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| disputable facts，but content the mselves by speaking of the＂democratic string－ calamity and Hasting＇s silent mills and such like． <br> Again we say to our dear uncle，of the Gazette，answer these issues for the benefit of your readers，but don＇t dodge don＇t hedge and don＇t get vile about it． ＂Can you do it？Will you do it？ Dare you do it？＂， <br> D．F，FOIGTNEY HEFLIE： |  |
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| man has plenty of work and good andincreasing wages＂Is certainly the best |  |
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| year by any newspaper in Centrecounty． |  |
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| Gazette therefore whales me without cause． |  |
| I know，however，as well as the Ga－at：e，that the Bellefonte－Glass Works， |  |
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| Nail Works，Howard Furnace and roll．ing mill，Curtins works and Collins |  |
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| furnace are not running．I know alsothat all the mills，furnaces or factorieswent down several years |  |
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| went down several years ago under a high tariff．If a high tariff is the pan acea for all the ills that befall us，ds |  |
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| acea for all the ills that befall us，$d s$ a people then all these works ought to have been running |  |
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| have been running． <br> The Howard furnace never blew a |  |
| blast nor the rolling mill rolled a rod during the operation of the McKinley |  |
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| during the operation of the McKinley tarif．The Nail works cosed early in 1801 or late in 1800 ，and the Glass works |  |
| before that ind Curt or 1891. |  |
| It is hardly possible that any of theworks mentioned will ever be in opera－ |  |
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| 隹 tion exeept Collins furnace．It was |  |
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| Mckinley tarif and remains so． These men，in view of the facts that |  |
| all the works have gone down underhigh turif stoould be aslamed to advo |  |
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| cate a protective tariff as a means of <br> supplying work to labor，or as a meatis |  |
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| to keep industries in operation． <br> I do not allege that tariff closed all |  |
| these mulls and factories，but 1 do onythey were clowed during a higlitarift |  |
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| period．It is the republican papers and |  |
| to a high tarif and adversity to a low tarif． |  |
| To tell the truth，the Nail works ought never to have been built，they have been |  |
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| other hand they have been an absolute |  |
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| tune of one of our bravest，noblest and most liberal citizens．Just now it is im－ possible to count the number of |  |
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| that have gone down trying to run the glass works． |  |
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| Lhase workse Heno oomes the evil of the high tarifr It unduly stimulated industries：naii |  |
| factorles moltiplied until the markets are all overstocked，then the factories being farthest from the great busines |  |
| centres and having the poorest railroad facilities to reach the markets，must go |  |
| else unon which to blame all these fail． |  |
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| the legitimate business industr＇es ofCentrecounty are in a healthier and |  |
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| busy，people are bappy and contented at any time during the operation of the |  |
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| last Yrday，srys．Thomas C．Lueas， |  |
| who has resided here for the past five weeks，was arrested to－day on requisi |  |
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| tion．Lencas will be taven back ot Pdif：Val． |  |
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