the chair he made a strong Administration Lecompton speech. A committee on resolutions being ordered, the chairman appointed one composed entirely of Lecompton men. The following resolutions were reported and adopted by a vote of 111 to 1-most of the ultra anti-Lecomptonites declining to vote:

Resolved, That the principle involved in the repeal of the Missouri Compromise, and asserted in the Kansas Nebraska act, that the people of the Territories shall have the exclusive control over their domestic institutions, is the only sure guarantee against the agita tion of the nation in regard to the local institutions of particular States and Territories.

Resolved, That by the uniform application of this Democratic principle to the organization of territories, and in the admission of new States, with or without domestic slavery, as they may elect, the equal rights of all the States will be preserved, the original compacts of the Constitution be maintained inviolate; and the harmony and perpetuity of the Union of the American States be ensured.

Resolved, That it is the right of the people of any State or Territory to exercise their sovereign power, through duly chosen representatives, and through them to enact such a Constitution and Government as they may delegate to such representatives; the mere limited power to prepare their form of government reserving to themselves the right of ratification, and that either mode of giving existence to State institutions is consistent with the doctrine of popular sovereignty and the established practice of the States of this Union.

Fourth. That the Lecompton convention was regularly constituted, and the constitution legally formed, and Kansas should be admitted under it.

Fifth. That the people of Kansas under this constitution may at all times alter, and abolish their form of government, in such a manner as they see proper. The provision in the constitution relative to the particular mode of alteration after 1864, does not forbid any other mode which by regular process the ople may choose to adopt before or after people ma

Sixth. The time has arrived when the agi tation in Kansas should be settled. The conflict should be local not national. The Union will be placed in great danger and peril by further delay of the admission of Kansas as

Seventh. That if the constitution in Kansas is not acceptable in some of its provisions to the majority, it was produced by the free State men of the Territory, by their obstinate course, and they have no right to complain, and should shut their mouths forever.

Eighth. That the abolitionists, in Kansas and out of it, have a greater desire to overthrow the Democratic party and to ameliorate the condition of the slave, and they would grasp at power and place at the cost of the broken and shattered bonds of the Union.

Ninth. That we unhesitatingly approve of the measures of President Buchanan's Kansas policy, are ready and willing to sustain him in this, and all other measures of his administration thus far disclosed, and have confidence that he will not abandon an article in the democratic creed.

Tenth. Endorse the course of Senator Big-ler in support of the President's Kansus pol-

Eleventh. Campliments Gov. Packer, and expresses a confidence that he will, by the advocacy of a true democratic policy, secure the prosperity of the people and the honor of the Commonwealth.
Twelfth. Recommends the Legislature to

adopt such measures of reform and economy as will lessen the burthen of the people, and especially recommends a revision of the system of Banking.

After passing these resolutions, the 5th of which is an absurdity, Wm. A. Porter was nominated for Supreme Judge, and Wesley Frost of Fayette for Canal Com-

Pennsylvania Legislature.

The Legislature having adjourned last week to make room for the democratic convention, not much business has been transacted. On the 8th, Mr. Rhodes presented a petition from three hundred and nine citizens of Mifflin county, in favor of the sale of the state canals to the Sunbury and Erie railroad company, or to any other other person or corporation.

The majority of the committee have reported in favor of the sale of the remaining State canals to the Sunbury and Eire railroad, for three millions and a half in bonds.

FROM EUROPE.-By the arival of the steamship Europa at New York we have one week later advices from Europe. The British Ministry had been defeated on the second reading of the conspiracy and murder bill, an amendment having been adopted censuring the government for not replying to Count Walewski's despatch, but professing a readiness to amend the laws upon one consideration. The feeling of the British public was a good deal excipower we believe never before exercised by ted on the question, and a demonstration against any concession to the requirements strange commentary on legislation, and of the French government was to take shows how little legislators regard their place in Hyde Park on the Sunday followobligations, as some of the same members ing the departure of the Europa. A French

Bank Bill, supported by thousands of sig- in London, charged with being implicated details of the Chinese news show that Canton was virtually in the possession of the British. The intelligence from the Continent is unimportant.

> -Among the reasons urged for legislating Judge Wilmot out of his judicial district is one that no democrat car obtain a license for keeping tavern. -No family it is said can enjoy perfect happiness with-

out a sister in it. Happiness must be very unequally distributed if that is the case. By the by are not some of the isters hard to bridle and harder to hold. The Virginia State Gazette says a team lately pass

their office consisting of a horse with the heaves, a blind pony, a lame mule, and a bull without a tall. Vertly Virginia is the mother of teams as well as of States. —The Oxygenated Bitters have no equal as a tonic medicine, and as it contains no alcohol is especially adapt-ed to the delicate constitution of females suffering from

any derangement of the natural functions, weakness o

rregularity, nervous debility, &c. For sale by Chas. Ritz.

. For the Gazette.

Mr. Editor-As the corps editorial are generally lovers of good music, and believing you not an exception to the general rule, you will I hope accord me a small space in your journal to notice a concert I had the pleasure of attending, at Newton Hamilton, February 23d, given by a class under the instruction of your worthy fellow-townsman, Mr. J. CLARK. To say the performance was perfect would be an unwarrantable perversion of truth, as ail know it requires years of study, as well as being gifted with more than ordinary natural qualifications, to ever approximate to the degree of perfection in the beautiful science of music; but to say the concert far surpassed the expectations of the friends of the class, is only meting out a just meed of praise to whom praises are due. Few of the scholars had any knowledge of the rudiments of music previous to the commencement of the quarter. Much of the term then had necessarily to be taken up in learning or familiarizing the class to read the notes at sight; (the round notes being used,) and in acquiring a knowledge of time, measure, accent, &c., also in exercise for the culture of the proper tones of voice. The class then had but few evenings to practice upon select pieces by which to entertain an audience. However, the pieces selected were both beautiful and appropriate, and some were difficult to sing, requiring a correct application of the rules of measure, time and accent. Yet they were sung by the class correctly, and to the admiration of the large audience present-showing that Mr. Clark understands well all he professes to teach, and has the happy faculty of imparting that knowledge for the benefit of his class. He is not one of those

But by his courteous and gentlemanly manners has truly won for himself a host of friends in this community. He leaves with the only regret that we cannot have the benefit of his instructions for another term. SPECTATOR

Holloway's Pills have obtained immense celebrity with the native princes of Asia. Among the recent orders for the medicine from that quarter of the globe was an autograph letter from the Emperor of Barmah. addressed to Professor Holloway, requesting large quantity to be forwarded through the British agency at Rangoon. Diseases of the liver and painful disorders of the stomach and the bowels are very common in the Burman empire, and his majesty having experienced great relief from the Pills during an attack of dysentery, was determined to have the remedy always at hand for similar emer-

Oxygenated Bitters.

The following letter from a well known Architect of Montreal, speaks volumes in faor of the Oxygenated itters as a modicing for those whose occupations are of a sedentary nature: MONTREAL, Nov. 26, 1854.

Gentlemen-I am happy to be able to send you my testimony in favor of the Oxygenated Bitters, and intended to have done it before this, but have been prevented by professional engagements. I feel great pleasure in recemmending it to all suffering from imperfect digestion, sick headache, acidity, or any derangement of the stomach, from which I have suffered very severely upwards of twenty years. From the recommendation of one of my friends I was induced to try one bottle, and find myself so much benefitted by its use that I do not think it necessary to continue it any further. You may use this, Gentlemen, as you think proper, and permit me to remain

Yours, very truly, John Atkinson. Seth W. Fowle & Co., 138 Washington st., Boston; Proprietors. Sold by Chas. Ritz, Lewistown, and by their agents everywhere.

A CARD TO THE LADIES.

Dr. DUPONCO'S GOLDEN FEMALE PILLS are infallible in removing stoppages or irregularities of the menses. These pills are nothing new, but have been used by the Doctor for many years, both in France and America, with unparalleled success in every case, and he is urged by many ladies who have used them to make these pills public for the alleviation of those suffering from any irregularities whatever, as well as a preventive to those ladies whose health will not permit an increase of family, Pregnant females, or those supposing themselves so, are cautioned against using these pills, as the proprietor as-sumes no responsibility after the above admonition, although their mildness would prevent any injury to health; otherwise these pills are recommended. Directions ac-company each box. Price \$1. Sold wholesale and retail by F. A. HARDT & CO., General Agents for Lewistown, Mifflin county, Pa., and also agents for Belleville, Milro Reedsville, Allenville, &c. They will supply dealers the proprietor's prices, and send the pills to ladies (confi dentially) by return mail to any part of city or country on receipt of \$1 through the Lewistown post office. For particulars get circular of agents. # See that each box has my signature. J. DUPONCO. Broadway post office, New York.

In Reedsville, on the 5th of March, at the house of Wm. Brothers, AMANDA AMELIA BRYAN, niece of William and A. Brothers, aged 5 years, 11 months and 4 days. Jesus said, "Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

Ere sin could blight or sorrow fade, Death came with friendly care, The op'ning bud to Heav'n conveyed, And bid it blossom there. She's test this clime of frost and snew For realms where softer breeze blow.

On the 21st of February, MARY MAR-GARET, daughter of Daniel and Mary Gross, aged 2 years, 7 months and 10 days.

On the 8th inst., in this place, WILLIAM

HENRY, son of James and Angeline Thom In Bratton township, on the 24th ult., JA-COB BRATTON, aged 73 years, 11 months

and 20 days. In Brown township, on Sunday last, JOHN

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

In our notice of the death of Bruce McNitt last week, we inadvertently stated that his personal friends at St. Louis had paid Mr. Taylor's expenses. This was a mistake-the coffin and its trasportation were paid for, but Mr. Taylor bore his own expenses.

DON'T TAKE THEM .- Some notes of the rawford county Bank found their way into this region within the past few weeks, but Russell's Banking House having promptly thrown them out when offered on deposit, there was no nibbling at them. The Tioga Bank, Bank of Shamokin, and McKean county Bank, are all suspicious concerns, and the best way for our readers will be not to touch them.

The East Baltimore Conference of the M. E. Church met at Baltimore last week. Among the probationers who have passed a good examination and were continued on trial, we notice the name of Abram M. Creighton; among the deacons elected to elders orders, Samuel Creighton; among those taken on trial, James H. Mc-Cord-all of this county, who give prem. se of becoming able exponents of the truths of religion and exemplary members of the ministry. The church has obtained a large accession of members during the past year. The next conference will be held at Williamsport.

LEWISTOWN STATION .- The business transacted at this station in February, as reported for the Gazette by Mr. Robeson,

Freight received.		\$1242 86 1655 82
Tolls,		40 99
D		\$2939 67
Passengers,		786 00
Total business,		\$3725 67
Among the artic	les for	warded were-
Poultry,		3,150 lbs.
Cloverseed,		58,810 "
Butter,		11,458
Eggs,		16,635 "
Axes,		34,308 "
Iron,		40,083 "
Flour,		544 bbls.
Horses		32 "
Cattle,		82 "
Sheep,		170 "

BOROUGH ELECTION .- The borough and township elections will be held in this county on Friday, 19th inst., when all desirous of saving the country will of course attend. In Lewistown the following officers are to be elected: One Chief Burgess, with shoulders broad

enough to bear any amount of lying, cursing, and abuse generally. Two members of the Town Council, also capable of bearing a fair share of the above,

together with blessings on the "hog law." One High Constable and one Low ditto, who may expect "fits" if they do their duty, and the same if they don't. One Collector, willing to skin a flea for the

sake of the hide and tallow. One Assessor and two assistants who are expected to be moderate in their views, with

ideas enough to distinguish between a cash and credit sale. Four School Directors, willing to serve the

public for nothing and find themselves, learned in physiognomy, phrenology, and whipology, and able to make the teachers teach, the children learn, and kick up flugens general-

One Auditor, who has gone through addition, subtraction and multiplication, Two Justices of the Peace, one in each ward, who are expected to decide in all cases in favor of those who may vote for them.

Two Judges of Election, one in each ward, who are expected to do all for their party they can, and sometimes a little more. Four Inspectors of Election, one in each

At a meeting of the Henderson Hose, Hook and Ladder Company, held on the 25th ult., the following officers were elected, to serve during the ensuing year: President-A. A. Banks.

ice President-II. A. Eisenbise. Secretary-G. Ard Snyder. Treasurer-Samuel Rittenhouse Chief Director-James Kerr. Assistant Directors-H. A. Eisenbise William Link and Alex. Brought.

At an election held by the Juniata Fire Company on Thursday last, the following officers were elected : President-F. G. Franciscus.

Vice Presidents-Philip Hall and Lot Secretary-Charles E. Thomas. Treesurer-Thomas Mayes.

Chief Engineer-B. F. Heisler. Assistant Engineers—James Price and Mitchell Riden. Directors-Wm. Wonders, F. R. Sterrett and R. C. Parker.

A few bottles of Bull's SARSAPARILLA —the best article of the kind made—are for sale at Ritz's at 75 cents per bottle to close

Married.

On the 4th inst., by Rev. Jas. S. Woods, D. D., JOHN T. HASSENPLUG, of Mifflin county, to Miss JOAN HOOVER, of Lancaster county.

On the 13th ult., by Rev. H. Baker, GEO. W. ULRICH to Miss JANE A. STEPHENS, both of Lewistown.

On the 4th inst., in Yeagertown, by Rev. H. Baker, J. A. MURRAY, of Lewistown, to Miss SOPHIA P. GREER, of Yeagertown. In McVeytown, on Friday morning last, by Rey. Mr. Clarke, GRANTUM T. WATERS to Miss ELIZABETH MORRISON, both of

HIGH CONSTABLE.—We are authorised to announce JOSEPH GRUVER as a candidate for High Constable of the Borough of Lewistown.

Notice to Collectors of Taxes for

THE County Commissioners hereby give notice to Collectors of Taxes for 1857 that the whole amount of their duplicates will be required to be paid to the county treasurer on or before the FIRST DAY OF MAY next -at which date warrants will be issued against all delinquents.

R. D. SMITH, Clerk.

shediff, s syres.

BY virtue of sundry writs of Vend. Exponas and Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Mifflin county, and to me directed, will be exposed to sale by public vendue or outcry, at the Court House, in the Borough of Lewistown, on

SATURDAY, April 3, 1858, at one o'clock in the afternoon, the following

real estate, to wit: A lot of ground, situate on the north side

of Third street, in the Borough of Lewistown, Mifflin county, fronting 15 feet, more or less. on said street, and extending back 200 feet, more or less, to an alley, bounded on the west by lot of David Chriswell, north by an alley, east by other lot of Geo. B. Patterson, and south by Third street, with a two story frame house and other improvements thereon erected

Also, one other lot of ground, fronting 30 feet, more or less, on Third street, and extending back 200 feet, more or less, to an alley, unded on the west by other lot of George B. Patterson, north by an alley, east by other lot of George B. Patterson and others, south by Third street with a two story double frame house, carpenter shop and other improvements thereon erected.

Also, one other lot of ground, fronting 15 feet, more or less, on Third street, and extending back 90 feet, more or less, bounded on the west by other lot of George B. Patterson, north by lot of Patterson and others. east by Samuel Molson, and south by Third street, with a two story frame house and other improvements thereon erected.

Also, one other lot of ground, fronting 16 feet, more or less, on Grand street, and ex-tending back 90 feet, more or less, bounded on the west by other lots of George B. Pat terson, north by Patterson, south by David Chriswell, and east by Grand street, with a two story frame house and other improve ments thereon erected.

Also, one other vacant lot of ground, front ing 30 feet, more or less, on Grand street, and extending back 90 feet, more or less, bounded on the west by other lot of George B. Patterson, north by an alley, south by Patterson, east by Grand street. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of George B. Patterson.

A lot of ground, situate in the Borough of Lewistown, Mifflin county, and on the north side of West Water street, in said Borough. adjoining lot of Susan Brown on the east, and lot of the heirs of John M'Cahan, deceased, on the west, being thirty feet, more or less, fronting on Water street, and extending back 200 feet, to an alley, with a two stery brick dwelling house and other improvements thereon erected. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Joseph Brought.

A lot of ground, situate in the Borough of Lewistown, Mifflin county, fronting 30 feet, more or less, on Market street, and extending back, same width, 200 feet, more or less, to an alley, bounded on the west by lot of R. U. Jacob, north by an alley, east by a lot of Mary Porter, and south by Market street, with a two story frame house and other im provements thereon erected. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Jacob Ecerich.

All that certain steam mill and warehouse property, situate in the west ward of the Borough of Lewistown, Mifflin county, situate, being in, and known as lots Nos. 33, 34, 35, 36, in the general plan of said borough lying on the north-east bank of the Pennsylvania canal, and on which is erected a brick steam flouring mill and engine house, -- Also, a large frame warehouse, a frame cooper shop and other improvements it being the same property lately belonging to the late firm of Marks and McBurney. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Alfred Marks.

A lot of ground, fronting 53 feet, more of less, on Market street, in the borough of Mc-Veytown, Mifflin county, extending back 214 feet, more or less, to an alley, bounded on the north by lot of Rosannah Davis, west by an alley, east by Market street, and south by an alley, with a two story frame house and other improvements thereon erected. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of William J. McCoy.

A vacant lot or piece of ground, situate in the East Ward of the Borough of Lewistown, Mifflin county, fronting 45 feet, more or less. on Valley street, running through and frenting 36 feet, more or less, on Third street, bounded on the northeast by lot of David Sunderland, at the junction of Third and Valley streets, and bounded southwest by the Hose House lot and lot of Robert Matthews, Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of F. W. Grimminger and Margaret C. Grimminger. T. E. WILLIAMS, Sheriff.

Bidders at the above Sheriff's Sales, are hereby notified that in each case where property is knocked down, the purchaser will be required to pay down ten per cent. on the amount of his bid in cash, and give judgment note with approved security for the balance; to be paid when the deed is acknowledged. Unless these conditions are complied with before the sales close, the property will be set up again and resold.

Sheriff's Office, Lewistown, March 11, 1858.

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REGISTER'S NOTICE.

VIIE following accounts have been ined and passed by me, and rema Legatees, Creditors, and all others interested, and will be presented in Orphans' Court of the county of Milling be held at the Court House in Lewistown be held at the Court House in Lewistown, THURSDAY, the 8th day of April, 1858

allowance and confirmation:

1. The account of Joseph Hartzler, Ada istrator of the estate of David Hartzler, Ada of Union township, deceased.

2. The account of Henry McAuley,

ministrator cum testamento annezo of McAuley, late of Decatur township, deceased.

3. The Guardianship account of George W. Thomas, Esq., Guardian of Ann Eliza Ulan minor_child of Robert Glass, late of the bacount of Lewistown, deceased.

4. The account of C. Hoover, Esq., Administrator of the estate of James Elling.

istrator of the estate of James Ellion the borough of Lewistown, deceased.

5. The account of H. J. Walters, Esq. 44.
ministrator of Thomas R. McKee, late of the borough of Lewistown, deceased. 6. The account of G. W. Stewart, Eq.

Administrator of the estate of Melissa Stor late of the borough of Lewistown, dec 7. The account of Davis Bates, Executed the last will, &c. of Daniel Bates, late of he magh township, deceased. The account of M. Buoy, Adminis of the estate of Wm. R. McCay, late of the

borough of Lewistown, deceased. 9. The Guardianship account of Pr. Ela W. Hale, Guardian of Wm. Mann, Jr., lines son of Wm. Mann, Jr., late of Brown tons. ship, deceased. JOS. S. WAREAM, Register.

Register's Office, Lewistown, March 11, 1858.* & Guardians are notified that by law they to file an account every three years, and Executs Administrators at the end of one year, if possible taking out letters - which accounts wast be fied in the gister's tiffice 30 days preceding each court six months, otherwise to be decided froudulent and against subsequent purchasers or mortgagess for unless recorded before the deed under which the subse-purchaser claims.—See Purdon's Digest.

HARDWARE

To Buy Cheap for Cash. Blacksmiths, buy at Hoffman's, Carpenters, buy at Hoffman's, Saddlers, buy at Hoffman's, Shoemakers, buy at Hoffman's, Cabinetmakers, buy at Hoffman's, Farmers, buy at Hoffman's, Builders, buy at Hoffman's, Housekeepers, buy at Hoffman's. Don't forget, if you want good Stoves, Pa

Chams, Oil Cloths, Nails, Steel, Iron, Cullen, Vices, Bellows, Chains, Glass, &c, F. J. Hoff man's Mammoth Hardware Store, and you car

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I traue to keep a supply of Extra Superfine Flour from Pittsburgh, which we will warrant to give entire satisfaction. N. B. Those who want a good article can fin it at mh11 F. J. HOFFMANS.

TALL PAPER !- As the Spring opers, WALL PAPER - Do looking around for housekeepers will be looking a looking around for housekeepers will be looking a looking a looking a looking around for housekeepers will be looking a Wall Paper, where a good supply can be found and cheap. This can be done at F. J. HOFFMANS.

ROCERIES .- F. J. Hoffman's is the stor T where good Groceries can be found, and

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