## Bradford Reporter E. O. GOODBICH, EDITOR. Towanda, Fa., Thursday, Feb. 27, 1879.

MUNICIPAL INDERTEDNESS. GEN. BARLOW was a brave soldier, During the era of extravagance and debt accumulation consequent upon the enhanced values and infla-

ted currency of the war times, there was a notable increase of the debts of corporations and counties. The THE IMPENDING CONTEST. latter, in many cases, endeavoring to

published at the time, was like a dash avert the consequences of the draft The people may as well face the of cold water upon the Republicans compromised by the payment of large facts and prepare for the inevitable bounties to substitutes, relieving the of the country. Coming from such struggle. The enemy in front is the citizens from the necessity of perso- a source, it was well calculated to same that has confronted the party of patriotism and progress for twen. nal military duty, but saddling town. create doubts of the justice and le ty-five years. It has not changed ships, boroughs and counties with a gality of the claims and proceedings even in name. The party that of. heavy indebtedness, which years of of those who were endeavoring to sefered the infamous compromise of burdensome taxes, in many cases, cure the electoral vote of that State has not yet been sufficient to wine for the Republican candidates. Gen-1850, that repealed the compromise of 1820 in 1854, that sought to fas- out. In the case of cities and villa- eral BRADY at the time telegraphed ten slavery and its fatal reaction ges, the rage for expenditure and that General BARLOW was working speculation took the form of the for TILDEN, but the country was unupon Kansas and Nebraska, and finalwildest and most unreasonable prowilling to credit that he could play a a controversy, and there was much ly, baffled in its wicked purpose, sur-

rendered at the first demand of trea. jects for improvements. Streets part of such duplicity. were laid out, graded and paved, ex-From the evidence brought son in 1860-that party is the foe in pensive sewers constructed, and before the POTTER Committee and front. After all that it has done to what was fallaciously supposed to be indeed from General BABLOW'S OWN the Brazilian mail item of the Post destroy the nation the people seem to have forgotten that to put faith public spirited improvements, but admissions, it appear that there was were in reality needless expenditures. too much truth in the allegation and in Democratic promises is to invite were indulged in without sense or that when he was publicly acting as betrayal, and the outcome of this necessity. There is hardly a municilapse of memory is a Democratic pal corporation in the country that Congress. This, humanly speaking, is not now groaning 'under the buris a great national calamity. If, at den of debts contracted for improveany time during the rebellion and ments which were at least a quarter for half a dozen years thereafter, any one had predicted a Democratic Con- of a century in advance of the natugress as probable within twenty ral growth of the place, or the reof General BABLOW, and with all the years, the prophet would have been quirements of the inhabitants. This developments in regard to the Southset down a lunatic or a fool. The tendency to squander public moneys ern vote and the counting and return was made easy and greatly increased thereof, will satisfy Republicans of people are slow to take in the possibilities of inaction. They had their by the facility with which bonds were the justice of the action of the Relittle grumble, and their little devia. disposed of or loans effected. To turning Boards.

tions from the straight path of duty in | meet the interest on these debts, new loans were made, until the aggregate search of false gods. They have became frightful, and when a com! amused themselves, but not at the mercial revulsion came with "hard expense of the foes of liberty. They times" and its natural want of confihave danced to the piping of demadence, and difficulty of placing new gogues, and now they must pay the loans, bankruptcy and repudiation piper. The toothless and wrinkled became imminent. hags of politics, long ago cast out of A notable example of the facility party councils, have come forward with which municipal indebtedness thinly disguised in borrowed livery. can be incurred, and a remarkable and made themselves so acceptable instance of extravagance, not to say to the discontented and disappointed profligacy, may be witnessed in the that such have gone astray;

case of our neighbor town, William-But as all roads leads to Rome, s sport. That unfortunate village, all by paths in politics lead into the when ruled over by PETER HEBDIC, enemy's camp. The masses seem to launched out into the wildest schemes "have discovered this in time to preof "improvements." Miles of exvent a disaster last November. The pensive streets were laid out, and duty of the Republican press is to covered with wooden pavementskeep this fact fresh in memory. The ostly sewers were built-the city Democratic party in Congress is doimits extended far into the country ing much to assist in the work. The -and the most reckless and costly cipher dispatch investigation is daily measures taken to stimulate an artimaking revelations of Democratic ficial growth of its extent and busiperfidy. The witnesses, with the ness. Now the municipal authoriplain assent of the Democratic leaders, have studied how best they could and trample upon honesty and jusgive half-truths the outward semtice by denying the plain rights of blance of facts, and facts the sem-

and had beer elected by the Repub-struggle in reference to the order of business: finally the Census bill was licans of New York to an important taken up and was debated until the office. He was invited to visit Flor end of the afternoon ; General Butler ida, during the counting of the Pres- and others tried to have the mode of idential vote, as the attorney of the appointing the enumerators changed. but did not succeed ; final action was Republican party, and in the internot taken; at the night session the est of an honest return. His letter. Legislative bill was debated; the plan of surveys suggested by the

> National Academy of Science Was substantially adopted; the Democratic caucus political amendments were presented. Wednesday :- In the Senate, the Postal bill was debated; the temper of the Senate was favorable to the Brazilian mail contract. In the House, the Democrats tried to attach a repeal of the Federal Election law to the Legislative bill; the Republi. good enough. So the country fellows are cans opposed this, and declared that

Ouinn. In the House there was a

last year.

ey would fight to the end; General Garfield and Mr. Blackburn got into excitement in the House; no final action was reached ; Mr. Atkins says that an extra session is inevitable. Thursday :- The Senate took un Office bill and debated it all day and until late at night; all unfriendly amendments were defeated on a large vote by a strong majority; late at attorney for the Republican electors night, the Senate thinned out, but he was secretly trying to persuade the item was passed by 23 to 17. The the members of the Returning Board House refused to go to work on the Appropriation bills, but took up the to give the State to Tilden. The ex- Florida contested election case. Mr. pavement in front of the store. While posure of this nefarious conduct will Bisbee, the Republican member, was going out of the door to separate them lways be a stain upon the fair fame finally unseated by a party vote, in defiance of the report of the sub-committee which investigated the case. Friday : In the Senate, the bill in regard to railway' transportation of cattle was passed; a large lot of gen

eral business was also disposed of ione of it of much importance, except the railroad telegram amendment which passed. In the House, war WILL there be an extra session of claims were taken up one after an-Congress? is a question that puzzles other; four of them were defeated :

> the important business was reached. LETTER FROM PHILADELPHIA.

there was much dispute in the House

about the order of business: none of

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 24, 1879. The municipal election took place on Tuesday, and was rather a tame affair, though a full roto was generally polled

Others are determined to force legis-School Directors, and election officers. In lation favorable to the rebels who are the Fourth Ward, an attempt was made by a portion of the Democracy connecte still out in the cold, and to repeal with the Sheriff's office, to defcat William laws which stand in the way of their McMullen, who was a candidate for select entire control of the ballot-boxes in Councils. The Fourth Ward has an unthe South. Some of the statutes enviable reputation, as being the ward that evening were devoted to bills on first now in force stand in the way of that where Democratic majorities are manuperfect bull-dozing, which is the defactured to order, of any size, and Mclight of the Southern Democrat, and Mullen is King therein. He was triumph. antly elected, as was expected. There they demand the repeal of the obnoxwere no rows, however, and though the ious sections, or in case of failure free and independent voters were "spilthreaten to create the necessity for ing for a fight," they stood in wholesome an extra session. The Republicans can afford to stand by their princi-

on hand to keep the peace. In fact, the quirements of the Constitution, the readties defy the judgments of the Court, ples and support the laws which are Mayor sent for all the parties concerned, ing clerks getting in their work as rapida guarantee for fair elections, and if the evening before the election, and noti- ly as possible, and frequently skipping Pennsylvania and New York. the Democracy refuse to pass the ap- fied them that he intended there should whole pages, where a bill is long, to faa fair and neaceable

gogues, who are only anxious for an op The deaths in this city last week numbered 349, an increase of 20 over those of portunity to air their eloquence and fill the previous week last year, and four less up the Legislative Record with humorous speeches for home consumption, in the al fand of the Common wealth. than those of the corresponding period of hope that they can thus humbug confiding constituencies into the bellef that ter, of Delaware, denoancing the action Forney's Progress calls attention ( fact that Philadelphis has a Collector of they are disinterested patriots, as well as of Congress on the subject of the Chinese

Customs from Chester County ; a naval great men. These walking wind-mills, loose jawed, empty-headed blatherskites, officer from Northumberland : a Surveyor from Bradford : a Postmaster from Montof course have greatly increased in numgomery; an Assistant United States hers since the house of Representatives with its present membership, so much freasurer from Franklin; a Director of the Mint from Cumberland ; a Chief Apresembles a town meeting in size. praiser from Chester. Occasionally them In the Senate on Thursday, Mr. Jones

is a growl about countrymen holding all Chairman of the Committee on Federal the Federal offices, and some people don't Relations, to which had been referred the understand why such is the case. It anti-discrimination instruction resolution. comes from the fact that the "blue made report to the effect that the concur bloods" are too good to fill the places, rent resolution relative to the inter-state while the "boys" or politicians are not commerce bill be passed as amended by the Senate, instructing Pennsylvania Unisent for to preserve the equilibrium. ted States. Senators to vote for such mod-False teeth may be a necessity, so far eration of the Reagan bill as will make it

as mastication is concerned, but when apply to all common carriers. swallowed they are indigestible and pro-Mr. Gazzam presented a minority reduce unpleasant results, as a Mr. Wagonport, signed by himself and Mr. Everseller, of Darby, experienced. Eis false hart in favor of the original resolution teeth were four or five in number, and he to instruct for the Reagan bill "straight." lived six weeks after swallowing them. Action on the reports was postponed General W. H. H. Davis (Mrs. Judge until Wednesday afternoon next, at which Mercur's brother) had a horse presented time a special session for that purpose in New Mexico 25 years ago ; the faithful will be held. animal which carried him through the Among the bills introduced in the Senwar, died a few days ago at Dovlestown.

Mr. Lee Wolfe, a wholesale clothier, on North Third street, Thursday, found two of his employes in an altercation on the he fell and expired in a few minutes from heart disease, brought on by the excite- to be, and if it is true that the present nent occasioned by the men fighting, The city has at least a population of 900.000 : at least such a number is indi-

cated by the new directory. ly an act to establish the iron industrial The old-time readers of Godey's Ladys Book, will remember with kindly feelings schools of eastern and western Pennsyl- pay daye. the familiar name of Mrs. Sarah J. Hale, vania : also an act fixing the date of the inmencement of the terms of borough, long the editress of that periodical. She and township officers, of the organization is now in her 91st year, and in very feeof borough councils and of auditors' setble health at her residence in this city. The bark Shooting Star, for this port, tlements.

arrived at the Breakwater. Saturday, he had, as a passenger, Angell, the de in considering and passing bills on sec aulting Pullman Car Company's Secretay, who absconded with \$112,000 of the, ond reading. Among those thus passed

ompany's money. He was arrested at | was the bill of Sherwood, of Northumberisbon, and will be taken to Chicago for land, for the reduction of the salaries of state officials, which passed second read-

ndence of the REPORTER. HARRISBURG, Feb. 22, 187 Friday, the 14th inst., the Legislature did not get to work this week until Wednesday evening, the 19th inst. The sessions in both the Senate and House reading. One of the reforms of the new Legislature "shall be read three different | reduction to the Senate for final settle imes, on three different days." The ment. first reading of bills is, therefore, a mere formality, to which no one pays any at- from committees, in the Senate, on Fri-

tention, and which is gone through with

sessor.

NATCHEZ, Miss., is threatened with the taxes imposed by the act to which this is fate of Vicksburg, namely, desertion by the river. The recent rise of the Missis supplement, and the revenues derived sippi river has thrown the towhead near the Louisiana shore, and there is now a therefrom, shall be assigned to the gener current running on the Louisiana side A resolution introduced by Mrs. Wal which threatens to cut away the bar there and throw it upon the Mississippi side di-rectly in front of Natchez.

FROM present Indications there is

as to lead to an advance of at leas

that the tide has turned, and business reached a solid basis.

Miscellaneous.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

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DMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

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mmigration, was, under the rules, refer red to the Conmittee on Federal Relations.

Senate adjourned until Tuesday mon ing and House until Monday evening. CUSSEWAGO.

## STATE NEWS.

The new middle penitentiary, at Hur ngdon, will have 1280 cells. In the local election at Chester, las week, three Democrats and two Republicans were elected to council.

SEVEN hundred and eighty-two people were under treatment at Dixmo asylum, near Pittsburg, duriug year. HENRY A. TYSON. Democrat. was elect

ed Mayor of Reading last week by 1182 majority. The Democrate have 10 majority in the councils. In parts of Clearfield county, the amount of small game frozen during the

winter is so large as to excite lear of an entire extermination of some kinds. AT REPUBLICAN Chief Burgess wa lected in York, last week for the first time in twenty years. Henry J. Gresley, candidate, received 20

majority. ate on Thursday, was one by Mr. Cooper, THE hotel, cating houses and liquo of Delaware, to define the liability and store license applications for Montgomer county, for 1879, number 199 applicant pleadings in civil actions for libel. This for botel license, 45 for eating-house act is said to have been drawn up by Col. license, and 23 for liquor store license. McClure, of the Philadelphia Times, DR. LEMOYNE's cremation oven, a Alec has been there often enough to know Washington, it is said, is not to be turned something about what a libel law ought into a popeoin factory, as stated, 1 ut is to be converted into a bone dust produce bill was prepared by him, that fact should for the benefit of surrounding farmers. have great weight with the legislative Amour 70 men employed by the Stee A Worth Iron Company, at Coatesville, have struck against a proposed change in the time of paying their wages, which would lengthen the intervals between the statesmen when they come to consider it. The Senate, on Thursday, passed final-

At a public sale on the premises o Joseph Faust, near Centreport, in a frace occurried between Howard Epler, aged 5 years and a huckster named Himmelberger, about a pint of peanuts. After angry words had passed between the two. Himmelberger took a piece of the two. Himmelberger took a picce of wood from his table and struck Epler The most of the time of the session i the House on Thursday, was consumed murderous blow on the head, felling him senseless to the ground, fracturing his skull, and otherwise inflicting injuries from which he will not recover. berger escaped and has not been arrested THE thirty-third annual assembly

the Grand Council of the Royal, Super excellent and Select Masters of Penusyl vania was held in the Masonic Hall Beth lehem, last week: The following Gran ing without much discussion or opposition, as amended in committee. As the uill now stands the salaries of the princi Officers were unanimously re-elected :-Mark Richards Muckle, M. P. Gran nal officers are fixed about 25 per cent Master; William J. Fordney, R. P. D. Grand Master; George C. Johnstone, R. R. Ill. Grand Master; James S. Barber The indications are that the bill will be killed on final passage, although Col. Da-R. P. Grand and P. C. of Work ; James Brown, T. P. Grand Treasurer ; Charles Brown, I. F. Grand Theadurer, Chantes E. Meyer, R. P. Grand Recorder; George W. Kendrick, Jr., R. P. Grand Captain of Guard; Joseph L. Lytle, R. P. Grand Marshal; Einst Knapp, R. P. Grand

Among the bills reported favorably day, were the following :

An act appropriating \$6,000 to contin the provisions of an act in regard to the boundary monuments on the line betwee An act to prevent the appointment of

UNDER Connecticut laws every horse taking part in a race is forfeited to the COME AT ONCE, and bring the A BILL has been introduced in the Senate of Illnois providing for biennial elec-GOODS JUST ARBIVED. MRs. BALLAGE has just died in Holyoke Fine Cheviots, Mass., aged 95 years. Her mother lived to be 99 years old, and her grandmother CASH to our MAMMOTH STORE ver 100 In the old Bailey court, London, the on Main St- where you will find just wool of sheep. A wounn at Luckfield, Me., recently ONERCOATINGS. entertained three female visitors, wh what your wife has been after for a In great variety, made to order, at the weighed respectfully 350, 262 and 281 pounds or a total of 893 pounds. VERY LOWEST PRICE. THE finance committee of the Cit Council of Richmond, Va., reports a shriekage of \$4,000,000 or \$5,000,000 in long time, and remember you wil LACIEL MATALASSE CLOAKING the assessed valuation of that city.

Miscellancous,

HARDWARE AT GREATLY

REDUCEDPRICES

THERE were distributed by the railway H. T. JUNE, AGENT. ostal clerks on the line between New Is now opening a large and general auto

York and Pittsburg during the month of January 56,860 packages of letters, and Hardware, Collery, Stoves, Nalls, Iron Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Tinware, House Ing Goods, Ko., purchased for cash and o sale at Hargains to those who pay cash for 11,152 sacks of papers, making an aggregte of 3,411,600 pieces of letter mail, and TDANGES and Cooking Stoves, for 1,130,400 pieces mail separated and made np for routes and offices. The total num-bor of registered packages handled was 28,005. There were 40 men engaged in L Cosi and Wood, at low prices, at JUNI THE Graphic and New Jewel, the

ect and ornamental heating stores i JUNES, THE Gossip, the best low-priced stove for offices and chambers ever inade, a s future in store for the manu-

facturers of all kinds of cotton fabries the demand for which has been so grea FOR Horse-Shoes and Horse-Shoe per cent with'n the past three days. There has been no such demand for dry TUNWARE-a large and general oods during the past five years as there s to-day, and the leading lines are sold

LARGE stock of Bar, Square, ar beyond the production. The success of American cotton abroad and the growth L. Round, Half-Round, Ovsi, Haif-ov f population at home has had the effect to clear the market of all the surplus TOR Paints, Oils, and Varnishes,

which has been accumulating during these years of depression. Jobbers have bought WINDOW GLASS, from 7x9 to sparingly for the rast year, and the country never was to bare of fcotton goods as 24x36; 3t

it is to day. Dealers are firm in the con CCREWS and Tacks, direct from viction that bottom has been reached. The manufacturers, for sale at whole esail, at reduced prices, at - 31° X k AMPS, Lamp Burners, Chimneys,

AMUS, LIMIT During of the series of the states, and Wicks of every variety, at JUNES. DOPE, Sa-h, Cord, Twine and

Wick, all sizes, at T ANTERNS-a great variety at 1 low prices, at

T OCKS, Latches, and Bolts, every variety and kind, at

(AST and Toe Corks (Steel), at DISSTON'S Celebrated Saws, at.

TABLE and Pocket Cutlery, at

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ich salisfaction and remain fresh WIRE Cloth, at

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below the present salaries.

Constitution is that all bills passed by the | House and remanding the question of a | Marshal ;

awe of Mayor Stokeley's police, who were for the purpose of coming up to the re-

The election was for members of Council

Committee of Ways and Means, says he is in favor of passing it through the

vis, of Philadelphia, Chairman of the

The glass skylights for the new Go rnment building, Chicayo, will weigh 20 ter the HOLIDAYS. Be sure and stock and to provide for the assersment thereof and payment of taxes thereon, intended to abolish the office of bank as- | tions of County and State officers. An act to create banking department. A concurrent resolution was also repointment of a joint committee of Sena-tors and members of the House, to revise of the lawyers become grimy, like the There was quite a lengthy discussion in

GENERAL NEWS. SCHUYLER COLFAX is very ill with erysi-

WHOLESALE PRICES, until af-Oven 14,000 hogs are daily slaugatered at the Chicago stock yards.

blance of lies. It must not be forgotten that these clever persons were in the closest confidences of the great fraud-shrieker and political jockey who led the Democratic forces in 1876. SAMUEL J: Tilden is energies and business of its citizens. | tions. the core of the Democratic party, For the vast amounts spent, and for and that party is therefore hopelessly the great debt which now weighs like rotten at the core. To the optimistic persons who affect to think that an incubus upon its business, no sub- for the benefit of his health, has left something may be gained by coquet- stantial good has been realized, and behind him as remembrancer, a debt ting with the Democracy, the ques. the city would have been much more incurred by the city of Williamsport tion may be put-what time during prosperous had it not been the vic- of nearly \$500,000, in bonds and the decade that preceded the war time of such intensely public spirited overdue interest, issued in 1868, the ceaseless activity and untiring exercitizens as PETER HERDIC. were the friends of freedom of opin-

ion that this country had any good to hope for from Democratic rule? to unseat General BUTLER, who holds These bonds were negotiated and At what time during the war did any the seat in the United States Senate Republican suggest Democratic rule as a measure of safety or relief to which Mr. COBBIN is entitled; will at from sixty to seventy cents on the for the next, and the political cauldron is fail. The Republicans have but the republic? To these questions there can be but one reply; and that three majority, not counting Senator is that at no time for ten years prior DAVIS, and it is said that Messrs. to, or during the war for national (Pa.), and CHAFFEE will vote with unity did any pronounced Republican regard the possibility of Demo- the Democrats in favor of BUTLER. cratic rule with other than the grav. The Washington correspondent of them in good faith must be paid, and the New York Times reports Mr. Judge ELWELL, of the Columbia Counest apprehensions.

The next question is \_\_\_\_\_\_ When, if CAMEBON as explaining his purpose ty Court \_\_\_\_\_\_ where judgment had origiever, has the Democratic manage. to vote for BUTLEE by saying that nally been obtained-issued a man- and lost his left eye from the effects of ment, within the last twenty-five even if the Republican contestant damus requiring that the overdue inyears, abandoned a single purpose it were now admitted, he would not be cherished and avowed from the be- able to hold his sent after the reasginning of that period down to and sembling of the Senate next session. throughout the war? In what has it | The Democrats will then have a machanged its intentions or modified jority sufficient to carry through any its policy? Who of its old leaders measure, no matter how manifestly who crowned it with the infamy of illegal or unjust, and Mr. CAMEBON treason has been discarded? Which believes that one of their first acts, of its old time methods has it put should he now obtain a seat, would away? What use did it make of be to throw out CORBIN and reinstate power partially regained? What BUTLER. Senator CHAFFEE is underdid it do when it gained the House stood to entertain views similar to that betokens a better mind and a these. Messrs, PATTERSON and CONmore patriotic purpose ? What are over, for reasons supposed to be per-

its acknowledged leaders doing, in sonal to themselves, voted to seat Congress and out, to-day, to show | BUTLER in the first instance. that they have reformed their methods or their plans? If the Demo-It is a hopeful sign of the times crats have changed their plans, or that renewed activity is permeating abandoned a single purpose, or modi- every branch of the iron trade.

fied their policy, or discarded a sin- Prices are rapidly advancing, and gle leader, or made any other use of the demand in many branches of the worth the debt and taxes with which on that thoroughfare, who claim that power regained except to abuse it— trade is so great that several mills in they would have been saddled. if they have done any of these things, the State have refused to take orders somebody can show it. And if they | for future delivery, except at largely have not done any of these things, advanced figures. This industry has, as we affirm they have not, then will perhaps, suffered more during the somebody tell the people why they hard times than any other, and its should expect any good from Demo- recovery to its former position will cratic rule, or how any patriot can be a positive blessing to the country ally himself with such a party and at large. retain his self-respect.

It is reported in Democratic cir-THE cause of the threatened outcles in Ohio that Governor BISHOP break among the the Western Penn- must make way for Congressman sylvania miners is due not so much | RICE as the party candidate for Gov. to the refusal to increase wages from | ernor, who is supposed to have made | 21 to 3 cents per bushel for mining himself a tower of strength by rea- ness transacted was of a routine as to the fact that they find it im- son of his being the author of the character; efforts were made to have the walkers without the slightest regard petroleum. possible to avoid dealing at what pension arrearages bill.

are termed "company stores," where the "truck system" prevails, and where the prices charged are forty made during the first session of the Senate was still in session at a very per cent, higher than elsewhere. If next Congress to remove the politi- late hour at night. In the House, the miners used as much energy in cal disabilities of JEFFERSON DAVIS. the River and Harbor and the Defi meeting this difficulty as they waste The Mississippi Bourbon programme ciency bills were taken up and passed in fruitless violence, the cause for is to make him the successor of Mr.

tura. The reaction has t priation bills, unless coupled with ken place, and the attempt to unduly | legislation which breaks down all seand unnaturally force the growth of curity for peaceable and fair electhe city, results in burdens which | tions in the South, the responsibility will be felt for twenty years, retard | will be with those who sought by the ing its prosperity and crippling the sword to overthrow our free institu-

the wiscst of the Washington cor-

respondents, and which seems to be

not easy of solution. The Democ-

racy is divided as to the policy of

creating the necessity for calling to-

gether the new Congress before the

regular day of assembling. The

more decent of that party are averse

to it, as unnecessary and dangerous.

PETER HERDIC, who has gone south | rything, and sometimes produces aston. | ed, or when the result is announced. If "e ernal, vigilance is the price of liberty," maintained and constantly increased by when he "run" the city, for the laytions of those who "run the machine." ing of Nicholson pavement, building The political organization is perfect, and its operations conducted with matchless It would appear that an attempt sewers, and other improvements.

shrewdness and industry. No sooner are the polls closed, than the workers begin put up as collaterals by Mr. HERDIC, to lay their plans and get in their work dollar. The city authorities, bur- constantly boiling and bubbling. There dened with this immense debt, and are no better organizers, nor skilful manthreatened with bankruptey, attemp. agers, in the country, than the leaders in PATTERSON, CONOVER, CAMERON ted to dispute the legality of the this city. They may wrangle over the division of the spoils, but when the common bonds, although the Supreme Court enemy is to be met, you would think they has decided that those who took were a band of brothers.

John Holleru, from Elmirs, aged 29 years, got into a row in a saloon on Eleventh street, above Race, Tuesday night, being struck with a black-jack.

terest be raised and paid. This has never been done, and another batch of coupons falling due on the first of March, Judge ELWELL has, on mo- Broad street theatre, and now he sings or other business, and their employees, tion, assued a rule returnable the 20th, on Councils and Treasurer to the leader deem the two services incom- other disturbances as may tend to injure patible show cause why an attachment

The horses and carriages of the late should not issue for disobedience of Robert W. Mackey were sold at auction the mandate of the Court. As the city cannot repudiate it prices.

debts, nor evade their payment, after A firm of undertakers has bought out the example of Memphis, by surrenas the "latest fashion" a black hearso for the burial of infants-dispensing with dering its charter, this overwhelming the usual plumes and feathers, as unseemand burdensome debt must be paid ly, and making the ceremony as sombro by taxation which will press heavily ind sad as the most afflicted could wish. upon the property holders of Will-The success of the Elevated Railway at iamsport. We commend the lesson New York, has attracted the attention

to the people of Western Bradford, and cupidity of certain parties here, who think that there are millions in an elevatwho were so anxious for the new ed road on Market street, and a movecounty of Minnequa. Had HERment has been started to charter and DIC's scheme prevailed, the farms of build one. The project does not meet the new county would not have been with much favor from property owners there is no necessity for such a means of

ransit. Monday, the first colored youth ever ad-THE latest estimates at the Treasmitted to the Central High School in this ury Department. Washington, fix the took his seat in that institution. His ows. loss sustained by the people through name is Charles P. Gordon, recently a pnthe use of fractional currency at pil in the Roberts Vaux Grammar School 12,000,000 dollars. There is still for colored youths in the Twelfth section. outstanding \$16,000,000, of which it There was no attempt at hazing, and at providing for the payment of said losses, is thought not more than \$1,000,000 recess he mingled with the other lads, and making an appropriation therefor. will be presented for redemption.

who manifested a disposition to receive him without drawing the color line. An old-fashioned snow-storm has made

OONGRESS. edestrianism intensely disagreeable for Monday :- The Senate devoted sloppy or slippery, while the snow-sweep- providing the means for the collecting itself principally to the subject of the tobacco tax; all the other busiers of the railway companies scatter the thereof snow and dirt upon the sidewalks and

the revenue bill amended so as to to their persons or feelings. have the reduction go into effect The appointment of Governor Hart-It is stated that an attempt will be May 1 or June 1, but the Senate votranft as Postmaster and Colopel Snowden as Superintendent of the Mint, having been confirmed by the Senate, those Pollock as Naval Officer has not, at this be watched with interest, not only by the some District of Columbia business writing, been confirmed, but unquestion- | public at large, but the several thousand |

ing 46 bills were thus disposed of in the ward, if it took all the police of the city to accomplish it-and as the Mayor means | Senate, and 121 in the House, so it will what he says-the hint was sufficient. be seen that the calendar of bills on sec-Principally the interest centered in the | ond and third readings, the stages at election of election officers. Your readers which they are considered and discussed, will hardly understand how much impor. ] is in a fair way to assume formidable protance, in a city is attached to having your portions. Among these bills in the Sen- ported and adopted, providing for the apfriends on the election board. It is eve- ate was one called up by Senator Davies,

"an act providing for the more speedy reishing results, when the votes are count- lief of poor and indigent persons." and codify the tax laws of the state, and The nomination of R. F. Goodman report by bill or bills such legislation as Esq., of Sayre, Bradford county, sent in will carry out the provisions of the new so the Republican majority in this city is by the Governor, to be notary public, was Constitution on the subject of taxation. on motion of Senator Davies, unanimous ly confirmed on Wednesday evening. It the Senate on Friday, on a motion made is predicted by those who know him best by Mr. Schnatterly, of Fayette, that the that Mr. Goodman will bear the honors act to secure to the operatives and labor. of the official position thus conferred upon ers engaged in and about coal mines and him, with modest dignity, and that he will neither fail to recognize old acquainment of their wages at regular and statances nor forget his poor relations. ted intervals, and in lawful money of the Among the most important of the bills United States, (reported negatively) be which passed first reading in the House placed on the calendar. at this evening session, were the follow-

> against the bill and placing it on the cal-An act providing for the appointment endar, saving, among other things, that of women prison inspectors. to enforce its provisions would be to take An act to provide for equality in rates from the people the inalienable right to of transportation, storage and handling

make contracts. of property carried wholly or partly by This is one of the bills upon which a railroad, etc. [This is substantially the number of the buncombe speeches, beanti-discrimination bill which attracted fore referred to, will be made, and which, so much attention during the last session should it become a law, never can be en of the Legislature.] forced. The Senate, however, notwith-

An act to provide a legal remedy for standing the fact that this was the sec-William Bradshaw was a singer in the the decision of controversies and disputes choir of the First Baptist Church, at existing or which may exist between artiond time it had been reported from the Broad and Arch streets. He engaged to ficial or natural persons engaged in man-General Judiciary Committee with a negsing in the Pinafore entertainments at the ufacturing, mining, as common carriers, no longer in the choir, as the Church and and to prevent lock-outs, strikes or such among the eight.

or disturb the business or peace of the community The general local option law. 'An act adelphia, the getters up of which evidenton Wednesday last. They brought good to prohibit the sale of liquors by sample ly desire to make a raid on the State without license.

A free pipe line bill with long title. efits of an act for the relief of J. Mowry Moorhead to other bona fide holders for An act to secure to operatives and laborers engaged in and about coal mines value of bonds of the Milford and Mattaand manufactories of iron and steel the payment of their wages at regular stated times, and in lawful money of the United

flicers, to examine and pay these claims. States. The door was opened last winter by pass-An act for the better protection of the wages of miners, mechanics, and others. An act to prohibit the issuing of orders for the wages of laborers in mining, man- | relief is asked for. If this kind of bills continues to be passed by the Legislature ufacturing and shipping of anthracite there will be no end to the Milford and Mattamoras railroad bonds, and it would An act authorizing the refunding of all

public indebtedness at a rate of interest below the rate now paid. An act granting pensions to the survivmands. ing Pennsylvania volunteers who served

in the war with Mexico, and their wid-An act authorizing the appointment of has been going back and forth between a commission to ascertain and adjust the the two Houses for several days past, was losses caused by the riots of July, 1877,

The "border raid" bill. Sherwood's salary bill.

An act taxing petroleum and imposing license fee upon petroleum wells, for pedestrianism intensely disagreeable for a license fee upon petroleum wells, for effect that two copies should be purchased 1828, and held the place continuously up the past two days. The pavements are the benefit of the Commonwealth, and for the use of the Senate and House, the til his death, over half a century.

important measures which will claim the the matter before the Senate, Senator attention and should receive the careful Davies promptly moved that the farther onsideration of the Legislature, during the balance of the session, and as they | y postponed, which sensible motion was | will, if she lives, be 113 years old or officers will enter upon their respective are now fairly in the hands of those who places on the first of March. Governor | are to pass upon them, their progress will |

BEST business you can engage in. \$5 to 720 per fight in their own localities. Particulars and sam-ples worth 55 free. Improve your spars time at this business. Address STINSON & Co., Portland, Mathe -such ill-timed and ill-advised move- BRUCE in the United States Senate. were introduced. was disposed of, and more new bills ably will be in time to take the post be- intelligent readers of the .REPORTER, the taking up and passing finally, on momay20 1v ments would soon cease to exist. Two votes only were cast for HAYES and WHEELEB in Buchanan Conuty, Va., in 1876, and the Rich-mond Whig is glad to hear that those iwo have since taken their departure. While since taken their departure. Were mitroused by dema-iwo have since taken their departure. Were mitroused by dema-iwo have since taken their departure. Were mitroused by dema-iwo have since taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-iwo have since taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-iwo have since taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-iwo have since taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-iwo have since taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-iwo have since taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-iwo have since taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-iwo have since taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-iwo have since taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-iwo have since taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-iwo have since taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-iwo have since taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-to be aveter subst. The survices were held in meen-to be aveter subst. The survices were held in meen-to be aveter subst. The survices were held in meen-to be aveter subst. The survices were held in meen-to be aveter subst. The survices were held in meen-to be aveter subst. The survices were subst. The survices were held in meen-troug taken their departure. The survices were held in meen-troug taken their departure. The survices were subst. The survices were subst. The survices were subst. The survices were taken their departure. The survices were subst. The survices were taken their departure. The survices were taken the ments would soon cease to exist. "There are more cures made with llop Bitter fore the expiration of the present incum- which latter class your humble correspon- tion of Col. Davis, of Philadelphia, of an According to the American Bieveling "When the brain is wearled, the nerves unstrung, the muscles weak, use Hop Bitters." "That low, nervous fever, want of sleep and weakness, calls for Hop Bitters, HOP COUGH CURE AND PAIN RELIEF IS PLEASANT, SUKE, AND CHEAP. TOR SALE BY ALL DEGUGISTS. 

ONE night recently, at Andover, Mass a women gave birth to triplets and one SAVE MONEY by paying CASH manufactorics of iron and steel the pay- bour after, in the same house, her married daughter followed with twins THE Howard Association officers are

now burning all the tents used in Chatta-noo, a, Memphis, New Orleans and other and buying before Christmas. points during the yellow fever epidemic. During the debate Senator Davies spoke A BILL before the Legislature of Ohio creates a Board of School Book Commis sioners to advertise for and award con-

tracts to furnish text-books for use in th common schools. The poems of the late-Richard Realf with a biographical sketch by Col. R. J

Hinton, will be published some time dur-ing the spring. The work is intended for the benefit of Realf's child. Towanda, Pa., Dec. 12, 1878. DR. C. H. F.PETERS, the director of the Litchfield Observatory of Hamilton Co.

lege, Clinton, N. Y., has been elected at associate member of the Royal Astronc mical Society of Great Britain. THE Republicans carried the local elecative recommendation, ordered it to be whole ticket being successful. Irving G. placed upon the calendar by a vote of 36 Vann, their candidate for Mayor, received

to 8, the Senator from Bradford being among the eight THE new chairs which have been place on the throne of the Senate Chamber at A new bill was introduced in the Sen-Ottawa, Canada, are both of oak, upho -Notice is hereby given that all persons in dedicid to the estate of John D. Montanye, Late of lthnca, N. Y., deccased, are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said estate must present them duly authen ticates for settlement to our Attorney: John W. ate on Thursday, by Mr. Grady, of Phil- stered in crimson velvet. The Marquis chair will bear the royal coat-of-arms. THE Governor of North Carolina has ly desire to make a raid on the State appointed W. L. Saunders to be Secretary. Treasury. It is an act to extend the ben- of State, to succeed Engelbart, deseased. Saunders is a prominent

Heater for weinement to our Attounty of Wills, Towanda, Pa. How ARD ELMER, Administrator, ELIZA BETH J. MONTA NYE, Towanda, i' Feb. 6, 79. Administratiz. was recently editor of the Raleigh Observ

A UDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the Orphans Court of Bradford County. In this matter of the extate of Elishis Barrett, late of the township of Springfield decessed. The undersigued, an auditor appointed by said court to distribute the funds in the hands of 0, P. Harkness, administrator of said defendant estate, arising from said decedents real and personal estate, will attend to the duries of his appointment at his office in Troy Boro' Fa., on FRIDAY, MARCH 7, A. D. 1879, at 10 o'clock A. N. of said day at which time and place all parties having claims on said funds are hereby notified to present them or be debarred from coming in upput the same. W. E. CHILSON, Auditor. The wind has been blowing across th moras railroad, upon the faith of the ap- top of Mount Washington, lately, at the propriation to that company, empower- rate of 114 miles an hour, the snow is so ing the Auditor General and other state deep that the buildings are buried to their eaves, and 'temperature' frequently falls to twenty degrees below zero Two very aged persons have lately died ing a bill for the relief of Moorhead, by in Maine. Lettie Larrabee, of Kuox, 101 which he got some \$60,000, and now more years, and John Eason, a colored preacher

of Augusta, who was born in Wareham, Mass., 1776, and was consequently nearly 103 years of age at the time of his death. w. E. CHILSON, Andito Troy, Pa, Feb. 5, 1879. TN BANKRUPTCY .- In the Dis-A NAN now residing in Idaho, who 29 A DAAK WOTTOL. -- If the Dis-trict Court of the United States, for the West-ern District of Penrsvirania. John J. Griffiths of Bradford County, a Bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2d. 1867, hav-ing applied for a discharge from all his dotts, and other claims provable under suid Act, by, order of the Court, Notice is hereby given to all Creditors who have proved their debits, and other persons interested, to appear on the 2d, day of MARCH, 1873, at 10 Oclock A. M., before R. A., Mercur, Esq. Register in Bankrupicy, at his office, in Towanda, Pa., to show cause if any they have, Mattamoras railroad bonds, and it would be just as well to call a halt now, as at any future time. The strong box of the State is in no condition to meet such de- glass bad shifted its position about six

AT the end of January the total numowanda, Fa., to show the granted to the sa shy a discharge should not be granted to the sa Parkruht. S. C. MCCANDLESS, Clark 924 received outdoor relief. These figures show in marked increase since Januar

FEVID BAILEY, who died at Cambridge Maine, several days ago, at the age of S0 was appointed by John Quincy Adams in

THE Connecticut House of Representa An act imposing a State tax on crude field the Senate that it that appendix bill as a "flagrant violation of a sacrea and honorable treaty, and wholly incon-terroleum. These constitute the most of the really when President pro tem Herr brought with the principles and traditions of our Republic, and with the broad principle of human ficedom.

THE TOWANDA GAS AND WATER COMPANY'S Annual Meeting of Stockbolders for the election of a Board of Mangers for the ensuing year, and for the trans action of general business, will be held at the of WE WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD action of general business, will be held at the o fice of the company, in Towanda Borough, o MONDAY, the 3d day of MARCH, 1879, betwee the hours of 1 and 3 P. M. C. S. BUSSELL, Secretary, Towarda, Pa., Jan. 20, 1879.-23w5 E. F. DITTRICH & CO. Cowanda, Jan. 30, 18

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UDITOR'S NOTICE.-In th Orphan's Court of Bradford County. In er of the esists of Daniel White, deceased matter of the saists of Daniel White, deceased, The undersigned an Auditor appointed by i Court to distribute the funds in the hands James II. Webb, Executor of the said deceders sons property of the said deceders, will stated the duties of Als appointment at his office MC. Borough of Towanda, on MONDAY, the 2415 of MAHCH, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which in and place all partice having c'alus on said fun DROVERBS. "The Richest Blood, Sweetest Breath and the airest Skin in Hop Eitters."

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"Health and beauty is a joy-Hop Bitters gives health and beauty."

finally disposed of in the Senate on Fri- 1878 and 1867, but a deciraise when con day. It came over from the House at pared with the figures of January, 1876. that time, with a notice that that body ment which had been made there, to a years, was probably one of the oldest postmasters in the United States. He

had refused to recede from an amend-Senate resolution on the subject, to the effect that two copies should be purchased same to be chained to the Speakers' desks

In the two Houses. The House also noti-fied the Senate that it had appointed a resolution condemning the Anti-Chines consideration of the subject be indefinite-

unanimously agreed to, which should be the last of such foolishness. The most important item of business was married at Bristol, Me., in 1784 at

transacted in the House on Friday, was which time she was 1 tyears of age. Her

the toes to the ankle. A resolution in reference to the nurchase of copies of Purdon's Digest, which ber of paupers in London was 83,663, of has been going back and forth between whom 44,700 were in workhouses and 43.-

MRS. THOMAS BURNS, of Portland, Me.

d place all parties having calms on said fun o notified to present them, or its debarred fr ming in upon the same. J. AND/2EW WII 7. Towands, Feb. 27, 1879. Auditor. Towands, Feb. 27, 1879.