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WHO IS RESPONSIBLE?

It is a common accusation mad by the Democratic and so-called Independent newspapers, in their that it is sectional, and fosters sectional animosities. Frequent allusions are made to the "bloody shirt." as if the Republican party was answerable for the condition of affairs which constantly brings prominently better in the long run than profits at before the country the fact of a great rebellion suppressed with a fearful loss of life and an immense amount to accumulate on the markets.

of suffering, and the expenditure of countless millions of treasure. The falsity of this charge is so apparent to the unprejudiced observer that it is hardly worth a denial. The reiteration may possibly attract the attention of those who catch at anything to justify and excuse a blind devotion to party, or to palliste subserviency to Southern domination. The Republican party during the years it has held control of the government, and shape I the legislation of the country, has shown a degree of forgiveness and a desire to obliter-'ate the terrible memories of the past, which is without a parallel in the have come to a head, and will break history of nations. Where in the pages of history can be found the record of such a monstrous crime, where such a testimony to the forbearance of the victors? The "erring brethren" have been forgiven, and received into confidence and power. The treason which deserved the gallows, has been forgotten, until lenichey has almost elevated the traitors to the dignity of patriots, and it has become a question who should wear

the honors of loyalty. The mourning in Northern households, has not ceased, and the vacancies at the hearth stones are still viewed with sorrowful hearts, and vet what remains upon the statute books, to remind the unrepentant with a good feeling and unanimity rebel of the great crime which caused which is unusual and is the sure foreall this misery. Is he denied a single privilege he was entitled to before the rebellion ?- There is nothing remaining, except the laws which were fect the harmony of the party, and enacted to secure fair and free elec- | we are to go into the canvass withtions and to prevent bull-dozing and out a single discordant element to cheating at the polls. The country | weaken us. The success of the Rewitnessess the spectacle of a Con- publican party in Pennsylvania, is gress largely composed of Confeder- assured, and is generally conceded.

ate brigadiers, and wholly under the even by our opponents. control of the South. They have endeavored to repeal all those reasons why the fisheries and cusments which stood in the way of the toms arrangements between the illegal and monstrous practices, which United States and Great Britain, have secured the rule of the shot-gun fixed by the Treaty of Washington, and bludgeon and made a "solid South." It is the attempt to repeal these just laws which brought promi-The benefits are almost entirely on nently before the country the reasons the side of the Canadians. From for their enactment and the conse-July 1, 1873, until June 30, 1878, it quences of their repeal. If the Reis estimated that Canadians saved bellion and the rebels were again \$1,663,821.78 in duties, when the enbrought into notice, who is responsitire value of fish taken in British ble for it? Certainly not the Repubwaters by Americans, under the prolican party. If the achievements of visions of the treaty, was but \$589,the Confederates have been boasting-970. And yet we were arbitrated ly and tauntingly flaunted in the face out of a vast sum to pay for the of the loyal North, who is responsialleged benefits of the arrangement. ble for the indecent display? Was The decision to terminate the treaty it to be expected that the loyal heart was not taken a moment too soon. of the North would not be fired, when the halls of Congress was made AT Memphis, last week, two or the place to uphold and defend the three cases of yellow fever caused a treason which it cost us so much to panic, and the inhabitants of that put down? The Southern leaders and politicians have yielded to that unreconstructed feeling which is so universal in the south, and by their imprudence and zeal have awakened reminiscences which the North would gladly forget. If tranquility was desired, the North certainly would be the very last to allude to the exciting questions which only engender sectionalism and bitterness of feeling. There is no disposition in the Repubhean party to arouse the dormant feeling of the war, to excite discord and bad blood, and the bloody shirt suming business. of sectionalism would not be displayed if the Confederates did not THE first state election this year insist upon measures which inevitably will be that of Kentucky, on August reopen all the national wounds, and 5. The others come in order as brovoke a discussion of the attempts made to overthrow the government by force of arms.

RETING OF THE REPUBLICAN The merchants are selling more goods, the manufactories of nearly

The Republican County Commit all kinds have been running full time tee of Bradford county met. ourse without producing a glut of commodities upon the markets, and con- ant to the call of the Chairman, at the Court House in Towards, on fidence has everywhere revived. Thursday, July 10, 1879; was called Prices of some articles have sustained an advance, but generally speaking to order at 2 o'clock, P. M., and on

motion, J. W. STONE, Esq., of Canton, June 26, 1879. this only occurred where they were at or below the cost of production. was elected Scoretary. After some debate, the time an and the rise was only to a point 1877. this week. place for holding the Republican which afforded a reasonable profit. tirades against the Republican party, For the general prosperity and for County Convention, was fixed on

> the healthfullness of business itself o'clock, P. M., at the Court House in not inviting. Jersey tomatces are comit is not desirable that prices should Towanda. largely advance, for when values are A resolution was then passed that low consumption is increased, and the Committee elect the delegates to small profits on a larger business are

the Republican State Convention, to be held at Harrisburg, on the 23d prices which restrict consumption inst., whereupon, Hon. GROBGE LANand cause a surplus of commodities DON, of Herrick, J. W. STONE, Esq.,

of Cauton, and Gen. H. J. MADILL, of Towanda, were elected Represen-THE approaching State Conven tative delegates, and the nomination tions are attracting but little interest. of R. R. SISK, Esq., of Wyoming week finished their 4,700th locomotive. The Democracy have already assemcounty, concurred in, as Senatorial They were never busier than at present bled, but as we go to press on the delegate. day appointed for their meeting we

Power of substitution was conferhave no report of their proceedings, ed on the delegates, and they were It is safe to say, however, that DANIEL elected without instructions. BABB, of Pittsburg, will be the nomi-The members of the County Com

nee for State Treasurer. He is re garded as the TILDEN candidate-but Vigilance Committees for 1879, for vain attempt to identify his son, than anwill be a respectable nominee, though by no means the strongest man who Committee adjourned. could be put forward. The Demo-HENRY STREETER, Chairman. cratic Convention will have a stormy

J. W. STONE, Sec'y. ression, as the troubles in the party

THE New York World has been but he still pursues' the investigation out in spite of the most strenuou efforts to reconcile the warring fac which occurred on the Fourth of for success. tions. In Philadelphia, the old was July through the use of firearms and horse RICHARD VAUX has organized fireworks used in celebrating. The a committee and two sets of delegates result is the particulars of eighteen will present themselves representing persons killed and one hundred and the WALLACE and RANDALL factions seven injured, more or less seriously, Between these rival interests there is by this patriotic burning of powder. a bitter and irreconciteable feud, which A South American rebellion could will be felt at the polls in November. rise, flourish and fall on less gore The Republican Convention meets than this

week later, on the 23d inst. The It is understood that Judge Dillon party in the State was never more harmonious or in better fighting trim of the United States Circuit Court. than now. Appearances indicate that will withdraw his letter of resignation and so amend it as to change the the nominee for State Treasurer, will time from September 1 to December be SAMUEL BUTLER of Chester county, and will enable the President sgain runner of a brilliant victory in Noto send to the Senate the name of vember. There are no disturbing Secretary McCrary after the vacancy questions which can be raised to afis assured.

LETTER FICM PHILADELPHIA.

stitute which is largely used.

culent edible.

PHILADELPHIA, July 14, 1879. The savans are agitating the minds of the good people of this city, as to the quality of the water which they drink. The principal supply is procured from

THERE seems to be the best of

from disease of the heavt. He was fortyoven years of age, John Price Wetherfl, Esqu has

appointed by Judge Butler as Jury Comioner for the United States Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, as provided for in the second section of the Judicial Appropriation bill, passed at the late extra session of Congress, approved

> Pennsylvania and Lehigh Valley stock touched the highest point since March,

Southern watermelons are Tuesday, September 2, 1879, at 1 ning to be plenty, though the quality is ing freely, and are of excellent quality.

come to suit, waters his tobacco crop by means of a fire engine.

Don't brag about your two-pound black bass. A fisherman in the Brandywine caught one the other day, weighing four pounds eight ounces, and it wasn't a very good day for bass either. The Baldwin Locomotive Works last

turning out about eight engines a week. Mr. Ross has not given up the hope of mittee present then appointed the has he returned from one journey in the

their respective districts and the other Charlie Ross is reported as being found in some distant part of the country. Recently he went to Georgia, and now word comes from Canada that Charlie is there. Repeated failures and disappointments have made Mr. Ross cautious

collecting statistics of the casualties wherever there is any grounds to hope The big female elephant at the Zoologcal Gardens, which has been ailing since the 4th, died on Thursday last in great mal's stomach was filled with pebblestones, sticks, bones, wads of paper, and peanut bags enclosing dirt. These foreign and indigestible substances which aused her death, had been swallowed

from over confidence in the juvenile visitors who had imposed upon the good nature and credulity of the poor beast, who was perfect in the art of catching whatever was thrown to her. She was eleven years old, and weighed 3,000 nounds. Few people realize the fact that Phila 1. This will prevent any interrup- delphia is the seat of the greatest, aggretion of the business of the Courts. gate amount of manufacturing in this country. The various manufacturing in-

> and these workshops give employment all the year round to 50,000 souls, the value of whose labor touches the enormous sum total of \$450,000,000.

COUNTY MATTERS. EDITOR REPORTER :--- I have observed

that the method of making the assess-

The Powers of Justices of the Pes reached the Governor's side he was lead. The date for the funeral has not yet been fixed, but is believed he will be buried Monday morning. [William Allen, whose decrare in here announced, was born in Eden-ton, North Carolina, 1809, and was, therefore, in his seventy-second year. He lost both his parents while h

was still very young, and removed to Lynchburg, Virginia, where he learned the business of a saddle and harness maker. When sixteen years old he started west, walking all the nis in General Assembly met, and it way to Chillicothe, Ohio. At this is hereby enacted by the authority

the fruit stores, and praches are begin- point his sister, the mother of Sen- of the same. That the aldermen, afor Thurman, resided, and by her assistance he obtained an academic education. Later he studied law with concurrent jurisdiction with the Colonel Duffy, of Marietta, one of the Hon. Edward King. Upon being courts of common pleas of all actions most successful tobacco growers at Lan- admitted to the bar he made rapid arrising from contrast. either excaster County, when the rains do not progress, and soon showed fine abili- press or implied, and of all actions ties as an orator. This gave him po- of trespass, and of trover and conlitical prominence, and at the age of version, wherein the sum demanded

twenty-six he was sent to the XXIIId does not exceed three hundred dol-Thomas Ewing, who was then in the upon promise of marriage. Senate. He took his seat March 4th. SECTION 2. In all actions brought

1°3", the same day on which Martin | before any justice of the peace, mag-Van Buren was inaugurated Presi- istrate or alderman, on any contract dent. / Mr. Allen was re-elected and for the payment of money, expressed served until march 4th, 1849-two or implied, if the plaintiff shall file On "Pennsylvania Day," during the Cen- | full terms. While in the Sena's he at any time before the issuing of the tennial exhibition, they celebrated the twas chairman of the committee on summons in any such case an affidaconstruction of their 4,000th locomotive, foreign relations, which position be vit stating the amount he verily be- He rushed to the pond, which was not been discovered at the time it filled with marked ability. After his lieves to be due from the defendant, finding the long-lost Charlie. No sooner retirement from public life, in 1859, together with a copy of the book Mr. Allen removed to the beautiful entries or instrument of writing upon neath the surface. Two men volun-Scioto Valley, and became one of the which the action is brought, or teered to go into the water and soon largest and most successful farmers | where the claims are not evidenced in the State. In 1873 he was called by writing if the plaintiff shall file as fortunate little fellows. It was a ploded this morning with terrific from retirement, when the Democrate aforesaid an affidavit setting forth a sad home to which the bodies were force, completely wrecking ithe boilwanted a leader who could carry the full and detailed statement of the taken; the parents were nearly wild er house and a three-story brick wanted a leader who could carry the full and detailed statement of the with grief and could not be consoled building adjoining. A portion, of could be releved her body had been so andidate. He was clected Gover- justice, alderman or magistrate to for the great loss they had sustained. the wall of the main factory build- badly burned that she died that evening for by nearly a thousand majority, make a copy of such affidavit, duly Telegrams were sent to Pottsville ing, five stories high, was also blown being the only candidate on the tick- certify the same and deliver it to the and other places where friends of the out and the contents destroyed. A et who got through. He served a constable to whom the summons is family reside. The double funeral

full term, and was re-nominated in issued, which certified copy shall be will take place to-morrow afternoon 1875, when he was beaten by R. B. served at the time and in the manner at two o'clock. The sympathy of Hayes, who is now President. Dur- that service is made of the summons the entire community goes out to the blocks were shattered. August ing his career he achieved some not in the case, and the justice, magisagony. Dr. Chapman made a post mor- ed politicial victories, and repeatedly | trate or alderman shall render judgtem examination, and found that the ani- demonstrated that he possessed the ment in favor of the plaintiff for the confidence of the masses mount of his claims, unless the de-CHILLICOTHE, Ohio, July 14 .--- The fendant at or before the time at which funeral of ex-Gov. William Allen the summons is made returnable ook place this morning from Fruit shall have filed with the justice, Hill. Business throughout the city magistrate or alderman an affidavit was generally suspended and many of defense, setting forth fully the ousiness houses and dwellings draped nature and character of the same in mourning. Among the many Provided, That the affidavit required distinguished visitors present from by this section may be made by the abroad were Gov. Bishop, Lieut. agent of the party where such sgent Gov. Fitch, and the most of the is cognizant of the facts constituting State officials. The cortege was the cause of action, or defense, or very imposing. The entire popula- other matters set forth. And protion seemed assembled on the line of vided further. That nothing contained in this act shall be construed

to alter, impair or abridge the right dustries of the City of Brotherly Love The Over Issue of Pennsylvania of any person to appeal from the possess a capital of over \$250,000,000, HARRISBURG, Pa., July 14 .- The judgment of the justice of the peace, magistrate, or alderman, or to cer-State Board Investigating Committee met here to-day, and obtained a numtiorari the proceedings to the court ber of important facts, which may re- of common pleas of the proper sult in unraveling the over issue of county, as in other cases. Ānd

Friday's Storm. BELLEFONTAINE, O, July 13.-The

storm Friday was the most severe

bonds in 1853. W. D. Boss, who was provided further. That nothing conclerk under Bickel. State Treasurer | tained in this act shall apply to magin 1853, and cashier under Bailey, Bickels successor, stated that bonds And provided further. That the fees

to the amount of \$500,000 were for allowed to constables under this act adhesions of the arachnold memments of this county is not what it should warded to Girard bank, Philadelphia, on all sales made, be as follows : the Schuylkill river, at Fairmount, be, neither in accordance with the statute though there are other reservoirs on that law of the State. And as we are ap-

A find Accident, Wilkes-Barre Record, July 10, Enlarged-Text of the New Law. A report reached the city yester The following act providing for the enlargement of the jurisdiction day afternoon, that the two little sons of Mr. Charles Gardnier had of Justices of the Peace in the several counties of this Commonwealth was been drowned. A Record reporter passed by the last Legislature. It went at once to Mr. Gaminier's house, where the presence of a numgives jurisdiction in all cases not exceeding abree hundred dollars. The ber of friends and many weeping

children gave sorrowful evidence full text of the act is as follows : that the report was true. Upon Szorrow 1.-Be it enacted by the entering the house the bodies of the Senete and House of Representatives two children met his view. They had a narrow escape from death by of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvawere bright and handsome boys, being poisoned yesterday. Mrs. Mo-John, the elder, being seven years of Garry had prepared for dinner a were bright and handsome boys, age, and Charlie six years.

The two boys, in company with magistrates, and justices of the peace George McClure and George Lynch. in this Commonwealth shall have companions of their own age, went to the Conyngham shaft at about about four o'clock they were found four o'clock. A lot of clay had been by the neighbors vomiting violently taken out some time sgo, leaving a and in great distress. They grew rap hole varying in depth from three to idly worse and it was feared that the nine feet. This had filled with water. whole family were dying. Some of On reaching this place John Gardi-Congress by the Democrats. At the lars, except in case of real contract ner said he would go in swimming, Drs. Becket, Shanks and Keogan Congress by the Democrats. At the lars, except in case of real contract suddenly disrobed and went into the suddenly disrobed and went into the were called. Antidotes were administered and by midnight the suffering viper, measuring about two feet and six the United States Senate, over Hon. may come in question, or action coming to the surface was spoken to coming to the surface was spoke coming to the surface was spoken to family were pronounced out of dan-

by his brother, but gave no answer. ger. Mr. McGrarry's condition is the Charles then went into the pool to most serious, he being greatly prossave his brother, without removing trated and at times delirious. Inhis clothes, and he. t.o. sank. The vestigation showed that aquantity of other boys becoming alarmed ran stramonium, a very poisonous weed. back to the hotel of William P.Gardihad been gathered with the milkweed ner and told him what had happened. and had the condition of the family at least half a mile away, but was was, it might have resulted fatally. too late, the bodies having sunk be-BALTIMOBE, July 11 .-- A boiler in found the lifeless remains of the un- Adam & Setzers box factory ex-

parents so suddenly and so terribly Setzer, one of the proprietors, and bereaved. Henry Ulrich, the engineer, were killed. Six or eight were injured,

What Killed Chief Jones.

ome dangerously. The number of The great interest centered in the deaths may be found larger when the death of Chief-of-Police Kennard H. wreck is cleared away. Jones, of Philadelphia, led to a post-The damage by the explosion at mortem examination being made by Dr. F. B. Hazel, his attending phying, is estimated at \$20,000. No adsician, for the purpose of ascertaining the causes which led to the death of ditional bodies were found. Seven wounded were taken to the hospital, the head of the Police Department. one fatally injured. The autopsy took place on Tuesday. SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.- A Bodie Several eminent medical men were

dispatch reports a terrible explosion present, and the result achieved was most important and may lead to Standard Incline Works. which were considerable discussion in professionblown to atoms, and everything near al circles. Among the doctors who them leveled to the ground. The were invited were Professor W. H. Summit works, a short distance off-Pancoast, Drs. E. B. Shapleigh, J.C. were shattered to pieces, and many Norris. J. T. Hampton, Ingham,

were killed. The number is not yet Hughes, Clark and Shoemaker. known. About twenty wounded The result of the examination, in men have been found thus far. It is medical phraseology, showed, first, not known how many, if any have the scalp to be very thick, much more been injured in the shaft and under so than that of ordinary persons. ground. The works on top of the The vessels of the periosteum were shaft in the old incline are now on engorged. The dura mater was fire, but can surely be put out. The greatly congested, and there were hills are black with people. The brane. The pia matter was also surface of the brain were distended is slightly hurt. No estimate can yet it fell upon them, killing Private James

CHARLES A: CARL, the man with five As many parents are in the habit Isrrisburg to appear at Court. children to gather greens

Polyoned by Greens

A Bad Explosion.

of sending

Incality.

THE miners at Beaver B o.k, Ebervale and are even careless themselves, the and are even careless themselves, the following which is clipped from the Albany Journal should serve as a percent. The Jeansville men stopped warning, and may be the means of work Saturday night.

preventing a similar accident in this An eighteen-months old child of Mr. W. W. Krimmel, living at Mexico, Junista county, escaped from home last Thursday and sat on the railroad track to The family of Michael McGarry. consisting of his wife and two chilplay. Soon afterwards an engine came dren, residing at 816 Third street. along at a rapid rate of speed and the body of the little one was cut in twain. On Thursday afternoon Mr. Samuel Best, an old citizen of Meadville, was thrown out of his buggy and dragged a quantity of greens, which she sup-posed to be milkweed greens, gatherquantity of greens, which ale sup-posed to be milkweed greens, gather-ed by her in the nighborhood. The family partook freely of them, and badly cut. He died soon afterward. MRS. LEAH HERB, aged eighty-three living near Fleetwood. Berks county, fell from a tree, a distance of twenty feet,

while picking cherrics. Tuesday afternoon and was killed. She was found lying dead upon the ground under the tree by the neighbors ran for a physician and her daughter.

i. M. Lesher, on north Main street. It had crawled up to the kitchen door, and is supposed to have come from a largo stone pile near the house.

THE Johnstown Tribune says : "Not very long ago a young gentleman of this place was married by proxy to a young lady in Europe, a sort of power of attorney having been conferred on a frind of the grooms who lived in the bride's native town. The lady has since bined her husband and been wedded to im direct.

AT Pottsville, in the afternoon of the Fourth of July, a little boy named Har-ry Swaving threw a lighted firecracker at the foot of Catharine Backer, sixteen ycars of age. The clothing of the unfort. in the most intense agony. At New Castle, Lawrence county, a young lady out and the contents destroyed. A named Kentz, eighteen years of age, had her clothing set on fire in the same way blocks, and all of the plate glass and was so hadly burned that she is not windows within a radius of two expected to live.

GENERAL NEWS.

THE State Assayer of Maine reports that he has discovered a gold-bearing vein of quartz in the western part of Penobscot county. THE latest reports of the powder explo-

The damage by the explosion at sion at Bodie, Cal., say that at least 8 Adams & Setzer's factory this morn-persons were killed and 40 injured. Many f the latter will probably die. THE trial of A. F. Gibson, at Macon. Ga., for the murder of a New Yorker-named D. W. Coleman, resulted Friday in his acquittal. The jury were out ninc-

teen bours. Two countrymen driving into Cincinof a powder magazine hear the Old nati with a load of green corn Friday last Standard Inoline Works, which were took shelter from a violent thunder storm under a bridge. Lightning struck the bridge and killed both men and their

HEZEKIAH DYER, a farm laborer, of Leonardstown, Md., was found dead by the roadside on Thursday night, with his skull crushed in. It is supposed he was killed in a quarrel with his brother, who has disappeared.

In an affray at Lake Providence, La., Friday, Postmaster Austin was killed by Squire Lusk, and S. L. Austin, Jr., the Parish Judge, was mortally wounded. A colored man named Smith was killed by a stray bullet while crossing the street. fire department is doing good work. While five men of Batter Artillery, at Fort Hamilton, 2 WHILE five men of Battery B, U.S. James Hickey, foreman of the mine, excavating a bank near the fort Thursday,

ohn Herr, a baker being jealous, stabb

Henry Meisterling, and then plunged a

butcher knife into his wife's body fifteen times. He is held to await the result of

their injuries, but it is hought they may

EDWARD HANLAN, the champion cars-

man of the world, arrived in New York

Friday on the steamship City of Chester.

A reception was given him in Madison

Square Garden last evening, and he made

a brief speech expressing gratitude for the kind and cordial welcome given him,

and saying that while in England he en-

deavoied to uphold the honor of America.

the belligerents were arrested, taken be

fore a magistrate and committed to jail

Both loved the same damsel, hence their

An old building on Chester street Bos-

ton, tumbled down while in course of de-

molition Friday, burying in its ruins sev-

eral children, who were gathering timber.

Only two of them sustained serious in-

mutual thirst for gore.

JAMES SAMPSON and William Myers,

recover.

flew from the stamps and covered his hands and wrists, and a handkerchief used by him for wiping bis face and shot Sampson was slightly wounded in

neck also became filled with dust. the face. Before a second could be fired

WASHINGTON dispatches announc that it is intimated that the heads of the various executive departments will at an early day take steps to rid warm Republicans and secret enemies as found places under the reconciliaation policy of the President. How much of truth may be in this intimation-or how much necessity there sin.

may be for the promised cleansing of the departments-we are not able to

EX-GOVEBNOB WILLIAM ALLEN co crop of the State, and particularly of say, but the policy which is here died at his residence near Chillicothe, the large amount raised in Lancaster foreshadowed, has our emphatic en- Ohio, on Friday last, at an advanced County. The crop of the State in 1878 dorsement, as will have the approval age. Mr. ALLEN entered upon public was 38,750 cases, of which Lancaster pro-

of every Republican. The "spoils" life, when young, was elected United duced 30,000 cases of 400 pounds each, doctrine may be liable to abuse-but States Senator when barely thirty of the crop of 1876 was \$2,400,000, which which is 12,000,000 pounds. The value it has not one tithe of the evils which years of age, and retired after many has made the rich county of Lancaster come upon any party which rewards years of spublic service so long ago still richer. As much as five hundred its enemics with appointments, and that he was popularly supposed to be dollars have been realized from a single thus places in the hands of its oppo- very old, though he was but seventy- acre. morning:

nents the material forces for its over- two years of age. He was a demo-The Mint is kept at work some days as throw. There are honest and capable crat of the old school, and although late as eight o'clock at night, turning out men enough in the Republican party an ultra partizan, always had the reto properly and efficiently fill all the spect and esteem of his political opmillions in its vaults, which it cannot get of illness was Thursday morning. offices, at the disposal of Republi- ponents, rid of, even with the aid of silver certifi. but he did not regard his condition cans and it is simply insanity to

give them to Democrats. It is a The tramp laws of the various

mistaken and suicidal course, and if States surrounding New York, mainly clique will not sell silver as chean as it can be bought in the East, and therefore the it has been weakly pursued the modelled upon the New Hampshire coinage has to be done here, where the quicker the wrong is remedied the statute, have apparently had the effect silver is bought. better for the party and the country. of driving those vagrants into that

proaching near the time for taking the this amount \$400,000 were negotiatsupplied with water from the Delaware. next triennial assessment I will give my ed for the use of the State, and sub- hundred dollars, two per cent., for From Falls to Manayunk there, are many views thereon, trusting by so doing that sequently \$28,000 were negotiated all sales above one hundred dollars, factories and chemical establishments. we may hear from others on the subject, in London by the sgents of Girard one per cent. which contribute their deleterious drain- also trusting our County Commissioners bank, leaving \$72,000 not negotiated should be terminated as decided age to the Schuylkill. Any one who has will give the matter a thoughtful investi- which he always understood remained acts inconsistent herewith be and the upon by the Senate in March last, taken a ride on the small steamboats gation.

which ply upon the Schuylkill, cannot It has been the custom up to the takdepartment never had any personal have failed to notice the black turgid ing of the last triennial assessment, for dealings with Charles S. Baker, but streams which empty into the river, car- the County Commissioners to instruct the dealt with the bank alone. rying the refuse of the factories and the A paper was produced at a prevassessors to make their returns of valuaious meeting of the committee, signed sewage of the towns. It is claimed, howtion upon a basis of 30 per cent. of a cash by Baker, showing that the bank had ever, that the impurities are all deposited value of the property, which has been \$100,000 of the bonds of 1853 when before the water reaches the hydrants probably very fairly carried out. Now, Bickel entered upon the dutics of and is used, and if chemical analysis is how does this affect the property owner? not very deceptive, such is shown to be Neither increases nor diminishes his taxathe office, and Alderman Maurer. chief clerk in the Auditor General's the fact. In the meantime people contintion, provided the equalizations are just Office for many years, testified that river and crossing women and ue to drink the water, without, any seriand right. But one-half to three-fourths with this percentage principal, and when showing the number of bonds issued, with the Sioux, and defcated them. ous results. To those who think that of the tax-payers are men not conversant Schnylkill water will not agree with them, the lager beer saloons offer a subtold by the Assessor that your property and from which coupons had been as an evidence of the fight the is assessed (say \$3,000, when the actual cut. The books had not been found,

The melodious voice of the "hot-corn value is \$10,000). he says at once, "Why but the State Treasury clerks were woman" may now be heard nightly upon that is reasonable enough." But when requested to produce them if they the streets, as the colored vender of that he receives his valuation ticket for the can be found at Bedford Wednesday. right of appeal, he sees that his tax is far | where the committee will hold their article tempts the small boy with her sucbeyond his expectations from what the next meeting. With their discovery Assessor put down as his valuation, and the uncarthing of the over-issue mys-

pestilence stricken city sought by William Cramp, the ship-builder, died flight to escape the dreaded disease. last week, aged 72 years. Chief of Police he appeals, comes before the Board of tery is probable. Jones died on Monday, and his funeral on Appeals and is questioned, cross-ques-The horrors of last years scenes are Thursday was an imposing affair, 800 tioned, and perhaps sworn. Being a man held in vivid remembrance, and it is city police, with Masonic lodges, city an- of limited education he becomes comno wonder that the people of Memthorities, etc., being in the cortege. pletely fogged upon this present basis, phis should be seized with fear and A diamond wedding is a rare event, and in many cases his valuation is raised apprehension at the official announce but Frederick Heidenreich and his wife, instead of any abatement. Again, supment that the disease had again made celebrated the seventy-fifth anniversary pose the Assessor says your property is its appearance, some weeks earlier of their wedded life, at 717 North Elevworth \$10,000, and sets it down as such. enth street, on Saturday last. They came then the owner can see his actual value, in the season than last year. Later from Germany to this country in 1853. and every man knows what his property advices, we are gratified to know, John Russell Young, who is accompagive assurances that there is not like- pying General Grant in his trip around is worth in round numbers, provably far better than the Assessors, and if assessed ly to be any spread of the fever, and the world, is publishing a book giving a too high, when he comes for appeal exthe panic is abating, and the citizens full history of the General's travels. A oneration, he can talk without having to was swept away. The damage is returning to their residences and re- few numbers of the work have been isbe hoodwinked and mixed up as by this sued, and it promises to be such a success present system. The result, as afore

that already several cheap imitations stated, neither increases or diminishes the have been announced. The genuine work tax. but reduces the amount of mills on is published by the American News Comthe dollar only in calculating the tax levy. pany of New York city.

The leasing of the North Pennsylvania ticing the same percentage method in the and trees. Growing crops were half dozen prostrations by heat, and are estimated at \$200,000, towards follows : California, September, State road by the Reading road, is likely to county of Tioga, and it has resulted in prostrated. The damage to oats, none fatal. and Judicial officers, four Congress- lead to the building of another line to dissatisfaction, so much so that the town corn and hay, is reported heavy, but men and Legislature; Maine, Sep- Bethlehem by the Pennsylvania and Leof Owego has appealed on the equalization few days of fair weather will repair

tember 8, State officers and Legisla. | high Valley roads, so as to give the latter tion, upon the grounds that she has been much of it. Complaints are heard ture : Ohio and Iowa. October 7.] an independent outlet south, which it has county, and the Assessors are now taking sprouting in the shock. Thousands practically lost. Recently parties have State officers in part and Legislature; been looking over the route, which gives the assessment of said county in conform. of acres in central Ohio are covered Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesorise to the statement that the road was ity with the statute law of the State of with water, or mud and sand left by ta, Mississippi, New Jersey, New speedily to be located and built. No New York-that is upon the cash value sudden torrents. the service of such Democrats, luke- Tork, Pennsylvania, Virginia and steps have yet been taken looking to the of the property as the return valuation. Wisconsin, November 3. Goverbuilding of the road, and unless there Finally, by returning the cash value of the property in the judgment of the Λ_{B-1} Six persons were injured. The fair should be a want of accommodation on nors are elected in all the States the part of the Reading, it is not likely to sessor, instead of the per cent. valuation, named except Mississippi, New. be constructed, as the cost is estimated at every property holder can see the Asses-Jersey, Pennsylvania and Wiscon- \$4,000,000. fors views thereon, and can appeal under-

standingly if he desires to. Again, if this But few of the readers of the REPORmethod was adopted it would relieve the Worth, living near Thornton, had TER are aware of the extent of the tobac-Assessor of any figuring of per cent., and the roof of her house blown off and

is less liable to errors in making returns. two of her children killed. She Let us hear from others thereon. escaped with a broken arm. Advices Athens. June 30, 1879. CITIZEN. from several other places report considerable damage.

> Beath of Ex-Governor Allen of Obio A dispatch from Cincinnati, dated CONCORD JUNCTION, Mass, July 11. July 11th, gives the following particulars of the death of Ex-Governor ALLEN, which took place Thursday

Ex-Governor Allen's illness was

cates. The reason for coining so large a of sufficient importance to receive every day, and with the train as a proportion at this place is that the Nevada attention until afternoon, when he battering ram, batter down the had symptoms of chills. Dr. Scott, entrance to the prison, thus opening his son-in-law and physician; induced | escape for several hundred convicts. him to take medicine and go to bed. To-day was sciected on account of passed over here this evening, last-The Doctor and Mrs. Scott remained its being visiting day, when the ing 15 minutes, followed by a thun-

in attendance although Gov. Allen cflicers would have been engaged der storm. Some hail stones were

Nipped in the Bud

blood. There was marked be made of the Callagan, fatally injuring Private Th with sales amounting to less than one wounded. son, and severely injuring Corporal Johnmeningitis and effusion into the ventricles and base of the brain. In Hartford, Conn., Friday morning, Poisoned by Government Stamps

The Binghamton Republica

mentions the following singular case

of poisoning: Ex-Mayor Butler has

been sick for a week, and confined to

his house in consequence of being

seriously poisoned about his face and

hands by handling government

revenue stamps used on cigar boxes.

On Saturday, the 28th of June, while

the weather was very hot, and he

was perspiring freely, he stamped

and cancelled the stamps on a large

number of cigar boxes. Green dust

flew from the stamps and covered his

The result was a severe and deep

poisoning wherever the dust touched.

He appeared to be better last evening

but there was evidence of poison

breaking out on one ankle, showing

that it was spreading through his

system. Other cases of poisoning in

The left corpora striatum was slightly softened. In the centre of the SECTION 3. All acts or parts of left optic thalmi a tumor an inch in diameter was found. This was in Girard bank. He stated that the same are hereby repealed. hardish in consistency and yellowish

in color.

Dr. Hazel gave it as his opinion

brain and sent to a microscopist for

Pancoast, who held that death re-

sulted from softening of the brain.

the fact, yet the majority of the phy-

sicians insisted that the fumor was

The Eruption of Mount .Etns.

at Messina, sends to the Department

of State an account of the recent

eruption of Mount Ætns. It broke

out on the 26th of May and ceased

the 11th of June. In Messina the

lages near the mountains were

which the Italian Parliament has

Another Sufeide.

of the Binghamton Republican, under

date of July 9th, says:

The Susquehanna correspondent

Mr. Owen, United States Consul

Trouble With the Indiana

BISMARCK, Dakota, July 14:that the immediate cause of death apt. Anderson, of the steamer Jos. was the mennigitis and effusion, but ephine, reports that when the Josephine was passing old Fort Claggett that the primary cause was the on July 9, a large party of mounted tumor. This was cut out of the Crows was crossing from the north side of the Missouri in great haste. further examination, to determine just what it was and, if possible, to forcing their ponies into the afford a theory as to how it came there. Tumors in the brain are very prior and subsequent to McGrath's children in bull-boats. The Crows rare, and the finding of this was the cause of much surprise to the doctors. There was a slight disagree ment to the general opinion by Dr. captain saw three fresh scalps. The hostiles are not less than 800 lodges. with 2,000 warriors. The Crows re-While admitting this in part to be ported that the Sioux had captured and rifled Belknap Agency, but no murders had been committed. Gen Miles, with a force of 700 men, in

Indians and scouts, was at Fort Peck. He had placed all of the ablebodied Indians at Poplar Creek Agency, on the south side of the ever experienced here. It blew a river, excepting the women, childperfect burricane, and in the south- ren, and old men at the agency. western portion of the county, rain Gen. Miles had also given notice to increased in size. From its size the fell in torrents, deluging the fields. the Yanktonians that he should dedoctors believe that it had been more Many barns were struck by lightning mand their ponies and arms if they than a year in growing. and all the houses in its track were gave any encouragement or aid to

cluding 100 recruits, and 125 Crow

damaged, and much valuable stock the hostiles. The buffalo are moving was killed. Its track was seven south in large numbers, an unusual miles wide and ten long, in which | circumstance at this season of the area all the hay, corn, oats and wheat | year.

probably \$200,000. Jules Kava-The Heated Term naugh was killed by lightning in his Sr. Louis, July 13.-Last evening

there was a cool wind from the pavements and balconics were CINCINNATI, July 13. - Through northwest that lowered the mercury covered with black dust. The vil-Logan and Champlaign counties, the from fifteen to twenty degrees, and path of the recent storm, ten miles effectually broke the heated term, shrouded in darkness and the inhabi. The State of New York has been prac- broad, is strewn with wrecks of barns Rain fell afterwards. Less than a tants fled in terror. The damages

CHARLESTON. S. C., July 13 .--- A CHARLESTON, S. C., July 13.--A thunder storm to-night lowered the Catania \$2,500 and the Archbishop temperature over twenty degrees. valued in excess of the other towns in the from Champlaign county of wheat Ten white and five colored persons \$400. On the 15 of June there was a serious earthquake. The earth died of sunstroke yesterday.

opened and swallowed up houses ATLANTA, July 13 .- the thermom and human beings. The cause is eter was higher yesterday than in ten attributed to the undermining followyears, reaching 93. A fearful drought DETROIT, July 13 - The estimated ing the discharge of lava in large prevails over two-thirds of Georgia. damage at the city of Port Huron quantities. Refugees from Memphis reach Atlanta daily, and go into the moun-

tains. grounds at Pontiac were damaged to the amount of \$20.000. One man Peter Herdie

was killed at Thornton and one at HARBISBURG, July 15 .- The Gov Emlay City. A woman named ernor issued a warrant for the de-

charged with having obtained \$25,-000 from an Elmira bank, in 1876.

quisition of the Governor of New and subject to gloomy conditions of York on the ground of a defective

-A plot for the wholesale release of | indictment, but Governor Hoyt deprisoners has been frustrated at the cided that as Governor Robinson Massachusetts State Prison. Several had passed on the paper it was his weeks ago, a letter from one con- duty to act favorably on it. Mr. Hervict to another was intercepted. dic, several years ago, was reported very brief. He was in Chillicothe The letter disclosed a plot to cap- to be worth two million dollars, and spoonful of the poison in the mornsilver dollars to comply with the law, and Wednesday, apparently in excellent ture certain officers, thus releasing occupied a prominent position in ing. Emetic was at once administhe sub-Treasury in this city has over six health and spirits. His first mention 150 prisoners, and then to take Williamsport. Much interest is felt tered, and everything at hand that possession of a railroad train which in the present proceeding. Herdic might counteract its effects were

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runs into the prison yard nearly is now a bankrupt.

Flerce Storm in Vermo WELLS RIVER, Vt., July 14-A terrible hall storm and hurricane

similar manner have been reported the original cause which led to the junics. It is believed the children pulled in the public prints. Ex-Alderman softening. How this substance got down the building on themselves, by un-Jackson, of the revenue office, in into the brain is not known as yet. dermining its supporting timbers. Syracuse city, has been troubled for Is the Supreme Court at Trenton, N. J., Friday, Judge Knapp rendered his deci-Had Chief Jones lived to be a about a year with a skin disease rehundred years of age his mental consembling closely the poisoned sursion in the Smith-Bennett case, ' He passdition would not have been imed upon thirty-one assignments of error, deciding that they were not supported, face of Mr. Butlerproved, but would have become more aggravated as the mischievous tumor and affirmed the judgment of the lower A Terrific Storm

HARBISBURG, Ps., July 11 .- This afternoon a storm of unusual severity swept over Millin, Juniata county

Court. The case will now go to the Court of Errors and Appeals, where it will probably be heard on Wednesday next. In Buffalo Thursday morning, Louis The Presbyterian and Methodist churches were unroofed, the Lutheran

Schlater, a butcher, being provoked by Peter Miller, aged 19 years, threw a large butch knife at the latter. The knife church damaged, a row of ten build struck the boy in the leg below the knee, ings on Main street, occupied princimaking a wound from which lie bled to pally as stores, unroofed, gable ends death before assistance could be given blown in and the contents badly Schlaeter fled, but soon returned, and damaged. The carriage factory of gave himself up.

Showers & School was badly dam-FRANK DAVIDSON, convicted of the nurder of William Haggerty, in Septemaged, and a number of carriages ber last, was hanged Thursday at War destroyed. The roof of the public rensburg, Me., in presence of 10,000 spec-tators. A few hours before his execution school building was blown off and nine other buildings more or less he was baptized by an elder of the Christian Church. He made no speech on the damaged. The loss is estimated at gallows, but after prayer and speeches by \$65,000. A lady named Cresswell, the elder and a minister, he simply bade "farewell to all." contributed a large sum. The King roof of the Presbyterian church, aged 70, was instantly killed by the

No new cases of yellow fever were reported in Memphis, Friday, and the panic has measurably subsided. Many who in-At Lewiston, several houses were tended leaving the city have decided to remain and "await further developunroofed and some entirely deto the National Board of Health, New Orleans, Moutgomery, Galveston, Vicks-burg, Little Rock, Pine Bluffs, Oxford, Natolik and Health Scherk, Scherk, Street, Scherk, Scherk, Street, Scherk, It is leared that great destruction to property occurred in other localities in Juaniata an Miffln counties. BALTIMORE, July 11 .-- After an Norfolk and Holly Sgrings have quatarintensely hot day, the mercury tined against Memphis. having reached 95°, a severe storm

FIVE additional cases of yellow fever this evening, accompanied by a high were reported in Memohis Thursday wind and heavy rain, swept over the morning, and the Board of Health issued city. Dense clouds of dust were an address advising families to leave the whirled through the streets, making it impossible to see from one side-wilk to enother. The volceity of all who can get away nom the place. Thursday night, three of the cases of walk to another. The yerlocity of fever reported in the morning were pro-nounced to be something else, but this the wind was thirty miles an hour. Telegraph wires were blown down in still leaves three acknowledged cases of vellow fever and two deaths from the dis-

CATTAIN BROWN, of the U.S. Engi-neers, Thursday certified to the Scorymy of War that the greatest depth and width of the channel required by the Jetty act at the mouth of the Mississippi and at the head of the South Pass, has been scoured

borders no less than five agricultural by Captain Eads, thus virtually complet-societics each of which intend holding inc the work at the mouth of that river. "The jetty channel is over thirty feet

deep, and a good navigable channel of 26 ville making preparations for the erection feet, measured at the lowest stage of the of large car shops by the Philadelphia and river, exists at the head of the Passes." feet, measured at the lowest stage of the ANOTHER plot for a wholesale release

f prisoners from the Massachusetts Penitentiary at Concord Junction has just een discovered and frustrated. It was planned by the convicts to overcome the watchman in the shops, seize their re-volvers, and thus free the 150 convicts in The liberty pole in Pincherville, Lu-their charge, and then capture a railroad zerne county, was sawed down on the train which runs through the prison yard, their charge, and then capture a railroad

night of July 3, and the patriotic people and, using it as a ram to batter down the of that place offer a beavy reward for the ontance gates of the prison, let out sev entrance gates of the prison, let out sev-eral hundred convicts. Friday was set

STATE NEWS. THE production of oil in the Cole Creek region is 1,800 barrels a day.

crushing into her residence.

stroved.

WASHINGTON county has within her deprived her of her life. She had manifested alarming symptoms during the day, and admitted toward fairs this fall. WORKMEN are busy at work at Potts

Reading Railroad

A PARTY of prominent gentlemen fron Philadelphia were in Lancaster Wednes willingly accepted by the patient. A day viewing the locomotive works there, with a view to purchasing and starting messenger was at once dispatched for medical aid, but the system had them up. absorbed the poison to that extent,

that beyond alleviating her sufferings nothing could be done. She died during the night.

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from taking a quantity of Paris every direction. by false representations. Argument green, with suicidal intent. She has was made against honoring the rebeen in ill health for some time past, wind. In one of these fits of aberration, the act was done which

On last Tuesday afternoon Dr. Samuel Birdsall was summoned to livery to the New York authorities attend the wife of Wm. Ticknor, reof Peter Herdic, of Williamsport, siding about four miles from this place, who was in a dving condition