2. Geo. H. Martin, 3. John Miller, 4. F. W. Bockius, A. Apple, N. Strickland, Abraham Peters, David Fester,

DISTRICTS.
13. H. C. Eyer, 14. John Clayton, 15. Isaac Robison 16. Henry Fetter, Maxwell McCaslin Joseph McDonald, W. S. Collahan, Andrew Burke, John McReynolds, 23. J. S. M'Calmont, P. Demon, 24. George R. Barrett

FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER

## William Searight OF FAYETTE COUNTY.

#### Look Here!

We have several heavy payments to make on or about the 1st of April, and shall be much obliged to those who are indebted for subscription. job work and advertising, if they will furnish us with the means to meet our liabilities. We are averse to dunning so frequently; but really there are many who, it appears, never think of paying the PRINTER, and our wants require that we should remind them of their delinquency. We hope this notice will be more effectual than those which have preceded it, and that we shall not be under the disagreeable necessity of repeating it for a long time to come.

Those residing at a distance from town can remit by mail at our risk. Our City friends will always find us at the office, in Market Square.

Our first page is mainly occupied with the proceedings of the State Convention.

Hon, STEPHEN A. DOUGLASS, of the U. S. Senate, has our thanks for public documents.

We are also indebted to Mr. Kinzer, of the State Senate, for a copy of the bill read in that body on the 3d inst., relative to the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors. Also, to Messrs. Sharffen and Hunsecken, of the House

We refer our readers to an advertisement in another column of the "STATE MUTUAL FIRE IN-SUBANCE COMPANY"-an institution which altho but a short time in existence, is already in a highly prosperous condition. Those having real or personal property to insure against losses by fire, would do well to call on the agent, Mr. KELLOGG, who is now in this city, without delay.

See Spunnien's advertisement. Those in want of clothing will find a full supply of every kind at the sign of the "Striped Pants."

Poetry by L. M. in our next.

Some few of the presses in this State favor able to Gen. Cass, are disposed to grumble and find fault with the friends of Mr. Buchanan, in the recent State Convention, for not permitting his enemies to select delegates to the National Convention. This, to say the least of it, is very modest. Let us ook at it for a moment. Mr. Buchanan had an overwhelming majority-about three to one over all other candidates combined-in the Convention Of course it was expected on all hands, before the resolutions would be passed in his favor, and it was tive of the instructions) would be sent as Delegates majority shall rule-and the friends of Mr. Buch-AWAR would have violated this principle, had they pursued a different policy which might have resulted in sending, in part, a Janus-faced delegation to Baltimore. Such a suicidal course would have been in direct violation of the expressed will of the people, and at war with the interests and undoubted rights of our great Commonwealth. And had the majority committed so glaring a political faux paux, the minority, whilst receiving the benefit of the blunder, would have laughed in their sleeves at such consummate folly. Indeed, it is generally known that a prominent leader of the opposition. a tew days before the meeting of the State Convention, remarked to a friend that as Mr. BUCHANAN had an overwhelming majority of the Delegates in who were known to be personally and politically devoted to his interests to be sent to the National lowsfrom Harrisburg: Convention; and, by way of impressing his remarks to be repeated upon them in 1852. The policy of the Democratic party of Pennsyl-

vania always has been to select Delegates to a Na tional Convention, through the medium of a State Convention, so that the vote of the State may be cast as a unit in that body. But if the practice was to obtain for each Congressional District to appoint, or, which amounts to the same thing, recommend its delegate, then for the life of us we could not perceive the necessity of assembling a State Convention for such purpose. Nor is it done, in any State where the delegates are elected by Congressional Districts. The folly of dragging delegates from every county in the State to Harrisburg, to appoint delegates which can just as well, nay, that, have already been appointed at home by their respective Districts, is so apparent as to re quire but a mere reference to the subject. Every sensible man will defect its absurdity at once.

We have no room to say more on the subject, at the present time. If deemed necessary, we may refer to it again.

Governor BIGLER has vetoed the bill supplementary to the act incorporating the Pittsburg and Erie Railroad. His objections were the giving of authority to municipal corporations to subscribe

The Governor is determined that corporation shall be kept within proper bounds, and in this the people will abundantly sustain him. We hope he will also give the Banks the go-by, should any of the bills now pending pass the Legislature.

The Canal is now open, and the first boat of the season left Harrisburg for the West, on Friday morning last, heavily laden with merchandize.

brisk business season is anticipated. The Democracy of Alexandria (Va.) have appointed delegates to the Virginia State Conven-

tion, and instructed them for Mr. BUCHANAN.

Congress seems to be doing little else than equabbling about the next Presidency. The quar-rel originated in the attack made by the Democratic upon Gen. BUTLER and all the other can didates, except Judge Douglass. The article in the Review is considered on all hands as exceeding- made a favorable impression upon those delegate ly ill-advised, impolitic and unfair, and as deserving of the severest censure. Such an imprudent course on the part of any of his friends, is certainly not calculated to advance the interests of Mr. Douglass

The "Democratic Union," at Harrisburg, and "Upland Union," at Chester, have raised the name of JAMES BUCHANAN to the head of their columns. since the decision of the State Convention!

#### The Right Spirit.

The Lewistown True Democrat, heretofore strong Cass paper, since the result of the State Convention has raised Mr. Buchanan's name to its mast-head, and accompanies the act with an able article in his favor, from which we extract the fol-

Iowing:

In another column we present our readers with the proceedings of the Democratic State Convention — at least all we have deemed of sufficient importance. As was very clearly indicated before the meeting of that body, a decided majority of its members were the friends of Mr. Buchana, and of consequence have formally presented him to the country as the choice of Pennsylvania for President of the United States. A decent respect for the of of the United States. A decent respect for the officially ascertained will of the majority of the people of the State, impels us to submit to the overruling of our individual preferences, and we accordingly place his name at the head of our paper. He s a gentleman of distinguished ability, and when ever he has occupied a position has left the impress of his mighty intellect. It was no factious spiri of opposition to the man that prompted our prefe ences for another, nor do we now yield that preser ence, while we seel it incumbent upon us to dese to the majority, whose will, clearly ascertained must always determine our action, as the conduc tors of a Democratic newspaper.

And from the same article, we extract the fol lowing article in reference to our candidate for Ca nal Commissioner:

The next point of interest in these proceedings the nomination of that noble old Democrat, Wil er. It is our good fortube to be acquainted with Mr. Searight, and we speak by the book when we endorse his nomination as one of the best that has been made since the election of Canal Commission been made since the election of Canal Commissioners has been submitted to the people. His qualifications for the post are undoubted, his integrity above suspicion, and his Democracy true, radical and firm. It is a source of especial gratification that the choice of the Convention fell upon a gentleman so admirably adapted in every particular f this responsible position.

#### The Wrong Spirit.

We are pained to see our friend Bratton, o the Carlisle Volunteer, take his deseat before the State Convention with such symptoms of bad humor, and especially because he is disposed to blame Mr. Buchanan for his want of success. We can ssure our contemporary that he places the blame altogether in the wrong quarter, the gentleman alluded to having had no more to do with the nomination of Canal Commissioner than the "man in nation of Canal Commissioner than the "man in non of victory in the country at large. Pennsylva the moon"—having never expressed any preference nia, too, has her unrequited claims. One of the elnterfered in the remotest degree with the action of he Convention. The cause or causes of Mr. B's defeat lie in an entirely different direction-one of

which, we are sorry to say, was his own imprudence. We allude to his uncalled for and unjustifiable attack, but a short time before the meeting of the Convention, on the Governor and Canal Commissioners, especially the latter, for the manner in which they had seen proper to make their appointments. From the moment we read that attack in the Volunteer, we set down Mr. Bratton's fate as ted people. sealed; for it could not be expected that the Canal Commissioners would like to have a colleague in the Board with such a captious, fault-finding disnosition, who, it was naturally to be supposed, would insist upon having things his own way, or else be ready to denounce the other two through the col-

ımns of his paper. But, Mr. Bratton says he has "battled for Mr. Buchanan for the last thirteen years." This may be last five years, he has had a queer way of showing his friendship. If we are not very much mistaken, An: he "battled" with hearty good will for Mr. Dallas in 1847 and 1848, and, if he is not very much belied, he also "battled" against Mr. Buchanan as early as 1845.

We regret the necessity of bringing forward these eminiscences of by-gone years, but the attacks and essertions contained in the last number of Mr. B's paper made it proper to refer to the record. We do so reluctantly, and with the kindliest teelings assembling of the body, that strong and emphatic towards Mr. B., for whom we have a high regard, and for whose welfare, politically and pecuniarily, also well known that none but his friends (irrespec- in Old Mother Cumberland, we are sincerely anxious. Such uncalled for attacks, as we have rethe National Convention. It is one of the funda- ferred to, will do him more harm with the sterling mental principles of the Democratic party that the Democracy of that county, than any thing else that he could possibly do.

> The assertion that there was a "midnight caucus" of the friends of Mr. Buchanan, for the purpose of settling upon Mr. Searight, is, we are authorized to its candidate for the Presidency, subject of course say by several of the delegates from this county, entirely destitute of foundation.

# Col. Samuel C. Stambaugh.

The following notices from three of the leading Democratic journals of the State, are a sufficient refutation of the slang in a certain quarter against Col. STAMBAUGH: and the handsome compliments paid him are truthful and well deserved. Col. S. has always been the devoted friend of Mr. Buch-ANAN, and his praise-worthy course at the State Convention, is additional evidence of his continued his favor, his friends in that body would act the and disinterested zeal in the cause of Democracy, as part of fools if they would permit any but those also his friendship for Mr. BUCHANAN. The Senior Editor of the Pittsburg Post, writes home as fol-

I have never known more devotion than upon his auditor, said that they (the opposition) had chested Buchaman and his friends in 1848, by the district system, and they (Mr. B's friends) would act the part of madmen if they permitted the fraud the place of Senatorial delegate, but at his request s friends in the committee withdrew his name after he was elected on the first ballot, so that each and every portion of the State might be fully represented at Baltimore. This is not the first time that Col. STAMBAUGH has declined high and honorable positions for the purpose of testifying his atchment to the choice of Pennsylvania

> From the Pennsylv. COL. SAMUEL C. STAMBAUGH.-We learn that the course pursued at Harrisburg by this gentle-man, during the sitting of the Democratic Convention, was one that commanded the admiration and espect of all the Delegates who had the pleasure of making his acquaintance. An incident is re lated to us, showing such true-hearted devotion to the cause of his friend, who was the nominee of that Convention for the Presidency, that we gladly publish it, and trust that our friend Col. STAMBAUGH will nardon us for this free use of his name. It is stated that the Committee, composed of one Delegate from each Congressional District, upon

> whom the power was conferred by the Convention PERSONNESS. to represent the State at large. Amongst the gentlemen thus elected, as a Senatorial Delegate, was our friend Col. STAMBAUGH, the distinguished delegate from Lancaster county. When the result delegate from Lancaster county. of this election was made known, it was discovered that a particular section of the State would be un-represented in the National Conveention, and that another section would have no less than four Sena-torial Delegates, one of whom was Col. STAMBAUGH. This fact becoming know to this warm-hearted and true friend of Mr. Buchanan, he promptly and with characteristic magnanimity, resigned his posi-tion, for the purpose of reconciling every portion of the State,—thus maintaining his well known character for generosity and disinterestedness.— Another gentleman was thereupon substituted by nittee which gave entire satisfaction to the whole Convention, and to no individual mem

ber of it more than to the gallant Colonel hi We take occasion here to say, that we have long known Col. STAMBATCH, and that no one more de servedly enjoys the confidence of the Democracy of this, his native State, and of her distinguished canate for the Presidency, than himself. Long may

#### he live to do battle in the glorious cause Col. S. C. Stambaugh

We were delighted to see this veteran friend of Pennsylvania's Favorite Son in attendance, as a delegate, at our late Democratic Convention. His experience and ability were of great service to the cause of Mr. Buchanan; whilst his affable manner who had not previously the pleasure of his acquai

tance.

Col. S. after having been elected in committee a one of the Delegates, at large, to Baltimore, in o der to reconcile conflicting views magnanimously declined the opportunity for which he was so anx ious of rendering a further tribute to his friendshir for Mr. Buchanan, thus adding another instance the many he has already given of the generous sell denial for which he is distinguished .- Dem. Union

#### Virginia Moving.

At a meeting of the Democracy of Accomac co held on the 22d ult, for the purpose of appointing delegates to the State Convention, the following

resolution was unanimously adopted: Resolved, That this meeting, entertaining high sense of the distinguished ability and unswer ving integrity of James Buchanan, of Pennsylvania as a man, a statesman and a patriot, and having undiminished confidence in his fidelity and devotion to the Constitution, the Union, and the rights of the States, expresses its preference for him as the next Democratic candidate for the Presidency of the U States. He has sagely, in a long career, maintained in the public councils the true principles of the Democratic party. He has no prestige of the warrior, but the far more estimable qualifications of the civilian and statesman. He has served long in the Senate; and graced its annals abroad, and done whence in Wiser County" in the Chipter and us honor in "Kings' Courts," in the Cabinet, and argued so as to acquire empires without the sword—at times to preserve peace, and at times so to nerve the sinews of war, as to make the right ap pear the better cause, in both battle and treaty— was at the head of the glorious and successful administration of the lamented President Polk, whic without a guilty stain of blood or bargain, brought in the glory of arms and the gold of righteous con-quest in countless millions. The men of Mr. Polky cabinet were passed by in selecting a candidate in 1848, and the Democracy were met by defeat.— Pennsylvania was passed by, and victory went to the Federal party. We now call for Buchanan, the the Federal party. We now call for Buchanan, the chief of the Polk Cabinet, and Pennsylvania's favorite son. He is in the vigor of age, and of a large experience; given to no fanatical passion, biasses by no sectional prejudices; a calm, dispassionate discreet, able and strong man; a ripe scholar, a pro found politician and jurist: a friend of the Uni of the Constitution, and of State Rights; a man o progress, in the true and conservative sense; a Democrat of the School of the Fathers; a moral man by both precept and example, without distinction between public and private life; and above all, a devoted follower of the faith of Washington, in the policy of Justice and Peace. Some say he once was a Federalist; if so, he is so much the better Republican now, that he saw forty years ago the error of his ways, and has not in that time, seen cause to recant his conversion. How shall Democracy be magnified, if tried converts to its faith are not to be admitted to its folds, nor to be approved in its choice? Others say, he has enem home; so has every great and good man, who is positive enough in his character to perform his duty according to his own independence of mind and action. If he has some enemies, he has more friends in Pennsylvania than any other man, and will be more likely to carry a majority of her voi-ces in the coming contest; and a majority in Penn sylvania, may, and probably will be the sine qua among the several candidates spoken of, much less | der and better sisters of the Union, she has always given Democracy a triumph, when she has given Democracy her vote, and she has never failed to give it her vote, when her sisters have selected her syorite from another state. She has never no never selected for nomination one of her sons. Her time has now come-she presents a son of hers, the times which we are told, are coming to try our faith in the fathers, to test our policy of Peace, our love of Union, of the Constitution and of State Rights, our respect for the Christian Code of Morality, and our perpetuity as a free, fraternal and uni-

Letter from Senator King of Ala. The following letter from Hon. Wm. R. King, to the chairman of the East Smithfield committee, is another evidence of the state of good feeling existing in the South towards Pennsylvania. Indeed from all the indications in the South and East, we have the best reason to believe that it is only necessary for Pennsylvania to stand united and firm so, but we think, upon several occasions during the to place her in that position in the Baltimore Convention, to secure the nomination for Mr. Buchan

> SENATE CHAMBER, Feb. 4, 1852. DEAR' SIR :- I am truly gratified to learn that the good old Democracy of the "Keystone State" are rallying in support of those principles, the maintenance of which are essential to the harmony of the States, and to the preservation of the Union To that great State, we of the South have always looked for the maintenance of our constitutiona rights; and, as a Southern man and a Democrat, am proud to say we have never looked in vain.
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> She has been faithful among the faithless, and I sincerely hope we may be able, in the next Presidential election, to prove to her the estimation in which she is held, by selecting for that high office one of her most distinguished citizens.

With the highest respect,
I am your obedient servant,
WILLIAM R. KING.

SETH SALIBBURY, Esq., Chairman, &c

II The Graham (N. C.) Democrat has run up the name of James Buchanan of Pennsylvania, as to the decision of the Baltimore Convention .- De mocratic Pioneer.

We flatter ourself that we are too good a Demo crat to refuse to support the nominee of the Balti-more Convention. We have the fullest confidence in the National Democratic Party, and in the in tegrity and patriotism of its representatives. And whoever of the distinguished Democrats, whose the distinguish names have been mentioned in connection with the next Presidency, may be selected by the National Democratic Convention, he will receive our cordial support. We prefer Buchanan, and shall continue support. press his claims until the nomination is made We hope he may receive it—he is our first choic -and we believe the choice of the Southern De mocracy, but if that distinguished honor is assigned to Cass, Douglass, Dickinson, Marcy, Butler or any other good and true Democrat, we shall suppor him with no less zeal than if it was our favorite Buchanan whose claims we were pressing.—Gra hani N. C. Democrat.

# Belgium.

Alliance with Russia—Preparation for the Defence Belgium.

The following is an extract of a letter, dated Brussels, February 19, 1852 :—

A convention has been concluded between ou overnment (the Belgium) and Russia, whereby the atter engages to furnish 100,000 men for the defence of our territory, in case it should be invaded, or seriously menaced by France. Should the Baltic be open these troops (iucluding the Imperial will begin his troubles, if his presence in the field Guards) are to be transported by a Russian fleet to shall have an adhesive effect upon his opponents, as

Antwerp.

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Democrats, as Mr. Clay always used to do. Ligne to Berlin is to arrange the modus operandi. Our own army numbers 90,000, of whom 70,000 would take the field, and the remainder occupy our ortresses.

Holland, interested in the protection of Luxem ourg, agrees to furnish a contingent of 30,000. Hopes are entertained that England, as one of the powers guaranteeing the independence of Belgium, will co-operate with a fleet in the Scheldt and a garrison for the citadel of Antwerp.

of nominating Electors and Delegates to the National Convention, elected, on their first ballot, six guage of a protest got up in the State Convention, and the ominous consequences threatened by its few abettors, the uninitiated might have trembled for the future fate of the democracy of the State and of the Union. But, like secessionists and nullifiers generally, after venting their violence in a paper protest, they became "calm as a summer" morning," consented to remain in the Convention, and assisted in closing its labors. This showed a lucid interval in their conduct as delegates, and we hope it will continue until the Presidential election is over.—Upland Union.

The Sunbury Gazette, the organ of the Democracy in Northumberland county, since the decision of the State Convention, has taken down the name of Gen. Cass from its mast-head, and run up the flag of JAMES BUCHANAN. This shows a proper spirit-a willingness to submit to the will of the majority-and is an example which we be lieve will be very generally imitated throughout

The Waynesburg (Greene co.) Messenger comes to hand this week with the name of JAMES BUCHANAN at its mast-head. The former editor. W. T. H. Pauley has retired, and the Messenger is now conducted by Messrs. Stockdale & Jennings .-Their first number gives evidence of decided ability.

and we wish them abundant success. The Clearfield Republican has also raised the name of Mr. Buchaman to its mast-head, since the decision of the State Conventiou.

The Reading Gazette, the able organ of the Democracy of Old Berks, has also raised the name of JAMES BUCHANAN to its most-head, and has a strong article in favor of his nomination.

A heavy thunder gust-the first of the seasonpassed over this region on Sunday afternoon.

### City and County Items.

LANE'S NEW STORE.-This magnificent build ing, in East King street, is rapidly approaching its completion, and is expected to be finished in all by the 1st proximo. When done, it will, most unquestionably, be one of the finest establishments of the kind in the State-not excelled, if equalled, in its nterior arrangements, by any store-room in Philadelphia. The building presents a front four stories high, twenty-six feet in width, and running back one hundred and twenty leet. The first story front is of iron, after the newest style of the large cities, and the other stories are of the fine sandstone from the quarries of Mr. Konigmacher, at Ephrata. The side walls and rear are of brick. The store room proper is twenty-five feet in breadth and one hun-dred feet deep. Nearly two-thirds of the second story is constructed in the form of a Gallery, extend-ing along both sides and the rear of the room, and arranged in such a way as to be seen from the front part of the room. This gallery, we believe, is specially intended for Wall Paper, Mirrors, China and Queensware, and has two stair ways leading up and Queensware, and has two stair ways teading to it. The second story of the main building is intended specially for a Carpet Room. The back building, which includes the gallery and the part of the principal storeroom immediately beneath, is lighted with windows or sky lights in the roof. the south end of the first floor there are two neat

little Counting Rooms, with Safes, &c.

The third and fourth stories are also shelved off, and intended for goods of various kinds—so also the ellar or basement The rooms will be heated by a large furnace placed in the basement, and every thing about the entire building is to be in the most ample order. When lighted at night with gas burners, it will doubtless present a magnificent appearance. The entire cost of the structure we lieve will be about \$14,000, and its architectural finish will be alike creditable to the owner and builders, besides being an ornament to the City.

The Whig Convention met in the Court House, in this city, on Wednesday last, for the purpose of appointing delegates to the State Conven-There was quite a contest between the Silver Grays and Woolley Heads, and the result is that both factions are victorious and both defeated— at least we judge so, from the fact that neither is willing to acknowledge having come off "second best." Perhaps it may be considered a drawn bat-tle, both sides being willing to rest on their arms, and try their hands again at some future period .-The Convention, however, gave Mr. FILLMORE the go-bye, and instructed the delegates for Gen. Scott. Of course old "Fuss and Feathers" will get the vote of Pennsylvania in the Whig National Convention, and we incline very strongly to the opinion that he will be the nominee of the party. So much for the influence of Seward, Stevens, &Co., whose

Two more Volunteer companies are being formed in this City, in addition to the Lancaster Light Infantry—one called the "Buchanan Rifle," Capt. Somers, and the 'Fencibles," Capt. Duchman.

The military spirit seems to be going ahead just now—and we are glad of it. Lancaster can well

THE NEW COURT HOUSE .- We understand that the County Commissioners have given up the "Breneman Lot," and now have it in contemplation to erect the Court House at the N. W. Corner of East King and Duke streets, one square east of its present location. The site is a beautiful one, and will be sufficiently central for, all useful purposes The only obstacle in the way was the amount asked for the property; but we learn that nearly one-half of the sum has been raised by private subscription

At a meeting of the Friendship Hose Com pany, the following Preamble and Resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, an all-wise Providence, having remove from our midst our beloved and respected brother WILLIAM WINEOWER, we are called to mourn the loss of one of the best and most active members of our Company. The interest he manifested in the our Company. The interest he manifested in the welfare of the Company, and his usefulness as member in cases of necessity, have endeared him to us and entitled him to our future remembrance and

regard.

Resolved, That in future we hold in grateful remembrance our esteemed brother William Wineower for the services rendered to the Company, and the social intercourse we enjoyed while mingling with us on earth. Resolved, That the Hall and Carriage be hung in

mourning for the space of thirty days as a tribute of respect for our deceased brother.

Resolved, That we sympathise with the bereaved mother and friends in the loss of a worthy son and brother, and an active and useful member.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family and published in all the city papers.

CHARLES R. FRAILEY, LEWIS HALDY. DANIEL TREVETZ,

MAIL ROUTES .- The decisions of the Postmaster General, on the proposals for mail service in the Middle States were announced on the 24th ult -The annexed relate to this county: Litiz to Sheafferstown, A. P. Hibshman, \$78. Lancaster to Jennerville, S. B. Miles, \$179. Christiana to Buck, S. Boyd, \$178.

Manheim to Mount Joy, H. Gibble, \$48. Reamstown to Churchtown, A. Rams, \$70. Oxford to Chesnut Level, S. Garner, \$160. Pequea to New Holland, W. M. Smith; \$47

Phonixville to Lancaster, J. Peters and J. Crawford Lancaster to Reading, W. Colder, Jr. \$270 Lancaster to Lebanon, Ottinger & Peters, \$329. Lancaster to Port Deposit, W. C. Buckman, \$229 99

# From Washington.

Correspondence of the Baltimore Argus. WASHINGTON, March 10, 1852. Mr. Speaker Boyd's friends are for his nomination for vice President, on Mr. Buchanan's ticket. They claim for him as much political consideration as was enjoyed by old Tecumseh, but the friends of Gen. Butler demur to any such arrangement. Or the other hand, Alabama claims the Vice Preside cy for Mr. King, the President of the Senate, in the event of Mr. Buchanan's nomination.

The failure of the Webster movement, in New

York, is only another proof of the ascendancy of The truth is, if the Scott men had not taken hold of it out of pure pity, the failure would have been even more palpable than it is. A little more struggling, and a little more fussing, and Scott will have it all his own way, in his own party. Then will begin his troubles, if his presence in the field it is hoped it will. It is esirable that h

Nothing of interest either in the House or Senate to day, except Dr. Fitch's speech, and the latter only so, as exhibiting a determination on the part of the Democrats not to suffer the tariff of 1846 to be Indeed, the signs of the times, are rather for reducing it, than increasing it. You will have noticed the hint thrown out by Mr. Clingman, of N. C., and one of the S. Carolina members, that they were for making Railroad Iron free! Certainly, in view of the heavy revenue now gathered, it may not be improper, at least, for the next Congress to think of still further lessening the indirect taxes.— Mr. Buchanan is for a lower expenditure than tha

White, in your city, all caused by strong drink, are sufficient to rouse any community to a sense of the danger, that the use of alcohol is continually liable to produce these events, must necessarily give a great impulse to the advocacy of restrictive measires, but their efficacy is to be doubted, so long as there is a demand for a thing, so long will there be a supply. Cut off the demand and the supply will cease. How is this to be done? I know no plan but the strictly religious education of the rising generation. This duty is on the shoulders of mothers and fathers. They must perform it, if they would have sober children; with sobriety thus deepy implanted in our natures, the use of spirituous iquors as a beverage will disappear. Restrictive neasures will only be a palliative. W. G. S.

The horrible murder, suicide and arson, of Jas.

# Foreign Items.

ENGLAND.-The Russell Ministry have re signed, and a new one is appointed with Earl Derbey as Premier, and Lord Stanley as Secretary of Foreign Affairs. Grain and Breadstuffs were looking up

FRANCE.—There is nothing specially new from France. Some dissatisfaction and uneasiness still existed throughout the country, but no outbreak is inticipated.

instructed to demand the destruction of the moniments raised in honor, and commemorative of the SPAIN.—Every thing quiet. The Queen had recovered from the effect of the assassin's dagger. North Carolina—judging from the tone of

for Mr. Buchanan.

BELGIUM.-This government still entertains unfriendly feelings towards France. It is stated that the French Ambassador at Brussels has been New Books.

MUSINOS OF AN INVALID.—We received through the mail, a few days since, from the Publisher, Mr. John S. Taylor, No. 143 Nassau st. N. Y., a neat and sprightly little book with the above title. It is handsomely bound, and will be furnished for \$1.00 through the mail, free of postage, to any part of the United States.

Although the writer professes to be an "Invalid," Although the writer professes to be an "Invalid," and we suppose he is—nevertheless the buoyancy and wit that characterize his writings demonstrate that he has no need of a physician to "minister to a mind diseased." Every sentence is bold, startling and vigorous, and bears the impress of a healthy and refined intellect. No one can peruse the book without being benefited and delighted.

THE ILLUSTRATED TESTAMENT .- We have been THE ILLUSTRATED INSTAMENT.—We have been furnished by our townsman, Mr. William Murray, with the first five numbers of this most interesting work. It is issued in monthly numbers, commencing with September, 1851, and ending with August, 1852. Price \$1,00 for the work complete, or 10 1852. Price \$1,00 for the work complete, or 10 cents per number.

The work is beautifully printed and embellished, and admirably adapted to its object, which is to please and instruct the young, and give them a taste for scripture reading. The notes are descriptive of the text, as it relates to the manners, customs and geography of the New Testament. The volume will be a beautiful present for youth. It is edited by Rev. D. Mead, N. Y., and can be obtained at

TUBRAY's Bookstore, in this City. PENNSYLVANIA FARM JOURNAL .- The Marc PERRSYLVANIA FARM JOURNAL.—The March number of this excellent periodical closes its first volume, and presents such evidence of editorial ability and improved typographical appearance, as to ensure an increased patronage to the second volume which will commence with the April number The Farm Journal may be said to be now perma nently established, and it will doubtless go on in creasing in usefulness and efficiency as an agricul-tural paper, until it will rank with any similar pub-lication in the Union.

DEMOCRATIC REVIEW .- The February number o this able and interesting periodical, after travelling all the way to Lancaster, Ohio, and back this far, is at length on our table—filled, as usual, with much instructive matter, and embellished with a portrait of Mr. J. Mrchell, the Irish patriot. The Review, order its research management is ably edited but inder its present management, is ably edited—but ve cannot help thinking that the Editor would beter subserve the interests of the work he has in charge, as also the welfare of the great Democratic party of the Union, if he would pursue a somewhat different course with regard to the next Presidency. This thing of attempting to kill off, in detail, all the candidates spoken of for the nomination, in order to make room for some particular favorite, is a danito make room for some particular favorite, is a dangerous: game to play, especially for a publication professedly the organ of the whole party of the Nation. In the end it may turn out to be an unprofitable business to the publisher, and, under no circumstances can it benefit the Democratic party.—There is not a man spoken of in connexion with the Presidency, on the 'Democratic side, but who if he were nominated, is worthy the support of the whole party—whether he be BUCHANAN, CASS, DOUGLASS, BUTLER, HOUSTON, MARCY, LANE, ALLEN, STOCK-BUTLER, HOUSTON, MARCY, LANE, ALLEN, STOCK-BUTLER, HOUSTON, MARCY, LANE, ALLEN, STOCK-TON, WOOL, or DICKINSON—and it is exceedingly unfair that the National party organ should attempt to overslaugh any one, or all of these distinguished men, some of whom were doing good service in the party, it may be, before the Editor was discharged from the nursery, for the purpose of elevating either some favorite whose name has never yet been men-tioned in connection with the offers or whose auth ioned in connexion with the office, or whose pub ic services are far below those who happen to cros

EDINBURG REVIEW .- The January number of this Quarterly has just been re-issued by Leonard Scott & Co., N. Y. The contents are of such an Scott & Co., N. Y. The contents are of such an able and interesting character, as to fully sustain the high character of the work.

The subscription price of the Review is only \$3 per annum. It can be obtained at Spangler's Bookstore, in this City, at 25 cents per number.

#### News Items.

The New Hampshire election has resulted in favor of the Democrats. They have carried the Governor, (Martin,) and a handsome majority in both branches of the Legislature. This will secure a emocratic U. S. Senator in place of Mr. Hale.

The Louisiana Democratic State Convention, which met at Baton Rouge on the 9th inst., ap-pointed delegates to the National Convention, and istructed them for Gen. Cass as their first choice. Mr. BCCHANAN'S name was withdrawn and his friends united with the friends of Gen. Cass. The vote stood 101 for Cass to 72 for Douglass. We presume Mr. Buchanan is the second choice of the

The Connecticut Democratic State Conven tion, which met at New Haven on the 3d inst., re-nominated Governor Sermour, and appointed dele-gates to the National Convention, without instruc-

Governor BIGLER has appointed the Hon. GEO in the case of the colored girl who was abducted from her home in Cheeter county some time since and who is now in custody in Baltimore on the charge of being a slave.

Mr. Muhlenberg's bill for abolishing the Canal Board and the appointment of a Secretary, Engineer, &c., finally passed the Senate on Thursday, by vote of 19 to 13-the Whigs generally voting or it and the Democrats against it.

The Congressional Apportionment Bill passed vote of 82 to 10.

Petitions with about 30,000 names in favor o the enactment of the Maine Liquor Law, were presented last week in the Senate.

The Germantown Telegraph is out against the attempt to make the State Fairs a fixture at Harrisburg. Among the reasons urged against holding these Exhibitions at Harrisburg is, that impositions were practised upon the Society by the people of that Borough to a very considerable extent, and that the hotel keepers imposed most shamefully

on the visiters, at the last Fair.
We go in for holding the next one at Lancaster, and we promise that visiters will have no reason to complain of their treatment here.

The great suit of Mrs. Gaines, about which the country has heard so much, has at length been de-cided against her. This suit was commenced about nineteen years, ago by Mrs. Gaines, who was then Mrs. Whitney, and who claimed to be the daugh-ter and heir of Daniel Clark, who died leaving a large property. Whilst the suit was progressing, she married General Gaines, who devoted his fortune to the promotion of the suit. We see it stated that he expended in it the proceeds of two estates which he owned—one at Louisville and the other in Tennessee—which he sold for about \$100,000 He also expended his pay and emoluments, amount ng to about six thousand dollars a year. Beside, hese expenditures, some of Mrs. Gaines' friends, confident, it is said, of the success of her cause, advanced large sums to aid her.

For the Intelligencer. Mr. Editor :- You were kind enough to publish my communication last week, as an act of justice to some of your patrons. Upon the same grounds will you publish another? I am rat desirous to entangle you into a controversy upon the subject but merely to allow the use of your columns for temperate discussion. This time I address myself

FARMERS OF PENNSYLVANIA: The utmost efforts

are now being made by a certain class of our com-munity in favor of the "Maine Liquor Law," and to advance their own power—determined that it shall pass at all hazards, no matter how much it may conflict with the principles or interests of the people at large. Many of our large cities and towns where the Church is in power, have united their forces, and are now pouring down their "holy thunders" at the very doors of our Capitol. Their emmisaries are almost nightly holding forth in the Court House, at Harrisburg, to meetings, calling directly to our Representatives, and addressing them-selves to them pointedly, and in language not to be mistaken by the timid, or those who grasp at political advancement. They wheedle and threaten by arns, and in order to "manufacture public opinio the Rev. orator, desires upon concluding to take the voice of the meeting. And as the persons presen are almost all members of the particular religious denomination now at the lead; of course the vote of the house is unanimously in favor of the "Law The affair has assumed such an aspect, that opposer of the act remain quiet for fear of the abuse of the christian politicians—they being denounced as advo-cates of vice, immorality and intemperance, or else as rumsellers or drunkards. The public press is hushed upon the same grounds, as few have sufficient interest at stake, or the "MORAL COURAGE" to stand up for their rights and principles, at the expense of having their private character blasted by the "bans of the Church!!" Our members are assailed upon every side, and watch the efforts in silence. The friends of the people, hardly dare express their opinion above a whisper from very intimidation! The Legislature is flooded daily by petitions from all sections, many filled with Sunda school scholars, copies of Assessors lists and tom stones. The power aimed at is so great, that n means will be stopped at to accomp Is it not a gross outrage, and piece of presump

tion, for these meetings to control our Legislature May we not as well allow the Clergy to be admit ted into our halls of Legislation at ocne. If we allow

the Church to gain an ascendency over the State, wha power can prevent their Union. Or, shall the people

insist that our Representatives stand free and un trammeled to carry out the interests and wishes of

their constituents according to their own opinions

If they are not certain what the majority would

show that feeling, and next winter pass the law Who will suffer by this unrighteous act, but the yeomen the tillers of the soil. It is well known that New York in connection with Pennsylvania supply almost the whole Atlantic sea board with Domestic Spirits, or Alcohol. This trade is of the greatest possible interest to the agriculture of our State, and in fact is only second to the iron manufacture or Close our numerous distilleries, and I ask what will become of our surplus grain? The "cold water men" say we must raise more stock, and fatten cattle, &c., for market. This argument will answer for "white cravats" and "kid gloves," every farmer knows the fallacy. Even now the few cattle wanted can hardly be bought, and the quantity could not be supplied even at exorbitant rates or, can we raise our own stock. To do that to dvantage, we must have vast ranges of cheap land

and grain, worth little or nothing.

The land of Pennsylvania generally is so valuable, and taxed so high, that it requires the best of farming, good crops, and fair prices to realize 4 per cent. upon our investment. Therefore take away this great consumption for our grain, and we must suffer far morematerially than those not directly nnected with us can form any idea.

Now, shall the great mass engaged in agriculture, submit to losing their rights and privileges, sacrifice their dearest interests, and be placed under strenuous restrictions? Shall Law control our tastes and desires, merely to give the Church power over the State; or, because a few of our citizens are given to evil habits? We hope not. "X. X."

## The Maine Liquor Law.

In pursuance of the following call-"The citizens of Conoy township, Lancaster county, will meet at the public school house in Bainbridge, on Saturday evening, March 6th, at 7 o'clock, to express their riews, for and against the passage of the Liquor Law," now before our Legislature ;- a nu merous gathering of citizens had the "satisfaction," to find the school house locked and the officers refuse to give up the keys. Why so, we could not horoughly understand; but supposed they were for mmunity. The only alternative was to adjour to the public house of John Filbert, when Mr. Peter S. Gamble was chosen President, Col. Henry Halleman, Adam Miller, Dr. S. Filbert and James McClure, Vice Prests., and George Hackenberger

Secretary.

After the meesting was called to order, Mr. Cyrus S. Haldeman read the "Maine Liquor Law" and explained its action, at some length, both for and against, but dwelt particularly on its infringement upon the individual rights and privileges of innocent

Mr. Jacob B. Hamilton followed, and expressed his hostility to the act in terms and language not o be misunderstood. After many persons present gave their opinions Cyrus S. Haldeman introduced the following reso

utions which were read separately, and each one ssed unanimously:— Resolved, That we believe the bill known as the 'Maine Liquor Law," now before our Legislature, to be very unjust, fanatical, and despotic in its reuirements and restrictions, upon the rights of citi

is path. We presume, however, the Review will ursue its own course, "regardless of denunciation rom any quarter;" but these are our sentiments, zeus belonging to a Republican Government.

Resolved, That we are opposed to branding and stigmatising the "Keystone State" as a community "immoral rumsellers and drunkards." Resolved. That as a mass, we are a temperat and well conducted people, and feel a conscious pride by being so in pursuance of our own principles and lesires. And we demand as a right, not to be humiliated in the eyes of the world, and pointed at as

the citizens of a State that requires the "strong arm of law" to keep every man moral and sober. Resolved, That we have a high and exalted opinon of the citizens of Pennsylvania, and believe then far too much above the reach of petty and fanatical schemes, to allow their rights and privileges, in the enjoyment of taste or desires, in their own private circles, to be invaded upon, restricted and dictated to by laws as unjust as they are arbitrary.

\*\*Resolved\*\*, That we believe it to be a fundamental. inciple of our Constitution, that 'every citizen shall enjoy his own rights and privileges. as they do not interfere with the rights and privi leges of others." Therefore, we will not submittant good and temperate citizens shall be interfered

with in their rights and privileges, to suit a few who may require restriction.

Resolved, That if many of our citizens have given away to evil habits and intemperance, they alone should be punished or restricted, and not include their innocent neighbors in the same ban. Resolved, That we are strongly opposed to vice, immorality and intemperance, and believe were

ready to become martyrs in advancing their cause, no matter how ridiculous, we are in a measure prepared to look upon the present "humbug" of the day without much surprise.

Resolved, That as the "spiritual knockings" of

Rochester have run their course, we may now allow the "spiritual knockings" of Maine, to follow n turn; and as "every dog has his day."

Resolved, That we believe this act to be the con

coction of designing and corrupt politicians, as a watch-word" to gain the balance of power;"—and we think it not improper, to quote for their benefi-the eleventh commandment—"Let every man min

The meeting then ordered the proceedings to b published—and after signing a remonstrance to the Legislature, adjourned amidst enthusiastic shouts.

CATTLE AND FLOUR MARKETS.
PHILADELPHIA.—The offerings of live stock for he week were about 1400. beeves, 500 hogs and 150 cows. Market brisk.

Prices.—Beeves are selling from \$7 to \$8,50 per 100 lbs., according to quality—Hogs \$7 a \$7,50-

The Markets.

and Come from \$15 to \$38 and Cows from \$10 to \$33.

Baltimons.—A full supply of beeves at prices ranging from \$7,50 to \$8,75 per 100 lbs—hogs scarce and selling at \$7 a \$7,50.

Froun, in both cities, is selling at \$4,25 for extend the domad and selling at \$4,25 for extend the domad and selling at \$4,00 for extends and selling at \$4,00 for ex

port, and the demand good. Rye Flour \$3,50, and Corn Meal \$3,12\frac{1}{2}.
GRAIN.—Wheat, red, is selling at 90 to 93 cents. and white at 94 to \$1,04. Rye 72 a 75 cents.— Corn, white 55 a 56 and yellow 56 a 58 cents.— Oats are worth from 35 to  $37\frac{1}{2}$  cents. Cloverseed is dull, and selling at \$5,50.

# MARRIAGES.

On the 7th inst., by the Rev. J. J. Strine, Mr. Jonas Miller, to Miss Hannah Herr, both of Con-On the 7th inst., by the Rev. Daniel Hertz, Mr. Jacob S. Smith, of Mechanicsburg, to Niss Levina Sedley, of New Holland.

# DEATHS

In Earl township, on the 2d inst., Mr. Jacob Frantz, son of Mr. Joseph Frantz, in the 50th year chland co., Ohio, on the 4th ult., Mr. Isaac Grosh, formerly of Lancaster co., in the 44th year of his age.
On the 25th of January, in Penn twp., Mr. John

Gabel, in the 96th year of his age.
On the 4th inst., in Strasburg twp., Mr. Henry Rohrer, in the 52d year of his age.
In West Lampeter twp., on the 3rd inst, Mrs., Elizabeth Mylin, consort of the late Abraham Mylin, aged 72 years, 6 months and 10 days.
In Columbia, on the 8th inst, Elizabeth, wile of Patrick Marin, interest and 10 the years, of the second bases.

Patrick Morris, in the 31st year of her age.
On Friday morning last, in this City, Anna Ma-On Friday morning last, in this RIA, wife of Mr. James Geidner. In February last, in Quarryville, of Inflammation of the Brain, Rudolph Stouffer, in the 23d year of

when death aims his unerring dart with certainty, life cannot hold out. The subject of the above no-tice had just entered upon the fickle stage of life, tice had just entered upon the fickle stage of life, with all the bright dreams and joyous anticipations of a happy future, incident to the enthusiastic young heart whose sunshine has not yet been shaded with the stern realities of life! Aymonth ago he was among us in the very vigour of life; but in a short time, with but a few days notice, his soul has been called home to its God—and his form hurried beneath the cold clods of the grave! He has left a large circle of friends to mourn his departure, who had ever esteemed him for his honest and social virtues. A young wife and child have lost a fond husband and father, and society a very promising member. How true the admonition, "In such an hour as you think not the Son of Man cometh!"—and, in the language of the Poetess,

and, in the language of the Poetess, "Leaves have their time to fall, And flowers to wither at the north winds breath, And Stars to set—but all, Thou hast all seasons for thing own, oh, Death!"

ID The Right Rev. Bishop Portra is expected o officiate in Christ Church, Leacock, and All saints' Church, Paradise, on Monday next, the 22d nstant. The services will commence at Christ nurch, at half-past 2 o'clock, P. M., and at All aints, in the evening, at half-past 6 o'clock.

TA stated meeting of the "Lancaster Light will be held this evening, (Tuesday,) ounctual attendance is requested, as business of im-portance will be laid before the meeting. THOMAS J. KEENAN, Sec.

# Last Service, in the 1st German

Reformed Church. N next Sabbath the last service will be held in the Old German Reformed Church previous to its being taken down. The Congregation intends to hold Solemaities auited to the time. The Sermons on Sabbath, (in the English language,) will have reference to the occasion.

On Saturday evening a Discourse will be delivered by the Pastor on the Civil, Moral, and Religious condition of the German Barbarian Tribes about the time of Christ, together with an account of their

time of Christ, together with an account of their conversion to Christianity. The public are invited to attend. There will also be services in the church on Thursday and Friday evenings.

#### The Old Flag Unfurled! SPRING HAS COME.

THE Golden Eagle Dry Goods Store, corner of East King and Centre Square, in order to meet the wants of the People, has been stocked with an assortment of English, French, German and American Dry Goods, isuitable for the spring trade, embracing all the latest styles, to which we invite the attention of our customers and the citi zens generally in search of SPRING GOODS

SPRING GOODS.

These goods have all been selected with great care and attention, and will be sold on as favorable terms as at any similar establishment in the city. We name in part DRESS GOODS—embracing a choice variety, Gro De Rhines, rich lustre, all widths and qualities, Satin De Chenes.

Brilliant fancy style spring Silks, rich plain Roux D'Lois, embroidered Broquetelles and Labourdines—a beautiful article, to which we invite particular attention; Barege D'Laines, rich chintz colors neat styles.

eat styles.
SUPER WOOL FRENCH DE LAINES. Printed Bareges, new designs, French Lawns and Organdies, all qualities; super fancy lawns, English and Scotch Ginghams, silk warp and real Alpacas, French Chintz and Turkey Red Prints, Spring Prints, a beautiful assortment, including Conestoga, Merrimack, &c., &c.

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Super French black and colored cloths of all grades, by the most celebrated makers. Super black cloths, English, German and American; super 6-4 Cashmaretts, black and all shades, black cassimerss and doe skins of Sedan and other best nakers akers. Bleached and brown linen Ducks, fancy drillings,

India, nankeens, tweeds, Kentucky jeans, farmers drills, &c. VESTINOS—super black and fancy silk and satin Vestings.

LINEN GOODS, all qualities, 4-4 Irish Linens, Richardsons, Greys, &c.; ? and 4-4 French grey linens, 4-4 white and brown Hollands, table cloths and napkins, bleached and brown damask and diapers, 8-4, 10-4, 12-4, birds eye, Russia and Scotch diapers, huckaback and crash. Liene cambrichandkerchiefs, all qualities for Ladies and Gents. Super quality plain and embroidered handkerchiefs for Ladies.

and embroidered handkerchiels for Ladies.

WHITE GOODS

of all descriptions—insertings, edgings, linen and cotton laces, &c., &c.

DOMESTICS—1, 7-8, 4-4 brown and blached muslins; 5-4, 6-4, 7-4, 10,4, 12-4 bleached sheetings; 1, 4-4 cotton Osnaburgs. Bleached, brown, blue and corset drills, plain chambrays, bed tickings, shirting stripes, apron checks, &c.

Pantaloon Stuffs.

Blue Denims, American Nankeens, Plaids and Checks, Kennebec Tweeds, Crown Cassimeres, &c.

Furnishing Goods.

Carpets, Ingrain, Ventitian, &c., a beautiful article of linen carpet, for 25 cents per yard.

Oil Shades, beautiful designs for windows, &c.

Floor and Table Oil Cloths.

The above goods have been purchased so as to enable us to offer them at prices that cannot fail to please. WHITE GOODS

o please.

To render our establishment well worth a visit at all times, we shall continue to receive as the eason advances, new involces of seasonable goods for Ladies-and Gentlemen's wear, so as to be able to offer the choice of the New York and Philadelphia markets. THOS J. WENTZ & Co., Golden Eagle, cor. of E. King and Centre Square.

#### REMOVAL. New Store and New Goods,

SIGN OF THE STRIPED PANTS.

EO. SPURRIER, Merchant Tailor, informs

This friends and the public generally, that he has fitted up the large room two doors south of Michael's Hotel, and nearly opposite his old stand, in North Queen street, where, having added to his former stock, he has now on hand, a large assortment of READY MADE CLOTHING, consisting

ment of READY MADE CLOTHING, consisting of Coats, Pants, Vests, &c., &c., of all styles suited to all tastes, and at all prices.

Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, always on hand and made up at the shortest notice, in a handsome and durable style and at prices which between the contract of the contract he trusts will prove satisfactory to those who may favor him with their patronage.

CRAVATS, SUSPENDERS, SHIRTS, SHAMS,

Resolved, That we are strongly opposed to vice, immorality and intemperance, and believe were our present strenuous laws fully carried out, much misery would be prevented; but while those now in force, are allowed to remain a dead letter, it would be a farce to enact new ones.

Resolved, That we are in a measure those who buy my clothing that they are well made.

George Spurrier would embrace this opportunity or returning his thanks to his old customers, and invite them to call at his New Store, where he will be able to sell them as good clothing as ever and the store where he will be able to sell them as good clothing as ever and the store when the store who buy my clothing that they are well made.

SPEING FASHIONS just received, and garments can be made up at short notice and in a workman-like manner. GEO. SPURRIER, West side of North Queen street, two doors south of Michael's Hotel, sign of the Striped Pants.

Lancaster, March 16. 8-3m

# Window Shades and Blinds.

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K EEPS a larger and better assortment of Venitian Blinds, of narrow slats, with fancy and plain trimmings, than any other establishment in the city. Painted and Plain Shades, Shade Trimnings and Fixtures, &c., &c., which he will sell, wholesale and retail, at the Lowest Cash Prices.

The citizens of Lancaster will find it to their interest to call, before purchasing, as they are associated. interest to call, before purchasing, as they are assured they can buy a better article than at any other establishment, for the same price. My motto is, "A good article, quick sales, and small profits."

WE STUDY TO PLEASE.

march 16 8-3m

# In Time of Peace Prepare for

In Time of Peace Prepare tor War!

NEVER leave things fill the last moment, as a careless neglect always costs something, and as pleasant weather is now arriving, prepare for the reverse. Every day has its changes, and he is wise who prepares for the future. Every one requires comfortable clothing, and next in order is to purchase cheaply. We advise all those who are in want of clothing to call at the LANCASTER HALL OF FASHION, some of the Red Coat.) if they they wish good and

(sign of the Red Coat,) if they they wish good and cheap goods, as they sell much lower than any other clothing house in Lancaster, and keep a large assortment.

MESSRS. RATHFON & HENSLER

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have just returned from Philadelphia with a splendid assortment of spring and summer goods, and
are now prepared to furnish spring and summer
coats from \$2,00 to \$6,00, black and fancy colored
cloth frock and dress coats from \$6 to \$10,00;
black and fancy French, English and American
Cassimere and Doeskin Pants from \$3 to \$5; black
and fancy wilk and set in Vests from \$2,50, \$2,50. and fancy silk and eatin Vests from \$2 to \$3,50, and summer clothing in endless variety, and at corresponding low prices. Visit the extensive establishment of RATHFON & HENSLER and secure a saving of 35 per cent. on your purchase, Our aim is to please and accommodate all, and, in order to do this, we manufacture clothing at almost every price. Selling for cash enables us to offer clothing at a very trifling advance. Our motto is SMALL PROFITS AND QUICK SALES.

Particular attention paid to customer work. A great variety of Cloths, Cassimers and Vestings always on hand to select from, for those who preer having their clothing made to order. A large and varied assortment of elegant BOYS' CLOTHING always on hand, and will be sold very low.

RATHFON & HENSLER avail themselves of this
occasion to return their sencere thanks to their
friends for the very liberal patronage heretofore

received, and hope to merit a continuance of their favors. 3C Don't forget the place—the

Lancaster Hall of Fushion, North Queen street, next door to the National House, and the third door south of Orange street. There's the place, gentlemen, to get your money back. Call and se

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No. 18, E. King st., Lancaster, GILLETT & COGSHALL, No. 145 Chesnut st., Phil'a. march 16

The large frame carpenter shop, belonging Mr. Michael Libhart, in Columbia, was destroyed by fire on Tuesday evening last—supposed to be the work of an incendiary.