better than they were before the 'picture gallery' was issued. It will disgust many voters, as it has already disgusted Judge Livingston. The publication of their short ticket will consolidate independent voters against it."—*County Commissioner Bushong.*

"The picture circular" is not a very sharp dodge, and will probably do the *New Era* folks as much harm as good."—*Deputy Sheriff Hippey.*

"It is a 'staver' and will do them more harm than good."—*Al. Edwards, Deputy Prothonotary.*

"It is all right; nothing can be said against it. I was in the country last night and the people whom I saw speak well of the book. Most of the pictures are bad."—*Owen P. Bricker, esq.*

"Some of the pictures look if they were taken from the Rogues' Gallery, and if men with those faces were placed in the dock they would be convicted. Judge Livingston is angry because his picture is on a portion of the books."—*Francis P. Kilburn late Candidate for Jury Commissioner.*

"It will do them more harm than good. The country people cannot be made to believe just anything."—*C. F. Stoner, Deputy Register.*

"No doubt the candidates whose pictures appear in the book think it looks well. I suppose there will be no more illegal fees."—*John D. Clinton, Candidate for Quarter Sessions Court.*

"Well, if I am defeated by that book, I still have seven months to be in office, and I will mark some people I know by whom the book was gotten up. I think my chances are as good as ever. I don't like this short ticket. Under Danny Shiffer's picture are the words, "and pledges himself, if elected, to make no unnecessary or illegal fees or costs in the discharge of his duties.' I think that's mean and they are trying to intimate that I took illegal fees. There are enough independent voters to elect me, and I am not frightened.—*Coroner Mishler (who is the crossest man in town.*

The picture of Danny Shiffer looks like John D. Lee, the Morman murderer.—*I. N. S. Wills, clerk to the commissioners.*

"I saw a man this morning who picked up the book and first saw Danny Shiffer's picture. He said: 'Why here is an advertisement for Sam Groff's bitters. This is the picture of old Dr. Chill Chilli.' "—*County Treasurer Groff, proprietor of the "Snapper Box."*

"The *Era* might sell those cuts to the *Police Gazette* to be used when murder occurs."—*Editor Williamson of Hiestand's Examiner.*

"We know all about these men; what is the use to publish their lives? I can't see that it will do any good."—*Clerk Warfel in County Treasurer's office.*

"I think it was a d—d rascally trick to get that book out."—*Sam Miller ex-policeman.*

"It contains pictures of the most 'honest' looking men I have ever seen They are more honest than Democrats."—*Prison Keeper Weise.*

"It will hurt them more than do them good."—*Ex-Alderman Dellet, of the Examiner.*

"The pictures look like the Raber murderers."—*A. J. Kauffman.*

"The book looks well and it may do some good."—*Dr. Compton, Candidate for Register.*

"The issue of the pictorial pamphlet, containing portraits and biographical sketches of the candidates of the *New Era* set up, and the distribution of short tickets containing the names of those candidates only, stamps it beyond question as a political ring, and if Lancaster county Republicans are opposed to rings and setups, they will vote against it. Their set-up is of itself the best answer to their cry of 'Reform' and their sham opposition to rings."—*J. L. Lyte—Commodore Hiestand's Second Mate.*

THE GEHRIS INSURANCE.

One of the Harrisburg Mutuals Investigated.

The Reading *Eagle* says that Mr. Henry Hoverter, general agent of the State Capital Mutual aid association, of Harrisburg, was in Reading yesterday and made a thorough investigation into all the circumstances attending the insurance of old Mrs. Gehris, and said it was the worst case he had ever heard of. Mr. Hoverter stated that the president of the State Capital had told him that if affidavits could be produced which would tend to substantiate what was alleged, the parties who had effected the insurance would be arrested for conspiracy. Mr. Hoverter left for Harrisburg early this morning to confer with the officials of the company and promised to return this evening or to-morrow, when he would promptly have the parties taken into custody. Last evening he visited Benjaman Gehris, a son of the deceased, who first brought his father's case to the notice of the public, and took him and his wife, Rebecca Gehris, before Alderman Maxton, where they made affidavit as to the physical condition of Mr. Gehris immediately before the insurance. They set forth that the old man was eighty-five years old, that he had been sick for the past four or five years, and unable to work during that time; also, that he had been bed-ridden for the past nine or ten months; that he was afflicted with a complication of dis cases, among them hemorrhage and gangrene, his toes being almost ready to drop off, and that he was at death's door when insured, which was done without the consent of the old man or his children.

Mr. Hoverter has also ascertained that the old man was insured for upwards of $30,000 in other companies. The sum of $5,000 is held by a man residing in Baumstown, the remainder by the two men who accompanied Dr. Yorgey to Daniel Gehris' house. The case when fully developed, Alderman Maxton says, will be one of the most startling unearthed yet—how the parties had agreed to recommend whisky to tone up the old man's system, so as to stimulate and keep him alive long enough to have the insurance effected, as it was feared he might die before the policy was drawn up, and how the men who had the old man insured agreed even to have the date of the policy set back if he should die before it was drawn up. All these facts will be more fully developed when Hoverter returns from Harrisburg with instructions from the State Capital's officers.

Moravian Synod.

The synod of the Northern Province of the Moravian church of North America convened in Bethlehem, Tuesday forenoon, Rt. Rev. E. de Schweinitz presiding. Subsequently the bishop was elected permanent president, and Rev. Morris Seibert, secretary, and Revs. A. Schultz and Morris Seibert, assistant secretaries The reading of the credentials showed a representation to be present of 93 out of a membership of 111. Bishop de Schweinitz delivered a short address of welcome, in which he referred to the financial condition of the church, which is not just what could be desired. The synodical sermons will be delivered by Rev. Charles B. Schultz, of Bethlehem, in English, and Rev. Charles Nagle, of Lititz, in German. There will be missionary and other services during the continuance of the synod.

"All on Account" of the Primaries.

The drunken crowd of rounders on the street is almost as large as ever to-day. Last night beer was given away in an old building on Grant street above Duke, by the keg. Everybody got drunk and a good time was had. It is said to have been given out by the McMellen-*Examiner* faction, and to-night the affair will be repeated. Boys, you know where to go to get free "sots." Not far off the *New Era*-Sensenig party had a bar'l on tap last night.

COLUMBIA NEWS.

OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE.

This changeable weather is greatly inconveniencing our people. We found a fire in one lawyer's office and one being started in another. Who would have thoughe of such a thing a week ago?

Mr. J. F. Cushman, of Marietta, was in town this morning.

Miss Maggie Wilson left here to-day on a visit to Canandaigua, N. Y.

Miss Annie Wittenmyer, of Philadelphia, will deliver her temperance address in the M. E. church to-morrow evening. She is said to be an eloquent and forcible speaker. We are informed that the lady was the first president of the Woman's National Christian temperance union.

The particulars of the accident to the young man Keppler, son of a Mr. Keppler, who is by occupation a mover of houses, a short note of which was given in the INTELLIGENCER of last evening, are that he had a leg broken above the knee by the fall of a heavy log which he was assisting a couple of other men to carry.

The sociable given last evening in the M. E. church parlors by the Ladies' Aid society of the church was a very pleasant and successful affair. Refreshments consisting of lemonade, cakes, etc., were served and something more than twenty-six dollars was netted.

A heavy and much-needed rain fell during most of last night, and the look of things overhead would indicate that it is not yet over. Garden truck of all kinds will bear witness this morning that good has been done it.

The opera house engine room is about being closed for the summer, and its chief, Mr. Uriah Sourbeer, is now giving the interior a few touches with a white wash brush. Mr. S. will spend the summer in fishing, at which, with hook and line, he is probably as expert as any man in Columbia.

School board meeting to-night. Written examinations in public schools next week.

The anti-Cameron Republicans of the First ward are looking for some one to put against E. A. Becker for county committeeman. Rather a late day to commence a fight.

A darkey was so beastly drunk in the P. R. R. depot at noon to-day that he fell to the floor and could scarcely regain his feet.

Edward R. Black, of the P. R. R., is in town to-day.

A special meeting of council was held to talk over fire engine matters, etc. No business of any importance was transacted but the council was almost unanimous in its censure (without a vote) of a couple of the correspondents of the Lancaster dailies for mixing up the proceedings of the last regular meeting. Fortunately we escaped—at least we have heard nothing to the contrary.

Mr. T. Jefferson Clepper has got his steam sand scow put together and has gone to work with it. He will furnish sand to the Pennsylvania railroad company.

The *New Era* candidates with their records and portraits, done up in pamphlet form, are here. It now remains for the voters to look into the records, study the promises and vote the straight ticket. A certain editor, in speaking of the personal appearance of the aforesaid candidates said "they look like the Raber murderers."

The public schools close on Friday of next week.

A great number of catfish were caught yesterday between the old and new fishways. Two Pennsylvania railroad engineers—Messrs. George Smith and John Madden—had a string more than four feet long. An old riverman informed us this morning that at this season of the year catfish always run thick and at points where they attempt to get above the dam they are frequently so thick that a three cent piece thrown into the water would be sure to strike one before reaching the bottom. He further averred that the water at such time and places is literally black with them. This statement will account for the large catches of the last few days.

Four or five men who had been given lodgings in the borough lockup, were released yesterday morning. One of them was dressed in broadcloth, carried a gold watch and chain, and wore a couple of gold finger rings.

Fatal Coincidence.

It may be noted as a singular incident of the campaign that several of the prominent candidates have suffered severe family afflictions during the canvass: Jacob C. Kready, candidate for sheriff, and George Spurrier, candidate for clerk of orphans' court, have each lost a sister; and Isaac Mishler, candidate for coroner, lost a brother all of whom have died within a few days past. And it is only a short time since Judge Livingston lost a sister-in law and Isaac Bushong, candidate for commissioner, his wife.

Busy as Nailers.

The bosses and best workers of both rings are working day and night to make things solid. "I'm fur 'em" or "I'm agin 'em" is iterated and reiterated at all points and at all hours. Levi Sensenig, Johnson and Lew Hartman were hob-nobbing in the vicinity of "the castle in the alley" after midnight last night. Alderman Spurrier's office was lit up nearly all last night, and thousands of circulars and tickets were enveloped and addressed to the faithful in all sections of the county.

The Scramble in the Ninth.

Lively times are expected in the meeting of Republican return judges next Monday and each party is "laying low" to capture the organization. John I. Hartman is slated for chairman by the *New Era* party; so the others will oppose his election for judge in his own ward unless he agrees to support Spurrier at least. Whoop it up.

Beautiful Snow.

Policemen who were out last night say that during the rain storm which prevailed all night there was for a short time a brisk fall of snow. The rainfall was heavy and has thoroughly soaked the ground, but the weather is far too cold for comfort.

Returned to Chambersburg.

Mr. John M. Cooper, formerly of the INTELLIGENCER and well known in this city, who had lately moved to Washington, Pa., and there edited the *Review and Examiner* has returned to Chambersburg where he formerly resided.

Boot Black Robbed.

Calvin Carey, a colored bootblack, had all his brushes, blacking &c., stolen from his box, which he sat down on North Queen street last night.

Decoration Day at Mountville.

Hugh R. Fulton, esq., of this city, has accepted an invitation to deliver an address on Decoration day, May 30, at Mountville.

Tell It All.

"Yorick" in Columbia Courant.

Mr. Warfel's senatorial career—especially when the Union passenger railway needed friends and got them.

A Big Fleece.

John Holmes, jr., of Colerain township, has clipped from a Cotswold sheep about twelve months old twelve pounds of wool of extra quality.

They Have a Dog.

Frank R. Howell has presented the Empire hook and ladder company with a beautiful poodle dog.

THE RABER MURDER.

The Confession Which Brandt and Hummel Left Behind Them.

One year ago Charles Drews, Frank Stichter, Henry Wise, Israel Brandt and Josiah Hummel were hanged for the murder of Joseph Raber in the northern portion of Lebanon county, in order to secure the insurance money on his life amounting to $11,000. An important sequel has just been made public in the confession of Brandt and Hummel, two of the conspirators, who requested their spiritual advisor, Rev George F. Trabert, and counsel, Colonel J. P. S. Gobin, not to furnish the same for publication until one year after their death. Brandt was the hotel keeper at whose inn the conspirators met and conceived their scheme. He charges that the project was broached by Henry Wise, who effected the insurances on Raber's life, and that George Zechman, who was tried and acquitred, was the most active one in carrying out what Wise had planned. Brandt's reason for requesting that his confession be withheld was that it implicated Zechman and hence he desired a delay of a year in its publication. Hummel states that Wise was the instigator of the scheme and used his utmost endeavors to interest others in the project. Zechman met Hummel at Wise's house and made arrangements for the insuring of Raber and then working him out of the way. Five persons had insurances on Raber's life and Drew was the man selected to do the job. Zechman and Wise sent Hummel to Drews' house to order the killing of Raber upon a certain day, but he failed to find Drews at home. On the next day Hummel went to Brandt's and asked the latter whether Drews would do the deed and was told that it would be done that week. Drews wanted $1,500 for drowning Raber, but the sum was considered too high, and Hummel felt that as far as he was concerned the project was abandoned. Zechman, the only one of the six conspirators who escaped the law, five having suffered the penalty of death, is now engaged in farming in Upper Bern township, Berks county.

Volunteer Firemen's Insurance Company.

The committee on insurance, appointed by the Pennsylvania State Firemen's association, met yesterday at the office of Maj. S. E. Ancona, Reading, of the committee. The other members present were J. K. Barr, of Lancaster, chairman; Samuel H. Ettla, of Harrisburg, and John Slingluff, of Norristown. Henry A. Derr, of Norristown, president, and William W. Wunder, secretary of the State Firemen's association, were also present.

The committee agreed upon a plan of organization under the general insurance act of May 1, 1876, and will report the same to the state firemen's convention which meets in Reading in September. The name proposed for the new organization is "The Volunteer Firemen's Insurance Company of Pennsylvania." The capital stock was fixed at $200,000—in 4,000 shares of $50 each, books for which will be opened at the time of the convention, September 20 and 21. Privilege to subscribe for shares of stock will be given first to the several volunteer fire companies of the state in their organized capacity; next to the individual members of said companies; and finally if any balance remains, to the general public. The papers have all been prepared ready for organization, and if they are approved by the state convention, the subscription books will be opened at once, and it is confidently believed that all the stock will be taken while the convention is in session.

Face Cut.

A little daughter of Charles Beitzel, aged 8 years, while playing among the timbers to be used for the re-construction of the Shippen street bridge, fell and injured her face badly. The place is a dangerous one and little children should be kept away from it.

Big Catch.

Last night George Spong and his brother Leonard set out-lines in the Conestoga. This morning when they lifted them they had caught 51 eels and 17 cat fish, all of good size.

Viewing Streets.

The viewers appointed by the court with the commissioners and the city and county solicitors are to-day viewing Poplar and St. Joseph streets to ascertain the amount of damages to the land owners.

Don't Your Canary Sing?

Then get a bottle of Bird Bitters, which is an unfailing restorer of song and a cure for all diseases of cage birds. If your druggist does not keep it, or will not get it for you, send a postal card to the Bird Food Company, 307 Federal street, Camden, N. J., and they will see that you are supplied. Price, 25 cents. mar25-3md&w

City Bill Posters.

Carson & Hensel, city bill posters and distributors, office INTELLIGENCER building, No. 6 South Queen street.

Shaving is a rascally business, shaving with Cuticura Shaving Soap alone excepted.

Equally adapted to the feeble or robust, male or female, are Malt Bitters.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

It is impossible for a woman after a faithful course of treatment with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, to continue to suffer with a weakness of the uterus. Enclose a stamp to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for her pamphlets.

To Persons About to Marry.

"To persons about to marry," Douglass Jerrold's advice was "don't;" we supplement by saying, without laying in a supply of Spring Blossom, which cures albuminaria and other kidney and bladder complaints. Price 50 cents, trial bottles 10 cents. For sale at H. B. Cochran's Drug Store, 137 North Queen street.

Benefactors.

When a board of eminent physicians and chemists announced the discovery that by combining some well known valuable remedies, the most wonderful medicine was produced, which would cure such a wide range of diseases that most all other remedies could be dispensed with, many were sceptical; but proof of its merits by actual trial has dispelled all doubt, and to-day the discoverers of that great medicine, Hop Bitters, are honored and blessed by all as benefactors. my16-2wd&w

I HAVE been a sufferer for years with Catarrh, and under a physician's treatment for over a year, have tried a number of "sure cure" remedies and obtained no relief. I was advised to try Ely's Cream Balm. It gave me immediate relief. I believe I am now entirely cured. G. S. DAVIS, First National Bank, Elizabeth, N. J., Aug. 14, 1879.

BY FAR the best remedy for the treatment of Catarrh and its kindred diseases is Ely's Cream Balm, which is having the largest sales with us of any preparation now offered. The reports are all favorable, and we do not hesitate to indorse it as superior to any and all other articles in the market. The Balm is pleasant and easy to use. CYRUS LAWALL & SON, Druggist, Easton, Pa. my9-2wd&w

Save Your Hair—Keep it Beautiful.

The "London Hair Color Restorer" is the most delightful article ever introduced to the American people and is totally different from all other Hair Restorers, being entirely free from all impure ingredients that render many other articles for the hair obnoxious. Where baldness or falling of the hair exists, or premature grayness, from sickness or other causes, its use will restore the natural youthful color, and cause a healthy growth, cleansing the scalp from all impurities, dandruff, etc., at the same time a most pleasing and lasting hair dressing, fragrantly perfumed, rendering it soft and pliable, making it an indispensable article in every toilet. Ask your druggist for London Hair Color Restorer. Price 75 cents a bottle. Six bottles, $4. Main depot for the United States, 330 North Sixth street, Philadelphia. mll-lydTThA&F&w

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WATCHES. WATCHES.

The average weekly sales of Watches in the United States have reached about twenty thousand, and this great production has so cheapened the cost that a good Watch is within the reach of every person. During this week we have added to our stock Chatelain Watches for Ladies and Misses from $7.75 up. Gents' Stem Winders from $5 up.

Gold and Silver Louis XV Watches—a high style of the last century revived—made to order and engraved with our trade marks, "Pennsylvania" and "H. Z. Rhoads & Bro." Having been well tested we can give assurance of their excellence as timekeepers, and their cost is especially low.

We invite an examination.

A generous stock of all wares in our line will be found in our cases, and we offer great bargains in Diamonds, Sapphires, and in Jewelry of our own manufacture.

H. Z. RHOADS & BRO., Jewelers,

4 West King Street, - - - - Lancaster, Pa.

LANCASTER WATCHES. AMERICAN WATCHES.

EDW. J. ZAHM,

Manufacturing Jeweler, - - - Zahm's Corner, Lancaster, Pa.

WE INVITE ATTENTION TO OUR LARGE STOCK OF

LANCASTER AND AMERICAN WATCHES,

FRENCH AND AMERICAN CLOCKS,

Solid Silver and Silver-Plated Ware in Spoons, Forks, Knives, Casters, &c.

We offer to our patrons advantages which are rarely combined in one establishment, because we have a complete MANUFACTURING DEPARTMENT in connection with our retail business and are making a large part of the goods we sell. This enables us to be sure of quality, to sell at the lowest prices, and gives us first-class facilities for WATCH WORK and GENERAL REPAIRING.

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ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE. ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE.

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CHILDREN'S SUITS.

LARGE NEW LOT JUST GOT IN.

1,000 Different Lots to Select From.

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Ladies, you are invited to examine our mammoth selection of Boys' and Children's Suits, whether you intend to buy or not. It is our business and pleasure to SHOW goods, as that is the only way we can convince you that we are Headquarters for Clothing, and the only house in the city

RETAILING AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

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AL. ROSENSTEIN'S

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Clothing & Merchant Tailoring Establishment

NO. 37 NORTH QUEEN STREET,

NEXT DOOR TO SHULTZ AND BRO.'S HAT STORE.

Visible Improvement.

Mr. Noah Bates, Elmira, N. Y., writes: "About four weeks ago I had an attack of bilious fever, and never fully recovered. My digestive organs were weakened and I would be completely prostrated for days. After using two bottles of your Burdock Blood Bitters the improvement was so visible that I was astonished. I can now, though 61 years of age, do a fair and reasonable day's work. Price $1, trial size 10 cents. For sale at H. B. Cochran's Drug Store, 137 North Queen street.

Nothing Short of Unmistakable Benefits

Conferred upon tens of thousands of sufferers could originate and maintain the reputation which AYER'S SARSAPARILLA enjoys. It is a compound of the best vegetable alteratives, with the Iodides of Potassium and Iron, and is the most effectual of all remedies for scrofulous, mercurial or blood disorders. Uniformity successful and certain in its remedial effects, it produces rapid and complete cures of Scrofula, Sores, Boils, Humors, Pimples, Eruptions, Skin Diseases and all disorders rising from impurities of the blood. By its invigorating effects it always relieves and often cures Liver Complaints, Female Weaknesses and Irregularities, and is a potent renewer of vitality. For purifying the blood it has no equal. It tones up the system, restores and preserves the health, and imparts vigor and energy. For forty years it has been in extensive use, and is to-day the most available medicine for the suffering sick, anywhere. For sale by all dealers. m19-1wdeod&w

"The Doctor Told Me

to take a blue pill, but I didn't for I had already been poisoned twice by mercury. The druggist told me to try Kidney-Wort, and I did. It was just the thing for my biliousness and constipation, and now I am as well as ever." Torpid kidneys and liver is the trouble for which Kidney-Wort always proves to be the best remedy known.—*Hartford Courant.* my16-1wd&w

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physician and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere; 25 cents a bottle. mar7-1yd&wM,W&S

DEATHS.

CLARK.—In this city, on the 18th inst., Mrs. Robt. Clark, daughter of the late P. Fitzpatrick, in the 26th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her mother, Mrs. P. Fitzpatrick, No. 40 North Duke street, on Saturday morning, at 9½ o'clock. Solemn requiem mass at St. Mary's church. Interment at St. Mary's cemetery.

KREADY.—May 18, 1881, in Manor township, of diphtheria, Miss Margaret C. Kready, aged 40 years, 7 months and 6 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her brother, in Manor township, near the Columbia turnpike, on Friday, May 20, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. 2td

HOFFMAN.—On May 18, 1881, Sarah, wife of Jesse Hoffman, aged 71 years, 2 months and 4 days.

Her relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Samuel Echternacht, Main street, Strasburg, on to-morrow (Friday) afternoon at 2 o'clock.

WILDY.—In Allegheny City, on the 18th inst., Mrs. Alice T. Wildy, wife of J. D. Wildy and daughter of the late Jacob P. Kautz, of this city. 2td

POLITICAL.

For County Commissioner:

FRANK CLARK, of Strasburg township, Subject to the choice of the Democratic county convention. apr6-d&wtp

ADAM S. DIETRICH, of Manor township. Subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

HENRY F. HARTMAN (Lime Burner), of East Lampeter township. Subject to the choice of the Democratic county convention. apr2-d&wtp

MARTIN HILDEBRANT, of Mount Joy Borough. Subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention. ap13-d&wtp

JERE MOHLER, Ephrata. Subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention. apr11-d&wtp

For County Auditor:

JOHN L. LIGHTNER, of Leacock township. Subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention. apr18-tfd&w

NEW ADVERTISEMENT.

NEW WHEELBARROW FOR SALE cheap. Apply to D. M. STAUFFER, 11* 729 North Queen Street.

PRESBYTERIAN MEMORIAL MISSION Chapel, South Queen Street.—Prayer meeting this evening at 7½ o'clock. Rev. Jas. Y. Mitchell, D. D., will conduct the services.

PROPOSALS.—SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the Street Committee of the city of Lancaster up to THURSDAY, MAY 26, at 7½ o'clock p. m. for broken stone for street purposes. All stone furnished must be hard, of good quality and of a size to pass, in their largest dimensions, through a ring two inches in diameter. Bids must state at how much per perch stone will be furnished at the quarry, and also at how much they will be delivered where required for use. The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Proposals may be left with Simon W. Raub, Clerk of Street Committee, or in the Street Committee box at the Mayor's Office. By order of the Street Committee. D. TREWITZ, m18-2tdTh&M Street Commissioner.

WANTS.

WANTED AT THIS OFFICE, COPIES OF the DAILY INTELLIGENCER of September 1 1880, and January 29, 1881. 1td

WANTED—A GOOD COOK. APPLY AT the Cooper House. m16-1td

WANTED—A YOUNG GIRL WANTS A situation to do general housework. Apply at No. 132 North Queen street.

WANTED—A GOOD TAILOR WHO will do all kinds of work. Apply to W. G. Patton, Merchant Tailor, No. 39½ Opera House, Columbia, Pa. m18-2td

ATTENTION.—THOSE HAVING WATER Rent to pay will save time and trouble and confer a favor on the Treasurer by bringing with them their Water Rent Notice. WM. McCOMSEY, m17-3td Treasurer and Receiver of Taxes.

WATER RENT—SPECIAL NOTICE.—AS there are over three thousand water consumers, and comparatively few have paid, those wishing to give the five per cent. abatement will confer a favor on the Treasurer by calling at as early a day as convenient, as it will be impossible to wait on all within a few days. Office hours from 8 to 12 a. m. and from 1 to 5 p. m. WM. McCOMSEY, a27-tfd Treasurer and Receiver of Taxes.

ESTATE OF HOWARD R. WHITESIDE, late of Bart township, deceased.—Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same, will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, residing in Colerain township, Kirkwood P. O. WM. N. GALBRAITH, apr20-6tw* Administrator.

THIRD EDITION.

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 19, 1881

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—For the Middle states, light rain, followed by partly cloudy and slightly warmer weather, variable winds shifting to southwest and northwest, and stationary or a slight rise in barometer.

MAGNANIMOUS IN VICTORY.

Some Important Nominations Sent in To-day.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The president sent the following nominations to the Senate to-day: Woodford, district attorney for the Southern district of New York; Tenney, district attorney for the Eastern district of New York; Henry E. Knox, United States marshal for the Southern district of New York; McDongal, United States marshal for the Northern district of New York; Charles A. Gould, collector of customs at Buffalo, N. Y.; Glenni W. Scofield, of Pennsylvania, to be judge of the court of claims; Blanche K. Bruce, of Mississippi, to be register of treasury; Lucius P. Thompson, surveyor of the port of Philadelphia; John F. Dravo, surveyor of the port of Pittsburgh; Benj. Darlington, postmaster of Pittsburgh; Geo. W. Roosevelt, of Pennsylvania, consul at Bordeaux.

IN THE SENATE.

The Kellogg Resolution Passed.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—In the Senate Mr. Kellogg offered his resolution calling upon the heads of the various departments for information as to names of officers and clerks on the rolls of such department, together with date of appointment, state to which each is credited, compensation, and whether such employee is white or colored.

Mr. Morrill opposed the resolution and Mr. Plumb advocated it.

Mr. Sherman moved to go into executive session—lost.

An amendment offered by Mr. Plumb was then agreed to. It calls for the additional information as to how many of such clerks served in the army during the rebellion. The resolution was thus amended and adopted. The Senate then went into executive session.

CONKLING'S CHANCES.

The Senatorial Situation at Albany.

ALBANY, May 19.—The senatorial situation is unchanged. Administration men say they feel perfectly able to defeat the return of Conkling or Platt, unless the stalwarts coalesce with the Democrats. The Democrats claim that the question should be left to the people at the next election. The probabilities are that there will be an election without any preliminary caucus on the part of the Republicans. Governor Cornell and Chauncey M. Depew are mentioned as candidates on the part of the Republicans.

LEDUC MUST GO.

Some Forthcoming Probable Nominations.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The White House was thronged with visitors this morning though few were so fortunate as to reach the president with their papers. Several senators called and found the president busy in the preparation of his final list of nominations to be sent to the Senate. Among those which there is good authority to believe will be made is ex-Representative Loring, to be commissioner of agriculture (the resignation of Commissioner LeDuc having been accepted by the president), and Colonel J. H. Baxter to be surgeon general of the army.

An Oil Train Burned.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., May 19.—An oil train on the Lehigh Valley railroad broke an axle at East Penn Junction at five o'clock this morning and the train was set on fire. Four tanks, each containing 3,500 gallons of crude oil, were burned. Nine freight cars were also burned, and the track was destroyed for a distance of one hundred feet.

Two Fatalities.

ALTOONA, May 18.—Samuel Black, miller at Spring Meadow, Bedford county, was caught in the belting and mangled to death. He was aged 35 and leaves a widow and five children, one of them only two weeks old.

Henry Reep, aged 12, of Allegrippus, while on his way to spend the night at a signal tower was thrown under a train which he tried to board and cut to pieces.

Mrs. Garfield Out of Danger.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Dr. Boynton, the attending physician, says of Mrs. Garfield's condition:

"She slept well last night for the first time since her illness. She has but little fever to-day, takes some nourishment and is in every way greatly improved."

She is now believed by her friends to be wholly out of danger.

A Tie Vote on Chandler in Committee.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The Senate judiciary committee took up the nomination of W. E. Chandler and voted as follows: To confirm—Logan, Ingalls and McMillan—3; To reject—Davis, Ills., Bayard and Lamar—3; Absent—Edmund and Garland. The committee will report the nomination to the Senate without recommendation.

Adjournment of the Odd Fellows Convention.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 19.—The grand lodge of Odd Fellows in session here this morning heard the reports of the standing committee, installed the officers previously elected, and then adjourned to meet in this city next year.

GRANT.

The Old Guard's Guns Turned Upon Garfield.

The following letter from ex-President Grant to Senator Jones, of Nevada, shows that in the present contest between ex-Senator Conkling and the president, Mr. Conkling has the full sympathy and support of General Grant. This letter to ex-Senator Jones contained one from the ex-president to Mr. Garfield, which was delivered to him personally by Senator Jones. Its contents are not known, but there can be no doubt that its purport is similar to that of the letter to Mr. Jones. That letter is as follows:

"CITY OF MEXICO, April 24, 1881.

"MY DEAR SENATOR—I see by the latest despatches received here from the capital of our country that the deadlock in organizing the Senate is not yet broken, and that nothing has been done by the president to allay the bitterness which must be engendered by his most recent appointments. When the first batch of nominations for New York was sent in I was delighted. I believed then the president had determined to recognize the Republican party, and not a faction. But his nominations of the next day convinced me that the first act was but a part of a deep laid scheme by somebody to punish prominent leaders for being openly friendly to me. I cannot believe that General Garfield is the author of this policy. I give him credit for being too big a man to descend to such means for the punishment of men who gave him a hearty support in his election and who are disposed to give him the same support now, for the offence of having had a former preference for some one else for the office which he now holds. But Garfield is president and is responsible for all the acts of the administration. Conkling and Platt are the chosen senators from the great state of New York, and that, too, against all the opposition of an administration created by the same party that elected them. This should give them all the stronger claim to be consulted in the matter of appointments in their state. When it comes to filling the most influential office in their state without consulting these senators it is a great slight. When he selects the most offensive man to be found it becomes an insult and ought to be resented to the bitter end. I sincerely hope the president will see this and correct his mistake himself, and restore harmony to the party. He owes this to himself and to those without whom he could not have been elected. Nobody believes that he could have carried the state of New York without the active support of her present senators. Their passive support would not have answered. Without the state of New York General Garfield would not now be president. His rewarding Robertson is not only offensive to the New York Senators, but it is offensive to New York Republicans.

The change of Baleau and Cramer, the two appointments in which I felt a strong personal interest, was very distasteful to me; the first, because of our personal relations and my wish that he should be kept where his office would support him until he finishes some work he is engaged upon, and which he could do without interfering with his public duties. The second, because it was at the expense of removing the son of my old secretary of state, who probably never had his superior—certainly never for moral worth—in the department. It is true Fish resigned. But he did this from a sense of honor, supposing it to be the duty of representatives abroad to give a new administration the opportunity of saying whether they were wanted or not. Very truly yours,

"U. S. GRANT.

"Hon. J. P. JONES, United States Senator, Washington, D. C."

MARKETS.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 19.—Flour firm, with good baker's fairly active and patents dull; superfine, $3 25@3 75; extra $3 87@4 25; Ohio and Indiana family $5 37@6 00; Penna. family $5 00@5 25; St. Louis family $5 75@6 37; Minnesota Extra $5@5 87; do straight, $5 50@6 25; winter patent $6 25@7 25; spring do $6 50@7 50.

Rye flour at $5 50.

Wheat firm, but quiet; No. 2 Western Red, $1 21½; Delaware, Penn'a Red and do Amber, $1 21@1 21½.

Corn firm, with fair demand; steamer, 58@58c; yellow, 65@66c; mixed, 63@64c.

Oats scarce on spot and wanted; No. 2 White 55c; No. 3, do 54c; No. 2 Mixed 53@54c.

Rye steady at $1 07.

Provisions firm; mess pork $17 50@18 00; beef hams, $21 00@25 00; Indian mess beef $22 50, f. o. b.

Bacon—smoked shoulders, 6½@7c; salt do 6½@6¾c; smoked hams 11@12c; pickled hams 9½@10c.

Lard firm; city kettle 11½c; loose butchers' 10¼c; prime steam, $11 10@11 20.

Butter dull, except fancy, which sold up to receipts; Creamery extra Pennsylvania 28@29c; do good to choice 25@27; Bradford county and New York extra, 22@24c. Rolls dull; Penn'a 9@15c; Western 9@15, as to quality.

Eggs firm and fairly active; Pennsylvania 13c; Western 12@12½c.

Cheese fancy firm, and low grades weak; New York full cream 12½c; Western full cream 11½c; do fair to good, 10@11c; do full skims, 9@9½.

Petroleum firm; refined 7½c.

Whisky dull at $1 09.

Seeds—Good to prime Timothy jobbing at $3 10@3 15; do do Flaxseed neglected at $1 25@1 28.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Flour—State and Western firm and moderate export and jobbing trade inquiry; Superfine State $4 00@4 15; extra do $4 20@4 80; choice do $4 85@4 95; fancy do $5 00@5 75; round hoop Ohio $4 70@5; choice do at $5 00@5 75; superfine western $4 00@4 55; common to good extra do $4 60@4 95; choice do $5 00@6 75; choice white wheat do, at $5 00@6 00. Southern firm and quiet; common to fair extra, $5 00@5 40; good to choice do $5 50@7 00.

Wheat ½@¾c better, moderately active; No. 1 White, May, $1 23; No. 2 Red, May, $1 21; do June, $1 22½@1 22¾; do July, $1 22@1 20; do Aug. $1 16¾.

Corn ½@¾c better, fairly active; Mixed western spot, 49@55½c; do future, 55@57½c.

Oats a shade stronger; State, 46@48c; Western, 44@52c.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO.—Hogs—Receipts, 16,000 head; shipments, 3,100 head; sharp demand and 5@10c higher; common to fair mixed packing, $5 60@6 05; good to choice packing and shipping, $6 10@6 50; light $5 75@6 05; culls and light Yorkers, $5 20@5 60; all sold.

Cattle—Receipts, 5,500 head; shipments, 3,600 head; good demand for shipping and firmer; best steers, $5 90@6 25; fair to good, $5 10@5 75; common, $3@5 00; dressed beef and cows steady at $5 25@7 50; butchers' more plenty and slow at $2 50@5 20; stockers and feeders dull and 10c. lower, at $3 50@5; Texans slow at $4 40@4 60.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000 head; shipments, 820 head; no choice sheep; common to good shorn, $4 35@4 60; fair wooled $5 30@5 50; good to choice, $5 75@6 25.

EAST LIBERTY.—Cattle—Receipts 629 head of through, and 311 head yard stock; supply light and prices something off from Monday's figures; all sold out; best sold at $6@6 25; fair to good, $5 50@5 90; common, $5@5 40.

Hogs—Receipts, 350 head; Philadelphias, $6 10@6 25; Yorkers, $5 65@5 80.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,500 head; prices ranging from $4 60@5 30.

Western Grain Markets.

DETROIT—Flour dull at $5@5 50.

Wheat firm. No. 1 White, $1 18¾ cash and May; $1 11½, June; $1 06¾, July; $1 06¾, August; No. 2 White, $1 09; No. 2 Red, $1 17 asked.

Corn firm; Mixed 49½@49¾c.

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