FOR PRESIDENT, JAMES BUCHANAN

(Subject to the decision of the Democratic National Convention.) CANAL COMMISSIONER: GEORGE SCOTT, of Columbia County. AUDITOR GENERAL:

FRY, Jr., of Montgomery County.

SURVEYOR GENERAL: TIMOTHY IVES, of Potter County.

Pennsylvania-James Buchanan. The proceedings of the State Convention will be found in our columns to day, and we invite for them a careful perusal by all of our readers. The resolutions breathe in strong and unmistakeable language the sentiments of union and patriotism-such as cannot fail to be endorsed by every true friend of his country, whether hailing from the north, the south, the east, or the west. The Convention has laid down a broad and strong platform, upon which every Democrat, and every unionloving, anti-proscriptive, conservative Whig may stand from Maine to Texas, and from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Pennsylvania stands now where she always has stood, foremost and boldest in defence of popular sovereignty, the union and integrity of the Republic, the welfare of the people, and the perpetuity of the

Constitution. And now, for the fourth time, and with greater unanimity than ever does the old Keystone State present the name of her greatly beloved and distinguished statesman, to the Democracy of the Union, as her first and last, and only choice for the Presidency, and she confidently expects that at length, after so long a delay, her wishes are to be gratified in the elevation of JAMES BUCHANAN to the Chief Magistracy of the Nation. No man, save the Father of his Country, and Andrew Jackson, ever held such a fast hold on the affections of the people of Pennsylvania; and why should it not be so? In a public life of thirty-five years, since his first connexion with National affairs, he has never, by word or deed, betrayed the confidence reposed in him by the people of his native State. And in the twenty years which he served in both branches of Congress-in the four years which he served at the head of the State Department during the brilliant administration of President Polk. -and in the five years which he has represented our country at the two most important Courts of Europe-he has displayed talents which have placed him in the front rank of living statesmen, and made his name, not only in this country but in Europe, a synonim for

all that is great and noble and commanding. Such is the man the Democracy of Pennsylvania delight to honor, and to him are all eyes now turned as the most suitable standard bearer for the ensuing Presidential campaign. Will the Democracy of our sister States do Pennsylvania but tardy justice. She is one of the original thirteen-the second State in wealth, numbers and importance in the Confederacy-has never for one moment wavered in her fealty to the Union and her devotion to the interests of all her sisters. She was the first State to sustain the immortal Jackson in his conflict with the U. S. Bank-the first to throw herself into the breach and stem the tide of Abolition which, at different times, has threatened to engulph this feir heritage bequeathed to us by our fathers. She has always stood by our common country in time of war, and has contributed largely in men and means to the defence, the progress and the glory of the Republic. And shall she not have the honor of furnishing at least one President of the Union in the long space of sixtyseven years? Virginia has furnished five, New York two, Massachusetts two, Tennessee two, Ohio one, Louisiana one, and New Hampshire one, every one of whom was elected by the aid of Pennsylvania-and is it not her turn now to furnish at least one, especially when she presents a candidate so pure and unsullied in public and private life as JAMES BUCHANAN, the peer of any statesman in Christendom?

Will our friends in the other States think of all this, and do unto the Democracy of Pennsylvania as they would wish to be done by were they placed in similar circumstances ?-We ask only sheer justice at their hands, and we feel confident this will be awarded with pleasure by our brethren in the other sections of the Union.

New Jersey for Buchanan.

The Democratic members of the Legislature of New Jersey, on Wednesday hast, unanimously passed a resolution recommending JAMES BUCHANAN, of Pennsylvania, for the Presidency. This glorious news was communicated by telegraph to our State Convention than in session at Harrisburg, and created great enthusiasm.

Buchanan in Virginia

A correspondent of the Pennsylvanian writing from Richmond, after giving the res olutions of the Virginia Convention, says :-"It was evident from the proceedings and tone of the Convention, that Mr. BUCHANAN was the first choice of a large majority, and the second choice of nearly all the delegates present;" and winds up by saying-"Virginia is sure for Old Buck."

The resolutions adopted by the Convention were firm and national in their tone. The following indicates that the vote of Virginia will be a unit in the National Convention. Resolved, That the vote of the State in the Cincinnati Convention ought to be given for such candidates as will command the greatest strength in the Democratic party throughout the Union, and whose principles are known to the Democratic Republican faith.

The resolutions were reported by ex-Gover nor Floyd, a warm and devoted friend of Mr. BUCHANAN, and the leaning of the above res olution can hardly be mistaken by any intelligent person.

Buchanan in Wisconsin.

The La Crosse (Wisconsin) National Dem ocrat, is strongly in favor of Mr. BUCHANAN for the Presidency, and says that it speaks the sentiments of a large majority of its read-

State Central Committee.

We nublish to-day the State Central Committee appointed by the Hon. Hendrick B: Wright. President of the late Democratic State Convention. It is made up generally of active, talented and energetic Democrats, which will give it an efficiency never before attained. The selection of Col. John W. Forney, as Chairman, is highly appropriate at this time. He has always kept his residence in Pennsylvania, returning to vote at every election, while being engaged in official business at Washington, for the last few years. He is ti making arrangements to move his family back u, Philadelphia, where he intends to give the largest portion of his time and talents to the great curves that is approaching; and be ing une of the readlest writers and finest or ators now on the political stage, we may ex peet as brilliant and glorious a campaign ir, the Key-

guished the Jackson era. We are indebted to Hon. R. BRODEL of the U. Senate, for a copy of the Ann Report on the Finances, for 1854-5.

stone State, as any that marked and disting

HARRISBURG, TUESDAY, March 4th, 1856. At 10 o'clock the convention was called order by James F. Johnston, Esq., Chairman

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

of the State Central Committee. On motion of Mr. Piollet, of Bradford co. Gen. J. P. Brawley, was appointed temporary Chairman, and Mesars R. Biddle Roberts, o Allegheny, and B. F. Sloan, of Erie, Secreta

The following is a list of the Delegates t the Convention: SENATORIAL DELEGATES.

Philadelphia City.—F. C. Frazier, C. McGrath Philadelphia County.—J. D. Campbell, Wm. R. Berrill.

Montgomery—Ed. Satterthwait.

Chester and Delaware—O. E. Strickland.

Berks—James Hagerman.

Bucks—F. Vanzant.

Lancaster and Lebanon—James L. Reynolds, W.

ay. Dauphin and Northumberland—Jacob Leisenring. paupun and Aurtnumoeriand—Jacob leisenring.
Northampton and Lehigh—Col. Hannum.
Carbon, Monroe, Pike and Wayne—Wm. Lilly, of
on, Lafayette Westbrook, of Pike.*
Adams and Franklin—Wilson Riley.
York—John Rankin.

and and Perry—Hon. John Stuart. Lycoming, Clinton and Sullivan—Wm. cker. 5. Blair, Cambria and Huntingdon—Adolphus Patter Luzerne, Montour and Columbia—H. B. Wright.
Bradford, Susquehanna and Wyoming—J. F. Means.
Tioga, Potter, McKean, Elk, Clearfield, Jefferson
Forrest—De Witt C. James.
Mercer, Venango and Warren—J. V. James

19. Mercer, Venango and Warren—J. Y. James. 20. Erie and Crawford—Vincent Phalms. Erie and Crawford—Vincent Phelps.
Butler, Beaver and Lawrence—Lewis Z. Mitchell.
Allegheny—B. Biddle Roberts, J. A. Roberts.
Washington and Green—J. A. J. Buchanan.
Somerset, Bedford and Fulten—Wm. M. Hall, or -Robinson. * 25. Armstrong, Indiana and Clarion—Charles J. Lan

erton.
26. Juniata, Mifflin and Union—Reuben Keller.
27. Westmoreland and Fayette—Wesley Prost.
28. Schuylkill—Clement Foster. REPRESENTATIVE DELEGATES Adams, 1—Joel B. Danner, H. J. Stahlo.
Alleghany, 5—S. W. Black, Charles Barnett, Henry
4cCullough, Matthew Harbeson, P. C. Shannon.
Armstrong, Clarion and Jefferson, 3—W. Balston, Seth
Bover, David Barclay.
Beaver, Butler and Lawrence, 3—Gen. Carter, John N.
urviance, David Tidball. Beaver, Butler and Lawrence, 3—Geo. Carter, John Nurviance, David Didball. Purviance, David Didball.

Bedford, Fulton and Cambria, 2—George H. Spang tichard White.

Berks, 4—Jacob Wichline, H. L. Miller, C. W. Esser, W.

Pattenger.
Blair and Huntingdon, 2—Theophlius Snyder, Thomas I Biair and Fundingous, 2—Interprints Syper, Homes Fampbell.
Bradford, 2— V. E. Piolett, W. H. Peck.
Bucks, 3—Paul Appleback, W. Harris, C. H. Mann.
Carbon and Lehigh, 2—A. G. Broadhead, J. D. Stiles.
Centre, 1—Samuel Strohecker.
Chester, 3—J. Hodgson, J. D. Evans, Ralph Marsh.
Clinton, Lycoming and Potter, 2—John Piatt, Mile
White.

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Columbia and Montour, 1—J. G. Montgomery.

Crawford, 2—J. P. Brawley, David M. Bole.

Cumberland, 2—F. Cornman, Moses Bricker.

Dauphin, 2—Samuel Bigler, G. Barrett.

Delaware, 1—John P. James.

Erie, 2—Wilson Laird, B. F. Sjoan.

Fayette and Westmoreland, 4—J. L. Dawson, Robelisch Wilson, Mark J. Konan, M. L.

Fayette and Westmoreland, 4—J. L. I iven, Wm. Ross, E. J. Keenan. Franklin, 2—G. W. Brewer, J. M. Cooper. Greene, 1—Jassa Lazzar. Greene, 1—Jesse Leazear.
Indiana, 1—Adam Lowrie.
Lebanon, I. W. M. Breslin.
Lancaster, 5—Dr. James Cushman. H. S. Magraw, Dr.
James Parker, James S. McMahon, Abraham Peters.
Luzerne. 2—Dr. D. H. Troup, Samuel G. Turner.
Mercer, Venanço and Warren, S.—James Hazleton, Arnold Plumer, G. W. Schofield.

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Norhtampton, 2—J. M. Porter, John Dayis.

Northumberland, 1—David B. Montgomery.

Perry, 1—James Black.

Philadelphia City, 4—Charles Brady, Thomas Ellis, Aurew O'Harra, John McCombs. rew O'Harra, John McCombs.

Philadelphia County, II—Thomas Corges, Edward Wier, P. McDonough, Andrew Noble, Geo W. Wunder, rank McCormick, A. Browne, John Crawford, Emanuel treat, James F. Nicholas, John K. Hassinger.

Schuylkill, 2—Ed. Kerrs, H. J. Honler.

Somersot, I—John D. Roddy.

Susquehanna, Sullivan and Wyoming, 2—W. C. Ward. b. J. V. Smil.

Smith. , 1—H. A. Guernsy. and Juniata, 1—A. P. Lusk.

After disposing of the contested seats of Senatorial delegates for Carbon, Monroe and Pike by admitting Mr. Lafavette Westbrook: and for Somerset, Bedlord and Fulton, Mr. J S. Robinson, the Convention on motion of Mr. Purviance, of Butler, directed the Chairman to appoint a committee of one from each Senatorial District to nominate officers for

permanent organization. The chairman appointed the following gen tlemen as a committee on permanent organi

Dist.
15. Ed. Patterson, Blair,
16. J. S. Montgomery,
17. W. C. Ward,
18. D. Witt C. James,
19. J. Y. James,
19. J. Y. James,
20. V. Phelps,
21. J. N. Purviance,
22. S. W. Black,
23. W. Montgomery,
24. Geo. H. Spang,
25. Charles J. Lamberto
26. A. P. Lüsk,
27. Robt. Given,
28. Clement Foster. l. Satterthwai Franklin Vansant. On motion the convention then adjourned until 2 o'clock, to afford the Committee on

Permanent Organization an apportunity of consulting together. AFTERNOON SESSION The convention re-assembled at 2 o'clock,

Mr. Brawley in the Chair. Gen. Purviance, from Committee on permanent organization, made the following report:-

FOR PRESIDENT Hon HENDRICK B. WRIGHT, of Lu

zerne county. VICE PRESIDENTS. Thos. Corgee, Wm. Lamb, Philadelphia.

Philip S. Gerhart, Montgomery, (with John Y. James, Delaware. Jacob M. Kline, Berks. Paul Applebaugh, Bucks. Abraham Peters, Lancaster Samuel Bigler, Dauphin. Mifflin Hannum, Lehigh. F. M. Crain, Wayne. H. J. Stable, Adams. John Rankin, York. James Black, Perry. Dr. Samuel Strohecker, Centre: Theo. Snyder, Blair. Dr. B. H. Throop, Luzerne. John Means, Bradford. David Barclay, Jefferson. G. W. Schofield, Warren.

Wilson Laird, Erie. David Tidball, Lawrence Henry McCullough, Alleghary. Jesse Lazeear, Greene. John D. Roddy, Somerset Seth Clover, Clarion. Reuben C. Keller, Union Wesley Frost, Fayette. Edward Kearns, Schuylkill.

SECRETARIES. B. F. Sloan, Erie. Edward J. Keenan, Westmoreland D. W. C. James, Poster. Wm. M. Brisben, Lebanon. George S. Berrell, Philadelphia Jno. M. Cooper. Franklin. Lewis Z. Mitchell, Butler. Wm. Pottenger, Berks. Lafayette Westbrook, Pike. Chas, McGrath, Philada, City, Matthew Harbeson, Allegheny.

Moses Bricker, Cumberland. On motion, the report was unanimously adopted, and Gen. Wm. F. Par ker and Col. W. Hopkins, appointed to cond act the President

elect to the chair. Mr. Wright, on taking the chair, returned thanks in a neat address, in which he strongly eulogized the character and claims of Pennsylvania, and powerfu fly urged Mr. Buchan-AN's nomination for the Presidency. His remarks elicited gre At applause and enthusiasm from the Convention, as well as the crowds

who occupied the galleries. Gen. John J f. Purviance offered the follow ing preambl', and resolution, which was adopt purpose of ascertaining the sens r the C. nvention, representing as it does the acy of overy County in Pennsylvania, designating the Chief Magistracy of the and of

desolved, that the members of this Conven on do now proceed to vote viva voce for the States, as the choice of Pennsylvania.

The roll was then called, and the vote Buchanan, 127-Dallas 5-and one for the nominee of the National Convention. The nomination was then declared unani

Mr. Wilson Reilly offered a resolution, which was adopted, directing the President to appoint a Committee for the purpose of reporting the a Committee for the purpose of reporting the names of four Senatorial Delegates from the names of four Senatorial Delegates from the State at large, and two Representative Delegates from each Congressional District, to represent

the Democracy of the State in the National tional restrictions, the last congress performed to be held at Cincinnati, in June a work of patriotic sacrifice in meeting the demands of sectional excitement by unshaken next, and for the purpose of advocating, with adherence to the fundamental law. carnest sincerity, before the delegated power of the Democracy of the Union, the true position and sentiments of the people of our

State. The said committee should report no person as a delegate not known to be a firm, onsistent and under all circumstances, reli-thle friend of James Buchanan and who feels able friend of James Buchanan and who feels nize in it the application to the Territories of no other preference.

On motion of Hon. J. L. Dawson, of Fayette exact justice to all men" of all sections of the ounty, a resolution was adopted, directing the Chair to appoint a committee of thirteen to prepare resolutions for the consideration and action of the Convention. mmortal Jefferson. Resolved, That the Democracy of Pennsyl-The Convention then adjourned until seven

clock in the evening. EVENING SESSION. The Convention met again at seven o'clock, and the President appointed the committee on Delegates to the National Convention and committee on Resolutions.

There being then no business before the Convention, by unanimous request, Hon. Wm. Bigler, Buckalew and Black, of Allegheny, addressed the Convention in an eloquent manner, liciting great enthusiasm and applause. their conclusion, the Committee ment of Electors and Delegates to the National Convention made the following report:

ELECTORS AT LARGE. Charles R. Buckalew, Wilson McCandless. District 1st-Geo. W. Nebinger, of Philadel

phia county. Pierce Butler, Philadelphia City. " 3d-Edward Wartman, Phila. county "4th—William H. Witte do do
"5th—John McNair, Montgomery Co.
"6th—John H. Brinton, Chester county.
"7th—David Laury, Lehigh county.
"8th—Charles Kessler, Berks county. 9th-James Patterson. Lancaster Co. 1-Isaac Slenker, Union county. " 11th-Francis W. Hughes, Schuylkill

county.
12th—Thomas Osterhout, Wyoming, Co. 13th-Abraham Edinger, Monroe Co. 14th—Reuben Wilber, Bradford county. 15th-George A. Crawford, Clinton Co 18th-James Black, Perry county. 17th-H. J. Stahle, Adams county. 18th—John D. Roddy, Somerset county 19th-Jacob Turney, Westmoreland Co " 20th-J. A. J. Buchanan, Greene county. 22th—J. A. G. Buchman, county. 21st—Wm. Wilkins, Allegheny county. 22d—James G. Campbell, Butler county 23d-Thomas Cunningham, Beaver Co

25th-Vincent Phelps, Crawford county. DELEGATES AT LARGE. Arnold Plumer, Venango; Henry D. Foster, Westmoreland; David R. Porter, Dauphin; James L. Reynolds, Lancaster.

" 24th-John Keatly, Clarion county.

DISTRICT DELEGATES Edward G. Webb, John McCar thy.
2nd—James C Vandyke, Chambers Mc Kibben 3rd-John Robbins, Jr., Charles W. Carrigan.
4th—Joseph Lippencott, John G. Bren-

ner. 5th—Owen Jones, Thomas J. Roberts 6th-John Rutter, Chester; Charles D. Manley, Delaware.
7th—John D. Stiles, Ed. Nicholson. 8th-J. Glancy Jones, P. K. Miller. 9th-H. B. Swarr, Joseph B. Baker,

10th—John Weidman, J. M. Kreiter. 11th—Wm. L. Dewart, C. M. Straub. 12th—H. B. Wright, J. G. Montgomery 13th—John N. Hutchinson, H. B. Beard sley. 14th-V. E Piollet, C. L. Ward. 15th-W. F. Packer, John H. Morrison,

16th-Henry Welsh, John Stuart. 17th-A. P. Lusk, John Cessna. 18th-John C. Everhart, Richard White 19th—Jacob Forney, Alex. McKinney.
20th—John L. Dawson, Wm. Hopkins. 21st-Andrew Durke, Chas. Barnett. 22nd-Saml, W. Black, Jas. A. Gibson 23rd-M. C. Trout, John N. McGuffin

24th_I. L. Gillis, T. Y. James. 25th-J. Porter Brawley, W. Laird. The Convention then adjourned until orrow a 10 o'clock. SECOND DAY-MORNING SESSION At 10 o'clock the Convention was called to

Mr. Reilly moved that a committee of five be of his nomination by this Convention for the Presidency; which was unanimously adopted. The Chairman appointed the following gen G. W. Brewer, Franklin; Hon. J. M. Por

der by the President.

ter, Northampton; Hon. Joel B. Danner, Adams; J. A. Gibson, Allegheny; and George R. Berrill, Philadelphia. Mr. Brawley offered the following resolution which was adopted: Resolved, That the State Central Committee

may be increased to any number under seven-ty-five, at the option of the President, and that any ten, on the call of the Chairman, shall be a quorum to transact business. Hon. John L. Dawson, from the committee reported the following admirable series of solutions; which were read and unanimous

v adopted. Resolved, That in the present distracted condition of parties, in which sectional and partial issues have been allowed to attain a langerous supremacy, we recognize in the policy of the Democratic party, that which rests upon the Constitution as its basis; and that it is the party which above all others has, in the language of the illustrious Madison, ever continued "to hold the union of the States as the basis of their peace and happiness; to support the Constitution, which is the cement of the Union, as well in its limitations as its uthorities; to respect the rights and author ities reserved to the States and to the people, as equally incorporated with and essenti

the success of the general system; and to avoid the slightest interference with the rights of conscience or the functions of religion, so wisely exempted from civil jurisdiction. Resolved, That by the general consent of the wise and the virtuous of all nations, the

framers of the Republic of the United States. exhibited in their individual characters and in the result of their public deliberations, a degree of virtue and practical statesmanship, to which the history of the world affords no parallel; that in no part of the Federal Compact is the wisdom of our fathers more conspicuous, than in leaving the whole question of slavery to the states in their separate capacities; and that in the provision for the re-deliv ery of fugitives escaped from labor or service they demonstrated a sense of justice-an appreciation of the value of the Union—at atta chment to its preservation-an avoidance of one-sided philanthropy, and impractical theo ries of government-which present a proper

example for the guidance and imitation of us Resolved, That we look only to the Constitution, and the exposition thereof which ha been afforded by the practice of Democratic administrations, for the chart of our policy.— That these constitute, till the fundamental law s changed by methods which itself provides, the highest law of our obedience as citizens; and that we utterly discard that partial and exaggerated sympathy, the attempt to carry est interests as a nation, and threatens the infliction of evils of ten-fold magnitude to hose which it proposes to heal

those which it proposes to heal.

Resolved, That the equality of the States is he vital element of the Constitution itself, and that all interference with the rights of the States by those who seek to disregard the sacred guarantees of the past, and by all others, should be rebuked with the same spirit that would denounce and repudiate all attempts to erect odious distinctions between those who are entitled to share the blessings and benefits

of our free institutions.

Resolved, That the effort to direct the power of the Government by anti-slavery agitation, nder the various names and phases of Free-Soilism, Anti-Nebraskaism, Fusionism and Republicanism; and by interfering with the rights of conscience in establishing a religious test as a qualification for office, by the secret oathbound society of the Know-Nothings, is pposed both to the letter and the spirit of the onstitution, and to the carnest teachings and ractice of its earliest and most honored ad-

ninistrators.

Resolved, That we are now as ever unalterably opposed to the doctrines and designs of all organizations which contemplate the overthrow of the civil and religious rights of the citizen; that the equality of the like the equality of the States, is a sacred and nalienable right, never to be interfered with by factious parties and reckless legislation, thout a subversion of the primary objects

John Hodgson, " 4 " Neither candidate having received a ma jurity of the whole vote, the convention pro reeded to a second ballot—the names of Juhi

Wm. S. Garvin

Philip Johnston

lot was taken, as follows

There being no nomination,

was taken, (after the name of

Timothy Ives re-William T. Alexander

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Philip Johnston

Hugh M'Kee

Timothy Ives

The names of Thomas J. Rehrer and

liam Fry were withdrawn, when a third

had been withdrawn.) with the following

Timothy Ives, of Potter county, having re-

eived a majority of the votes polled, was de-

clared the nominee of the Convention for Sur

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Convention met, pursuant to adjourn

hich was read and unanimously adopted:

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Welsh, was read and adopted.

Resolved, That this convention appoint

State Committee

Third District. m. T. Morison,

A. H. Tippin.
Fourth Distric
Joseph Hemphill,
John J. Leiper.
Fifth District.

Jeel B. Danuer.
Tweifth District.
Wm. H. Kurtz,
George S. Morris.
Thirteenth District.
George H. Bucher,
George Stroop.
Fourteenth District.
George White,
J. Richter Jones,
H. L. Diffenbach.

perusal.

City of Philadelphia.

JOHN W. FORNEY, Chairman
ott, James F. Johnston,
Alfred Gilmore,
N. B. Browne,
Thomas S. Fernon

Fifteen Distric

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Wm. J. Murray,
Thomas A. Maguire.
Sixteenth District.
R.W. Weaver:
Dr. B. H. Throop.
Seventeenth District.
Asa Lathrop,
Wm. M. Piatt.
Fighteenth District.

Eighteenth District.
Julius Sherwood.
H. H. Dont.
Nineteenth District.

Nineteenth District Wm. S. Garvin, Robert P. Cochran. Twentieth District. Joseph Douglass, E. F. Sloan.

B. F. Sloan.
Twenty-first District.
James M. Bredlo,
J. M. Keuster,
Samuel B. Wilson.
Twenty-Second Distri
David Lynch,
M. J. Stewart.
Twenty-third Distric
Wm. Workman,
Charles A. Black.
Twenty-fourth Distric

J. B. Sansom.
Twenty-fifth District.
S. S. Jamison.
Charles Lamberton.
Twenty-sixth District
A. S. Wilson,

J. S. Miller.
Twenty-seventh District.
E. J. Keenan,
R. P. Flenniken.
Twenty-eighth District
Bernard Reilly,
Thos. J. McCamant.

On the first page will be found the

ubstance of a Lecture, delivered on the 28th

alt,, by Rev. J. V. Eckert, of New Provi-

lence, on "The importance of the Moral Train-

ing of Children." We invite for it a careful

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William Fry

Resolved, That this legislation cannot be deemed unnecessary, but thatit was expedient to meet the questions of this was to meet the questions of this was to meet the destions of this was the control of the control o to meet the questions of which it disposed, and which could never admit of a more easy settlement than at present. That we recogbeen withdrawn. Timothy Ives William T. Alexander Isaac W. Moore, Hogh M'Kee Thos. J. Bohrer confederacy, which was designed by the framers of our government, and which was defined as one of its essential principles by the

vania, following the council o visest statesmen of the north and south, were ready on more than one occasion in the past, extend the Missouri Compromise line to the Pacific, so as to make it the basis of a fina ettlement of the question of slavery in the Tertories; but when this proposition was rejected in 1848, on the ground that it involved an undue concession to the south, by the very men who now clamor for a restoration of the dissouri line, there seemed to be but one wise alternative left, and that was to refer the whole question of slavery in the Territories to the people thereof, to be regulated as they might deem proper, and we therefore cheerfully exend our hearty support to the policy of the government as recognized in the compromise measures of 1850, and embodied in the laws organizing the Territories of Kansas and Ne

Resolved, That unerring indications point to the Hon. JANES BUCHANAN, distinguished alike by his high personal character, his tried Democracy, his great abilities, experience and em-inent statesmanship—as the nation's choice for the office of President of the United States or the term commencing on the 4th of March 1857; and that we do hereby instruct our delegates to the National Convention to assemble in Cincinnati in June next, to use thei efforts to secure him the nomination to tha

Resolved. That at a period when sectional ism, in its worst aspects, attempts to under-mine the foundations of the federal constitution and when an abolition majority aspires supremacy in the popular branch of the national legislature, and with the prospect difficulties with foreign nations, who for their purposes may seek to intercept and stay the progress of free institutions on this continent in order that they may more effectually arrest the advancing footsteps of our republican example, the statesmanlike qualities of JAMES BUCHANAN-his long and well tried services in defence of the constitution-his intimate knowledge of all our relations with foreign countries-and his large and enlightened exnan to lead the victorious columns of the

Democracy in November next.

Resolved, That we fully endorse the administration of President Perroe as national, faithful, and efficient—fully equal to all the nportant emergencies which the country has had to encounter, and that he has worthily naintained her interests at home and abroad Resolved, That in the rise at home of fac tions inimical to our government and consti-tution, and in the stirring and warlike condition of the times, we behold dangers to our peace and prosperity, if not to our perpetuity, which should cause every good citizen to pon-der well the steps of his political action, and der well the steps of his der well the steps of his political action, and that we earnestly invite the lover of his coun try, of whatever name or creed, to join us is holding the constitution in its purity, and ransmitting it unimpaired to our

Resolved, That whatever cases of dissatis faction with the working of our laws and institutions may exist in the different sections of the country, the proper remedy is to be ought in the temperate exercise of the right R. Thompson, of New Jersey, that the Demo-cratic members of the New Jersey Legislature f discussion, and the ballot box; that all other evils are insignificant in comparison with that of danger to the Union; had unanimously passed a resolution declaring the Hon. James Buchanan their choice for the Presidency. The reading of the disothers can wait the sure amelioration of time, if the Union be maintained; but that disunion would at once prove the destruction of our present interests and happiness as a people

and the death-knell of our hopes. ing, James M. Porter, of Northampton, G. W. Brewer, of Franklin, W. H. Welsh, of York S. W. Black and Hon. Wm. Wilkins, of Alle Resolved, That it was upon the soil of Penn vlvania that Independence was declared, and the Federal constitution constructed, and that it therefore becomes in a special sense the duty of Pennsylvanians to watch over its safety, as secured by the great charter the Union; to resist the first approaches of danger to its perpetuity, and forever to cher-

Resolved That all vacancies that may take place in the delegation to Cincinnati, ected, shall be filled by a majority of the whole number there present, and that the said delegation shall have full power and authority among themselves to regulate by whom and howtheir votes shall be given in the conven-

Resolved, That the Democratic State Central Committee shall require a pledge from each elector, to vote for the candidate for President and Vice President of the United tates, who may be nominated by the Cincin-Convention, and in case of the neglect or refusal of any elector so to do within a reasonable time, the State Central Committee be and they are hereby empowered to substitute Mr. Montgomery moved that the conven-

tion now proceed to nominate a candidate for Canal Commissioner, which being amended to include Auditor General and Surveyor eneral, was adopted. Mr. Packer moved to elect the candidates in the order in which they are named in the res plution of Mr. Montgomery; which, after

ome discussion, was adopted. The convention then proceeded to ballot for Canal Commissioner with the following Samuel Weiser.
Neilson Weiser.
Tenth District.
John F. Lord,
Wm. Lilly.
Elevonth Distrit
Wilson Relley,
Joel B. Danner.
Twelfth District

result: George Scott Nimrod Strickland 33 ** Bernard Reilly John T. Hoover Edward Nicholson Adolphus Patterson The name of B. Reilly withdrawn

The Convention then proceeded to a secon ballot, which resulted as follows: George Scott received Nimrod Strickland J. H. Zimmerman

GEORGE SCOTT, of Columbia county, having received the highest number of votes was de-clared the nominee of the convention for Canal Commissioner. Mr. HOPKINS moved that the nomination e made unanimous, which was agreed to.

The Convention then proceeded to ballot for Auditor General. On the first ballot, Jacob Fry Murray Whallon 43 votes,

John Rowe William Workman Daniel Kane The names of Joel B. Danner and Danie KANE were withdrawn, when a second ballot was had, which resulted as follows: received

John Rowe William Workman H. L. Diffenbach Neither of the candidates having received majority of the whole vote, the convention eeded to a third hallot—the names of H. DIFFENBACH and WILLIAM WORKMAN hav ng first been withdrawn-with the following

Jacob Fry received Murray Whallon John Rowe There being ballo was taken, as follows: 19 The fourth ballot resulted as follows: votes, Jacob Fry Murray Whallon

ing received the highest number of votes, was declared by the President the nominee of the convention for Auditor General. On motion of Mr. Lamberton, the nomination was made unanimous. Nominations for Surveyor General being made, the Convention proceeded to ballot.

JACOB FRY, Jr., of Montgomery county, hav-

which resulted as follows: 21 votes Isaac W. Moore, Wm. T. Alexander. 21 Timothy Ives, Thomas J. Rehrer. 13 Hugh McKee,

300 CITY AND COUNTY ITEMS.

COLUMBIA AND PHILADELPHIA RAILROAD. Parkesburg, March 5, 50.—Comparative statement of Tolls of Collected on this Road for the months of February, 1855 and 1856, and for the first three months of the fiscal year

Hodgson and Michael K. Boyer having first \$12,505 3 From Dec. 1, 1855, to Feb'y 29, 1856.

rowded to its utmost capacity, on Thursday evening last o hear this celebrated orator deliver a lecture on the bject of Temperance. And never, we venture to say ers the people of Lancaster more eloquently entertained or the period of nearly two hours which he occupied the exception, the most fascinating speaker we have ever lis-tened to, and there is probably no man now living who which, hy many, is recarded as hackneved and threadbar The subject was handled in a masterly manner—now in iulging in the humorous vein and convulsing his heares rith langhter, and anon, by the narration of some touching ot a sign of impatience or weariness was visible fro eginning to end, and every eye was intently fixed upon he speaker, as if fearful of losing the slightest gesture or expression of countenance. His apostrophe to a glass of water was beautiful and sublime in the highest degree.-His remarks generally bore severely upon the social driu ing customs of this country and Great Britain, which he And, although combating intemperance in all its forms, and urging the duty of total abstinance upon his hearers, here was not a solitary word of abuse escaped his lip against "rum-sellers"—thus presenting a marked and plea unanimous; after which the convention adjourned untill 3 o'clock in the afternoon. of some who conceive it to be their duty to preach Tempe. ance, but whose principal arguments are villification and abuse of their neighbors. We venture to say that one such cture, as Mr. Gough favored our citizens with on Thurslay evening, will accomplish more for the cause, than the

Mr. Reilly offered the following resolution our City for the last five years. We have the gratification of announcing that Mr. Got Resolved. That the nomination of George the request of the multitude present, will deliver another Scott, of Columbia county, as the Democratic candidate for the office of Canal Commission ture, at Fulton Mall, on to-morrow (Wednesday) evening This announcement is sufficient to insure him another

er; that of Jacob Fry, jr., of Montgomery county, for the office of Auditor General; and A VENERABLE PREACHER.—The Rev. HENRY Timothy Ives, of Potter county, for SHM, now of Staten Island, a veteran minister of 31 years the office of Surveyor General, be and the of age, gave, on Sunday last, n the First M. E. Church, an same are hereby unanimously ratified and ing description of the riseand progress of Methodis confirmed by this convention; that we confi a this city and county. His father, Martin Boun, originally dently present these gentlemen to the people nite, was the first pioneer in this county. His so f the State as candidates in every way worenry, above alluded to, organized the First Methodis Church in this City, in 1807, and had regular preaching is them, as we do, to be men of tried integrity faithful in their devotion to Democratic prin the house of Mr. Philip Benedict. He had occasionally preached in the old Market House for three or four years ciples, and well qualified to discharg the du-ties of the several offices for which they have ior to that time, but there was no Society formed unti hat year. The circuit which he traveled then embraced all of Lancaster, and parts of Dauphin and Berks counties Mr. Reynolds moved that the Presiden and required him to ride about 300 miles to fill all his have power to appoint the State Central Comreaching appointments. Mr. Boshm was a traveling com mittee, after the convention has adjourned nion of Rishop Assuny for four or five years, and with which was adopted.

Mr. Porter moved that the thanks of this his Union. Although past the ordinary period allot convention be tendered to Hon. Hendrick B. Wright, for the ability and impartiallity with mon, Mr. B. is still hale and hearty, and bids fair t

which he has discharged his duties as Chairman of the convention. Mr. P. took the vote THE "FENCIBLES."-We attended one of the rills last week of the new military company, being formed on the motion, and it was unanimously adoptthis City by Capt. John H. Duchman, and were agreeably A resolution offered by Mr. Snyder, returning thanks to the members of the House of rprised at the efficiency of the men, and the prec with which they march and perform the different evolu-ious connected with company drill. All this is highly Representatives for the use of the Hall of the reditable to the reteran officer at the head of the corp House, was also adopted.*

The following resolution, offered by Mr who, by his untiring energy, connected with his ability and experience as a commander, has already brought his men to a state of perfection in drill which few older companies can surpass. The company has adopted, we believe the army uniform, with slight alterations, and will make Committee of Correspondence, to consist of five from each county, whose duty it shall be is first appearance on parade sometime during the Spring. to communicate with the State Central Comor early in the Summer. There are now some fifty me mittee, and attend to such business as may enrolled, and the ranks are dully filling up. We hope to be necessary to secure the triumph of the see it, in the course of a few months, one of the stronge handsomest, and best drilled companies in the State. Democratic party in the approaching contest.

At this stage of the proceedings, Mr. Biddle read a telegraphic dispatch from Hon. John

LECTURE. - The next Lecture of the course will be delivered before the Young Men's Challeton Association, on Friday avosting next, by Rev. Mr. RAY, of Downgrown. Mr. R. is said to be an able and eloquent speaker The attention of our readers, in town

and country, is directed to the card of Cox & SUYDAM, in

other column. Their assortment of carriages is very

patch was received with great applause.
Addresses were delivered by R. Biddle Roberts, of Allegheny, Wm. F. Packer, of Lycomlarge and fine, and they will manufacture to order and furnish them at the most moderate prices A GOOD APPOINTMENT .- P. G. M. SAMUE VELCHENS, of No. 454. I. O. O. F. of this city, has been ap mointed District Deputy Grand Master of the I. O. O. F gheny; after which the convention adjourned neaster county, (to serve to the end of the present term n place of George Sanderson, resigned. This is a good :

State Central Committee as appointed by active, intelligent and energetic office he President of the Democratic State Con-As the time for holding the township our Democratic friends and all others opposed to Know Nothingism would do well to prepare themselves withou delay for the contest. The result may have an importan

lection, and the fraternity will have, in Dr. Welchens, as

MANOR TURNPIKE COMPANY .- At an election held on Wednesday last, the following gentleme were elected officers of the Company: President—Danie Harman; Managers—Abraham Peters, Jacob Bausmar Jacob M. Frantz, John Lintner, Jacob K. Shenk and San el Bausman: Treasure.-George F. Breneman.

For the Intelligencer & Lan casterian MESSRS. EDITORS -: - I was happy to learn hat our friend, Mr. Hugh Rambo, of Paradise township as withdrawn his connection from the order of K. N's. R alled, and is now amongst the Democracy. Mr. Ram as always been a Democrat in principle, and has exercise very exertion in order that Democracy should be trius

March 8, 1856. Councils.-Councils met statedly in their hambers on Tuesday evening last. In Select Council as linance was passed creating a permanent loan of \$30,000 or the payment of a floating debt of \$10,000 and tem ry loans to the amount of \$20,000. They also framed a resolution requesting Mr. Reigart to make some alteration in he Post Office room for the accommodation of ladies, b his was not concurred in by Common Council. The Cou William Lowry Tax Collectors, and Jas. C. Carpenter, City Regulator, with George Albright and John Rose as his

ective chambers both councils adjourned. THE WEATHER .- On Sunday last we had other slight sprinkling of snow—as usual. It cleared off uring the night, and yesterday morning was intensely old. Verily, "winter still lingers in the lap of spring." A New Hotel .- A project is on foot for the purpose of erecting a large first-class hotel in this city. About \$75,000 has been raised for the purpose, and the site spoken of is the North American Hotel, at present occupied by Barnet & Cox. It will front on North Queen street, and run back the whole length of Miller's Row, on

Democratic Nominations. The nominations made by the Convention

esnut street. Such a building has long been needed i

re calculated to carry weight, ensure confiattention to the card of the Principal of this lence and command success. They are in very sense unexceptionable men, and the The Academy presents great advantages, on andidates men of ability and intelligence .-GEORGE Scorr, of Columbia, the nominee for character of the neighborhood, and thorough Canal Commissioner, is favorably known as a man of large business experience, familiar with our public improvements, and eminently There has not been much of general fitted for the responsible position. JACOB FRY, nterest transacted by the Legislature during the past week-except the passage of the Li of Montgomery, the nominee for Auditor Gencense Bill in the House with several amend eral has served a number of years, we believe n both branches of the Legislature, and is a ments. Should the Senate not agree to the gentleman of the strictest probity, and of very amendments, each house will appoint a comlarge personal popularity. TIMOTHY IVES, of mittee of conference, the result of whose Potter county, the nominee for Surveyor Gendeliberations will be final, unless the Governor eral, is also well and favorably known, coming should veto the bill. A few days will deterof a stock that has been largely indentified with the progress of Northern Pennsylvania The "Tenth Legion," a sound Demofrom its earliest settlement, he unites to fine cratic paper published at Woodstock, Va., is abilities and great gallantry as a bold and strongly in favor of Mr. Buchanan for the unflinching Democrat, a popularity second to Presidency, and is of the opinion that, in the no man in that section of the State. We conevent of his nomination, he will "assuredly gratulate the Convention upon the harmony receive the electoral votes of New York, Pennof its proceedings, the patriotic purposes mansylvania, New Hampshire, Maine, Maryland, ifested throughout, and the unexceptionable Virginia, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, character and strength of its nominations. Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Texas, Mis-

lic sentiment is developing itself in regard to who Jersey." The editor says further, that he is the favorite of the people, as the nominee of the Cincinnati Convention for the Presi-"cannot count the same number of States for any other candidate" named in connexion with dency. Buchanan meetings are being held, and measures taken for a full and fair expres sion of public sentiment in Ohio, as to who shall be the standard-bearer in the next cam-The municipal election in Chicago, Il paign. We noticed a few days since, a call in the Cincinnati Enquirer, for a meeting of all friendly to the nomination of that Statesman linois, on the 5th inst., resulted in the complete defeat of the Abolitionists and Know-Nothings. Thomas Dyer, the Democratic candidate, was as the Democratic candidate for the next Preselected by about 400 majority, and a majority of the Councilmen elect are Democrats. Andrew Jackson Donelson was not the

ident. So we go. We believe the popular sentiment of the country will demonstrate the man, before the meeting of the Convention, and the delegates will only have to go through adopted son of Andrew Jackson, but only the "blank motions" of making a non so far as the nomination for President is conthe nephew of Gen Jackson's wife. "Every cerned. We hope to see nominated for the second office in the gift of the people, Hon. John B. Weller, of California.—Lebanon man has his pest," said the general once in Washington, with a sigh, a smile, and a twin-JOHN B. WELLER, of Ca (Ohio) Democratic Citizen.

The Presidency.

We notice in various sections of Ohio, pub-

The Journey to El Dorado Resumed and Concluded.

Masses Editors:—The trapsit of the Isthmus of Panam to now made wholly by railfood, and is accomplished to assengers in less than one twelfth part of the former time riz : three hours instead of two days, and all baggage, express matter and miscellaneous freight is easily delivered on board the Pacific steamer in eight or ten hours. An the rapid passage by cars wherein you scarce inhale the miasmas of river or swamp, and the speedy transfer the te lock of the Pacific steamer, where you respire the fine a day or two of exposure, vexation and toil into a brief is do in the journey, and a welcome relief from the tedi-MR. GOUGH'S LECTURE.-Fulton Hall was

im and languor of the long days at sea.

For the completion of the great undertaking of uniting by railroad the two oceans—with so much toil and so vast an expenditure of money, and in the face of unparalelled scouragements and obstacles, the world is largely indebt ed to the wise forecast, energy and perseverance, of one of the most public spirited and wealthy citizens of our Union. Wm II Aminwall, of New York. Panama is not unhealthy, and her native and acclimated

citizens enjoy as uniform good health, and attain as great age as the inhabitants of any tropical country. The greater part of the sickness in the early years of California emigra ion was caused by excessive indulgence in a mixture of ruit and bad liquors.

The modern city is situated upon a gentle slope at t'

out of Bolivar Hill, so called from the alleged fact th upon the tep, the South American Washington (!) planthis cannon in an attack upon the city, in his campaign i support of the New Grenadian patriots against the Spanis:

Provincial Government The Catholic church here is not wealthy, the s mages and ornaments of the Cathedral and the having nearly all melted before the rapacity of invader the most noted, the buccaneer Morgan. This is a waller city, and though gradually crumbling to ruin, there are ertions of the massive wall which might defy attack even om Anglo-French cannon. A short distance below the resent site are the ruins of an cient l'anama, earthquake. That city was the port of recruiting rendezvous and equipment for Francisco Pizarro in his ruthless expeditions against the Incas of Peru. The Bay Panama is one of the finest on the coast, and the nunerous islands, promontories and peninsulas constitute a canorama of most picturesque beauty and loveliness. whole tribe of Temperance Lecturers who have held forth ed steamship Golden Age, which, under command of Lieut. Porter when first launched, eclipsed all ocean steam navigation in the passage from Liverpool to Melbourne, and has made some of the best passages between this port and reteran Watkins, is a model of neatness and good order and not to be beat in speed by any steamer in the Pacific

> The entire coast from Panama to San Francisco bears o lofty that their summits are ever cloud capped, and between deep dark fissures and ravines never penetrated by the sun light. Touching at Acapulco for aval, water and ovisions, the passengers amuse themelves by throwing imes into the Bay to see the little native, copper colored imps dive and regain them. And this feat, the med by the little brats in most Eden-like nakedness, is often witnessed with entire composure by lady passonge: Above cape St. Lucas, we saw the remnant of the mourn. ful wreck of the Nicaraguan steamer Independence. Of the list of passengers by that ill-fated steamer two hun dred were "in the deep bosom of the ocean buried," and their bodies now rest beneath the green wave, or blen h and perish on the lonely and desolate sands of Marguer ata

An old wreck, or dismantled vessel is a melancholy and unsightly object any where. They may be found in all latitudes, scattered along the Atlantic coast from Hallies to the Equator—sometimes on a rock bound shore, and uctimes upon the shelving beach, where the sands and he shells rise daily higher round the shattered bark, as if emulous to yield her a fitting burial. There is a mute quence in a wreck which appeals to the strong nature elling of hopes blighted, power and energy crushed, peril eath of many a brave man. The white wings that swelle whistled, are gone, and rust, decay and barnacle mar the proudest ships that ever delighted the heart of a true sail-or. Below San Diego, in Lower California, we saw at a distance of 150 miles-mountains of an altitude of 10,000 eet, whose towering and majestic heads, hoary with the frosts, and covered in the snows of centuries, and bathed n the light of a sun just "zinking to rest where his islaof refreshment lie," in the calm, but mighty western sea presented a scene of surpassing sublimity and grandeur. But we are now entering the Golden Gate, the persp ive of many a sanguine youth looming with piles of gli tering ore which he will be quite as likely to realize in the accessible heaps of dust and coin in the banking hous Drexel, Sather & Church, et id omne genus, as in the

sult of his own earnings and good fortune. Before concluding, permit me to notice an change recently effected in New York in the California steamship lines. As you are doubtless aware, by the new arrangement, the celebrated Cornclius Vanderbilt-recently slected President of the Nicaragua company, is to have the supervision of the steamers of both the U.S. Mail and N aragua Atlantic lines, and W. H. Aspinwall, long known as the able and excellent President of the Pacific Mail Company, the control of the both lines on the Pacific side— Mr. Vanderbilt has long been known as a leading steam ship operator; the founder of the Nicaragua line, and th new and popular unpensioned line from New York to Ha the British channel, Baltic and Mediterranean in his ma nificent North Star. His pecuniary resources are immens and in all his great enterprises, the rare tact, shrewdness and energy, and the wonderful executive abilities he po esses have always made him eminently successful, and both he and Mr. Aspinwall occupy deservedly a high rank. among the merchant and commercial princes of our lan Whilst under this arrangement, the rates of passage v undoubtedly be placed at a standard remunerative to ompanies-on the other hand the prices will be such . to enable that class of emigrants whose presence here n any country is really desirable, to come hither, and the resident Californian who, by well directed effor omy has acquired sufficient means to render h.

nong his old friends pleasant, or creditors safe, t to his native soil. But senseless, ruimous competition between rival line. and irresponsible opposition, under the present regime, will not, I am confident, soon appear to attract hitherward ne permurious and thriftless vagabond, who never travels

migrates unless he can do so without paying a fair Ean Francisco, Jap. 31, 1856. Letter from Carlisle. CARLISLE, March 7, 1850

After four years' absence from Car lisle, it is surprising to see the spirit of improvement which has, in that time, sprung up among the denizens of this beautiful borough. I propose to make mention of a few of the most recombined with the most recombined. beautiful borough. I propose to make mention of a few of the most prominent buildings which have come under my The new County Prison is a splendid specimen of archiecture, the design of Edward Haviland, a son of the architect of the Lancaster County Prison. It is built much in the same style, but the stone is of a prettier color, and the building generally is much better fini

not near so large. It reflects great credit on the people of this county. The situation, being near the centre of the own, is not a pleasant one, giving, as it does, a sort gloomy appearance to the houses about it. Marion Hall, built by an old and enterprizing citizen lason W. Eby, Esq., is quite a fine structure, and, I trust ie is being well patronized, for thus showing a disposition improve the appearance of the town. If Carlisle had a ore such men as Mr. Eby, it would not be longbefore would become one of the most active and bustling town-

the State. he handsomest in the State, out of Philadelphia. The fight believe, of the Gothic style of architecture, and man beautiful and imposing appearance. This improveme suppose, will be followed up by others of the same kin t. There are several other buildings worthy of note. The tores of Messrs. Bentz, Haverstick and Tront are handsome affairs, and add much to the appearance of the streets on which they are situated. The building of Dr. Kieffer, now being finished, is certainly a handsome one. The lower story is of iron, and the two upper ones are in imitation o sandstone. This will be one of the best finished buildings in the town, and Dr. Kleffer has shown much good taste

nd energy in erecting such a structure. and Gas pipes have been introduced into the own, the former being now in use, and soon peder trians, after night-fall, can walk the streets with some legree of safety, and not stand in danger of breaking t limb, or what would be worse than all, their "pate" wit all the "larnin" in it. The introduction of Water au-Gas was a necessity long needed in Carlisle. I went to hear a lecture, for the benefit of the Union F. re

Company, last night, by Professor Johnson, of Dickins-College. The Professor chose for his subject "Hiawatha and his lecture was instructive, entertaining and amusin; t the same time showing the speaker to be a man of deep learning, and capable of expressing himself in the finethe trings and tapable of tapressing many and the Cou House, and the large room was completely filled by a high intelligent and appreciating audience, a large portion which was composed of the fair sex, who, by their beaut and presence, contributed greatly to the entertainment of the evening. The Carlisie Band was in attendance, and considering the time it has been in existence, (about three nonths.) discoursed some very fine music.

As to the Presidency, nearly every person you meet wit s for "Pennsylvania's Favorite Son." pemocracy, but in the opposition there is a strong current in his favor. State pride has a great deal to do with this result, very many contending that the great State of Pennsylvania should be honored, for once in her existence, with the President. And when she presents the name of the of the great of this content. emocracy, but in the opposition there is a strong current of one of the greatest of living statesmen, and one who has over been true to the best interests of the Union, she should be granted her request, by her sister States, in the Nationa Convention, without any hesitation. From all I can learn Mr. Buchanan, should be be nominated, will sweep "Old Mother Cumberland" by a tremendous, old-fashioned Den ocratic majority. But I must bring this rambling epistl-

The Editor's Book Table, PENNSYLVANIA SCHOOL JOURNAL -Edited and pul lished by T. H. Burrowes, Lancaster, Pa., at \$1 per ann"

The Warch number contains the usual a all of which will be interesting to the friends of the Co mon School system. We are glad to learn the Journal is

in a prosperous condition.