"TRUTH IS MIGHTY, AND WILL PREVAIL."

TWO DOLLARS A-YEAR

A Family Bewspaper----Denoted to Politics, Agriculture, Literature, Arts and Sciences, Che Markets, General Vomestic and Foreign Intelligence, Advertising, Amusement, &c.

1838, '39, '40

GETTYSBURG, PA.: MONDAY, JAN. 21, 1856.

NO. 17

TERMS OF THE COMPILER.

The Republican Compiler is published every Monday morning, by HENRY J. STAHLE. at \$1,75 per annum if paid in advance-\$2.00 per annum if not paid in advance. No sub-scription discontinued, unless at the option of the publisher, until all arrearages are paid. ADVERTISEMENTS inserted at the usual rates. JOB WORK done, neatly, cheaply, and with

Office on South Baltimore street, directly opposite Wampler's Tinning Establishment one and a half squares from the Court House.

LOCAL HISTORY.

PUBLIC OFFICERS: CONGRESSIONAL, IMGISLATIVE, JUDICIAL, FI

We subjoin lists of the person, who have been elected or appointed to offices in Adams county since its formation, in 1800, together with other matter not inappropriate in this connection. The lists are presumed to be as full and accurate as the means of information now to be had will permit. The labor required in the collection and arrangement of these materials was by no means inconsiderable, but under the presumption that we could in no other manner occupy a few columns of space to the greater satisfaction of our numerous readers, it was cheerfully undergone.

The several county officers, and others who kindly assisted in our researches, are entitled to many thanks, and ours are hereby tendered. anner matters connected with "long-timeay be able to collect them.

Congress. [District-York and Adams,]

1800 - John Stewart. 1802 - Do. do. 1804—James Kelly. 1806-Do. do. 1808-Do. do.

1810-William Crawford. [Dstrict-Adams, Franklin and Cumberland.] 1812-Robert Whitehill, William Crawford. 1814-William McClay, William Crawford. 1846-William McClay, Andrew Boden. 1818-David Fullerton, Andrew Boden.

[District-Adams, Franklin, Cumberland and Perry.] 1820 - James McSherry, James Duncan, Thomas G. McCullough.

1821-John Findlay. 1822-John Findlay, James Wilson. 1824-John Findlay, James Wilson. 1826 - James Wilson, William Ramsey. 1828 -T. H. Crawford, William Ramsey. 1830-William Ramsey, T. H. Crawford. [District-Adams and Franklin.]

1832-George Chambers. 1834-- Do. 1836 - Daniel Sheffer. 1838-James Cooper. 1849- Do. -do.

. [District-York and Adams.] 1843 Henry Nes.

Moses McClean.
to care my Nes.
himself my do.
party which Kurtz, Joel B. Danner. It was a remark of the congliton and Juniata.] sylvania that "the Democratic only one in the country that ev

deep waters." The past history of the the political parties illustrated remark. Whilst every culated to benefit the adopted by the Demonometral received the relentlesque Affi

posed to the Democrap bin Whilst the scattered are sition are sailing in the never go far from shore near the shore. The George Eyster. with the scarlet flage, tion." borrowed is: Louisville riots, with contented spirits other vessels, harit destined soon to ring it. ing out. She is not an . with

With a hardy crews and hearts on board, she fears ur on the search for truth. Hr. Cumberland.] Jefferson, Jackson, and Pub Cassatt. Jefferson, Jackson, and Pub Cassatt. Jefferson, Jackson, and Pub Cassatt. [District-Adams and Franklin.]

1844-Thomas Cacson. 1847-William R. Sadler. 1850-Thomas Carson. 1853-David Mellinger.

Assembly. 1800-Thomas Thornburgh, Henry Slagle. 1801-Henry Slagle, Thomas Thornburgh. 1802-William Miller, Henry Stagle. 1803-Andre Shriver, William Miller. 1804-William Milter, Andrew Shriver. 1805-Walter Smith, Andrew Shriver. 1806-Andrew Shriver, Walter Smith. 1807-James McSherry, James Gettys. 1808-James Gentys, Julies McSherry. 1809 - James Gettys, James McSherry. 1810-James McSherry, James Robinette. 1811-James McSherry, James Robinette. 1812—James McSherry, James Robinette. 1813—James Robinette, William Miller. 1814—William Miller, James Robinette. 1815-William Miller, James Robinette. 1816-Michael Slagle, Samuel Witherow. 1817-Samuel Witherow, Michael Slagle. 1818-Samuel Witherow, Wm. Thompson. 1819-William Miller, William Thompson. 1820-Jacob Cassatt, Isaac Wierman. 1821-Jacob Cassatt, Isaac Wierman. 1822-Jacob Cassatt, Isaac Wierman. 1823-Jacob Cassatt, Isaac Wierman. 1824-James McSherry, Geo. Deardorff. 1825-James McSherry, George Deardorff. 1826—James McSherry, Thompson T. Bonner. 1827—Thompson J. Bonner, Ezra Blythe. 1828—James McSherry, Thomas Stevens. 1829—James McSherry, David Middlecoff. 1830-Andrew Marshall, James McShetty. 1831-Andrew Marshall, Christian Picking. 1832—James Patterson, William Renshaw. 1833—James Patterson, Thaddens Stevens. 1-31-James McSherry, Thuddres Stevens.

1835-Thaddeus Stevens, James McSherry. 1

٠	
=	1020 William Maduata Obsission Disk
ı	1836-William McCurdy, Christian Pick
. '	1837-Thaddeus Stevens, Chas. Kettlewe
1	1838—Thaddens Stevens, Charles Kettlév
•	1839-Daniel M. Smyser, Wm. Albright
١ (1840-Daniel M. Smyser, George L. Fau
-	1641-Thaddeus Stevens, George L. Faus
f	1-42-John Alarshall, Henry Myers.
	1843-James Cooper.
	1844—James Cooper,
	1815-John Brough.
	1846—James Cooper.
_	1847-William McSherry.
•	1848—James Cooper.
•	1849-William McSherry, (vac.)
	1749—Daniel M. Smyser.
	1859—William McSherry.
	- 1000 The Land McConstry.
	1851 - David Mellinger.
-	1852 David Mellinger.
-	1853—John C. Ellis.
	1854—Moses McClean.
ا ـ	1855—Isaac Robinson.

Judges & Pros. Attornies. Hon. John Joseph Henry presided on the Bench of this county from Hon. Jas. Hamilton from 1806 to 1819 Hon. Charles Smith from 1819 to 1820 1820 to 1835 Hon. John Reed from Hon. Daniel Durkee from 1835 to 1846 Hon. Wm. N. Irvine from 1846 to 1849 1849 to 1851 Hon. Daniel Durkee from Hon. Robert J. Fisher elected in 1851 Associate Judges .- We are unable to find the dates of many of the older constitution, and hence give and the names to he sociate Judgest viz Hons. William and John Agniw, William Scott, William Crawford, Daniel Sheffer, William McClean, Geo. Will,

Practiting Attornies .- William Maxwell, George Metzgar, Samuel Ramsey, Geo. Sweeney, Robert S. King, Willet C. Ogleby, Andrew G. Miller, Wm. N. Irvine, Daniel M.

Geo, Smyser, James McDivit, Sum

THE FIRST COURT IN THE COUNTY. The first Court of General Quarter Sessions held in Adams county commenced on the second Monday in June, 1800, "before William Gilliland, John Agnew, and William Scott, Esquires, Associate Judges, &c." Sheriff Gelwicks made return of the following panel of Grand Jurors, viz :- Alexander Russell, Walter Smith, John Dickson, James Brice, George Lashells, David Scott, Thomas Abbot, Peter Ickes, Robert Doyle, Jacob Wertz. Alexander Cobean, Henry Kuhn, Win. Bailey, Samuel Russell, Henry Walter, Nicholas Dietrick, Robert Campbell, Jacob Greenamyer, Alexander Irvine, John Lees, and Wm. Miller.

The Constables who made returns at that Court were:—Jacob Nocl, Berwick: Joseph Lindsay, Mountpleasant; Sam'l Adair, Mountjoy; Emanuel Ziegler, Cumberland; Jacob Trine, Heidlersburg; Henry Ferguson, Hamiltonban; Valentine Hollinger, Reading: Sam'l. M. Reed, Straban; Charles Good, Franklin; John Wierman, Huntington; Daniel Rice, Me. nallen: Nicholas Wertz, Tyrone; Martin Hoffman, Germany.

Sheriffs.

George Lashells—elected in

James Gettys		1909
Jacob Winrott	44	1806
James Hornèr	64	1809
John Murphy	44	1812
Jamuel Galloway	48	1815
John Arendt	66	1818
Bernard Gilbert	44	1821
Thomas C. Miller	64	1824
Philip Heagy	64 "	1827
William Cobean	66 .	1830
James Bell	4.4	1833
Wm. Taughinbaugh	4.4	1836
George W. McClellan	**	1839
Francis Bream	·	1842
Benjamin Shriver	44	1845
William Fickes	""	1848
John Scott.	41	1851
Henry Thomas	**	1854
	-	and the said
Cora	iers.	V.
		1900 ann 1
.~	ission in	TOUC Call
No record of a comm	ission in Harrisbu	rg.
No record of a commound, either here or at	Harrisbu	rg. 1803
No record of a comm ound, either here or at John Arendt was elec	Harrisbu	rg.
No record of a commound, either here or at John Arendt was elected. Henry Hoke	Harrisbu	rg. 1803 1806
No record of a commound, either here or at John Arendt was elected. Henry Hoke Thomas Cochran	Harrisbu	rg. 1803
No record of a commound, either here or at John Arendt was elected. Henry Hoke	Harrisbu ned-in	1803 1806 1809 1812
No record of a commound, either here or at John Arendt was elected. Henry Hoke Thomas Cochran Samuel Galloway. John F. McFarlane	Harrisbu eted-in	1803 1806 1809
No record of a commound, either here or at John Arendt was elected. Henry Hoke Thomas Cochran Samuel Galloway. John F. McFarlane John Galloway	Harrisbu eted-in 	rg. 1803 1806 1809 1812 1815
No record of a commound, either here or at John Arendt was elected. Henry Hoke Thomas Cochran Samuel Galloway. John F. McFarlane John Galloway	Harrisbu eted-in 	1803 1806 1809 1812 1815 1818 1821
No record of a commound, either here or at John Arendt was elected Henry Hoke Thomas Cochran Samuel Galloway John F. McFarlane John Galloway James A. Thompson David Horner, Jr. John Houck	Harrisbu eted-in 	1803 1806 1809 1812 1815 1818
No record of a commound, either here or at John Arendt was elected Henry Hoke Thomas Cochran Samuel Galloway John F. McFarlane John Galloway James A. Thompson David Horner, Jr. John Houck	Harrisbu	1803 1806 1809 1812 1815 1818 1821 1824
No record of a commound, either here or at John Arendt was elect Henry Hoke Thomas Cochran Samuel Galloway John F. McFarlane John Galloway James A. Thompson David Horner, Jr. John Houck S. S. Forney	Harrisbu sted-in	1803 1806 1809 1812 1815 1818 1821 1824 1827 1830
No record of a commound, either here or at John Arendt was elected Henry Hoke Thomas Cochran Samuel Galloway, John F. McFarlane John Galloway James A. Thompson David Horner, Jr. John Houck S. S. Forney George L. Fauss	Harrisbu	1803 1806 1809 1812 1815 1818 1821 1824 1827
No record of a commound, either here or at John Arendt was elect Henry Hoke Thomas Cochran Samuel Galloway John F. McFarlane John Galloway James A. Thompson David Horner, Jr. John Houck S. S. Forney	Harrisbu	1803 1806 1809 1812 1815 1818 1821 1824 1827 1830 1833

J. W. Hendrix

Joseph N. Smith

Charles Horner

H. W. Caufman

taries.	
ointment, from	m
1800 to	1821
	182
44	1824
64	1835
4.6	1833
44	1839
ed in	1839
ee -	1842
44	1848
	1848
44	1851
"	1854
•	
	ed in

John Picking	"	1894
. Regist	ers.	•
James Duncan, by app		m
	1800 to	
Jacob Winrott-appoin	ted in	1821
Wm. McClellan	44	1823
George Ziegler	44	1824
John B. Clark	64	1830
Thos. C. Miller	44	1835
James A. Thompson	44	1836
Jacob Lefever	44	1839
William King -elected	in	1839
** **	44	1842
Robert Cobean	"	1845
W. W. Hamersly	44	1848
Daniel Plank	44	1851
Wm. F. Walter	44	1854
Clerks of th	e Courts.	- 5

James Duncau,	by appointment, from	n `
	1800 to	1821
Wm. McClellan		1821
Grove Welsh	6.	1824

John Picking

•	Thomas Dickey			1000
	Joel B. Danner	64,		1839
	Samuel R. Russell-	-elected	in .	1839
	D. C. Brinkerhoff	**		1842
1	W S Hamilton			1845
-	Hugh Denwiddie	· 1.46	- J. 12	1848
	Eden Norris	66.		1851
	J. J. Baldwin			1854
	i .	· ,	~ 7	2
	County,	Press	rers.	ξ'.
		100	Cannen	Tingaga
	James Scott was ap	ponntea	County	116380
•	rer by the Commission	ners in i	801, UZ	, 'Uo, 70
	Samuel Agnew.	it enter	į	805, '0
	Matthew Longwell,	, , ,	.]	807, '0
	Walter Smith,		1809,	'10, '1
	John McConaughy,	-	1812,	'I3, '1
	William McClean,		1815	''16, 'I
	Walter Smith,	•	1818	119, 2
	Robert Smith		21, 22	
	John B. McPherson	•	1225	196 19
	William S. Cobean	•	1828	129 12
٠.			1831,	230.13
1	Robert Smith,		LOUI	183
	William Inub,	,	F	
e	Jesse Gilbert,			183
5	Bernard Gilbert,			183
í	Lesse Gilbert		1 * -	· ~183

John H. McClellan,

John H. McClellan,

David McCreary,

Robert G. Harper,

John Fahnestock,

Thepas Warren.

George Arnold,

Jas. A. Thompson, elected in.

County Commissioners. 16.34 William McClellan, Henry Hoke and Will John Shorh, liam Hamilton were appointed by authority of John Dickson, Andrew Will and Wm.

the Act creating this county, Commissioners to erect public buildings. Walter Smith, Henry Hull and Michael Slagle were elected the of Taxes, in 1800 Walter Smith 1901 1803 Henry, Hull 34 Michael Slagle 1803 1804 Moses McClean 1805 Jacob Cassatt John Bonner 1806 1807 John Arendt -1808Joseph Sneeringer Samuel Witherow 1809 Peter Mark (1 y) Henry Brinkerhoff 1811 Peter Mark > 1812 Robert Hayes John Stewart, ir. Alex. Rusself (2 y) 1814. Henry Smyser David Stewart (2 y)
Amos McCanley 1815 1816

-Michael Newman James Horner William Patterson-1819 Joseph Sneeringer Archibald Boyd 1820 1831 Alexander Mack Harman Wierman 1823 John Shorb James G. Paxton 1824 John F. McFarlane 1826 Samuel B. Wright 1827 Jacob Fickes 1828 James Mclihenny, jr. 1829 Thomas Ehrehart 1830 Jacob Cover 1831 John L. Gabernator 1832 Robert Mclihenny 1833 John Brough John Musselman George Will

1834 1835 John Wolford 1836 1837 William Rex James Reashaw (1 y) 1838 Daniel Diebl 1839 Joseph J. Kuhn William Douglass 1840 1811 George Basehoar 1942 James Patterson 1843 Peter Diehl James Cunningham 1814 1845 Joseph Fink 1846 Andrew Heintzelman Jacob King 1847 John G. Morningstar 1818 John Musselman, jrd 1849 1850 Jacob Griest Abraham Reever 1851 John Mickley 1852

George Myers Henry A. Picking Clerks to Commissioners .- John Andrews, Alexander McIlhenny, James Brown, Wm. McClean, Alexander Russell, David Horner, Wm. King. Henry J. Shreiner, Robert, G. Harper, and Jacob Aughinbaugh.

1853

1854

1842

1843

1844

1815

1846

James J. Wills

1842

1845

1848

Directors of the Pogray In 1817, Charles F. Keener, James Robinette, Frederick Baugher, Thomas C. Miller

William McPherson " Frederick Boyer 1819 William McGaoghy 1820 Daniel-Funk 1821 Robert Mc Murdie David Horner, sr. (1 y) " 1823 David Horner, sr. George Herner (1 y) John Duffield 1824 1825 Hugh Jackson Daniel Mickley, sr. 1826 William McCurdy 1827 Peter Diehl James McKnight 1829 Garret Brinkerhoff 1830 James A. Thompson 1831 William Rex 1835 James Cunningham 1833 Jacob Will 1834 Quintin Armstrong 1835 Baltzer Snyder 1836 George Irwin 1837 John Sientz (1 y) Peter Trostle Jacob Sterner 1839 Henry Lott 1540 William Morrison 1841

Garret Brinkerhoff

William White,

David Hollinger

John-Houck-

James Agham

I832

John Hostetter, jr.

Thomas McCleary

Henry Brinkerhoff

Niches to Bushey

Peter Smith Joseph Bailey (1 y) 1853 Joseph Bailey 1854 John Horner Garret Brinkerhoff 1855 Clerks In Directors .- Robert Smith, appoint M in 1817; John Garwin 1826; William, W. Paxton 1836; J. J. Baldwin 1850; Robert Paxton 1855.

Newards .- Michael Newman, appointed in Armstrong 1837; Henry Welty 1839: Samuel Cobean 1841; John Scott 1854.

Physicians.—Dr. C.N. Berlachy in 1821 and 22; succeeded by Dr. Do Horner, who has

filled the post ever since assisted during the several last years by his sons, Drs. Charles and Robert Horner. Treasurers .- John B. McPherson, appoint-

Horner, sr. 1826; Thomas J. Cooper, 1832; Samuel Witherow 1837; James Major 1841; Alexander Cohean 1850. The term of appointments by the Directors.

d in 1822; Samuel Hutchinson 1824; David.

is one year: we give only the years in which officers received their first appointments. County Auditors. Thomas Pearson, John Stewart, jr., and Alex. Cobean, elected in chn Dickson, Amos McGinley and Andrew Will, John Dickson, Amos McGinley and 1810 John Stewart, John Dickson, Alexander Cobean and Andrew Will; 1812. Alexander Cobean, John King and Thompson, John King 1815

1817

1819

1820

1821

1832

1823

1821

1825

1826

1827

1838

1829

1830

1833

1831-

1836

1838

1839

1840

1811

1843

1817

1818

1819

1851

1852

1853

1854

1855

Allen Robinette 1816 Isaac Wierman Peter Mark James, Cunningham John Duffield Samuel Fahnestock George Will John Kerr C. F. Keener (2 y) Moses Funk David Wills Robert McIlhenny Robert Smith William Patterson John Lilly. Charles Kettlewell John McKesson 1832 Joseph Baugher Joseph Fink Samuel Duchl. Allen Robinette Frederick Diehl John G. Morningstar Samuel Durboraw James Russell Daniel Comfort Martin Newman 1842 Wm. R. Sadler Jacob Dellone 1844 Elr R. A. Moore (1 Adam J. Watter 1815 John C. Ellis 1816

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

A. W. McGinley

John Elder

F. G. Hoffman

Saudiel Durboraw

Andrew Marshall, jr.

John Dickson, jr.

Abel T. Wright

John Hauptman

Edmund F. Shorb

(March 4, 1853, to March 4, 1357.) Premident, FRANKLIN PIERCE, of New Hamgshire.

Secretary of State, WILLIAM L. MARCY, of New York. Secretary of the Treasury, JAMES GUTHRIE, of Kentucky. Secretary of the Interior. ROBERT M'CLELLAND, of Michigan. Secretary of the Navy. WILLIAM C. DOBBIN, of North Carolina. Secretary of War.
JEFFERSON DAVIS, of Mississippi. Postmuster General, JAMES CAMPBELL, of Pennsylvania. Allorney General, CALEB CUSHING, of Massachusetts.

Salary of each, XXXIVTH CONGRESS. Assembled Monday, December 3, 1855. Expires March 3, 1857. The Senate-62 Members. JESSE D. BRIGHT, of Indiana, President.

House of Representatives-233 Members. There is one member from each State for and returning.

THE PRESIDENTS.

FACTS FOR THE CURIOUS.—Thomas Jefferson and John Adams both died on the 4th of July, 1826. John Adams died in his 91st year, and James Madison; James Madison was eight years older than James Monroe; and James Monroe was eight years older than J. Q. Adams. The first five of our Presidents-all revolutionary men-ended their terms of service in the 66th year of their age. Washington, born February 224, 1832; inaugurated 1789; term of service expired in the 66th year of his age. John pired in the 66th year of his age.

AN ACT For erecting part of the county of York,

sylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same. That all that part of the county of York included within the following lines, viz: Beginning in the line of Cumberland county where the 1820; Peter Aughinbaugh 1827 Quintin road from Carlisle to Baltimore lends through Trent's gap; thence along the said road to Binder's; thence a straight line to Conewago creek opposite to the mouth of Abbot's run; thence along the lines of Berwick and Paradise townships, until it strikes the line of Manheim township; thence along the line of Manheim and Berwick westwardly, until it strikes the road leading from Oxford to Hanover-town; and from thence a due south course until it strikes the Maryland line; thence along the Maryland line to the line of Franklin county; thence along the line of Franklin and Cumberland counties to the place of beginning, shall be, and the same is hereby creeted into a separate county, to be henceforth called and known by the name of Adams County.

Skor. II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid. That the inhabitants of the said county of Adams shall at all times hereafter, enjoy all and singular the jurisdictions, powers, rights, liberties and privileges whatsoever within the same, which the inhabitants of other counties of this state do, may or ought to enjoy within their respective counties by the constitution and laws of this Common-

Adams, shall be stayed, discontinued or affective but that the same may be prosecuted in the same manner as if this act had not been passed.

Innuary, April, August and August and Adams, Adams, Adams county is annexed to the southern district of the Supreme Court.

The Courts have since undergone various. Secret V. And be it further enocied by the au-

Id by law to do in the county of York.

thousand dollars.

authority aforesaid, That until the next enuevery 70.680 of the population. And there meration be taken, and the representation 60 lbs. of wheat make our bushel; so that the signers on the Poor-house Site. In the same from Minnesota, one from Washington, one divided from the county of Adams herein and hereby erected, shall choose only four representations. William Mc-Gaughy and John Murphy, sr. were elected the first Directors of the Poor-house of the Poor-house Site. In the same from Mashington, one from Nebraska, one from hereby erected, shall choose only four representatives to serve in the General Assembly; the first Directors of the Poor-house Site. In the same from New Mexico.—The compensation of the members is \$8, and that of and that the county of Adams hereby erected. the Speaker \$16 per day during the session, shall at the first general election to be holden and \$8 for every twenty miles travel, in going for the said county on the second Tuesday of October next, choose two representatives to serve in General Assembly; two fit persons for sheriffs; two fit persons for coroners; and three commissioners, in the same manner, and under the same rules, regulations and penalties, as by the constitution and laws of this was eight years older than Thomas Jefferson; state is directed in respect to other counties: Thomas Jefferson was eight years older than and the said representatives and other officers when chosen as aforesaid, and duly qualified, shall have and enjoy all and singular such powers, authorities and privileges in and for their county, as such officers elected in and for any other county in this state may, can or

> Adams, born October 19th, 1735; inaugurated he is hereby authorized to appoint three com-1797; term of service expired in the 66th year missioners, who, or any two of them, shall of his age. Thomas Jefferson, born April 2d, run and mark the dividing line between the 1743; mangurated 1801; term of service ex- | said county of York and the county of Adams, pired in the 66th year of his age. James Madin the same manner, as is before described in ison, born March 4th, 1751; inaugurated the first section of this act, which line, when 1809; term of service expired in the 66th year so run and marked, shall be the boundary be-1809; term of service expired in the 66th year so run and marked, shall be the boundary be- Suppose you can count 260 in one minute of his age. James Monroe, born April 2d, tween the counties of York and Adams aforethat is 12,000 in one hour: 288.000 in one 1759: inaugurated 1817; term of service ex- said; and that the said commissioners shall day, and 105, 120,000 in one year. But this receive for their services at the rate of three would not allow a single moment for sleep, or GREAT WEIGHT OF ICE ON TREES.—A gentleman of Hartford, Conn., weighed a branch
>
> County of Adams, by drafts from the commission of the paid for any other business whatever. To count a
>
> the first the county of York, and half by the
> billion it would require 9.612 years, 34 days,
> county of Adams, by drafts from the commission of hours, 20 minutes—according to the above. of a tree that had been broken by the weight sioners of the respective counties on the treasposing, but suppose we allow the counter of ice upon it, and found that it weighed eleven possinds. The ice was then melted off, and the branch weighed only half a pound! This erg are hereby authorized and directed to grant. In hours and 40 minutes to count a billion.

into a separate county.

Skor. 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Penn-

SECT. III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesuid. That the Judges of the Supreme Court and the president of the second district, of which district the said county of the associate judges in and for the county of Adams, shall have like powers, jurisdiction and authorities within the same, as are warranted to, and exercised by the said judges in other

SECT. IV. And be it further enacted by the authurity afuresaid. That no action or suit now
commenced, or that may be commenced in the
county Courts of York before the second Monthe ninth Judicial district. The courts in Adams.

thority aforesaid. That the Sheriff, Coroner and public officers of the county of York, shall continue to exercise the duties of their respective offices within the county of Adams, until similar officers shall be appointed agreeably to law, within the said county of Alains.
Secr. VI. And be it further enacted by the au-

thority oforesaid, That the Sheriff, Treasurer and all such officers as have heretofore usually given bail for the faithful discharge of the duties of their tespective offices, who may hereafter, be elected or appointed in the county of Adams before they or either of them shall enter upon the execution of their respective offices, shall give sofficient security in the like sums, in the like manner and form, and for the like uses, tinests and purposes, as such officers are obligation

SECT. VII. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid. That it shall and may be lawful for the Commissioners of the said county of Adams, who shall be elected at the next annual election, to take assurance to them and their successors in office, of a lot or lots of ground, for the purpose of erecting thereon a court-house, gnol, and offices for the safe keeping of the records: Provided, That the said lot or lots of ground shall be within the town of Gettysburg, in the said county; for defraying the expenses thereof, the said Commissioners shall assess and levy in the manner directed by the act for raising county rates and levies, a sum not exceeding three

SECT. VIII. And be it further enacted by the authority oforesaid. That all arrearages of taxes now due, and which have been assessed within the county of York prior to the passing of this act, shall be collected by the proper officers and paid into the treasury of the said county of York, in the same manner as if this act had not passed: And the said county of Adams shall form a part of the district composed of the county of York, for electing members of Congress and Schutors of this common-SECT. IX. And be it further enacted by the

ought to have.

Sign. X. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the Governor be, and great proportion of ice accounts for the destruction of trees and branches.

authority of oresaid. That the first court to be too of Adams, shall There is no place like home.

be opened and held on the second Monday June next, and from and after the first Monday in June next, the courts of Dauphin county, which by law are to be opened and holden disthe second Mondays of March, June, September and December, shall be opened and held to the third Mondays of the said months.

Secr. XII. And be it further enacted by authority aforesaid; That the Rev. Alexander Debbin and David Moore, senior, of the said. county of Adams, be, and they are hereby appointed trustees for the said county of Adams with full powers for them or the survivore them, to take, as well all such assurances have been offered and made to them, as translations tees of the said county hereby erected, as the which may hereafter be offered by any person or persons for the payment of money, for the conveyance or transfer of any property it and for the use of erecting public building the town of Gettysburg, in the said county. Adams, and other county purposes, and to recover and enforce the same by any lawful ways and means in trest, and for the use aforesai and to account for the same with the commission sioners of the said county for the time being Passed 22d January, 1800.

By a supplement passed 15th March 800, persons are appointed to purchase lots for the use of the county in Gettysburg and erect the public buildings thereon, &c. Five election districts established in Adema

county, by act of 31st January, 1801 Struban township annexed to the first dieses riot, by act of 4th April, 1809. Law as Hamilton township erected into a separate district, by act of 1st April, 1811.

The powers of the trustees of Adams county transferred to the county commissioners. The trustees to render an account, and pay the commissioners all the manies remaining Adams is hereby declared to be part, as well as their bands. The commissioners authorized to lay an midicional tax to complete the public

buildings and of 26 th March 1801 of 1802 of 1 counties of this commonwealth; and that the and forty-one taxables and with the country of General Quarter Sessions of the of York, eight thousand three pundred and Courts of General Quarter Sessions of the of York, eight thousand three aundred and Peace and of the Common Pleas, in and for the three taxables; and by act of 21st March county of Adams, shall be opened and holden 1808, apportioning the representation in pure on the second Mondays in the months of March, suance thereof, the county of Adams sands in the months of March, suance thereof, the House of Representatives are Gettysburg, in the said county.

SECT. IV. And be it further enacted by the author bors to the Senate in the interest in the said county.

day of June next, against any person living or ams county are held on the third Moule yath residing within the bounds of the county of January, April, August and Novembers, 198

DISTANCES FROM PHILADELPHIA

the second of the second second second	La Carata de la seria e de serral de la eral de la companya del la companya de la
Prolifician Branches 26	Economy, 370 10
Parksburg. 43	New Britisten. 381 43
Laucaster. 68	Colombiana.
Tillamilla de de de de	Safein Property on W 4225
Monthly Boy to the Bl	PAlliaticol 43
Elizabethituin. 80	Canton, 40 463
Alignithm 19	Massillon, 401
Hagrisburg. 10	Wobster, 487
	Mansfield, and o 526 gr
Millerstown. 13	Crestine, 540
Lewistown. 108	Marion, 681
McVeytown, 177	Larue, 677
New town Hamilton 187	Bellefontaine, 603
Liuntingdon, 201	Indianapolis, 745
Spruce Creek. 214	Bridgeport, Simon Office
Altona: 286) Terre: Haute: アデ 日本版注除的
flollidaysburg.	Vincennes 876
Johnstoffin, 274	Lawrenceville, 886
Blairsville Intersec. 29	が(Iney - 1911 4 「astanupassass
Blait sville.	Kehia, 986
	1 Saloun, The Thirty of Oshicia
	Lebanon, 1901
Pittsburg, 353	Sar Edutayo mai - 1028

WEIGHT PER BUSHEL OF SUNDRY

111 300

AGRICUL!	FURAL PRODUCTS.
Wheat,	60 pounds per bushel
Shelled Corn,	50
Rye,	18 . They was a line of the confidence
Oats,	1. 32 " De la la marie . Las la
Barley.	147 & make youth a both of the street of the street
Clover.	5 60 m and the comment of the control of
Timothy,	than should be to the same of a stilling
Flax-seed,	26 to be a series of the serie
Hemp.	Att with the fire out you the
Blue-grass,	-144 , where -14 , which is still -14
Buckwheat,	48 May grant it had altered
Peas,	. 81 . in in Loueld Browning .
Beans,	63 11 46 2 11 11 11 11 11 11

BRITISH WHEAT MEASURE.

The quarter of wheat is equal to the quarter of a ton of 2240 lbs. =560 lbs; 70 lbs. in weight is an English bushel of wheat, while

A VALUABLE TABLE.

The following table will be found very valtable to many of our readers: A box 24 inches by 16 inches square, and 28 inches deep, will contain a barrel, (5 bnah-ki.

A box 24 inches by 16 inches square, and 14 inches deep, will contain ha! fa barrel. A lax 26 inches by 15-2 inches square, and inches deep, will contain one bushel. A box 12 inches by 11-2 inches square, and a inches deep, will contain half a bushel.

A box 8 inches by 8-4 inches square, and 8.4 nches deep, will contain one peck. A box 8 inches by 8 inches square, and 4.2 nches deep, will contain one gallon. A box 73 nches by 8 inches square, and 4-8. nches deep, will contain a half gallon. A box 4 inches by 4 inches square, and 4-1

nches deep, will contain one quart. A BILLION.—How easy to say a billion how easy to write a billion-but can you. count a billion? Why not? Stop a bit.