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Judge Black's Vindication.

The contributions to the early history of the war made by an interview with Judge Black in the Philadelphia Press, are of undoubtedly great value in shedding light upon a little understood and much misrepresented period of our national history. It cannot be complained relieved by what seems to be a semi-offithat the disclosures made unduly cial statement of the Philadelphia Times. vindicate Judge Black, since manifestly no one but himself could give gram, that the wound "was of a far the facts and documentary evidence which he produces and which he has patiently kept back, although knowing that he could at any time by their publication stem a torrent of abuse to which he has been subjected by those whose interest turn nor lasting inconvenience from the lay in misrepresenting him. His letter to continued presence of the bullet in the General Scott and his memorandum to president's body. It has been definitely the president as his legal adviser, both of ascertained that the cavities of the chest which are included in this interview, and abdomen were never entered and and which we will reprint at our earliest necessarily the peritoneal membrane convenience, show conclusively that who- was not pierced, nor was the liver torn." ever lost his head or whoever quailed with fear of consequences at that critical time, it was not Judge Black. That he was the patriotic cabinet officer, the clear headed lawyer and loval citizen there can be no doubt. There really never was on the part of those who knew him or even of those who examined into the facts of that period and did not yield their judgment and fairness to prejudice and partisan misrepresentation. The position assigned to Judge Black, as the constitutional adviser of the president at that time, has upon the removal of his predecessor's bones been that he counselled against the power of the general government to cource a state from rebellion, and that in substance he proclaimed the right of secession. Had he even done this he would have done no more than concede what the abolitionists had taught for over half a century, from the Hartford convention down, and had he even encouraged the overt acts of rebellion, he would only have been in accord with that sentiment nursed for years before, by those who have since been canonized by the Republicans, that our only legal bond of union was a "league with death and a covenant

patriot proposes to take the platform and with hell ;" but the fact is, as is now tell a suffering public what he knows disclosed in clear light, that Judge Black about infernal machines. Can't some phisteadfastly held then to this sound Demolanthropist get hold of one of the concratic faith : trivances and put it where it would do

"The Union is necessarily perpetual. No state can lawfully withdraw or be expelled from it. The federal constitution is as much a part of the constitution of every state as if it had been textually inserted therein. The federal government is sovereign within its own sphere, and acts directly upon the individual citizens of every state. Within these limits its coercive power is ample to defend itself, its laws, and its property. It can suppress insurrection, fight battles, conquer armies, dis-

THE president has had another more serious turn, owing very naturally to the extreme heat which has been felt all over the country with unprecedented universality. Just how serious the relapse is cannot be known perhaps until it is all over, since it seems to be the policy

long time supposed. It appears that

some of the dangers most feared had no

real existence, and there is now reason

to apprehend neither an unfavorable

MINOR TOPICS.

editorial in praise of the American turf.

off the distinguished honor of the first

THE Pope told his cardinals the other

day that the recent disturbances attendant

proved that the Vicar of Christ enjoyed

neither liberty nor safety in Rome. He

was, however, prepared to confront the

THE murderers of Mr. McClure, at Mc-

Keesport, Pa., are said to be part of a

gang organized for over a year, and known

as "The Sons of One Hundred and One."

Their motto, full of significance, is " Dead

men tell no tales," and the people in that

neighborhood are disposed to take them at

THERE is a chance for Crowe's coment

barrels to accomplish a noble end. That

the most good-under Crowe's platform,

THE third term idea has received a black

eve from the hands of the Mississippi

Democrats. After a prolonged struggle,

lasting several days, Gov. Stone's aspira-

tions for a new lease of executive power

have been defeated, and Gen. Robert Low-

ery, a dark horse, is the nomince. This

prize at the Conservatoire.

dangers of the future.

their word.

for instance?

Various Calamaties to All Manner People in Every Section. Herman Bohlmanu, a well-to-do of the physicians to announce the more dealer of New York, hanged himself. serious phases only when they are ready

Louis Otterson, a despondent lager beer to report relief from them. Confidence saloon keeper, took some India rubber in Dr. Bliss's diagnosis of the case is not tube, connected it with the gas pipe, introduced the other end into a refrigator, locked himself into the icebox, turned on the gas, and was found dead. sitting on a illustrated with a medical almanac diatapped beer keg. In Bridgeton, N. J., the thirteen year less serious character than was for a

old son of Mrs. Louisa Duffy, a visitor there, was fooling with a gun, "not loaded," and shot and killed her : George Poole's ten year old son at Port Washington fell overboard the boat on a mill pond, in a fit, and drowned : David Landale, aged 8, fell from a barge at Wil-liamsburgh and drowned; While George Shaw, of Bay Shore, was sailing, the

strap holding the mast head block broke and smashed his legs. Some Neighborly Exchanges. Mrs. Simpson shot and killed William

Plyburn in Coraville, Ohio, on Friday, for refusing to deny that certain affectionate letters in his possession were written by

THE Sunday edition of the paper founded John Otis, a painter, 30 years old, was found dead in James Smith's barnyard, in by Horace Greeley has a column and a half East Longmeadow, Mass. Turpin Jencks, brother of Mrs. Smith, and 70 years old, WOMEN are rapidly forging to the front has been arrested. Circumstantial evidence is strong against him. as expert manipulators of the violin. An American lady in Paris has just carried

George Alegeschim, Washington county, Oregon, a few days ago, in a fit of rage, shot his daughter, inflicting a paintul though not daugerous wound. He then led to the woods and committed suicide. While Bob Osborne and his son Tom, who shot and wounded Frank Pate and his son Willis, in Weakly county, Tennessee, on July 11, were going home from McKenzie, Carroll county, they were ambushed and shot dead, being riddled with buckshot

George Harrington, aged 67 years, has died at Stephentown, New York, from injuries inflicted by Michael Ward, a neighbor. Ward's cattle broke into Harrington's corn field on Thursday, and caused an altercation, in which Ward jumped on and kicked Harrington, breaking his ribs and causing other injuries. Ward surrendered himself to the authorities, and is now in the Troy jail. He pleads selfdefence.

Crow Dog, captain of the police at the Rosebud agency, shot and instantly killed Spotted Tail. There had been ill feeling between them for some time. Crow Dog went to Niobrara to await further develments. Trouble is apprehended.

Casualties by Storm. In a heavy storm in Rochester, hailstones of the average size of marbles fell, damaging skylights Eight quarts of stones were gathered from a canvas six feet square. Some were picked up measuring from 3 to 11 inches in circumference.

A terrific storm of wind, rain, thunder and lightning passed over Western New York yesterday, doing much damage to property and prostrating telegraph lines on all sides. Several buildings were struck by lightning and burned. On Thursday afternoon a group of twen-

ty men, all white road hands, were standing close to the house of J. H. Clyburn,

THE WAVE OF BLOOD by the store. At the request of a juror Dr. Shepard of West Haven made an ex-HOW THEY MET DEATH.

amination of the body, from which he was convinced that the girl had been recently betrayed.

account of the prominence of the young men involved. Great sympathy is felt for was born in county Tyrone, Ireland, on the twelfth of January, 1792. While a mere Mr. Cramer and his family. One theory strongly entertained by many is that i youth, he came to the United States, and was a case of suicide caused by grief and was placed in care of a merchant, and remorse. Others believe that the girl after a good education had a military exmade a misstep from Kelsey's pier, and fel perience by service in the war of 1813, which he left with the rank of captain. to the water late in the evening when the tide was low, receiving contusions about the head and hose which made her Returning to commercial life at the close of the war, he became in time, largely ininsensible, in which condition she was terested in manufacturing business, which drowned. The theory that her person was he carried on successfully for many years. violated by some unknown person and that and at the time of his death was owner of she was then drowned finds supporters. three cotton mills, in which over 4,000 ope The manner in which she met her fate is ratives are employed. He took great inat present wrapped in mystery. terest in militia organization in his city and

Death and Damage by Lightning. Further details of the catastrophe by

lightning in Darlington county, S. C., shows that the party, consisting of 20 white men who had been at work on the public highway, stopped under an o k tree to rest and shelter themselves from the sun. Clouds were visible at a distance, and rain was falling some miles away, but in that portment allayed the unhappy excitement immediate locality the sun was shining. which then prevailed at the capital, and the sky was clear, and there was nothing which, but for his forbearance and good to indicate the presence of electricity. One

of their number had stepped off a few yards for water, when suddenly a terrific crash startled him, and turning he beheld his companions, some dead, some completely paralyzed, and others wounded and struggling in the threes of death. J. M. Mazingo, Rufus Mazingo, Willie Waters and John B. Gatlin were killed outright. These were all young volunteers; ordered by the Federal govmen and recently married. Twelve others were struck and more or less struned and mutilated, some of them being seriously sylvania, Delaware and Maryland and the if not fatally injured. After the clouds District of Columbia ; assumed command had gathered an hour later there was a very heavy fall of rain. All around the tree lay scattered the tools with which the men had been working on the road and it is possible they may have attracted Winchester during the battle of Bull Run.

the electricity. Henry Davis, colored, was struck by lightning at his residence, No. 1719 Philips street, Philadelphia, and instantly killed. His house was somewhat dam aged.

A very severe thunderstorm visited the Pittston region. Mrs. Deeval's house was struck by lightening and badly damaged. The large barn of John Young was fired by lightning and destroyed.

LATEST NEWS BY MAIL.

Two frame blocks in Palestine, Texas were burned on Thursday night. Loss \$30,000. One hundred and forty-eight person died in New York city between Saturday and yesterday noon. Sixty of these deaths are ascribed to the effects of the heat. Mary Hines, aged 10 years, was fatally burned, by coal oil, while lighting a fire in Troy, New York, on Saturday morning. She died in a few hours.

The steam dressing lumber mill belonging to White, Clarkson & Co., of New of the Senate and House of Representa Haven, Vt., has burned. Total loss \$15,tives in bygone days."

the local politicians took it into their heads William Wheeler's house and barn and Michael McGill's house on Quarry Hill, that he was disloyal, because he was a Staten Island, were burned on Friday Democrat, and they committed the folly evening. Loss, \$10,000. of sending a crowd to his house to force

him to put out the flag. A number of gen-P. J. Adams, a clerk in a hardware store heard of the proceeding

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE. Death of an Old and Tried Soldier. General Robert Patterson, who has been

LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE uffering for two weeks from Bright's disease of the kidneys and fatty degeneration FROM THE COUNTY TOWNS.

GEN. ROBERT PATTERSON.

state, and became the major general of the

First division in 1824, which rank he held

for forty years. In the violent political

disturbances which took place in Decem-

ber, 1835, General Patterson, in obedience

to a requisition from the governor, repair

ed to Harrisburg with his division, and by

The News Up the River.

Louks, the mermaid man, caught on last Friday night, 95 catfish and 16 cels.

The wind is doing her blowing over the oats stubble; the dog-chewed bicycle rider did his in Squire Roath's office on Friday afternoon. A deaf and dumb man made things livey at the St. John house Saturday night. Dave Garvison, knocked him down, the

only thing that would quiet him. Col. James Duffy, who has been confied to the house by sickness for about ten days, is, we are happy to state, about again.

Prof. Brecht and wife, who have been visiting our town for the past two weeks, left to day to spend the remaining four weeks of their vacation with friends at Lititz, and with Dr. S. S. Brecht, near Manheim.

A heavy thunder storm passed over Marietta Sunday afternoon. The rain fell in torrents. It was followed by a sweet his prompt, energetic and soldierly de and balmy air, humming birds shook the conduct, might have produced the most flowers with their buzzing wings, and every breeze that murmured by left behind disastrous consequencees. In 1844 he ren-dered important military service in supit odors sweeter than music or the song of birds.

pressing the disgraceful riot of that date. He took a high position in the Mexican Rev. George Brown, a colored preacher war and at the outbreak of the late war from Marietta, went to Harrisburg to attend the Odd Fellows parade. was at once commissioned by Gov. Curtin He as major general, and assigned to the commounted a freight train and when he mand of the Pennsylvania three months' landed in Harrisburg an officer landed George in prison for stealing a ride He ernment to the command of a military dewill remain there until the hot wave partment composed of the states of Pennpasses by.

Big Dan on the War Path. "Big Dan." as he is familiarly known,

of the troops at Chambersburg, Pa., and a puddler in the Chickies rolling mill, is moved into Maryland, finally crossing the one of the most powerful men in this part Potomae at Williamsport ; pursued Jack-son to Hainesville, and held his forces at of the country. He is about six feet and six inches high, weighs 240, about thirty years of age. On Saturday morning while In early life he was a decided Democrat, walking up Front street, about ten Bungle and took an active part in politics, estown roughs attacked him with black pecially in support of his dear old friend acks, stones and razors. He defended General Jackson, but never held a political himself until he reached Constable Ruby's office. "When I left my father's house,' door, when he demanded protection at the he said one day, "about seventy years ago, I determined not to take an office of hands of that officer Ruby said to him that the crowd was large, yet he would do all in his power to save him. A son of profit, but to rely on my own energy and industry to support myself and my family the officer handed the old man a revolver. if I ever had one. I have adhered to this This had the effect of keeping the cowards purpose, and have not allowed either of at bay. Dan was badly cut on the head my sons to take an office of profit. I have and bled profusely. Ruby took the voted at every presidential election since the war of 1812, was on intimate and wounded man up to the office of Jacob Windolph. Dr. Reach and Mr. Windolph friendly terms with Monroe, Adams, dressed his wounds. After he was fixed Jackson, Van Buren, Harrison, Polk, Tayup he started off toward home. Just as lor, Pierce, Buchanan, Lincoln and Grant : he walked across the street at Central hall have dined with nearly all of them at the he met " Catty " Eater, the leader of the White House, and most of them have gang, who had assaulted him. Eater is a dined at my house. I had the honor of powerful man, weighs about 200 pounds, intimate and friendly relations with Henry Clay, Webster, Calhoun, Benton, Hugh and is about 25 years old. Eater saw him coming, but did not attempt to get away. White, Tazewell, Grundy, Dallas, Dan struck him a sledge-hammer blow Poindexter, Lincoln, of Massachusetts. over the oye hard enough to kill an ox. Silas Wright, Marcy, Bayard, Reverdy Eater fell on the pavement like a bundle Johnson and most of the intellectual giants of rags and cried most piteously for mercy. Friends of Dan interfered and took him away. This pair of giants have When the civil war broke ont, some of had a grudge against each other for a long

time. MANHEIM MATTERS.

The News From an Ancient Borougn.

Mr. John B. Bomberger returned home tour throug and rallied to the general's house, and placed themthe Western states. He expresses himself selves inside for his defense. The multias being highly pleased with his trip. Miss Ellie Eshelman, of Buffalo, N. Y., tude came, and the venerable citizen is spending a few weeks at Manheim enstepped to the front of his residence and boldly faced them. He told them he had joying its salubrious air, the guest of Miss heard of their visit, and that he was ready Bella Sharpe. Owen P. Bricker, esq., of Lancaster, was in town on Thursday evening on for them. "I have fought for my country and for the old flag in two great wars, and I shall do as much against the present 'business." We understand he got through rather warm, with the mercury trying to crawl out at the top of the thermometer. The Lutheran Sunday school will hold its annual pienic on Tuesday, Aug. 23, in the Kauffman park The public are cor-

OBITUARY.

Death of Mrs. S. T. Monthomery

On Saturday morning, between 11 and 12 clock, Mrs. Sallie T. Montgomery, died at the Millersville normal school. Mrs. Montgomery was the wife of Professor J. V. Montgomery, and a sister to Dr. J. P. Wickersham, ex-superintendent of public nstruction.

The deceased was a native of Chester county, where many of her friends and re-latives now reside. With the early history of the Millersville Normal her name is inseparably associated. Before her marriage. and when the normal school system was in its infancy, struggling for a foothold in this state, she was one of the little band of normal instructors, who, under the able

leadership of her brother, Dr. J. P. Wickersham, did so much to "break the road" and establish the system in our commonwealth.

Never physically very strong, about six years ago she suffered a severe attack of this latitude's dread disease, consumption. For weeks her life hung upon a thread, but supported by her indomitable will, the ministering hands of love at last

nursed her back to some degree of health. Since that time, life to her has been a constant struggle with death. Nothing but the wonderful power of her strong will-aided, no duubt, by the fond hope of seeing her son graduate from the institution beneath whose roof he was born-could have sustained her so long. During the past summer she was growing weaker and weaker and at the recent com

mencement she was carried into the chapel in a chair to hear her son, Mr. C. Eugene Montgomery deliver his graduate's oration.

Mrs. Montgomery was a kind, sensible and most estimable lady. Beloved by the

poor and laboring people she so often be-friended ; revered by her countless friends among the "normal boys" who came to her as a mother for advice, counsel and comfort ; respected and esteemed by all who knew her sterling qualities of mind and heart, her death has left a void that can never be filled. Many who sorrowfully read the notice of her death feel that a riend, staunch and true, is lost to themthat a noble woman has passed away. And as they remember how often her influence for good has restrained and guided them, they realize that the story of their life could not be told with her name left. out.

> After life's fitful fever, may she rest well. Another Obituary.

The death of Mrs. J. V. Montgomery, formerly Miss Wickersham, calls for more than a passing notice. She was born in Chester county, near Kennett Square, in 1833, of a good Quaker family. of the same family are Dr. J. P. Wiekersham, late superintendent of public instruction, Dr. Swaine Wickersham, of Chicago, and Col. M. D. Wickersham, of Mobile, Ala. Early in the history of the normal school she became one of its teachers and was exceedingly efficient and popular as such. After her marriage, in 1858, she and Mr. Montgomery taught for two years in Maryland, but were com pelled to leave on account of sickness engendered by the climate. They then return ed to Millersville, where she again taught until compelled to desist on account of failing health. For many years she was a victim of that dreaded disease consumption, and it was only by the force of her indomitable will that she was so long enabled to resist its ravages. Finally, on

or all of its enemies. It can meet, repel and subdue all those who rise against it. But it cannot obliterate a single commonclare indiscriminate war against all the inhabitants of a section, confounding the innocent with the guilty.'

This declaration, made at a time when one element of the Republican party was ready for a forcible separation of the states and another was trying to reconcile the country to a peaceful dissolution of the Union, contains a concession of all the federal powers that existed under the constitution and all that were necessary to wage war for its preservation, withal having that regard for the rights of the states, which is just as necessary to a proper view of the Union as the

other. Taken with his letter to Gen. Scott, which was so ungraciously re- indebtedness.

ceived by the man who eight years be-A man, supposed to be HARTMANN, the fore had been the Whig candidate for Nihilist, has arrived in Montreal and regpresident, and his memorandum on the answer to the South Carolina commissioners-which we will find occasion to his movements.

review hereafter-Judge Black's position at that time is set forth unmistakably, and are with Judge Advocate General Swaim, shines conspicuous for sagacity and ag- who, owing to his close attendance at the gressive patriotism by the side of those president's bedside, has not been able to of whom Greeley spoke as the "very review them yet. The verdict will not be many Republicans-and those by no made public until approved by the presimeans without consideration or influ- dent, and any announcement as to its naence-who would have cheerfully con- ture is merely a surmise.

sented to a peaceful withdrawal from a separation."

The Late General Patterson.

Gen. Robert Patterson's death removes ness. His experience ran back to the early days of the republic, and his personal acquaintance with distinguished men extended through nearly every presidential administration. Loyal soldier as he was, three wars commanded fountain. Arrangements have been made the best services he could render; and public spirited citizen of whose like there are few, the return to civil life found him in the foremost rank of those who direct and develop our great manufacturing interests. Liberal in his feelings and genial in his social relations, few festive occasions were found without a place at table for having a cut stone coping on top of the him and a toast on the programme to call other stone work, and is then finished forth his wit and eloquence. Born on a with a cup nearly two feet high. foreign soil he brought with him the energy and the ardor of his race, and was never forgetful of the land of his birth, nor stinted in his sympathy with her sorrows and her glory. None the less at a time when there seemed very small he was an enthusiastic American, chance of ever getting it back again. The proud of his adopted country's past, influential and interested in her present, political aspirations for himself he was an aggressive defender of Jeffersonian was nil, so the percentage cannot be re-

esult was brought about by a cancus of all the delegates opposed to Stone and a of lightning killed four and wounded ten shot and killed Henry G. Fellows, twenty third term, by which the field was success desperately hurt and may die. There was rington. wealth from the map of the Union to de- fully combined against the governor, who no storm at the time, though a heavy rain led the balloting from the outset. This fell shortly afterward. spirited struggle was in many respects a

> type at Chicago last summer, not the least conspicuous point of resemblance being the determination with which Gov. Stone's 'old guard' stood by him to the last, the and extremely hot. Cora Deardon, four final ballot standing, Lowery 126 and a fraction, Stone 112 and a fraction. Lowery's nomination is as much of a victory for the friends of Barksdale as was Garfield's for Blaine's friends.

> > PERSONAL.

HENRY VILLARD has given the Oregon state university \$7,000 for the relief of its

istered at one of the hotels under another name. Meantime a detective is watching shock to the child's system was terrific, All the papers in the WHITTAKER case follow.

Mr. ANDREW CARNEGIE, of New York the Union of the cotton states, with such and Pittsburgh, an American citizen, but others as might have chosen to accom- a native of Dunfermline, Scotland, has inpany them, had these accorded time for timated to the custodian of the Dunfermdecently effecting and assenting to such line abbey, his desire to fill the large west window with stained glass. Mr. Carnegie

has already given £13,000 for public baths and a free library in Dunfermline.

Hon. A. H. STEPHENS was once making from the Philadelphia community one of an eloquent speech in Georgia, when its oldest, most popular and distinguish among his listeners appeared Mr. Gentry, ed members. He had so long passed the of Tennessee. Delighted with the speech allotted tenure of human life that the de- but moved with pity for the lean, saliow, privation of his fellow-citizens in his half-starved appearance of the little invataking off comes without any sudden- lid speaker, the sturdy Tennesscean exclaimed : "Let's catch him and take him to the mountains and feed him and save

> him for his country and humanity !" Hon. P. T. BARNUM is about to present his native town, Bethel, Conn., with a to have extensive ceremonies at its dedication, on Friday, August 19. There will the dead woman bore the monogram be a procession composed of police, fire companies, citizens and invited guests. The fountain is only equalled in beauty by dealer of the city. The dead girl had been three others in the country. It was imported at a cost of several thousand dollars. The basin is 60 feet in diameter,

An old friend of BRADLAUGH in his poorer days, when he was unknown to fame-or to notoriety-advanced the now well-known free-thinker the sum of £250 Cramer from reprimand for, her absence, interest arranged to be paid was rather high for England, being 71 per cent. ; and her father sought her at the hotel only and hopeful for her future. Without but as there was not much chance of re- to learn from Miss Douglass that she had covering the principal, and the security and Jacksonian Democracy, and no more garded as very exorbitant. Years passed

Henry Robinson, Ira Wills. feeling having seen the girl or been at the engine." outhis flag, to go to the front and fight consider it an irretrievably bad debt. beach on the night of her death. Miss for the cause in which they were so What was his surprise one day to ret. of the field in which it was grazing, and, all their kindness through your paper and running up the road about a quarter of a oblige, mile, entered the barnyard of Squire Galfor the cause in which they were so What was his surprise one day to see Bouglass denies all knowledge of the girl for Massacruscus a chart, against Darius since their meeting at the Cramer home on 20, 1881, by Calvin C. Burt, against Darius Successful Operations Yours truly, Yesterday Dr.C.H.Brown assisted by Dr. Bradlaugh walk in and pay off the whole Thursday. J. W. Hess performed two very successful breath. In the barnyard was a sleigh, WILLIAM MORRISON. Wilson, to obtain an injunction against THE Republican county commitree debt, interest and all. Mr. Cramer, in his testimony, referred Wilson to prevent him from acting as operatidus at the county hospital. They and in the sleigh was a cradle, used for amputated a foot of Emma Murry, a cutting grain. By some means the colt colored woman, who has been in the hos became entangled in the cradle and in his to letters received by his daughter as to the Malleys, Miss Douglass, and herself arranging for calls and rides and inter Shooting Affair. which exempted Judge Livingston from On Saturday there was a Sunday school colored woman, who has been in the hos pital for a year. The foot had been inassessment should pay back, out of the W. Va., who came to Annapolis a week W. J. Logie, aged 19, of Kearneysville. struggles had one of his fore feet complete-ly severed at the pastern, and his hind legs ship, which was very largely attended. A arranging for calls and rides and inter views. One was a request from James Malley for Miss Cramer's company to Coney Island, her cousent to be expressed motion day in September. This case is a big campaign fund raised in this off ago, to prepare for the examination for jured and it was found necessary to amputate it yesterday. The physicians also removed a cataract from the eye of Susan Coyle. blade. The colt, which was quite a valu-able one, was killed to end its sufferings. during which one of them named John year, the assessment made upon Judge cadet engineer, was accidentally drowned Patterson when he ran. by meeting him at 101 p. m. at the corner very interesting one.

ear Hartsville, S. C., when a single stroke

At Ashley, Luzerne county, in the midrepetition of its celebrated national proto- dle of Saturday afternoon there were few clouds in the sky and no signs of a storm, except far off to the west, where a few "thunder heads" were visible. No rain was falling and the atmosphere was close years old, was standing near a window on the south side of her residence, drinking a glass of root beer. The window was raised about ten inches from the sill and the child stood about a foot from it. Suddenly a loud report was heard and the little girl was sent flying across the room. Her mother, who was in another department, ran to her aid and raised her from the floor. The long, flowing hair of the child was in flames, which her mother soon extinguished by wrapping her apron about the head of the sufferer. A physician was subsequently called and it was found that her neck was encircled with a huge blister, her face burned in several places and her hands badly injured. The

> but it is thought that no fatal results will An Atrocious Crime.

Mrs. Fisher, a widow, and her two children have been residing near Queenstown, in the county outside of Washington, D. C., with her sister and family. Her brother-in-law, Mr. Fisher (both sisters having married brothers) conducts a truck farm and dairy at the place, and has employed several negro farm hands. During the absence Saturday afternoon of Mr. Fisher and the two Mrs. Fishers, the children, aged respectively seven to ten coming to the city to attend to their usual market business. The parents and relations returned to the house to find that the children, a boy and girl, had been cut to such an extent about the head that they probably died almost instantly.

The girl, who was the elder, was mangled so badly as to be almost beyond recognition. By the side of the children lay an axe covered with blood and hair show conclusively that it was the weapon used to commit the deed, and the neighbors are in search of a missing negro employee who is suspected.

A New Haven Mystery.

The body of a beautiful young woman, tastefully dressed, has been found at West Haven Beach, a much-thronged summer resort, four miles from New Haven, Conn. The body was lying face downward in the sand. One of the finger rings worn by By this means the body was identified as that of Miss Jennie Cramer, eldest daughter of a respected man, a cigar intimate with Mr. James Malley, jr., a young drygoods clerk and son of a wealthy merchant, of New Haven. At young Malley's request she had visited and entertained Miss Blanche Douglass, of Spring street, New York, a young lady friend of Mr. Walter Malley, who had arrived at one of the leading hotels in New Haven. She did not return home until the next day, on which day Miss Douglass paid a visit to the Cramers, and to shield Miss the shore and returned quite late, and

passed the night together at the hotel. On Thursday Miss Cramer left home again gone to New York to visit a brother there. With many misgivings the father returned home. On Friday he received a note from James Malley, jr., that his daughter was

at Great Barrington, Mass., accidentally

The mare Nancy Awful, the dam of Rarus, died in the stable of her owner, R. B. Conklin, at Ashremoque, on Friday. She was 24 years of age. At the time of her death she had by her side a two months old colt.

rebellion. But I do not apologize to you. A public company, with a capital of You will be sorry for this wrong to one of £4.000,000, is about to be formed, with my years ; but, before I go, I want to give the aid of large London financiers, for the you a little advice. Go to the front yourpurpose of acquiring and reclaiming waste selves, and when you have shown the right lands in Ireland, and for other purposes kind of patriotism, you can come and connected with agriculture in Ireland. teach it to me." Needless to say that the The chancellor of McGill university, party retired a good deal crestfallen.

Quebec, has made a public appeal for General Patterson's public employments have been chiefly confined to the military \$150,000 to carry on the work of education efficiently. The deficiency this year, service of the country. He has, however, owing to the reduction of the rate of inoccupied several civil stations of prominterest, will be \$6,500. ence. He was the first president of the Philadelphia & Wilmington railroad com-

Two bodies, which had been mangled beyond recognition by coyotes, were found about ten miles from Tucson, Arizona, on Friday. They were supposed to improvements, and authorized the appoint. ment of a board of canal commissioners, be those of two Indians lynched for a murder about a month ago. to consist of nine persons, General Patterson was appointed by Governor Shultz,

In Oreville, Cal., J.T. Noakes was taken from the jail by a body of masked and armed men, conveyed a short distance from the town and hanged to a tree.

Noakes had murdered an old man named A. J. Crum, at Chico, three weeks ago, by kicking him to death.

At Nanticoke, J. Adams, United States mail carrier between that place and Har vey Creek, was drowned in the Susquehanna river. The day was very hot, and with a view to cooling off he jumped into the water, was taken with cramps and sank to the boitom. president of the Hibernian society.

The exports from Victoria, B. C., for the year ended June 30 amounted in value years, were left in the house, the parents to \$2,100,000, including the lumber ex ports. The value of the coal exported was \$739,000 ; gold dust, \$576,000 ; fish, 392,-000 ; furs, \$287,000. These figures show a steady increase in the export trade.

The people of West Troy, N. Y., are greatly excited over the pollution of the reservoir of the village water works. Cattle are allowed to wallow in the reservoir which also receives the refuse of a slaugh. ter house. The odor is unbearable. Dr. H. L. Walde publishes a card predicting a tapeworm epidemic.

At Cornishville, Thomas Brown me Daniel Huffman and asked him to take a and he is believed to have been stolen. drink, and then, without a word, instantly shot him dead with a pistol. Almost immediately Brown himself fell dead, pierced by a ball from a pistol in the hands of some one unknown. A feud had | Prof. John S. Ermentrout. existed between Brown and Huffman for two years.

James Griffith, an excursionist from Philadelphia, while walking on the Camden & Atlantic railroad track, near the Excursion house, Atlantic City, was knocked down by a locomotive and run over by one of the cars. He was dragged from under them, and it was found that his feet were badly crushed. He was at once attended to by a resident physician.

At Shannondale, a small station on branch of the Wabash road, between Salisbury and Glasgow, Mo., while sitting in one of the coaches, George Wright, a passenger, was approached from behind by two men, one of whom buried a hatchet in

his skull, and the other fired a pistol ball said that they had been out together at into his head. The murderers then rushed from the cars and escaped into the woods.

A passenger train on the Toledo, Delphos & Burlington railroad, ran off the track, near Kckomo, Ind., on Friday. The engine and baggage car were overturned and the engineer, conductor and fireman badly injured. The fireman is not expected to recover. The engineer, M. K. Blinn, is credited with having "saved many lives by courageously sticking to his dially invited to attend. J. M. Hahn, one of the largest eigar manufacturers in castern Pennsylvania, closed his factory last week, throwing almost one hundred persons out of employment.

The Liberty cornet band has been engaged to furnish music for the White Oak pany. When the state of Pennsylvania Sunday school celebration on Saturday resolved to commence a system of internal next. A piscatorial party left this place on

Saturday for Connelly's dam, armed with bait and lines, bat the fish would not bite and the boys being determined to have at least something were continually nibbling

at the excellent lunch the ladies had prepared They returned home in the evening highly pleased with their trip.

On Wednesday evening while Amos Wenger and wife, of Sporting Hill, were returning home from the Landisville campmeeting, his horse took sick and died. The horse had weathered the storms of thirty-five winters and was never known to have been sick

On Monday last this section was visited by a heavy rain storm. The thunder was lond and the lightning vivid ; for an hour and a-half the rain came down in torrents, and it seemed as if the flood-gates of Heaven were let open. Some hail fell but not to seriously injure the tobacco Reports came in from Penn and Rapho,however, and the damage by hail was con-

siderable INTERCOURSE ITEMS.

News From the East End

conferees of Bedford and Somerset have On Saturday while the Intercourse reagreed on Wm. J. Baer to beat John porter for the New Holland Clarion was tearing down a small out-building for Strolling gypsies have left with farmer, near Franklin, an eight year-old smoking tobacco that had lain there since boy who calls himself Eddie Willum, of Williamsport. They traded him for a horse well cured lot of tobacco for the finder. Messrs. Hess & Diller have commenced Prof. Bitner, of Centre county, has been work on their store building; to tear

down the old and remodel it. They are both business men, genial and obliging, attending to their customers. J. D. Warfel sold for Wm. D. Althous at the Styger house, New Holland, August 5, 14 head of Canada horses at an average of \$223.08 per head, and 15 head Farmers' and Drovers' hotel, Intercourse, at an average of \$190.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

Thrown from a Sulky and His Neck Broken

John Sharp, of Brunersville, while riding in a sulky near Lexington on Saturday. was thrown from the vehicle and killed. It appears that the horse fell and Mr. Sharp was thrown violently forward, and alighting upon his head, broke his neck and probably was instantly killed, though his dead body was not discovered until

some time afterwards. Deputy Coroner Lenhart was notified and held an inquest, the jury returning a verdict in accordance with the facts. Mr.

Colt Killed.

Ino. Galbreath, was the owner of a fine two- sympathy in my present bereavement. who called to make this old soldier hang lent the money only remembered it to Both of the Malleys deny with great year-old cold. A day or two ago it got out please express my sincerest gratitude for

Saturday last, after a long and painful struggle, her strength gave way-the vital spark went out. She desired to live, on account of the love she bore her devoted husband and her only son ; but it was an alleviation of the pain of departure that

she had lived to witness that son's graduation. That result, and the manner of its accomplishment, gave her the highest with the programme, no doubt thinking it gratification-a result that was due, in no small degree, to her encouragement and assistance.

> Though for many years Mrs. Montgomery was not actively engaged in the work of teaching, yet she was always, in one sense, a teacher. Hundreds of students

were brought within her influence. By many students, indeed, she was regarded as a kind of mother, and they carried with them and will always retain an affectionate remembrance of her many acts of kind-

ness. Few, indeed, even among teachers, are permitted to exert so wide an influence, and few have the power of attaching to themselves so many devoted friends. Her loss will be deeply felt at the normal,

and the "aching void" can never be filled ; but the good she accomplished will live with her survivors.

"To live with friends we leave behind A FRIEND.

DROWNED.

The Baptist Minister's Brother Meets His Death in the Conestog

Robert Morrison, aged 16 years, a brother of Rev. Wm. Morrison, pastor of the First Baptist church, this city, was drowned in the Conestoga creek, between

the Pennsylvania railroad bridge and Ranck's mill, on Saturday afternoon between 5 and 6 o'clock. The young man, company with W. P. King and Linton Witmer, went to the creek to bathe, and had spent some time in the water when Morrison, who was some distance from his companions, was noticed to be struggling and soon sank. It appears that he could not swim, and had ventured be yond his depths. Neither of his companions were strong swimmers, and were unable to save him. They at once gave the alarm,

however, and Isaac and Jacob Ranck, o Ranck's mill, hastened to the scene, and in less than an hour found the body at the Hess & Diller, he found two packs of bottom of the stream, near the place where young Morrison went down. Efforts were Hull kept store at that place. Quite a made at resuscitation, but they were, of course, unsuccessful.

Coroner Mishler, being notified, summoued a jury consisting of the following named gentlemen : Isaiah Meixell, Henry Martin, Samuel Resh, Samuel Stauffer, Walter Samson and W. H. Manby, They

repaired to the scene of the drowning, viewed the body, and then adjourned to meet in the coroner's office Sunday after-noon, at 2 o'clock, where, after hearing of Indiana horses for Isaac Murr at the the testimony of the Messrs. Ranck and the boys who were with Morrison, they

rendered a verdict of accidental drowning. Morrison's body was taken to the residence of his brother, Rev. Wm. Morrison, and that gentleman, who was absent from the city on a summer vacation, was notified by telegraph of the distressing casualty. He hastened back to Lancaster, and found that his friends and parishioners had done all that could be done under the circumstances.

Deceased was a youth of unexceptionable character. He was a native of Scotland, and arrived in this country only in May ast. On Monday last he took employment n Frains's lock works. This morning his remains were removed in care of his

prother to Philadelphia for interment. The following note from Rev. Morrison tas been received :

MESSRS. EDITORS : As I will be absent from the city for some time, and cannot personally thank all my neighbors and k nd friends for their thoughtful attention and unsurpassed expressions of love and

biting answer was given super-loyal po- away, until the interest amounted to as in New York at her brother's. litical patriots than when he told a mob much as the principal, and the man who George Galbreath, of Colerain, a son of

ton of a man buried in a box along side the wall. The skull and teeth were natural and a pair of mining shoes, which were at his feet, were also in a fair state of preservation. It is thought that the about it.

in 1837 one of the board. After serving

about two years he resigned. He was

presidential elector, and presided over the

electoral college in 1837. He was for

many years president of the board of in-

spectors of the eastern penitentiary, and

as early as 1817 elected by the Legislature

a director of the Philadelphia bank, con-

tinued until the war with Mexico, when

this appointment, and others of a civil

character which he held, were vacated by

him in consequence of his appointment as

major general in the army of the United

States. For many years he has been

STATE ITEMS.

pelled from the Stoverdale campmeeting

As was expected, by the withdrawal of

J. M. Reynolds the Democratic judicial

grounds.

Ten dollar gambler sharps have been ex-

Unclaimed Letters.

week ending August 8:

Emora Deleo. Blanche Hording, Anna Henry, Mrs. Eliza Kump, May Manford, Anna Reynolds, Nellie Straley, A. Remmin, Mrs. Elizabeth Train.

Boutelle, J. W. Duttenhofer, D Hurr, Fred. Lepps, Fred. Lavan, John Mathsuse, R. C. Miller, S. B. Moore, Osman Bro.'s

temporarily appointed by the trustees of the Keystone state normal school to the position in that body held by the late Mesars. Bureau Brothers & Heaton, of Philadelphia, have just completed a large quantity of fine artistic bronze railing for Mr. Wm. II. Vanderbilt's new house in

New York, at a cost of over \$38,000. In Pittston, Michael Burke, while tear ing down an old building found the skele

body has been buried there for several years, and no one seems to know anything

The following is the list of letters remaining unclaimed in the postoflice for the

Ladies' List .- Mrs. Jacob Allen, Mrs.

Gents' List -Edgar P. Barton, E. C

Sharp was aged about 35 years, a farmer, and unmarried.