-At Crittenden, Ky., on Wednesday, a to a tragedy. A party of seven or eight men asked E. Lee with that of Robert Small, the slave, admittance, but for some reason were refused .circus, killing James Robinson and wounding two els, at great personal risk, to our side, and other performers. Several of the audience were

Cass is failing fast. The veteran statesman passes enemies who would destroy it, and unmind-them shot in the head. Two of the offenders were most of his time in sleep, undisturbed. At rare intervals he wakens up sufficiently to ask for some of his old friends, who are sent for: but on arriving, even within the hour, he is generelly asleep again. His disease is softening of the brain. He is 97 years of age.

and the matter was brought before the Freedmen's Bureau, and a trial was had, with twelve freedmen done them in the refusal given thus far by

tallied with the evidence adduced on his trial. The murderer was a native of Brooklyn, Kings County, and was 30 years of age.

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-A canvass of the different departments incompetent clerks and the appointment of ex-sol- copperhead allies, to hinder organization

ne was cognizant of the murder of Dr. Burdell, in New York City, some years ago, and was himself offered \$20,000 by Mrs. Cunningham to commit the deed. -Gen. Fisk reports that all through Ten-

nessee his order of cleanliness among the freedmen is being carried out in a very efficient manner, in anticipation of cholera. The negroes of Memphis have subscribed \$10,000 for building a hospit- with their bloodhounds re-captured him, al there for their own use.

about to start for the Territories. It was inclosed in a box, and marked "varnish," and directed to a mercantile firm in Montana.

from the jail on the 24th inst., by a mob of two hundred men, and hung. -The Pittston Gazette announces the fail-

ure of A. N. Meylest & Co., of Scranton. Liabili--- The officers of Pittston, Pa., announce

that there is not an unlicensed grog shop in that borough or township.

ers, and the grave was three feet wide.

Orwigsburg, Schuylkill county, while feeding cat- ment of the of the one and the lasting distle in the barn, fell from the hay-mow into the fod- grace of the other. Will the loyal voters der-gang, and broke his neck.

Whitney, who was taken prisoner August 21st We cannot believe it. 1864, at the Weldon Railroad, and was taken to Belle Island, and was there until near October following, since then his friends have not heard anything of him. Any one knowing anything con cerning him will confer a great favor by giving such bottom, Susquehanna Co., Pa.

adelphia. A poplar tree standing on the hill side, was converted into clear, white paper in five

-- John Piper, an old citizen of Newville, Cumberland county, fell dead on Saturday last.

boiler, for the purpose of cleaning it. -A Catholic Seminary is about to be erected in Philadelphia for the education of Cath-

olic priests. Accommodations will be made for

the Delaware Division Canal, and will consolidate

the two lines, making a continuous water communication from Mauch Chunk to Philadelphia. -A man stricken with paralysis was liation.

-The proceeds of two days' sale of works

wards of \$40,000. A dry goods sale in that city, of over \$700,000 is also reported, being the largest single sale ever held in the United States. -Colonel James Worrel, of Harrisburg

has been appointed Commissioner to superintend the opening of the dams in the Susquehanna river and its tributaries, for the free passage of fish, in pursuance of the act passed at the last session of

Bradford Reporter

Towanda, Thursday, May 3, 1866. THE REBELS AND THE LOYAL BLACKS.

In his speech justifying Congress for enfranchising the blackmen of the District of points. In comparing the conduct during offe who took the vessel he pilotted for the rebmanaged it for the government, doing us also wounded. The cowardly murderers made their escape.

—Along the line of the Nashville and Decatur Railroad, between Columbia and Pulaski, during a thunder-storm last week, a half mile of the telegraph wires was melted, and divided into small tragments, irregular in shape, and many of them no larger than abuckshot or a small rifle ball.

The class insulators were fixed and the poles were military education, from the government, doing as and two days in agony and died. At the same time they set upon another old colored mean, named Thacker, who was at the house of Balls beating him first upon one side and then upon the same gang, an attack was made upon the house of Pate Burns, about four miles from the residence of Balls. Burns was a most of manly intelligence, is denied the rights of citizenship, while the double-stained traitor and perjurer Lee, who received his traitor and perjurer Lee, who received his traitor and perjurer from the residence of Balls. Burns was a most of manly intelligence, is denied the rights of citizenship, while the double-stained traitor and perjurer Lee, who received his traitor and perjurer Lee, the Confederacy, and with this stain of bold, undeniable treason resting against gal existence in Kentucky, and that the writ of habeas corpus is not suspended in this State.

These views are sought to be impressed upon the of negroes at Murfreesboro', Tenn. A freedman threw a stone at another freedmen, who retaliated in kind, striking his assailant in the head and inflicting a severe wound. The injured man died, sign complaining bitterly of the injustice.

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The all can be described the can be described by the can be a step? and what safety is there in the fu-

anna, who was taken prisoner and confined for half a winter at a heavy expense to the -Charles H. Golden, in jail at Newbury- State, by a tie vote, has still the marks of price. port, Mass., on the charge of burglary, states that the teeth of the blood-hounds, that were sent after him, on his limbs. It is well known that the Col. burrowed his way out continue to be a great amount of oppression and of Libby by a very tedious process, and when he got out blackmen met him at midnight, gave him food, and carried him forty thrust candles into his face with the pleas--A can of nitro-glycerine was discover- ant announcement, "you damned yankee, ed the other day at St. Louis, on board a boat you didn't succeed, did you ?" Now, the the scoundrels, who perpetrated these inhuman outrages on Senator White, are voters and helped to send rebel villians as deeply -The negro recently arrested at Bowling stained with barbarity and treason as them-Green, Ky., on the charge of murder, was taken selves, to make laws for our country, while the devoted, loyal blacks, who divided their crust of bread with our hero, and at great have not only no privileges under the Gov. ernment they thus heroically served, have no acknowledgment even for their timely aid in the country's great peril; but are, on the contrary, to be left to the mercy of their ly died in apparently extreme poverty. Over a relentless, vicious masters and enemies, who thousand dollars in coin was found hoarded up in are threatening them with summary venceance for the very help they extended to -The cattle disease in Montgomery coun- us. In the name of all that is right, should plunge the Country into the terrible intes--PuseyWickersham, of Coatesville, com- we ask protection; thousands upon thous mitted suicide by drowning herself on Saturday ands of black men in the South did similar service during the whole war; and the Evans Lewis, of Chester county, died last whole race seemed ever ready to aid our week, of obesity. He was 47 years old and weigh- cause, and befriend our soldiers. But a ed 380 pounds. It required six men for pall-bear- misguided President, the enemies of the country, and the enemies of the blacks, are -A young man named Joseph Faust, near threatening to combine for the re-enslaveof the land, the heroes who saved our na--Information is wanted of Orange P. tion, allow such an infamous consumation?

FREEDMEN.

The following official report of the Spec information to his wife, Ellen L. Whitney, at Hop- ial Inspector of the Freedmen's Bureau for tion of fossilized, defunct politicians as it eration, upon the recommendation of the -The experiment of manufacturing paper mitted to Congress by Gen. Howard. It ed here or elsewhere. As the head of the properly referred to them, and have report the Confederate States of America, so callfrom wood, has been entirely successful, near Philembodies facts with which every citizen central organization, which they have named ted against any modification. The differ--Ex-Governor Johnson has been appointed under rebel dominion; whether ted collector of Internal Revenue in Pittsburg.—
He supports "my policy," or "Moses" in his towards establishing the absolute necessity Ex. Gov. Wm. F. Johnson, and Senator the representatives of a goople imbued try by their rejection by the President.

Cumberland county, fell dead on Saturday last.

—A pair of horses died a few days ago, in Greenville, from eating the bark of a locust tree to which they were tied.

GENERAL:—In compliance with instructions received from the Department, directing me to proceed to the city of Lexington, Ky., to examine into the condition of the freedmen in that part of the State, I have the honor to report that I visited and county offices. -A boy was scalded to death by steam near Pittsburg, on Saturday last, while inside of a boiler, for the purpose of cleaning it.

—A Catholic Seminary is about to be cure, taken under oath. In regard to minor acts of cruelty, either to persons or property, and in reference to the economical, social and moral condition of the race, I have been controlled by pernal observation, aided by information recom intelligent and trustworthy sources.

An examination of the sworn evidence, or the abstracts made therefrom, will reveal to you 60 cases of outrage, in a limited district and period, unparticularly and period of the contract of the district and period. alleled in their atrocity and fiendishness—cruelties for which, in no instance, as developed by the tesfor which, in no instance, as developed by the testimony, is there the least shadow of excuse or pal-

Twenty-three cases of most severe and inhum -The proceeds of two days' sale of works of art at auction, in Philadelphia, last week, were upwards of \$40,000. A dry goods sale in that city benten to death, I beaten and roasted, 3 women assaulted and ravished, 4 women beaten, 2 women tied up and whipped until insensible, 2 men and 3 tine has been set actively at work Seving next, May 8, 1866—the Reporter, as any other member of the Confederations, and driven from their homes and arral instances have come to my knowledge. We are informed having declined to any line was not at the confederation. their property destroyed, 2 instances of burning of dwellings and I of the innextes shot. Of these vic-tims 12 men were Union Soldiers and 3 women the

wives of Union soldiers.

And yet I regret to say that these cases constitute but a portion of the catalogue of cruelties. I heard of quite a number of additional cases, but

He knows that since he has been a freedman he has not up to this time had the protection of either the Federal for State authorities; that there is no way to enture his rights or redress his wrongs. The civil are lorities will give him no rediet, and this department up to this writing has been powerless.

Of the offenses reported there has been but one arrest by the civil authorities, and that was a case of murder, the murderer released on light bail, and now at large, no effort having been made to bring him to trial.

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The arm of civil law has, however, been brought Columbia, Senator Landon made some good in requisition quite recently to release and protect

circus exhibition was very unexpectedly changed the war, and the present position of Robert ered the house of Jos. Balls, a person who has the insincerity of the President's recommendation of both Houses concurring, that the folloween a freedmen for several years offensive and much respected—the owner of 40

He lingered two days in agony and died. At the enemies who would destroy it, and unmind-ful of his obligations, disregarding his oath, he did the government and our peo-ple more damage than any other mau in the Confederacy, and with this stain of he holding that the Freedmen's Bureau has no le-

It does me pleasure to report that the freedmen riveting the shackles upon its slaves, con- ty-one years of age.

whibit an earnest desire for education.

One of the most humane and excellent gentlenen of Lexington, long a resident of Kentucky,

out sadly deficient in country places.

In some of the countres there are organized ands of men called "rangers," "moderators," "nigger killers," who have driven the freedmen en-Col. White, the State Senator from Indi-—A canvass of the different departments of the government has been instituted, to ascertain the number of employes who honorably served in the Union army, with a view to the discharge of the Union army, with a view to the work as low as \$6 or \$7 a month, and in other counties induced to work without a stipulated price. In Jessamine County alone are contracts to any extent brought under the supervision of the agents of the Bureau, and there its beneficial ef-

> the Lexington Sub-District of Kentucky is also be unable to prevent it. The people have necessary in many parts, to protect those truly loyal and humane citizens who would gladly do the work in hand and well see to it that it miles towards our lines, by bundling up in a load of straw. But the fiendish pursuers a load of straw. But the fiendish pursuers or the fear of personal injury.

Respectfully submitted.
(Signed.)
P. Bonested,
Special Inspector for Kentucky and Tennessed
Lexington, March 5, 1866. H. S. Brown, Capt. and Asst. Adj.-Gen. A true copy,

FROM WASHINGTON.

Washington, D. C. April 26, 1866. It has became a well settled convicion, that an uncompromising and irreconcilable political difference, now exists beexposure carried him many miles on his way, tween President Johnson and the Republican Party as expressed through its representatives in Congress, upon questions vitally affecting the interests of the loval masses who yielded a cordial and ungrudging support to the administration of Mr. Lincoln in the apparession of the rebellion. in the permanent settlement of all the issues direct and collateral, which operated to

tween the upper and nether millstones of The amendatory revenue tax bill, has Republicanism and Democracy, as a can- been reported this week from the finance -The Pittsburgers are rejoicing over a sprinkling cart, to paste down the black dust of their streets.

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from intelligent and trustworthy sources.

From the depositions taken by me and herewith transmitted, I have compiled the facts in the more extreme cases of cruelty and outrage for reference, and make the same a part and parcel of my report.

An examination of the sworn evidence, or the about material alteration. It materially lessons the burthen of taxation, and will no doubt be passed transmitted, I have compiled the facts in the more extreme cases of cruelty and outrage for reference, and make the same a part and parcel of my report.

The Lehigh Canal Company has leased trict; without hope of election, they know bills for the equalization of bounties to sol. The German question was still unsettled, the effect in every case where a republican diers, has made little progress as yet, but and the state of affairs was considered very is defeated, will be to confer success upon I feel confident that such a bill will be the Democratic party. The President by passed before the close of the session. Sevburned to death on Dennis Run last week. His burned to death on Dennis Run last week. His wife was absent, and his little daughter, on build-many, the names of the offenders, with dates and localities.

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You will observe I nave been and builded by the power of pationage is client, by elections in every Congressional district, by demoralizing political sentiment, and divithe power of patronage is to manipulate the eral distinct propositions are pending. ding the Republican ranks as far as possible, by the promise of official favor to all who support his policy, and by proscribing all who do not. The Presidential guillotine has been set actively at work Several instances have come to a work of the respective to the promise of official favor to all who do not. The Presidential guillotine has been set actively at work Several instances have come to a work of the respective to the respective to the presence of the pres ding the Republican ranks as far as possiof eral instances have come to my knowledge, we are infomred having declined to publish where Republican members of Congress

instance I will do so ; Hon. Oakes Ames o. Massachusetts asked the appointment of a returned soldier as Postmaster of the City of Taunton upon the petition of some eight bundred republican patrons of the office, it was refused upon the ground above stated, and a Mr. Ide was appointed upon the peand a Mr. Ide was appointed upon the pe A joint resolution proposing an amend-titon of 150 citizens, a man who supported ment to the Constitution of the United Breckenridge for President, an editor and publisher of a newspaper, because Ide with on the night of the 16th of February, 1866, a his paper supports "my policy." This shows chamble and im-the owner of 40 dation by a special mandate to the heads of ing article be proposed to the Legislatures of the several States as an amendment to cres of land—and beat and most horribly man-led him; his body was burst open, his intestines soldiers should in all cases where found the Constitution of the United States, which, competent, be appointed to places in their islatures, shall be valid as part of the Con gift and proves him a most dogmatic dem- stitution, namely: agogue. In several districts in Pennsylpeople have already been made to feel that. to have been faithful to the Country in the reason and rebellion even unto death, was them no larger than abuckshot or a small rifle ball.

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The glass insulators were fused, and the poles were shive and had sworn to defend it against invalored in the mind of President John Sec. 2. Representatives shall be appropriated from the poles were in his presence ravished his wife. Two other colored persons, who were at the horse of Burns at this fime, were severely beaten, and one of sake, because the incumbents do not supsupport "my policy," is to be the order of their respective numbers, counting the wh the day, despite the will of the combined number of persons in each State, excluding oyal masses at home, and of their representatives in Congress. But all this will not suffice to arrest the tide of popular opin- than twenty-one years of age, or in any on, which is flowing on to a final consum- way abridged, except for participation

> signed its vetories and the Country where it existed to a state of intolerant semi-barbarism, a burning disgrace and shame upon the American people. Never since the organization of the Government has there In Lexington they are well provided with schools been manifested on the part of the representrtives of the people so united and firm a determination to stand by the popular few who cling to the footstool of power will be unable to turn back the tide, and he with his new party adherents will find ounties where they are forced or intimidated to themselves and their party, a stranded wreck upon the granite rock of a sound public opinion ere the ides of November come. Principles are to be permantly set cal rights. tled in this conflict, by the light of the rebellion, which sprung out of a war of ideas,

> > It is generally known here that the Joint Committee on reconstruction have agreed ted States, an article in the following words, to report, probably this week, a definite basis of reconstruction, by which the loyal people of the States lately in rebellion may bring their States into harmonious action part of the Constitution, and any State latewith the general government, by reorganizing their State governments in accordance with the proposed basis, and when so remitted into Congress. And the State of may, after having taken the required oath Tennessee having by act of her loyal leg-islature disfranchised for the space of eyen. Second—And be it further enacted, That islature disfranchised for the space of seven when any State lately in insurrection shall years, every man within her borders who have ratified the foregoing proposed amendwas in arms against the government, or in any manner aided the rebellion, her repreare competent to subscribe the test oath, State, may be assumed and paid by such State, and the payment thereof upon proper

will soon follow upon the same basis.

In this connection it is proper to mention. ty is decided to be pleuro pneumonia, and not rinthis be allowed? Nor is it alone for the true time war through which we have just pas- that the President, preparatory to the adand dutiful that befriended Col, White, that sed. The nucleus of a new party based mission of ex-rebels to seats in Congress upon the President's reconstruction theory, and to render them competent to hold of- ble to office under the Government of the to April 1 1864, and who have not received has been made up here, to promote in all fice, has recommended a modification of the United States. has been made up nere, to promote in an its ramifications throughout the Country, the test oath. It has been said by the friends be eligible to any office under the Governorganization of a general political move. of the President in answer to the objection, ment of the United States who is included which shall be paid by the proper author ment by the professed adherents of his pol- that his policy would bring back the rebels in any of the following classes, namely; into political power full fledged, with all Before proceeding to build up a centre their former arrogance and wickedness; around which the friends of the new party that such a result could not possibly be. doctrines are to rally, it became necessary as he insisted that they should all be able to call into council at the National Capitol, to take what is termed the "iron-clad oath." some of the chiefs in this grand scheme to This is a false position, well calculated to capture a President from the party to whom deceive. The President would so modify he owes his election, and betray him with the test oath as to render nine out of every the interests of the Country into the hands ten rebels eligible to office under the gov- ted in the Military or Naval Academy of ment shall be received in evidence, and the LOYAL KENTUCKY AND HER LOYAL of the enemy. The grand council after severnment; he has recommended its modifieral appointments and postponements, came cation, and the Judiciary Committee of the off a few weeks since, and such an exhibi- House have had the subject under consid-Kentucky and Tennessee, has been trans brought together was never before witness. President communicated to Congress and should be made familiar, because they (or rather misnamed) "The Central Nation- ence is in a nut shell, between the people and bear directly on the questions involved in al Johnson Union Club," stands Montgomery the President, is whether the governments the passage of the vetoed Freedman's Bu-Blair. Penn'a was represented at the first of the States lately in rebellion shall be rethere exists for these measures, and the Cowan, both of whom made speeches on with all the rankling bitterness and hate great wrong that was inflicted on the coun- the occasion. The avowed object "is to save which instigated the rebellion, (now con- ners of war. the President from falling into the hands of quered and left powerless) by force of arms, shall be admitted into the National This new party though its machinery is Congress; or whether those State governto nominate candidates for state, district, ments shall be thoroughly reconstructed Lexington and vicinity, and prosecuted my inves-igation for the period of about one month, adopapproaching election. In Pennsylvania it back under the control of Union sentis understood that Col. Richard Coulter of ments, and a Union people. These are the Westmoreland county, has consented to offer two antagonistic ideas, and these the ques-

Yours, truly,

have asked the appointment or continuance A call for a "Johnson Meeting" appears his carriage to take his usual drive, when of their friends in office upon the expressed in this weeks Argus, accompanied with the an unknown individual fired a pistol at wishes of the people interested, and have above editorial, which contains an untruth. him. The ball providentially missed its

REPORT OF THE RECONSTRUCTION COM MITTEE.

The Joint Committee on Reconstruction, after a session of some four hours on Saturday, at which all the members of the Com-

States.

-Be it resolved by the Senate and Hou of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, two-thirds

Section 1. No State shall make or enforce vania, your own among the number, the any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States, nor shall any State deprive any per son of life, liberty or property without hour of her peril, battling manfully against process of law, nor to deny any person with in its jurisdiction the equal protection of

Indians not taxed. But whenever in any State the elective franchise shall be denied to any portion of its male citizens not le

SEC. 3. Until the 4th day of July, 1870, all persons who voluntarily adhered to the late insurrection, giving it aid and comfort shall be excluded from the right to vote fo Members of Congress, and for Electors for President and Vice-President of the United States.

Sec. 4. Neither the United States nor any State shall assume or pay any debt or obligation already incurred, or which may herewill. The President combined with the after be incurred, in aid of the insurrection claim for compensation for loss of involun tary service or labor. Sec. 5. The Congress shall have power to

enforce by appropriate legislation the provisions of this article.

A Bill to provide for the restoration of the States lately in rebellion to their full politi-

Whereas, It is expedient that the States lately in insurrection should at the earliest day consistent with the future peace and and the President and all his minions will safety of the Union be restored to full par

ticipation in all political rights.

And whereas, The Congress did by joint resolution propose for ratification to the Legislatures amendment to the Constitution of the Unito wit : "The constitutional article here inserted,"-now, therefore,

Be it enacted, &c., That whenever the above-recited amendment shall have become ly in insurrection shall have ratified the same, and shall have modified its Constitution and laws in conformity therewith, the Senators and Representatives from such organized their representatives may be ad- State, if found duly elected and qualified,

sentatives asking seats in Congress, who which may remain due and unpaid in such will be admitted, and those of other States assurances from such State, to be given the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States, may be postponed for a period not exceeding ten years from and after the pas-

First-The President and Vice-President oughs and townships as received the credit of the Confederate States of America, so called, and the Heads of Departments there- in case such credit be given to localities or

Second-Those who in other countries acted as agents of the Confederate States of ties thereof, shall pay said bounty. America so called

House of the Thirty-sixth Congress of the sence, be considered the place of credit. United States, who gave aid or comfort to the late rebellion.

ed, above the grade of Colonel, in the army, or Master, in the navy, or any one who, as Governor or either of the so-called Confed- authorized to levy and collect a suffic erate States, gave aid or comfort to the late Fifth-These who have treated officers

late war, otherwise than lawfully as priso-The Committee removed the injunctions

furnished to the press.

It is understood that the vote upon them

was 12 against 3. As it is known that Senator Johnson and Representatives Grider and Rogers only

voted in the negative, the affirmatives must be Senators Fessenden, Grimes, Harris, Howard and Williams, and Representatives Stevens, Washburne, of Illinois, Morrill, Bingham, Conklin, Boutwell and Blow. EUROPEAN NEWS .-- The steamship Her-

ann, from Southampton April 17, arrived at New York at an early hour Saturday

serious. All the intelligence is warlike, and military preparations are continued with unabated vigor. The Governments of Bavaria and Saxony have officially set forth their views in the existing and the state of affairs was considered very street, I have refurnished and relitted it with every convenience for the accommodation of all who may patronize me. No pains will be spared to make all pleas and agreeable.

J. S. PATTERSON, Prop. May 3, 68.—tf. forth their views in the existing complications, in dispatches of great moderation,

An attempt was made at St. Petersburg on the 16th inst, to assassinate the Empe NEW MHLLINARY SHOP IN WYSOX,

menced on Saturday. At the end of June or the beginning of July the Great Eastern will commence laying the cable.

The British fleet on the coast of North America consists of 26 ships, aggregating a steam power equal to 6,680 horses, 443 mittee were present, agreed to report on guns, 32,269 tons, and manned by 5,288 Monday the following propositions: reinforced by the Jason, 17 guns, 1,711 tons, and 275 men, and the Barracoula, 6 guns, 300 horse-power, 1,053 tons, and 175

LICENSE ACT.

censing of hotels, inns, taverus and eat-

ng houses, in this state, was passed by when ratified by three-fourths of said Leg-the Legislature at its last ression:
islatures, shall be valid as part of the Conbe lawful for the several courts of quarter | sessions of this Commonwealth, to hear 6.00 a.m., returning from Phi petitions in addition to that of the applicant, in favor of and remonstrances against the application of any person applying to either of them for a license to keep a hotel, inn, tavern, eating house or restaurant, and also to examine in court or by deposition under oath, the signers or any of them, to the petition of the applicant for any such licence or other persons, and if any such court shall be satisfied that such hotel, inn or avern, is unnecessary for the accommodation of strangers and travelers, or that the applicant for license to keep a hotel, inn, or tavare, or eating-house, or restaurant, as the case may be, is an unfit or improper person to receive the same, then said court may refuse to grant such license, and the first section of the act of fourteenth of April, Anno Domini, one thousand eight bundred and fifty-nine, is hereby repealed: Provided. That persons pro duced in court for examination as provided by this act, shall be entitled to the same fees as are now allowed witness attending upon the courts of this Commonwealth, to

e paid by the petitioner or remonstrants some of them, as the court may direct. Sec. 2. That hereafter licenses to restaurants and eating-houses, shall not be granted by the county treasurer of any county, but such license, if granted, shall e issued from the court of quarter sessions the several counties, on the same terms Ladie and under the same restrictions and regu ations as are applied to inns and taverns, nd and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this section, are hereby repealed; Provided, This act shall not apply to the city of Piladelphia.

AN IMPORTANT BOUNTY BILL.

The following bounty bill has passed both ranches of the legislature. This is no more than an act of justice. A number of volunnemselves to localities which were repor ted to be paying large bounties. These calities received the advantage of the cred its, but on the return of the volunteers they efused to pay the sum which was honestly due them. There are several instances of the kind in this county :

WHEREAS, At the beginning of the late Rebellion, certain volunteers entered the military service of the United States with out receiving local bounty;

And Whereas, Many of said volunteers, while yet in said service, re-enlisted for three years more, under General Orders No. 191, current series, War Department. Washington, D. C., dated June 25, 1863, and

its supplements;

And Whereas, Many of said veteran volunteers, through a misunderstanding of an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act reating to the payment of bounties to volunteers," approved the 25th day of March, 1864, have not been able to secure local counties from the proper authorities of the places to which they have given their credit; therefore.
Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That all

veteran volunteers belonging to organizations of this State, who have been regularly re-enlisted and re-mustered under General Orders No. 191 from the War Departent, dated June 55 1863 and exter any local bounty, nor given their credit t Be it enacted, &c., That no person shall localities outside of the State, shall be paid a local bounty of three hundred dolla ties of such Counties, Cities, Wards, Bo of such veteran volunteers, Provided. That places included in the limits of any Township, such Township, or the proper authori-

Section 2. Transcripts from the records Third-Heads of departments of the Uni- in the Adjutant General's office of this State. ted States, officers of the Army and Navy of the United States, and all persons educathe United States, Judges of the Courts of place of residence named in the re-enlistthe United States, and members of either ment and muster-in rolls shall in the ab-

Secrion 3. That the school Directors of each and every township, Ward, or Borough Fourth—Those who acted as officers of in which each credits for veteran volunteers was received and counted in filling the tas under the several calls of the President of the United States for troops, are tax to pay said veteran volunters, or their heirs or legal representatives; Provided, That said tax shall not be collected from or soldiers or sailors of the Army or Navy officers and soldiers now in the service of the United States, captured during the United States, or who have been in such officers and soldiers now in the service of service and have been honorably discharged therefrom, or widows and orphans or vidowed mothers of such officers and so of secresy so far as the above propositions diers who may have died from wounds reare concerned, and permitted copies to be ceived or disease contracted while in said service.

New Advertisements

Y. M. C. A.—THE NEXT LECTURE
before the Young Men's Christian Association • before the Young Men's Towanda, will be delivered by REV. E. H. CHAPIN,

Of New York. On TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 15, 1866.

ors open at 71 o'clock. Lecture to commence at 8 MERICAN HOTEL,

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Towanda, April 10, 1866 Real Estate.

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