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AUDITOR GENERAL: BICHARDSON L. WRIGHT, Philada. SURVEYOR GENERAL:

# JOHN ROWE, Franklin. FIRST OF APRIL.

This general pay day is close at hand, and we hope all our subscribers will be ready to meet it. We also hope they will help us to meet it, by paying up their subscriptions, and meet it, by paying up their subscriptions, and Butler, James Salisbury, of Alleghany, Joseph other accounts standing on our books, as Hutchinson, of Jefferson, Edmund Taylor, of promptly to the day as possible. There is a large amount of money due us-quite too much to allow us to conduct our business pleasantly-and if only one half of it were paid up on the first of April, we could easily square off all accounts against ourselves .-Come friends-fork over like men, and make glad the heart of the printer !

Subscribers intending to charge their resi | mittee appointed for that purpose, were read dences on the first of April, are requested to and unanimously adopted :

if elected to the responsible office for which he has been nominated, the interests of the State will be guarded with jealous care and sound judgment.

Mr. Rows, the candidate for Surveyor General, has held the office for the las: two years, and it is admitted on all hands, by friend and foe, that the Land Department never had a more honest or efficient head, or a man more worthy of the public confidence. Such are the candidates of the Democratic

party presented to the people of Pennsylvania. They are eminently worthy the support of every citizen-and especially every Democrat. Let our friends, then, every where, rally to their support, and they will be triumphantly elected in October next.

The resolutions unanimously adopted by the Convention are soundly Democratic and conservative, and will be endorsed by the party with the same unanimity that they were by its representatives.

An abstract of the proceedings of the Convention will be found in another column.

A JUST COMPLIMENT. "Randolph," the Harrisburg correspondent

of that able and truly excellent journal, The Pittsburg Post, gives sketcnes in his interest ing epistles of the members of the Legislature. We copy his remarks on the member from

The Lancaster Intelligence Denockatic state convention. Representatives at Harrisburg, on Wednesday last, 130 delegates being present of the 133 which compose a full Convention. The delegates present from Lancaster County were transpired, that either the French or British Mesars. William T. McPhail and Paul Hamilton, Senatorial-and Col. Samuel C. Stambaugh, Jacob F. Kautz, (substituted instead of F. S. Pyfer who could not attend,) Peter J. Albright and Jerome B. Shultz. Messrs. McPhail and Albright were on the Committee to select permanent officers of the Convention. Col. William Hopkins, of Washington County, Chairman of the Committee, reported the following list of officers, viz:

President-Arnold Plumer. Vice Presidents-Paul Hamilton, Peter J. Albright, and thirty-one others; and fourteen Secretaries.

The following persons were nominated for the State offices, viz:

For Auditor General-Messrs. Richardson . Wright, of Philadelphia, Jacob Ziegler, of Luzerne, and Ephraim Hamlin, of Wayne. For Surveyor General-Messre. John Rowe of Franklin, Issac Kensinger, of Bedford Robert Kelly, of Perry, Henry Colt, of Lu-zerne, Wm. T. Alexander, of Clarion, and J. Franklin Reigart, of Lancaster.

Prior to the vote on the nominations being taken, the following resolutions, reported by R. J. Haldeman, Esq., Chairman of the Com-

Subscribers intending to charge their residences on the first of April, are requested to give us timely notice of the fact, so that we may know how to forward their papers after that date. They should always state the place to, which they remove. Attention to this matter, will insure to all the prompt receipt of their papers, as heretofore. **OUR STATE TICKET**. We raise to our mast head the nominees of the Democrate, and source of awarding well gualified by long experience, undoubted in telligence, and active business habits, to discharge the duties of their offices with credit to themselves and to the advantage of the formeral, has been for several years a member of the Legislature, and is now in the State Senate. He is widely known as an honest, upright and efficient ,legislator, (qualities somewhat rare now a days at Harrisburg), and his past history is a sure guarantee that, if elected to the responsible office for which his past history is a sure guarantee that, if elected to the responsible office for which his past history is a sure guarantee that, if elected to the responsible office for which his past history is a sure guarantee that, if elected to the responsible office for which his past history is a sure guarantee that, if elected to the responsible office for which his convention, the anorthic discharge.

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Resource. That write all ecological administration the government of the lulo is is demanded by the whole spirit of our institutions, and the best judgment of the poople, it is, at the same time, incumbent upon us to sustain the proper dignity of the country at home and abroad, and not to neglect the prompt supply of all necessary means of defence against foreign aggression, and for the assertion and protection of the rights of American clitizens everywhere, and especially on this continent. Resolved, That the acquisition of the Island of Cuba by honorable and peaceable means, would be of vast importance to the properity and security of our whole contry; and also advance in an eminent degree the cause of humanity, by its tendency to check the progress of the Slave trade; and that the proposition of the President to obtain the possession of that Island by a fair purchase from the government of Spain, was a manly and upright step towards the has received the sanction and approval of Jefferson. Madleon, J. Q. Adams and Clay, as well as of eminout flying statement.

Jefferson, Madison, J. Q. Adams and Clay, as well as of eminent living statement. *Resolved*, That across the Central American Isthmus lies the great highway to our Pacific States, and that we have witnessed, with pleasure and pride, the sarnest efforts of the President to keep them open and make them safe; in which view he should be seconded by Congress with the necessary powers to enable him to insist upon the fulfilment, by the States possessing those territories, of the treaty guaranties which they have given to our citizens.

Resolved, That this Convention highly approve the course of the Hon. William Bigler, Senator in Congress from this State, and desire to record their sense of the bility, consistency, patriotism and sound national Demo-cracy which have distinguished his public acts as one of

cracy which have distinguished his public acts as one of the reoresentatives of Pennsylvania. *Resolved.* That the doctrine of popular sovereignty, which recognizes the right of the people of the Territ rise having a sufficient population to organize their State governments under a constitution with or without sla-very as they may severally determine, subject only to the Constitution of the United States, and without any con-trol of any department of the Federal government over that subject, meets with renewed and continued approba-tion and support.

ion and support. Resolved. That the prosperity of our State can be better and more securely promoted by encouraging the competi and more securely promoted by encouraging the competi-tion of individual capital, skill and industry than by any grant of corporate privileges and powers to gigantic concolles. *Resolved*, That we are in favor of an bonest and eco-omical administration of the affairs of this Common-

CITY AND COUNTY AFFAIRS. IMPORTANT FROM WASHINGTON. WASHINGTON, March 16.

The Union of this morning, in an authen tative article on our Mexican and Central American relations, says: "There is not the least reason to believe, from anything yet government meditates any interference in the litical concerns of Mexico, and it is known that Captain Turner, the American comman licer, has entered into an arrangement ing with the French and British comman that the naval officers of the three nations shall land together, should such action be ecessary to afford protection to their respective citizens. It appears further that vernment does not take the ground that the Monroe doctrine precludes any European nation from going into a war with Mexico, whatever cause might exist. It maintains nd means to take care that the Spanish American States shall not again be reduced to European dominion, but does not maintain

that these states may commit just such wrongs please against European powers they without being responsible to these powers for tortuous acts.

"Spain has declared that it has not the remotest idea of attempting to re-subjugate Mexico. The United States has no objection to one canal, or twenty, in Central America. This is no question under the Monroe doctrine. What they mean to make good is, that the contract already made and existing with their citizens shall not be violated; and that such canals, when made, shall be equally free and open to all commercial nations, and shall not be controlled by any one power, especially any European power. "Our government is officially assured that

England is not pursuing a torturing or disonest course in Nicaragua. The British government professes fairness, and ours is not at liberty to doubt their honor. Of the treaties they meditate with the government of Nicaragua, one for the regulation of the transit Route, and another for the abandon ment of the Mosquito protectorate, the gener al principles have been submitted to the gov-ernment of the United States, and approved

by it." A complaint has been lodged at the State depot against the British consul at Galveston. In November the American ship Thomas Watson, of New York. cleared with a cargo of cotton for Liverpool. The consul refused to certify to the bill of health given by the collector of that port. In consequence the ship was detained twenty-five days, and narrowly escaped shipwreck. The allegation is that the consul was actuated by feelings of petty malice and revenge, owing to the attachment of the British schooner Commerce, by the owners of the Watson for damage done in port during a norther, by the former which vessel was consigned to the British consul. The owners of the ship Watson have preferred a claim of ten thousand dollars

against the British government. It is ascertained that the Post Office Department will, at the end of the present fiscal year, 30th June, be four and a half millions dollars in arrears.

It was decided unanimously by the Cabinet that an extra session of Congress is necessary, but the time of its meeting was not fixed upon. That question will be decided in a day or and it is believed that Congress will be called upon to meet about the middle of August. The grand jury of Washington have found a true bill against Daniel E. Sickles for mur-

The jury have not yet decided respect-Mr. Butterworth's complicity in the der. ing Mr. micide of Key.

## ADJUTANT GENERAL'S REPORT.

We are in receipt of the Adjutant General's enort for the year 1858. It appears that from the year 1812 down to 1857 the Ordnance Department at Washington, has issued to the State of Pennsylvania, 45,901 muskets, 10,202 Rifles, 12,602 Pistols, 9,767 Swords and Sabres, besides accoutrements, cannon, &c.,

the cost of which was \$1,179,191.95. By the act of Congress of 1808, which was amended by the act of 1855, the sum of \$200,000 is annually appropriated to the purchase of arms to be distributed among the States. In 1857 Pennsylvania received as her quota. 1.233 muskets. During the past year requisitions were made upon the Adjutant General's office for 6.750, of which number he was only able to distribute 1.210. The Adjutant complains

THE PRISON INVESTIGATION AGAIN

"When a man becomes the bond slave of a party, and indertakes to do all the dirty little jobs which its interest em to require, it is lamentable to see the depths to which undertakes to to an the second sometimes, as we have seen to require, it is lamentable to see the depins to the such an one is forced to descand, sometimes, as we have the charity to believe, even against the promptings of theil [his]] own better feelings. We allude to the charge mad against Jar Cabwatt, Eq., the Keeper of the Count Prison, and against the Prison Inspectors, to whom the care and management of that institution is committed." The above is the first paragraph of a badly written ed torial in the last Lancaster Union, in which we are violently ousie on the occasion. assailed for the notice we took of the Prison scandal, an the ex parts, one-sided investigation had by the Inspectors The article is evidently not the editor's own production.-It smells very strongly of the Prison shop, and its paternit nable as that of the baby out of which s hardly as ques all the difficulty has arisen.

The writer starts out with the allegation that The Inte ligencer first gave publicity to the charge preferred agains the Keeper. This is simply not true. The rumor had be bruited about through town for several weeks, until finally the Examiner took hold of it. The first notice we took In those comments we expressed the hope that Mr. CADWEL could clear himself of the charge; but intimated that such a desirable result could only be obtained, and the pub

be satisfied, by a most thorough and searching investiga tion with the accused and the accuser (the woman) face t This was the head and front of our offendingface. nothing more. We did not then, nor have we since attempted "to extenuate or set down aught in mal But the Union goes a step farther, and alleges that we reiterated the charge against OADWELL, [we never made any !] and accuses us with adding "a string of charge equally unfounded against the Board of Inspectors." the wiscacre of the Union be good enough to specify the charges we made against the Inspectors. We are not conscious of having made any other than the one (if such it can be called) that they were derelict in duty-a duty they owed to the public-to have both parties before them, so that they might have made a thorough and satisfact investigation. As it was, the examination amounted to just nothing at all, and would so be pronounced by any wyer of respectable standing in the community. This was our opinion, as expressed by us one week ago, and we have neither heard or seen any thing since to alter it; no o we believe the white washing process of the Inspector will change the current of public opinion.

The Union says that, with a single exception, there wa not a witness examined on the part of the complainant "whose testimony would have a feather's weight before a ury of the country." This may be; but why, then, no have examined others whose knowledge of facts and circumstances might have been important in the trans-The single exception referred to is, we presume, Mr. HENRY F. BENZDICT, and the witness contradicting him is doubtless WALTER G. EVANS. These gentlemen are both well known in this community, and we leave it for others to say whether the Union is correct in asserting that the latte is quite as respectable and vastly more intelligent" than the former, and, of course, more worthy of crede

We said that the Inspectors should have had the girl MARY MCGLAUGHLIN, present at the investigation. This does not meet the approbation of the Union, and the writer arves that "nobody but a FOOL would think of holding them accountable" for her abse further that "nobody in Lancaster can now tell where she is." Of course the Inspectors would not be blameable, had they made any reasonable or proper exertions to have he pere; but did they do it, or did they take any steps at all to ascertain her whereabouts since she was sout away in the cars on the 23d of February? Why did they not interrogate lessrs. Evans, Hopple, and Canwell himself in reference o this matter? Perhaps they could have thrown light on the subject. At all events the question of their

knowledge of her present residence would have been rtinent one to the investigation. But the Board seeme > be oblivious to the necessity of such an inquiry, nor did they make the least effort to ascertain any thing respecting ovements of the girl.

These remarks are prompted by no ill feeling or party rejudice against either Mr. CADWELL or the Prison Inspec tors. We should have preferred throwing the mantle of oblivion over the whole discreditable transaction; but when, as public journalists, we are grossly assailed for discharging a duty we owe to the community, we feel ound to defend our position, and shall do so with out "fear, favor, or affection." If the Union desires to

ontinue the discussion of the subject upon its merits, shall be ready and willing to meet it upon that issue; if it refers a course of rude and offensive personalities, it shall nd us equally competent to defend ourselves. The end s not yet

THE FUNERAL OBSEQUIES OF THE LATE LIEUT. AN CAMP.-The remains of Lieut. CORNELIUS VAN CAMP. late of the 2d Cavalry, U. S. A., who was killed in a skirmish with the Camanche Indians, near Wichita Village, or he Texas fron ier, in October last, arrived in this city on the evening of the 14th inst, and were received by a com nittee of officers from our city military and escorted to his father's residence, in South Queen street, where they remained over night. The remains were enclosed in netallic coffin, and this was encased in one of rosewood. On Tuesday morning a detachment of Feucibles conv he remains to the Fencibles' Armory, Fulton Hall, wher bey were laid in state on a pedestal prepared expressly for the purpose. The pedestal was surma opy, on the top of which were an eagle and plume of feathers. The canopy was supported by pillars. The whole affair was draped in black, and presented a truly mournfu that he finds it impossible to induce the appearance. On either side of the coffin lay the equipments

FLAG PRESENTATION .- The ladies of the southern part of the city, in the immediate vicinity of the Shiffler Hose House, presented to the Shiffler Company, No 7, a splendid American Frag, their own fair handiwork on Thursday evenio: '455, at the Shiffler Hall, Strawber street. The presentation speech was made by Mr. REUBEN SHENK, and responded to by O. J. DICKEY, Fig. after which he company sat down to discuss the merits of a sumptuou collation, and then joined in the pleasures of the dance which was kept up until a late, or rather early hour of the orning. Miller's excellent String Band furnished

RAILROAD ACCIDENT AT MOUNT JOY .- AS the train was leaving Mount Joy on Friday morning, to Harrisburg, a lad by the name of J. W. Thomas, aged 13 years, got aboard of the train with a view of riding a lew rods, and, in attempting to jump off, his foot slipped, and the right leg was thrown under the train, and the wheels of one of the cars passed over the limb below the knee rushing the bones dreadfully. The suffering little fello was immediately taken into Patterson's office adjoinin and a messenger despatched to Marietta, five miles distant for Dr. Hinkle who has, within the last few years, proved himself one of the most successful surgeons in the State he Doctor arrived about one o'clock, and in a short time the limb was taken off. This little fellow is a son of the Rev. E. H. Thomas.

New PATENTS .- Mr. FREDERICK STAMM. O his city, has just received Letters' Patent for a New Lever Jack, having a hinged link-rod, with block and link seats for the purpose of raising heavy weights. This is a versimple contrivance, which will be found indispensable for

daily use on Railways, Farms and in Machine Shops. Mr. ABRAHAM ANDREWS, of Bernville. Berks county, ha also been granted two Letters' Patent. One for a Revolving Engine and Steam Plow, the carriage axle (operating between wheels, running independent of each other, having a revolving horizontal cylinder with two arms act ing as piston heads, mortised valve lids, and a peculia arrangement of plungers, with the carriage axle operating as the shaft without the use of a crank. It has three chan bers, and the steam is introduced at one side of the carriag axle or shaft, and as a third chamber is taking steam th first one has not yet exhausted, consequently the first i working by expansion until the steam passes the exhaus ing both steam power and fuel. This engine, of 25 or 30 horse power, does not occupy a space of over fort; nches

The other Patent is for a Water Wheel, with curved con ave buckets, and a spiral chamber beneath. The wate passes into and up the spiral chamber and against the ower side of the wheel, and is discharged above the whee The drawings, &c., of these Patents, can be seen at Col REIGART'S office, Agricultural and Mechanical Uall, (Sprech r's Buildings,) North Queen street.

THE LANCASTER MERCANTILE COLLEGE .- We could call attention to the advertisement of this Institu ion, in to-day's paper, which presents greater advantage han ever before offered. This College, now entering upo ts third year, has educated a large number of young men nany of whom are now successfully engaged in business ough the advantages of the course of instruction the eceived. Read the advertisement carefully.

A SHOOTING AFFAIR, BUT NOBODY KILLED A SHOOTING AFFAIR, BUT NOBODY KILLED. —Yesterday Charles Mayharr, store-keeper, halling from Safe Harbox, had a dispute with Geo. Miller, of Millersville, relative to a horse trade. It appears that Mayharr, being dissatiafied with the sele or trade, armed himself with three pistols, and threatened to shoot Miller. Miller drove in a buggy to Bitz's tavern, when Mayharr fired a pistol at him without effect. The parties then went into the hotel and Mayharr drew the second pistol to fire; Miller caucht bis arm and threw him against the window, breaking the glass and sab. The pistol then tell from Mayharr's hand; had it been otherwise, some one might have been injured or killed, as there were many persons present.—*Thursday's Express*.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT .- The surviving stu ients, resident in this city, of the old Franklin College, and of the High School from the years 1847 to 1851 inclusive, met at Michael's Hotel, on Tuesday evening last, for the purpose of making arrangements to take part in the

funeral obsequies of the late Lieut. CORNELIUS VAN CAMP .-GEORGE F. BRENEMAN, Esq., was called to the chair, and ALPRED SANDERSON officiated as Secretary. The President stated the object of the meeting in a few brief remarks. A committee, consisting of Messrs. RUDOLPH W. SHENE, Dr. IFO H. MARKLEY and BENJAMIN F. BARR, was appointed to make all the necessary arrangements, and also to draft esolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting. The eported the following, which were unanimously adopted reported the following, which were unanimously adopted : Resolved, That with the community in which he was so well known and generally beloved, we mourn the untiluely death of Cornelius Van Camp, late Lieutenant in the 2d Cavairy U. S. A., at the opening of a career which already gave rich promise of a future brilliant with glory to him-self, and cheering to the pride of his fellow citizens. *Resolved*, That as former fellow students and associates of the decessed, in the warm intimacy of youthful altach-ments, the daily witnesses of his eminent intellectual power, unshrinking courage, hearty generosity, and warmith of soul, we most heartily sympathies with his in public service and by the dreside, to be the pride and joy of his devoted parents and loving family. *Resolved*, That, in respect to the memory of the decasted, we attend his funeral in a body, worring the badge of mourning upon the left arm, and that a copy of these reso-lutions be transmitted to the family of the deceased and to the press for publication.

the press for publication. TOUTHACHE -This disease can be cured 100/HACH2. — In a Gundar Gundar Gundar Gundar Gundar Gundar Gundar Ranger Gundar Gu

LOCAL MAIL ARRANGEMENTS-CLOSING OF THE MAILS AT THE LANCASTER POST OFFICE .- The following carefully prepared table of the hours for closing the various

AN ARCH DEWAGOGUE .- The Hon. John Sherman, of Ohio. has fairly won the title of demagogue," by his course in Congress. The Mt. Vernon (Ohio) Democratic Banner draws the following picture of him :

"There is no man in Congress who has made a greater outcry than Mr. John Sherman, of the Richland District, about the 'extrava gance' of the government; and yet no mar living has done more towards swelling the ex penses of the country than himself. Under the ridiculous pretence of investigating the 'frauds' in Kansas, he and others of his political ilk, in July, 1856, raised a Special Committee of Investigation, with power to send for persons and papers. This Commit tee visited Kansas, and made a long 'cock and bull' report, occupying over 1200 closely printed pages, all about matters with which the people were already too familiar, the leading facts having been published in all the newspapers throughout the country. If he ex-penses of this 'smelting committee,' if our memory is not at fault, were some forty or fifty thousand dollars. It was a regular treasury plunder,' ten times worse than

anything that was ever charged upon the Democratic party. But the object was not to expose 'frauds' in Kansas, but to make political capital for the Black Republican narty.

"Of a similar character was the recent In vestigating Committee, gotten up by Mr. Sherman relative to the 'frauds' in the Navy. The expenses attending this second effort of the arch demagogue, are said to be at least \$10,000, which, added to the enormous sum previously drawn from the treasury to defray the expenses of the Kansas foolery, will show to the people of this country how and by whom the national treasury is 'plundered.

THE REV. EDWARD C. JONES, OF PHILADEL PHIA .--- This gentleman has for the past ten years embarked his undivided energies in one of the best of causes. We refer to the moral amelioration of the mentally affected. He has had beneath his care in Blockly Hospital nearly 3000 patients, all of whom have looked up to him for evangelical instruction and

christian sympathy with their condition .--With the exception of the Rev. Dr. Gallandet, of Hartford, Connecticut, whose death the christian public were called to mourn a few years ago, Mr. Jones has been longer engaged in this good work than any other Clergyman. We cannot conceive of a field of effort where a stronger motion for action could be presented and are a source of great profit to the hardy to a christian heart. The helplessness of those who are stricken down by Providence, their susceptibility to kindness, their yearning for sympathy, and their strong religious aspirations even in the darkness of impaired intel lect, all there circumstances combine to elicit the disinterested efforts of the philanthropist

in their behalf. We hope Mr. JUNES will de vote his life to a work in which he has been so long and successfully engaged. His enlarged experience will be fruitful, we doubt not, of the richest issues.

STATE TREASURERS OF OHIO. With looseness in politics we have slander ers, assassins and murderers, and behind all these the robbers of public treasuries, as well

as of banks and corporations. In the Ohio State Journal are seven pages of a report by an investigating committee appointed by the Legislature to probe into the system of extensive olundering which reaches over the time occuied by three successive Treasurers of that pany. tate. Over five hundred thousand dollars were abstracted during this profitable season, while Albert A. Blin, Jonn G. Breslin and about a year ago. She claimed damages to William H. Gibson were in office. As the the amount of \$20,000. The arbitrators were Commissioners had a period of twelve years to go over, and met with many difficulties by so successful as they have been found to be in their voluminous report. We have not space to advert even to the main features of the acts

the way, it is remarkable that they should be perpetrated while these State Treasurers were in office, but we need not hesitate to say that a more disgraceful and censurable picture of

dishonesty to the public has never been presented for inspection and reprobation.

VENTILATING CARS .- Mr. Robert R. Taylor, f Reading, Pa., has secured a patent for a valuable improvement in apparatus for forcing air into railway a constant supply of pure air into railway cars. It consists of a blowing cylinder, hung wone of the trucks of the car, and operated

from one of the axles by means of an eccen tric, in combination with flexible or self-accommodating pipes for admitting air to, and discharging it from the cylinder, and with distributing pipes for admitting the compressed air into the car. The air heing forced into a cistern containing water, it will be de-prived of the particles of dust by coming in contrast with the water, and thus be perfectly free from all impurities when forced into the cars. Simultaneously with the forcing of this onstant supply of pure air into the interior of the car, the projecting portions of the van wheel (inserted in small openings near the roof, on each side of the ear,) are turned round by the impulse of the external air, caused by the progress of the car, and the rapid revolving motion of the vanes tends to facilitate the ape of the impure air from the car. The whole arrangement is very simple, and con-sequently very little liable to get out of order.

A FRIGHTFUL SCENE.-A frightful scene was witnessed, yesterday morning, on the roof of a three story house situated on Water street, between Monroe and Quincy. A young man was standing upon the comb of the roof re-

pairing a chimney when, the shingles being wet and slippery, he lost his foothold and slid slowly down, feet foremost, towards the eaves. The two or three persons who witnessed the accident turned away sick with terror. Although the man made every effort to get a hold, which the fear of certain death would naturally prompt, he moved slowly down, and was only checked from falling to the pavement below by a water spout, against which his feet came in contact. But for this frail obstruction he must have been dashed into a shapeless mass. Without uttering a cry for help, the young man kicked off his shoes and proceeded to ascend, which he succeeded in doing, and went to work at his chimney again, apparently taking little account of an acci lent which had made the eye witnesses heart sick and dumb with terror .- Wheeling Intel ligencer, March 10.

FROM HAVRE DE GRACE .- Wild ducks are unusually abundant this season. Immense numbers are packed in harrels and sent to the New York market. They are selling in Havre de Grace at \$1 per pair for canvasbacks and redheads, and 311 cents for blackheads. They take their flight about the first of March for the lakes, and return in October and adventurous citizens of that town. In a good season an expert gunner can average ter dollars a day. The exposure sport is highly exhilerating. The exposure is great, but the

Shad flies and fishermen are swarming in the streets of Havre de Grace, the latter wend ing their way from the cities to the different fishing shores in the vicinity Myrinds of these shud flies glitter in the sunbeams, these shud flies glitter in the sunbeams, erawl over your clothes and into your hair, keeping one constantly busy in brushing them They are said to ome out of the river, off. and like the mosquitoe, breed in the water. The fishing season will commence earlier than usual, if the weather continues favorable The busy note of preparation is heard all along the shore. Boats and nets being overhauled and made ready, in anticipation of a A shad was taken at Swan good catch. Creek on Tuesday last, a few miles below Havre de Grace.

HEAVY DAMAGES AGAINST A RAILROAD COM-PANY.-On Wednesday and Thursday of last week, testimony was taken before arbitrators at West Chester, in the case of Catharine G. Ogier vs. The Pennsylvania Rrilroad Com-The suit was brought to recover damages sustained by the loss of her husband. Dr. Ogier, who was accidentally killed by the cars, in East Whiteland township, Chester county, Messre. Joseph Dowdall, Samuel J. Dickey, and John M. Kelton. The testimony was concluded on Thursday evening, and the cause The arbitrators summed up by the counsel. deliberated until one o'clock in the morning, when they came to an agreement, rendering a verdict against the Railroad Company for \$15,000 damages and the costs.

A VAGRANT HEIR TO TWO MILLIONS .- The Buffalo Republic states that a Russian named Albert David, who, on the 3d of February, was sentenced to the penitentiary of that county as a vagrant, has fallen heir, by the death of his father, to an immense fortune in Russia valued at over two millions of dollars

Oumberland, HUGH STUART, Esq., than whom a better Democrat, higher toned gentleman or sounder legislator does not live. Mr. STUART is the eldest son of that honored and influential citizen of "Old Mother Cumber land," and veteran in the Democratic cause, HOD. JOHN STUART :

Mr. Stuart, of Cumberland, is a sound Democrat and a man of the purest intentions. He too has had experience, this being his second term. His unbounded popularity is fally attested by his re-election, when we take into consideration the perfect upsetting of the Demogratic household at the last election --Mr. S. does not trouble the house by windy arguments, but is ever ready to serve his constituents and to do battle for the principles that actuate the Democratic party. He is a whole-souled man, and in appearance not un like your late fellow townsman Gen. Larimer. If the people of his district are desirous to be represented by a truly honest and fearless democrat, then in that instance they cannot get a better or more pure man than Stuart.

#### A RESPITE.

A respite has been granted to the four condemned men at Baltimore, Gambrill, Crop, Corrie, and Cyphus, who were to have been hanged on Friday last, until Friday the 8th day of April next. The Governor, in his letter to the Sheriff on the subject, says that he has been actuated by the earnest solicitation of the spiritual advisers and parents of the prisoners, who represent them as being entirely unprepared, and beg that further time may be granted them to prepare for their doom. He also desires the Sheriff to make known to these unfortunate men that this extension of time is allowed for the purpose of enabling them to prepare to meet their solemn fate, and that all hope and expectation of further Executive clemency must be entirely banished from their minds.

### ANTICIPATED ACQUITTAL.

We learn from Washington, in relation to the approaching trial of Sickles, that the guilty connection of Mr. Key and Mrs. Sickles will be admitted, to avoid disclosures injurious to the memory of Mr. Key ; and the argument of the prosecution will be directed to examine whether the existence of such a criminal connection excuses the slaving of the seducer by the husband's hand, and whether Mr. Sickles committed the act under the extenuating influences of an exasperating conviction of this fact. If precedents are of value it will be difficult for the prosecution to sustain their side of the case. It is but a short time since that, in the State of Virginia, a certain Mr. Myers proceeded to the bed-room of a man from whom he sustained a similar injury, and shot him while in bed. Public opinion justified, and a jury acquitted him without leaving the box. Again, in Washington city, and but within the last two years, a young man, from near the Navy Yard, called on the seducer of his sister and demanded the reparation of a marriage for the injured girl, which, being refused, he shot the seducer. Public opinion justified, and a jury acquitted him without leaving the box. Nor are such precedents confined to this country. Lord Napier has stated it as his belief that in England, if the criminal connection be of the character stated. no jury could be found to convict the husband

READING ELECTION .- The Municipal elec tion held at Reading, on Friday last, resulted in the complete triumph of the "People's Party"-the Democrats losing the Mayor and all the Councilmen. The vote for Mayor was: KEIN (People's cand.) 1703; M'CURDY (Dam.) 759. Keim's majority 944.

It was so much of a one sided affair throughout, that it may be doubted whether the Democrate were in earnest when they made their nominations.

wealth, and until the people are relieved from the burden of the enormous debt now hanging over them, we are opposed to any unnecessary expenditive of the public money or any reduction of the present sources of revenue. *Resolved*, That in view of the difficulties attendant upon the regulation of a banking system, and of the losses inci-dental to a deposit of the public moneys in such institu-tions, the early soloption of an independent Treasury for the safe keeping of the moneys of the Commonwealth, on the principle of the sub-treasury of the United States. is recommended to the Legislature of the State. The following additional resolution, offered

by Mr. Lamberton, of Dauphin, after considerable discussion, was defeated by a vote of 37 for, to 84 against :

Resolved, That we approve the State policy of Governoo Wm. F. Packer. Ilie just exercise of the veto power bas been fearless and Democratic, and his administration o the affairs of our Commonwealth and the execution of the laws, commands our commendation. [On this resolution the Delegates from

# Lancaster County voted as follows:

Messrs. Hamilton, McPhail, Shultz and Stambaugh voted for the resolutions, and Messre, Albright and Kautz against it.] The Convention then proceeded to ballot for

Auditor General with the following result: Messra. Acker. Africa. Albright. Askins. Baer. Bell, Barto. Boggs. Bradt. Bowman, Boyle, Back. Brenner. Bullard. Bruce. Bigony. Brimner, Brown. Clark. Cunning-ham. Conner, Davis. (Montgomery, Davis. (Unica). Duvi. Lagerman. Hall. Houpt. Jenke. Flood. Glibert. Gerrit-gon. Gray. Gildas, Hobart. Haldeman. Hamilton. Hookine. Hagerman. Hall. Houpt. Jenke, Jenkins, Keim. Kautz. Kyle, Knight. Lamberton. Latts. Lowry. Leisenring. Leib. Miller. (Perry.) MPHall. Myer. Monaghan. Morrison. M'Manus. Miller, (Washington.) Nolf. Naves, Neely. Orden. Painter, Plank, Peck. Piolett, Petriken, Ralston, Roberts. Shannon, Seely. Sansom. Shultz. Stambauzh. Serrer, Snowden, Sherwood, Tate. (Bedford.) Turev. Tate. (Columbia.) Vanzutt. Vanbuskirk. Weieh. Whallon. Witmer, Wharton G. M. Wharton John and Weidenhamer -89, voted for RICRARDSON L. WRIGHT. Messrs. Butler. Collins. Carr. Campbell. Dickey. Donelly. Davies, (Northampton.) Gillis. Grady. Griman, Ives. Kem-merer. Lyman, Marshall. M'Knight, M'Bride. Meguiand. Stebloy, Shawde and Wallace-27, voted for JAcon ZieoLen. Messrs. Bulley, (Alleghany.) Feitzman. Gibson. Penney, Phillips, Sproui and Swan-7, voted for JAcon ZieoLen. Messrs. Bulley, Chledhany.) Fotterman. Gibson. Penney, Phillips, Sproui and Swan-7, voted for JAcon ZieoLen. Messrs. Bulley, Chledhany.) Fotterman. Gibson. Penney. Phillips, Brouland Swan-7, voted for JAmes Satisburgt. Auditor General with the following result:

Mr. Tate, (Bedford,) moved to make the

comination unanimous; which was agreed to. Mr. Piolett moved that John Rowe, of Franklin county, be nominated viva voce for Surveyor General.

The names of all opponents were withdrawn JOHN ROWE was nominated unanimously by celamation.

The following resolution was then agreed to Resolution was then apprecia to: Resoluted, that the imposition of the present tonnage tax upon the freight, &c., of the Pennsylvania rallroad is a contract entered into on the part of the Commonwealth with the said company, the benefits of which the said company have realzed, and that a repeal of the law impos-ing the same would operate unjustly towards the tax-payers. reputation.

Mr. Lamberton moved the appointment a Committee of three to inform Richardson L. Wright of his nomination ; agreed to.

Mr. Levi L. Tate offered the following : Resolved, That the thanks of the Committee on Resolu-tions are hereby tendered to the members of the Senate for the kind offer of the Hall of the Senate for the use of the seid Committee, and that the thanks of the Convention, are cordially voted the members of the House of Represen-tatives for the use of the Hall during session of the Demo-cratic State Convention.

The resolution was agreed to.

Mr. L. L. Tate also offered the following which was agreed to:

Resolved, That we hereby recommend the cordial support of the nominees of this Convention to the honest Demo-ratic electors of Pennsylvania, pledging our unlet deforts o aid in securing its triumphant election upon the second Cressday of next October.

The President appointed the following Committee to wait upon the candidates and inform them of their nomination :

Messrs, Lamberton, Welsh and Petriken. Mr. Gildea offered the following resolution,

which was adopted : Resolved, That the Chairman of this Convention be authorized to appoint a State Central Committee, to con-lat of at least one from each Senatorial district.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted :

Resolved, That the thanks of this Convention be tended d the President, and officers, for the impartial manner which he has presided over its deliberations.

Governor Black, of Nebraska, happening to be present, and being called upon, delivered an able and eloquent speech, which engaged the attention of the Convention until nearly

midnight. After which, the Convention adjourned sine die.

IST LORD LYONS, the new appointed Brit-

ish Minister to Washington, arrived at New Agent for this City and County. York on Tuesday last.

Brigade Inspectors to make their the Act of Assembly requires. The uniformed militia of the State is stated to be 13,600; the number capable of bearing arms between the ages of 21 and 45 years, is set down at 225,000, and the number under 21, and over 45, 111,400, making an aggregate of 350,000.

We believe the salary of the Adjutant General should be increased and the office made respectable.

FOREIGN NEWS. The Bremen steamer Weser arrived at New

York on Thursday evening, with three days later news from Europe. The intelligence is of a warlike character, and a want of confidence in Lord Cowley's mission to Austria visted. Reports of further secessions from the British Cabinet were current in England. The Liberals in Parliament were about unitng, it is said, under Lords Palmerston and Russel, in opposition to the Government Reform bill. The Emperor of Austria has become embittered against France. The Vienna journals are also warlike, while the military preparations throughout Italy continue. It is said that the French troops have been withdrawn from Rome, but another

## account says the report is premature.

THE EDITORS' BOOK TABLE. ICTURES OF COUNTRY LIFE. By Alice Cary. Auth of "Clovernock," "Married not Mated." etc. etc., a published by Derby & Jacson, New York.

The above is the title of a very handsome volume of 360 ages, just issued from the press, and for sale by Elias Barn & Co., Booksellers in this City. The contents are as fol ows, viz : Lem Lyon; Passages from the Married Life of Eleano

Holmes: The Outcast; Hasty Words and their Apology Sarah Morris; The House with two Front Doors; Uncle John's Story; Making the Children Something: The Apple Outting : Eliza Anderson : Mrs. Walden's Confidant : The Sountry Cousin; An Old Maid's Story. A hasty glance at the contents satisfies us that it is a

lighly interesting and readable book, and will doubtles neet with a very ready sale. The author is well known a ne of the cleverest of modern writers in light literature and in the volume before us she fully maintains her high

THE WAVERLY NOVELS. The well-known firm of T. B. Peterson & Brothers, 30 stout street Philadelphia, are now engaged in publish ing a remarkably cheap edition of these unapproachabl orks of fiction. The first, "Ivanhoe," appeared on Sai rday of last week : the next, " Guy Mannering." will issu o day, "Rob Roy," next, and so on, one novel will be put Ished regularly on each and every coming Saturday, until the whole number of volumes—twenty six—is completed. The low price fixed by the publishers for them are only 25 cents a volume, or the whole twenty-six volumes for five follars. A complete set will be forwarded, free of postage y mail, to any part of the United States, to any one, by the publishers, on receiving a remittance of five dollar for the twenty-six volumes: or a remittance of three dol ars will pay for the first twelve volumes: or a remittance f one dollar will pay for the first four volumes. The novels will be neatly printed, and each volume will contain about 125 pages, printed on fine white paper, and neatly bound with paper cover. The revised uniform Edinburgh edition, from which this is reprinted, comprise forty-eight volumes, the cost of which is *scorty-two dollars*, and this edition will contain every word of the Edinburgh

edition. We commend the determination of this enterpri ing Philadelphia firm, to furnish the works of an autho like Walter Scott, at a price so reasonable, that all person whatever may possess a full set, and direct the especial attention of our readers to the fact, and would advise them all to make a remittance of Five Dollars at once, per first nail, to the publishers, for the entire set, who will send them complete to any one, free of postage, on receipt of that sum.

"GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE AND TRUST Co."-We direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement of this Company, which and Managers of it, are among the most careful and prudent business men in Phila delphia, and the company has enjoyed an extraordinary degree of success. Its business is now limited exclusively to fire, and inland and marine cargo risks.

The company was organized in 1856, with an authorized capital of \$500,000. GEo. CALDER, Esq., E. Orange st., is the authorized

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of the deceased American Flaz. The walls of the Armory were draped in ful for reference, by business men and others. A correct black. Guards were kept on duty day and night. The Armory was thronged with visitors, and on Tuesday many left who could not obtain admission.

The funeral obsequies took place on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The following was the order of the funera

procession : Fencibles' and Rifles' Bands. Col. Duchman. Jackson Rifles—Lieut. Cox commanding. Lancaster Precibles—Lieut. Franklin commanding. Brig. Gen. Shaeffer and Staff. and Brigade Inspector Amwer. Hearse containing corpse, with guard of honor on either side.

side. Mayor and City Councils. Students of Franklin College and of the Hich School from the years 1847 to 1851 inclusive. Soldiers of the War of 1812 and of the Mexican War. City Clergy. Family and relatives of decased in carriages. Citizons in general.

The funeral cortege proceeded up West King street to

Centre Square, thence up North Queen to Lemon street, and along Lemon to the Lancaster Cemetery. It was nearly n hour in passing over the route. At the grave an appr priate and eloquent discourse was delivered by Rev. WALTER Powell, of the 1st Presbyterian Church, and prayer was offered and the funeral service read by Rev. E. W. APPLE TON, of St. John's Free Church.

The streets and houses along the route were lined with people, and it is estimated that from 3,000 to 5,000 persons were assembled on the Cemetery grounds. After which the usual vollies of musketry were fired over the grave by the From the above brief account of the funeral obsequies

will be observed that the highest respect was paid to the memory of one of the most gallant and noble-hearted of Lancaster's sons. "Peace to his ashes."

RELIGIOUS .- Rev. Dr. Hopgson preached his closing sermons, as previously announced, in the First M. E. Church, Duke street, on Sunday morning and evening ast. The discourse in the morning was on the rise, progres and present history of Methodism, and the even devoted principally to a defence of the ifinerant system .-In the morning the church was well filled, and in the even ning the attendance was a perfect jam. Dr. H. leaves this city generally regretted. His loss will not easily be supplied. JOSEPH SMITH preached his farewell serm crowded audience in St. Paul's M. E. Church, South Queer

street, on Sunday evening. The East Mission House of the Young Men's Hon Mission Society, of the First M. E. Church, located in East King street, opposite Plum, was opened with appropriate for public worship, on Sunday aftern by Rev. Dr. HODGSON. JAMES BLACE, Esq., also made a few remarks. The Mission Room was crowded. The house is the property of Mr. JACOB N. MILLER, who has kindly and liberaly appropriated it to the Society for the purpose of the Mi

Rev. A. X. SHOEMAKEE delivered an able and interesting discourse on the "History and Character of Noah," to a large audience, in the Union Bethel Church, corner West )range and Prince streets, on Sunday morning last.

The Cadets of Temperance, it being their 12th anniver sary, attended St. John's Lutheran Church, West Orange street, on Sunday morning, and an appropriate and eloquent liscourse was delivered by Rev. D. STECE.

The Firemen's Prayer Meeting was held in the Human Engine Hall, Manor street, on Sunday afternoon. The rvices were participated in by quite a large number of Firemen and others.

ATTEMPTED ROBBERY .-- Another unsuccess ful attempt was made on Wednesday night last to rob the office and fire-proof safe of Messrs. G. Sener & Sons, Lumbe and Coal Merchants, North Prince street. A similar attempt was made several weeks aro, and doubtless by the same gang of burglars. The safe, which is burglar, fire and powder proof, resisted all their attempts by applying powder and chiseling. Even if they had succ effecting an entrance they would not have obtained any money, as the firm are in the habit of making daily ts in bank. We have not a doubt if the gentlement would be pleased to call again they will receive a warm ecention from the Messre. Sener.

DROWNED .--- On Tuesday last a little son of Mr. John Martin, who works at Millport, was drowned in Mill Creek, near that village. Coroner Summy heid an inquest, and the jury returned a verdict of accidents

ESCAPE FROM PRISON, AND RE-ARREST .--- A nulatto, named Anderson, who has been confined in the County Prison for a period of over six years for kidnapping, escaped from that Institution on Wednesday last ppears that the Clerk, Mr. Hoffmeier, accompanied by an ant, went into his cell on some particular business. Whilst there Anderson wrenched a leg from a stool and as appears in another column. The President Mr. H. was stooping down he gave him a blow on the head which laid him senseless on the floor. Anderson then passed out of the cell, and made at Flanigan, the assistant, who had the keys of the gate, and struck him several blows. Anderson, who is a large and athletic man, obtained the mastery of Flanigan, and also got possession of the keys, and then let bimself out of the prison bounds. He vas, however, discovered the same evening, about 10 ock, in front of Urban's Hotel, West King street, by a crowd of persons who knew him by his wearing the prison ress. The crowd, joined by Watchman Besh, gave chase

and captured the darkey in the vicinity of the S. W. Ward. Public Schools, in Mulberry street. He was immediately aveyed back to Prison where he is now closely confined.

mails at the post office in this city, will schedule of this kind has often been enquired for : BY RAILROAD.

Eastern Through Mail-For Philadelphia, New York and Eastern States, at 2 p. m., and 6.45 p. m. Way Mail East—For Philadelphia and intermediate offices

Way Mail Est-For Philadelphia and intermediate offices, at 8 a.
Western Through Mall-For Columbia, Harrisburg, Pitts-burg and Western States. At 0. p. m.
Way Mail West-Por Landisville, Elizabethtown, Mount for, Midlatown, Harrisburg, Lewistown, Huntingdon, Alkoona and Pittsburg) at 93/a.
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Pittsburg Through Mail, at 93/a.
For Strasburg, via: Charge, Quarryville, Martinsville, and Yest Providence, 85 STAGE.
For Reading, via: Neffaville, Littiz, Rothsville, Zphrata, Reamstown, Adamstown and Gouglersville, Lephrata, Reamstown, Adamstown and Gouglersville, Aphrata 8 a.

hours, however, will determine the case."

a. m. a. m. For Lebanon, via: East Hempfield, Manheim, White Oak, Mount Hope and Cornwall, daily, at 9½ a. m. For Millersville and Slackwater, daily, at 1 p. m. For Safa Harbor, daily, at 1 p. m. For Hinkletown, via: Lands Valley, Oregon, West Earl,

and Farmersville, daily, at 2 p. m. For Paradise, via : Greenland and Soudersburg, daily, at WASHINGTON, March 18 .- Notwithstanding the reports sent from here yesterday, in relation to a special session of Congress being 3 p. m. For Litiz. via : Neffsville, daily, 3 p. m. For Marietta, via : Hempfield and Silver Spring, daily, ordered for the 22d of August, this matter bas

3 p m. r Strasburg, via : Fertility and Wheatland Mills, daily at not yet been definitely settled, though there can be no doubt that a special session will be

3 p. m. For Lampeter, daily, at 3 p. m. For New Holland, via: Binkley's Bridge, Leacock, Barevil Beartown, Bowmansville and Muddy Creek, daily, at p. m. or Pheenixviile, via: New Holland, Blue Ball. Goodville, Churchtown, Morgantown, Honeybrook, Chester Springs, and Kimberton, Tri-weekly, Tuesday, Thursday and Sat-

prday, at 12 m. or Port Deposit, Md., via : Willow Street, Smithville, Buck, Chesnut Level, Green, Pleasant Groye, Rock Springs, Md.;

el, Green, Bleasant Groye, Rock Springs, Md.; Isville, Md., Tri-weekly, Monday, Wednes-Chesnut Love, vi-and Rowinadsville, Md., Tri-weekiy, so-day and Friday, at 6 a. m. or Colebrook, via : Swarr's Mill, Old Line. Sporting Hill and Masteroonville, Tri-weekly, Monday, Wednesday and sale. There was not as large a number of mules offered as usual. Good stock sold at

Friday, at 12 m. or Vogansville and Terre Hill, Tri weekly, Monday, Thursday and Saturday, at 2 p. m. or Liberty Square, via: Conestoga, Marticville, Coleman-ville and Mount Nebo, Semi-weekly, Wednesday and Sat-

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Common cattle only were sold, and brought fair prices; 25 two year olds at \$28; 26 ditto, at \$26; others as low as \$20. Cows with calves from \$30 to \$28. Oxen from \$100 to Postage to California, Oregon and Washington Territo-

ers, alleged to be valuable, will be registered, and a receipt given therefor, on application and payment of the registration fee of five cents, in addition to the regular

ostage. All letters are required to be pre-paid with stamps before her can be mailed. H. B. SWARB, Postmaster.

number of jacks were on exhibition; a few common ones were sold from \$1,185 to \$225. An GEORGETOWN KEYSTONE LYCEUM met on th The money transactions, as usual at the first of March, were very large, probably a million and a half changing hands. There was a great demand for money and good rates of interest paid, one per cent. being the average. that Lowe, one of the victims of the late trag edy at Harrisonville, Ky., wore a steel shirt or coat of mail, which fitted tight to his whole body. The Louisville Journal says :

and a hundred guns and pistols were fired at Lowe, and that there were thirty two bullet TROUBLESOME COUGHS AND COLDS -The TROUBLESOME COUGHS AND COLDS — The health of the community is always a subject of serious consideration to those who are subject of serious consideration to those who are subject of the serious consideration to those who are adding which make their appearance during the winter and spring months. We would advise all such who are adflicted with any lung difficulty to apply at once to Dr. KEYER'S PECTORAL STREF, a medicine prepared by a careful physician of the old school, who has cured himself by this great medicine, nearly twenty years aco, and has since used it with wonderful effect. We know Dr. Keyser to be a man entitled to the respect of the public, sud as such, we would at C. A. Heinitsh's, Lancaster. tered his body or even drew a drop of blood. Heavily loaded guns were fired at him at a distance of not more than six feet, and he was epeatedly knocked down and whirled around pected. by the leaden missiles, yet no wounds except ontusions were inflicted. The ball which struck his thigh made a very severe but did not enter the skin. Our informant saw a strong man strike him four times with a

# A NEW MILITARY ROAD .--- It is reported

turned without penetrating. from Washington that Lieut. Mullin has been Lowe, it will be remembered, was subse ordered to the Pacific to superintend the con quently murdered in jail by two men who struction of a military road from Fort Benton, gained forcible admission. It is alleged that on the Upper Missouri, to Walla Walla, on he had declared his determination to take their the Columbia, for which Congress appropriated \$100,000. It is to penetrate the heart of the grand jury have declared that the two men country which has been the scene of Indian hostilities recently. When peace shall be of self-preservation. better assured, Gen. Harney will relinquish the command there and return East.

ELECTION IN MAINE .- The Maine Democrat of March 15th, announces that at the municipal election of Biddleton City the Democrats carried five of the seven wards, and re elected Hon: Cyrus Gordon, their candidate for Mayor, by 27 majority over John Tuck, Esq., the Republican candidate.

THE EXTRA SESSION QUESTION. The banker of the deceased was in Buffalo on WASHINGTON, March 18 .- The Union of to day contains the following article :

mperative practical necessity, that the ques

tion is considered at all; and this involves

ANOTHER DESPATCH.

called, and that the Proclamation of the

President will go out to California and Oregon

MONTHLY SALE OF LIVE STOCK, ETC .- The

Last Monday was a beautiful day, and

\$86. A larger number of horses were sold

amount of saddleware, buggies, etc., were sold.

THE KENTUCKY TRAGEDY.-It now appears

Our informant, who was a spectator of

powie-knife, but the point of the weapon

ed, entered the stable of Lloyd & Co., at Al-

was discovered, on Sunday morning, search

was instituted, and the horses were traced a

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bruise,

legheny Furnace, and stole therefrom two was continued, and the Secretary and Treas-

horses, together with two bridles, two collars uner added to the committee. An election for and a wagon saddle. As soon as the theft officers to serve for the ensuing year was held.

Considerable distance on the road towards Dauphin county, Recording Secretary.—Daily Cumberland, Md.

Paris (Ky.) Flag, of March 9, says:

by the next steamer.

mere expediency, we are sure it

the 25th ult., taking measures to effect the release of David, who says he came to this " Contrary to the givings out of newspapers country four years ago with sixty thousand an extra session has not yet been determined upon by the President. It is understood that dollars in his possession, one half-of which he lost by the panic, and the balance of which the subject was under consideration in the Cabinet yesterday; but a final determination was not reached. If it were a question of he squandered.

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CENTRAL AMERICA.-A letter from an intel ligent American residing at Aspinwall, contains the following :

once be set down that there would be no extra session. It is only from the point of view of "We truly hope that Congress has given the President the power and means to settle the Panama outrage difficulty. It has been careful and pains taking examination of facts. We are still in hopes that some way will be too long left unadjusted. Prompt action in such cases, on the part of the Government of the United States, would soon exact respect ound of avoiding an extra session. A few for us abroad, particularly from these petty South American States.

"The remedy should immediately follow the commission of any such outrage. If such matters were left entirely to the discretion of our commanders of squadrons for adjustment, unrestricted by instructions, they would be more promptly and effectually disposed of than they now are."

FROM WASHINGTON .- The Washington correspondent of the New York Herald of Friday. writes:

" The Grand Jury in Mr. Butterworth's case acquit him of any participation in the great crowd of business men from this and Sickles affair. They brought in a bill, as stated, against Mr. Sickles. The jury were djoining States were present at our monthly The jury were unanimous. In regard to Mr. Butterworth, there were three of the jury who were very high prices; mules three years old sold at \$170, \$150, \$130 to \$83. Two year olds at reluctant to yield, notwithstanding there was \$170, \$150, \$130 to \$83. Two year olds at \$151, \$160, \$101 to \$50. Yearlings at \$90 to \$50. Match mules from \$340 to \$269. no proof against him.

The State Department has received additional news from Commissioner Bowlin. He confirms what has already been stated that both Brazil and the Argentine Confederation are employing their good offices to adjust the difficulties between the United States and Paraguay. Brazil has renewed her offers of mediation, but Commissioner Bowlin informed than we have before noticed—many of them were from Indiana and Ohio. The prices realized were from \$175 to \$55. A large them he had no authority to accept. Whether she will be successful remains to be seen.

"The last arrival from Europe brings additional intelligence from our Ministers at London and Paris. Preparations for war are active, and it is considered by leading men in those countries as inevitable. In regard to Mr. Preston's arrival at Madrid, Mr. Dodge makes no mention of it. A bitter feeling towards the United States prevails there."

FATAL ACCIDENT .- Dr. John Wright, formerly a member of the Legislature from Dauphin county, was run over by the care near Halifax a few days ago, whilst walking on the Railroad. His little daughter, who was with him at the time, had her arm taken scene, says that at least between seventy five off, and was otherwise seriously injured. The Dr. had recently established himself in Coland buckshot holes through all portions of his | umbia, in the practice of his profession, and coat, but that not a solitary hall or shot en | had went up the river to his old home for the purpose of making arrangements to remove his family to Columbia. He was much res-

FROM KANSAS-Election on the 28th of March.-Governor Medary has issued a proclamation for an election on the fourth Mo March, in accordance with the act of the last Legislature, providing for the formation of a constitution for a State government .--Three months residence prior to the election s requisite to a vote. Aliens having declared their intentions to become citizens are qualified. Delegates to the constitutional convention are to be elected.

George H. Bucher, of Cumperland county,

was elected Treasurer, and A. Q. Hiester, of

lives when he got out. What is singular, the STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY .--- The Executive Committee, composed of all the Vice Presidents of the Pennsylvania State Agriwere justified in what they did on the ground cultural Society, met in Harrisburg yesterday. Every section of the State was well represent-ed. The committee appointed at the last HORSE THIEVES AT ALTOONA .- On Saturday ed. meeting, of which President Taggart is chairnight last. one of the numerous gang of those thieves, with which the country is now infestman, to receive proposals and decide upon the place of holding the next Annual Exhibition.