go you have set so high a value moon th .: hand," said she, frankly placing it in mine," I yield it to you freely ; the more freely, that you will not be compelled to make the sacrifice you anticipate in claiming it. It is myself, and not my aunt to whom your letter was addressed."

"But your name is Carrie," said I, bewildered. "My name is Carrie Ethelinda," was her

reply, "although to dist'ngaish me from my nunt, I am usually called the first." " But I was led to suppose that your anni,

Will you pardon the deception?" said Carrie, smiling: "I feared that it was my money, and not myself, which would prove the greater attraction, and I persuaded my aunt to personate the heiress. Here she comes.

The spinister, who appeared in a more amiable light, now that I was satisfied she had no designs upon my hand, very cheerfully gave her consent to my engagement with her niece. A month afterwards wo were mar-- ried.

MORAL .- Money is but a sorry substitute for love, but if one is bent on selling himself, let him make sure of the price.

SINGULAR ADVENTURE WITH A COOK OF A VESSE!-The brig Helen-Jane, Captain Nickerson, at Rosten, brings advices from Omea to Jan. 2. Capt. Nickerson relates a singular adventure with the steward of his vessel on the outward passage, which somewhat enlivened the usual dull monotony of ocean life. It appears that a white man having an American protection, and giving his name as Kawes C.owell, of West Denis, Cape Cod; ... hipped at this port in the capacity of steward and received his advanced wages before going ou board. The vessel proceeded to sea, fand on the morning of the first day out the steward was missing, suppo sed by all on board to have fallen into the sea during the night, and drowned. Accordingly another man was appointed to do his duty, and everything went on without suspicion. The voyage continued prosperously, and nothing occured to admonish the captain that his cargo was leaking in a very unusual manner, and becoming daily beautifully less by an operation which might well be compared to some late financial manualing ashore. It seems, however, that after some days one of the crew accidentally discovered that the cargo in the hold had been broken into, and an empty backet of champagne was found, with other indications of robbery. The captain's attention was immediately called to the fact, and he of course suspected the crew of committing the depredation, and instantly called them to account: but nothing could be elicited from the investigation to fix the crime on any of the arrival at Truxille, 22 days after leaving Boscrew, who stoutly denied all knowledge of the matter. Thus the affair rested until their ton. On the first night after anchoring, the crew were suddenly startled by the appearance in the forecastle of the lost steward, and so firmly convinced were the frightened sailon of the death of their shipmate, that they all instantly fied on deck from the supposed apparition, and told the captain. These fears, however, was soon quieted, for the steward had really appeared, and upon being questioned, confessed that he had secreted himself in the hold on the first day, out, under the influence of delirium tremens, and for twentytwo days following lived luxuriously on champagne, raisius, ham, de., dined sumptuously overy day, and had enjoyed what on shore would be called a "bender I" He consumed

Montrose Democrat. day last, and petitions are being circulated among his adherents, asking the Legislature A. J. GERRITSON, Editor. not to disturb this District. We have not MONTROSE, PA., heard of any petition for such an object; but

we believe that a majority of the people in Thursday, February 25, 1858. this County would be pleased with a differ-We believe it our duty to say to our

ent arrangement of the District. We have not prethren of the press, that "G. W. Graham, seen the papers referred to, but from what we M. D., 1131 Filbert street Philadelphia," is hear of their character, they seem to assume an impostor. Our business acquaintance with that such a thing would be a personal attack him has forced us to this conclusion. Let the on David-Wilmot, and would, defeat, the choice of the people for Judge. We dissent public Leware of him. Mr. Graham will please understand that he is at liberty to from both ideas. First, no man has any right fold us accountable for this publication. to treat it as a personal matter,-for the sim-

ple reason that no man has any claims on We gave an account of the sudden death of Miss Ellen Bagley of Brooklyn in the office, or its salary, above another. The our paper last week. A post mortem exam- offices of the country are the mere gifts of ination was made on Thursday by Drs. Rich- The people; and no man has a title to set up ardson and Chamberlin of Brooklyn, and Park for them. The people have a right, through and Patrick of Montrose, who certify that their Legislature, to construct the judicial death resulted from congestion of the brain. districts of the State, as they deem best,and they belong to no man, when constructed : The vegdict of the Coroner's jury was in accordance with this opinion. nor are they re-shaped with any view to the

personal interest or convenience of any man. The New York Tribune save that a enevotent society in that city pays its agents | The implication of such a motive is unworthy 25 per cent of the fund collected, and another and insulting to the body to whom it is adociety collected \$20,000 in one year, and dressed. If the general good requires the used 90 per cent of it in expenses, leaving only 10 per cent for the object.-Exchange. the representatives of the people are to Will the Tribane he kind enough to give the public the names of the societies spoken judge. Of this judgment no individual has a of; also the per cent the Emigrant Aid interests. Societies, keep for expenses, whether 90 or 99.

Now are there sound reasons, founded in the It might also state what public good was public good, that require this change. We lerived from the "Tribune Kansas fund." think there are; and we will pause now to and what per cent Greeley & Co. retained of the same, and to whom, if any one, they paid state only one of them. The districts are too small, and the salathe balance, and what was done with it.

There is, says an exchange, a "Peronal Liberty Bill" before the Legislature of the State of Rhode Island and Providence. Plantations, which is spoken of in this manner by the Providence Journal, the leading Black Republican paper in the State :

"The doctrine of the bill is right-the only things in the way are the Constitution and Laws of the United States.

There are many who doubt that the ulti mate triumph of Northern fanatics would result in the trampling under, foot of the Constitution. The attention of such, is directed to the above treasonable sentiment. Such a bill passed the Legislature of Massachusetts and would be the doctrine in every Northern

three fourths of the year. It is unjust and State to-day; if the "Republican " party had unequal,-because the man receives money absolute control-for there is not a party orthat he never earns. And yet these men talk gan but breathes similar dogmas. It is well as if some fortunate individual had a right that the "Constitution and Laws" have yet to have a little 7 by 9 district fenced off to friends enough to keep them from under the feet of those who hate the Union, and wish to him, with its princely salary, for his personal Arrant, Susq'a County, who came to his destroy it. altering the fences, and changing the lines,

15 Two weeks ago we mailed the Demois as monstrous as if you were to enter a crat for North Jackson Post Office, in two man's farm, and throw it to the common! bundles, marking one, via Harford, the other, via Great Bend and Susq'a Depot; both going from here on Thursday afternoon. We also sent a letter to a reliable person at that and now are you going to defeat their will !" place, stating the matter to him and requesting him to report the result. On the Wed-**B**ortion. He was left in the hands of the U. ing him to report the result. On the Wed-**B**. Consul, and would be sent home for trial. nesday following we received a letter inform-

For the Montrose Democrat. The School Law-A New Proposi-David Wilmot came to Montrose on Mon

The District.

Mr. EDITOR: As there seems to be quite Great Bend, Pa., to Hampton, N. J., in the an earnest and persevering disposition in the place of J. Alger, resigned. Salary \$700. public mind to induce the Legislature to remedy some of the more palpable defects of

it relates to Surquebanna County,-- I have concluded after consultation with many friends of Education, to submit the following Memorial to the consideration of those who are moving in the matter of reform. If the plan shall be approved by any considerable share of the public, or be found, on examination, less objectionable than the one promulgated by the meeting on the 23th inst., it is to be hoped that no time will be lost in filling up and forwarding duplicate copies of the Petition to our Representative at Harrisburg.

Brooklyn, Feb. 22d, 1858. H. To the Honorable-Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of

Pennsylvania : The Petition of the undersigned, citizens of That they are laboring under many disadvan- to murder him. tages and embarrassments, having their origin in some imperfections in the details of the Bradford, Vt., on the 26th. Parker Pillsbury, present School Law of this Commonweath; C. I. Revmond, and others of like stripe, were and believing said Law susceptible of such the speakers. The customary recommodations change, it ought to be made; and of this, improvement as will better adapt it to the for an immediate dissolution of the Union wants of our County, and thus incaease its were adopted.

usefulness, we pray your Honorable bodies to so modify the 5th section of the Act reright to complain, however it may affect his lating to Common Schools, approved May 8th, 1855, as to require the election of but three

Directors in lieu of six, (who shall be paid a reasonable compensation for their services.) one of whom shall be chosen by the Board a Town Superintendent, and shall visit each of the several schools in his district at least twice during each term, and have otherwise, and banquet.

ries we pay, are too large. Common men such general supervision over the schools as is now by law vested in the County Superinhave to-work the whole year, for their dollar dent. or more per day. And most men have to And we also pray your Honorable bodies

work hard, and strictly economize, in order to so alter or amend the 41st section of the years." to pay their enormous taxes, and support aforesaid Act, as to limit the duties of the County Superintendent to the semi-annual their families. We'are a tax-ridden people; examination of candidates for Teachers in and the amount we pay for judicial salaries.

in Pennsyvania, every year, is enormous. Documents, and Reports, passing between the Every dollar of this is knocked out by the hard hand of toil. And in these times espe-Department for Common Schools and the several Boards of Directors, as now by Law cially, economy is a duty. How is it in this requied, for which services he shall be paid district ! Sixteen weeks court, out of the the sum of dollars per digin for the fifty-two weeks,-less than one-third of the time necessarily employed.

year is occupied with easy labor to earn a The coveted amendments to apply only to salary of about \$2500 Now this is unequal. Susquehanna County. And your petioners will ever pray To earn that, a man ought to work at least

For the Montrose De Exhumation of the body of Wm. Archer.

This is to certify that we, the subs were present on the exhumation of the body of Wm. Archer, late of the township accommodation. And the bare mention of death in Nov. last by a gun shot wound.

In view of correcting any misapprehension that may have arrisen in the public mind by the conflicting testimony of witnesses in the Pistol, Fosee, Shuttee, Bullitt, Shot, Musket, late trial of Walker George Archer for the "Why it is a personal attack; and you are intentional shooting of the said Wm. Archer, invading my rights! Here are my deeds, and at the instance of Dr. D. F. Brundage the out in the North Middle School House in this title papers, - I was elected by the people; boly was disintered on Thursday, Jan. 28th, city during the session of the school this aft-1858, and re-examined in our presence, and ernoon. In the various departments about the fatal missile discharged from a heavy cut four hundred scholars were dismissed, and Why no; the people make and unmake rifle was found to have taken effect in the no one was hurt, though the panic was their own Districts; and however made, the upper or first third of the Lumbar region.) or great. people will then elect Judges of their own Small of the Back,) entering near, and pas

Black Republicans vs. the Ne-NEWS OF THE WEEK. Mr. H. J. Goodwin, of Wyomiug, Pa., has From the Grand Rapids (Michigan) Enquirer been appointed route agent on the route from Michael Grenell, of Clinton township, Wayne county, died on the 12th inst., at the

age of 106 years. He was a soldier in the our present School System, -ut least so far as Revolution, and one of the first settlers in that county. The Western Penitentiary at Pittsburgh has 187 inmates-87 convicts were received in 1857, and 71 discharged.

OUR "FAST" MEN .- It is stated that `on Tuesday, at 10 o'clock P. M., a prominent member of the New York Board of Brokers, who had made \$150,000 during the Stock panic, suspended for about \$200,000, and at 12 o'clock, had settled all his liabilities at 50 cents on a dollar, and was in his seat at the Board again at the second session.

Late advices from Kansas state that a party of Lane's men had visited Westport, Mo., to search for Mr. Danforth, a member of the Lecompton Convention. The Missourians made ìo resistance.

Mr. Stofer, the Democratic representative from Leavenworth County, was recovering Susquehanna County, respectfully represent- from the wounds received in the late attempt

An Anti-Slavery Convention was held at

There were 43,849 deaths in the four cities f New York, Philadelybia, Baltimore and Boston, in the year 1857.

The Northern Bank, Bank of Kentucky and Bank of Louisville, bave been re chartered by the Legislature for twenty years. The Printers of St. Louis relebrated Franklin's birthday, by a grand festive ball

A Turkish top manufacturer recently died, near Constantinople, at the age of one hun-

in Smyrna, aged one hundred and seventeen

CINCINNATI, Feb. 17 .- A . fire occured at Springfield, last night, which destroyed the Western Public School House building. Loss, each of the several School Districts, and to \$10,000. Another fire destroyed a large the reception and transmission of all Papers, stable valued at \$700. No insurance. Both

fires are attributed to incendiarism. DANVILLE, Pa., Feb. 19 .-- The jury in the case of Win. J. Clark, charged with the murder of his wife, returned a verdict this evening, after being out seven hours, of murder in the first degree.

ELMINA, N. Y., Feb. 19.-A school house for the Republican ticket; they having asleep upon a sofa on the ground floor was on Main street caught fire from the stove lost in New York; Iowa and Michigan, one flung to the floor. pige, at about nine o'clock this morning, each.

numerous.

ind was entirely consumed. No one was iniured. WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 .--- It appears from

deposit in the United States Treasury. on because they did vote for it, there is as much Monday last, was \$6,333,000; Subject to common sense and logic in the assertion, that the squares, places, and other open spaces .draft, \$4,228,000. The receipts for the week, \$650,000 The following names are said to be in the

Cincinnati Directory : Messrs. Gunn, Cannon, and R. Tillory. HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 16 .-- A fire broke

The Late Earthquake at Nuples. On Wednesday evening, I was sitting in a salon in our residence here on the Chiatamone, situate on the immediate shore of the

It is none the less a falsehood to omit a bay, when one of our servants rushed into the portion of the truth, than to openly assert a room to ask what was the matter, supposing ie. If a statement is designed to convey a that we had knocked violently at the door of false impression, even should its every word the room. Immediately the windows and be true, vet it is as much mendacity as an out- doors began to rattle in the strangest mander, spoken falsebood. In a piece with such deceit, Imagining that it might proceed from one of

s the following extract from the New York those sudden coups de vent so frequent in this Courier and Enquirer, and which has been climate, I opened the windows and walked copied into most of our Republican exchanges. out on the balcony. The atmosphere was is headed "What Northern Traitors may still, the most profound calm prevailed, not a expect," and is intended to intimidate the cloud could be seen. It was a splendid star. fickle and wavering members of Congress in light night. I returned into the solon, and in the matter of the Lecompton Constitution. a few seconds I felt the floor alternately sink.

braska Rill.

& Herald.

ing and rising, and affected like that of a cab-Here is the extract : in of a vessel which rolls and pitches. In the "Of the forty-two members of the House from the Northern States who voted for the next room, where two young ladies had just gone to bed, I heard that they found it difficult bill, but three are members of the present house. These are J. Glancy Jones and T. to keep in bed. The maid who attended B. Florence of Pennsylvania, and W. H. Eng- them said the walls were falling: I looked at lish, of Indiana. Upon all the other thirtya large bronze chaudelier suspended from the nine, the waters of political oblivion have centre of the ceiling of the salon, and to my closed forever. Now the Lecompton Consti- astonishment saw it swinging exactly like astonishment saw it swinging exactly like a tution is yet more obnoxious to the great lamp suspended in the cabin of a vestel in a storm. The character of the phenomenon body of the people than was the Kansaswas no longer doubtful. I looked at my Nebraska bill."

The above is untrue, both as to the fact watch. The hour was a quarter past ten er and the implication. We know of at least actly. As the most exact means of estimating one other Democrat in Congress besides those the undulation, I observed the movement of named, who voted for the Kansas-Nebraska the large chandelier. This is a large bronze bill, viz. John G. Davis, of Indiana. 'Besides, lustre, weighing four or five bundred pounds. how very unfair is such a statement as the The distance from its point of suspension to the lowest point of its axis is about ten feet. extract. Every man at all conversant with politics is fully aware of the fact, that mem-Its motion at first seemed to be that of a pendulum, the are of vibration of the lowest point bers in Congress in the Northern States, of all political parties, are seldem returned for being about three feet, but this immediately more than two terms. And this, not on ac- changed the motion of a conical pendulumor rather an elipse, the major axis of which count of objections to the individuals, but because the doctrine of rotation is practised, and was about two feet. It appears, therefore, that the aspirants for Congressional honors so the phenomenon began with a tremulous movement of the foundation of the house,

manifested by the rattling of the doors and Of course, therefore, the only just way to ascertain the indignation of the people against | windows, and that this, after a short interval, was succeeded by two undulations, propagatthe Nebraska bill, is to find out these districts in the Northern States, the members from | ed, as it would seem, by the conical swing of the lustre, in two different directions. All which voted for the Nebraska bill. An dred and thirteen years, and a lady died examination into the Tribune Almanac shows that I have here taken so my lines to describe us, that seven only of such districts are now took place within two, or at the most, three represented by Republicans, out of the forty minutes, Of course, the lustre once thrown four / which went for the Nebraska bill. Of into a state of oscillation continued to swing

the seven, one is in Maine; one in New for a much more considerable time. Hampshire; two in New York, the 18th and Such being what I witnessed personally, I 27th ; (the 18th, at the recent election gave ascertained afterwards that similar phenomena a Democratic majority of 460 !) one in Iowa, were presented in other apartments in the ho-127! Fusion majority; two in Michigan, tel. The swinging of the lustres were even Ist and 3d : the last gave 422 majority for greater, but this arose no doubt, from the Bingham ; the 3d gave near 600 more Demo- circumstance of their being smaller and their cratic votes in 1856 than in 1854, the year lines of suspension shorter. The bells of the of the Nebraska bill. At the last elections hotel were all set a ringing. The pendulum held in the different States, only four of the of a large clock standing in the hall rathed seven Congressional districts gave majorities against the clock case. A gentleman lying

A man servant of ours occupied a neigh-boring apartment with his wife and two child But it is a poor rule that wont work both ways; and if it is held, that the people of dren. The bed of one of the children was the Northern States have not returned to Con- | overturned, and a lamp standing on the table he official statement, that the amount on gress men who voted for the Nebraske bill, was thrown on the floor. The population generally soon after the shock went out into if those who voted against the Nebraska bill The wealthier classes ordered out their carwere not returned, therefore, the people of riages, which they passed the chief part of the their districts favored such a bill. Let us night in driving on the Chiaja road, which look at the secret. Of the 91 nays to the suns along the borders of the bay, wide enough Nebraska bill, in the Northern States, forty- to keep clear of falling houses. The people who filled the squares and other open spaces four were Whigs, besides several Free Soilers. Of these forty-four districts, 12! were Demo. lighted fires and spent the night around illem. cratic last election. So that, by the test of Many, families had chairs and benches figures, the Nebraska bill has it decidedly. brought from their apartments into the Plaz-But let us look at the forty four men who vot- za Reale, the Largo DeCastello, the Santa, Lucia, ed against the bill, and see over how many and other like places, where they sat during the waters of political oblivion have closed the night awaiting a recurrence of the shocks

forever?' Only eight were returned to the In some houses the thin partitions which Congress. One of the number, the divide room from room and the ceilings were Superintendent of the Little Schuylkill Railroad, and Duncan Weir, mine agent, were the most corrupt men in the House; was ex- been done to the British Hospital.

The losses to the captain will smount to about \$250

HOW & TRUANT HUSBAND . WAS FOUND .----The Bloomington Pantograph, tells a good story of one of its chizens, who sought after | oan understand. There is either gross carea servant girl, and found one in the person of "his detented wife ;- "

during the voyage eight basksts of champagne,

six boxes of raisius, and other things in pro-

Rich, agent of the "Woman's Protective Em. nected with the mails, and we shall ferret out igration society" arrived at the Western Dethe party and apply the usual remedy, if the seventy and eighty young women, some twen-North Jackson via the latter rcute soonty five or thirty of whom were intended for est, but for some reason it does not. We have this place. Early in the morning, a married understood that there have been such delays man of this city went to the depot and inquired for Mrs. Rich. The married man found. in, times past, but we hope to hear of no. Mrs. Rich. The married man told Mrs. Rich more of them. Our attention has been dihe wanted a girl to do housework. Mrs. Rich rected to a certain point, at which, it is sugasked the married man who he was. The married man satisfied Mrs. Rich that was all right, and that the servant girl would be well after the matter, and hope our friends in all treated in his family. Mrs. Rich then asked the married man to walk into the room where de., which come under their notice. There the young women were. The married man are perhaps a few "loose screws" which need walked into the room. Mrs. Rich told the tightening-or removing, in order that Uncle young ladies that the married man wanted a girl to do housework. One of the young ladies then walked up to the married man and said : Sam's machine may run smoothly. "I'll go with this gentleman ; I've lived with 13 We publish in another column, a mehim before; he's my husband !" Somebody morial to the Legislature respecting certain was very much astonished when the young changes in the Common School Law. What lady found her Lusband, and another someaction has, or will be taken, in regard to the body looked very pale when the married man different propositions which have been made, found his first wife.

. . by the people, in the way of circulating peti-HONORABLE CONDITIONS .- MARY YEARS ago tions, we are not informed, but if the intenin what is now a flourishing city in the tion be to ask the present Legislature to pass State, lived a stalwart blacksmith, fond of his pipe and his bloom joke. He was also fond of a bill, it is time that bringing forth new ighter, whose many graces plans be discontinued and a union be made ensnared the affections of a ng printer. The couple, had and charms upon something, and that be forwarded imsusceptible mediately, or soon it will be too late to sea season of initial billing and cooing, "engaged" themselves, and nothing but the concure any action whatever. As to what course sent of the young lady's "parent" prevented the Legislature would be disposed to take in their union. To obtain this, an interview the matter, time alone can determine. Our opinion however is that no special law will was arranged, and Typo prepared a little speech to astonish and convince the old be given to any county, as the design is to gentleman, who sat enjoying his favorite pipe in perfect content. Typo dilated upon the have one which shall be universal in its fact of their long friend-hip, their mutual atoperation, and the benefits to be derived tachment, their hopes for the future, and like shared alike by all who come within its protopics, and taking the caughter by the hand. visions. The prescut law has been in operasaid : "I now, sir, ask your permission to transplant this lovely flower from its parent tion about four years, and has met with difbed"-but his "pheelinks" overcame him, he ferent degrees of approval in various localities. forgot the remainder of his rhetorical flourish, and has apparently given less general satisblushed, stammered, and finally would up faction in this County than any other in the with-"from its parent bed, into my own. State. If the Legislature be of the opinion the suitor, and after removing his pipe and that the law is as good as can at present be out of private malice towards any man !-blowing a cloud, replied : "Well, young man, enacted, it is more than probable that no I don't know as I've any objections, provided general or special changes will be made, you will marry the gal first."-Granite State while if it be found to not answer the end for

Register. which it was designed, a new law, or at least A CHIP (F THE OLD BLOCK .- Lord Broughan amendment of the present one will be am's sen, who is yet a minor, and conseadopted. Our legislators should be guided quently dependent upon his father for support, has been noted somewhat of late for his atby an earnest desire to promote the public welfare, and should carefully study the wants tention to a young actress in the French theatre. His father recently wrote the folthe conclusions derived therefrom. lowing laconic epistle: "If you do not quit Let the various petitions be forwarded as her, I'll stop your allowance." To which the soon as practicable, and give each House son replied: "If you don't double it, I'll soon as practicable, and give each House members of the bar and others of Susq'a marry her." The son will enjoy a seat in time to duly consider the subject before acting County for an act to extend the time of the in the matter. Even it nothing can be done parliament, when he becomes of age.

during the present session, it is highly proper Every Democratic Administration. that a subject of such vast importance should be brought before the public and fully unfrom Thomas Jufferson to James Buchanan, has had opposition, and some of its bitterest opponents where those who, in the outset, were in the Democratic party; so we don't the evils which they labor under. We shall see anything strange or unusual in the fact that Mr. Buchanan meets, in this exciting endeavor to keep the public informed of the tion from the citizens of Franklin township time, with opposition, even from members of his own party. But, like all other Democratic confilent, triumplantly. immédiately.

ing us that the package sent via Gt. Bend choice, just as they do now. Especially does sing on the right side of the back bone, takthis come with a poor grace from you, gen- direction to the right hip joint, as inand Susq'a Depot had not arrived! By what dicated by passing a probe in the wound, process that package could be kept a whole process that package could be kept a whole tlemet. How was this District made to the week or more on the raute, is more than we was old Susquehama cot off from her ancient to to the left of the center of the back bone.)

did Judge Bullock.

it in a wrong aspect.

at the polls.

The point we were at was not this, but to

show that the people's will is not disregarded,

nor their actions nulified, when by their own

ject of public interest in so narrow a light. It

moorings; and attached to Bradford ? Did Gurdon Barnes. lessness or wilful mischief being perpetrated her people do it, or was it done without their Eli Law. his descrited wife : "On Saturday, the 22d inst., Mrs. Mary S. on the part of some person or persons con- knowledge, and against their will ! Who A. R. Griggs, C. G. Tiffany, rot it done, and for what purpose ! Again, George E. Wrighter, how came Judge Bullock in the Office ? Did F. W. Griggs, pot from New York, in charge of between abuse continues. Our paper ought to reach he hold it by the grace of the people, or by Daniel P. Russell, Urbane Bloyham; that of Gov. Pollock ? And how does the Wm. Archer, present incompoant hold it, if not by this same Andrew Archer, Pollock tenure? Certainly, the people bad Henry P. Law, less to do with either of those appointments,

The Fate of Traitors.

G. Elton,

Wm. H. Barnes,

Edward Pope,

Asabel Low,

Silas C. Gelatt

D. F. Brundage.

than they will have to do with the construc-Those who have mingled in the political tion of their Districts. It is not our purpose contests of the country for the last thirty years, gested the trouble originates; we will look to complain of those appointments. We becarnot have forgotten the fate of sundry individuals who once stood prominently in the lieve that Judge Bullock was an excellent quarters will keep us apprised of all delays, man, -- his politeness, ipdustry, amiable manranks of the Democracy, but who having turned traitors to their principles and their ners, and legal learning, eminently displayed, party, soon sunk into obscurity and neglect. during the two Terms of Court he held here won him golden opinions from all parties.

days who, in their inordina's estimate of their of Pensylvania? And we mean no disparagement to his preown abilities, imagine the success of the decessors, when we say, that no Judge ever Democratic party depends upon them, and left this Bench. not even Judge' Conyngham that, if they are not permitted to rule and dihimself, with the warmer affection, esteem. rect its patronage they can at their option and confidence of both Bar and people, than

overthrow its power and build up another party on its ruins. We all remember Gen. Duff Green, who foolishly supposed that it was his puissant power that elected General Jackson to the Presidency, and who, presuming upon this silly conceit, undertook to act, they can change and enlarge district direct the old hero how to dispense the lines. We protest against viewing this as a patronage of the office. Being soon made to feel that Gen. Jackson was President, and inpersonal question. It is low to treat a subtended to excercise the powers pertaining to that position in accordance with his own

is an attempt to divert the public attention judgement, free from the dictation of any one, from the merits of the question, and to place | Duff Green determined to take a hostile attitude and crush the Administration at once. and rear up in its stead one which would be We have said a majority in this county demore grateful to his services, and more obesire it. How it is in Bradford we know not, dient to his dictation. The result of this

but if we can judge anything of the popular silly effort is a matter of history. The old feeling by that of the Bar, it must be almost Chief of the Hermitage, at the head of the unanimous for it. And that Bar too, is large Democratic party, went on conquerring and and embraces some of the best men in the to conquer, until all opposition was crushed State. Does any one suppose they enter upon this manument from more personal according this movement from mere personal considera- the way of their progress, were politically tions ? Such men as Elwell, Overton, Baird, | dead and buried.

Adams, and all of the Bar, except perhaps one We have in the present day a precisely or two, initiate and support a public project similar case in the person of Col. Forney, of the Press. Col. Forney imagined it was his mighty influence that made Mr. Buchanan These men are as much above it as are the President. Thus thinking, be had a supposed Democracy of this County. When they want right to select his own position, and be conto express personal preference they will do it sulted about others. Mr. Buchanan, like

Gen. Jackson, determined to act upon his own judgement and experience: This gave this morning. Eight or ten persons were offence to the chivalron's Colonel, who, in killed and many others seriously injured by

We are indebted to Mr. S. B. Chase imitation of Duff Green, forthwith established | jumping from the windows. It is at present for occasional copies of the Daily Legislative the Press, to beat down the Administration, Record, from which we extract the following and organize a new party, of which he is to be dictator. We think, Colonel Forney will of community, and act in accordance with of local interest.

realize the fate of his prototype, and find House Feb. 15 .- Mr. Chase read a petihimself, like Duff Green, stranded upon the tion from the judges, and county officers, barren shores of neglect and contempt. The York (Pa.) Bepublican says that

little girl safely to shore,

on Tuesday last five children, three boys and courts in said County to three weeks. Same day-a bill to that effect. two girls, who were returning home from Feb. 17 .- A bill passed the House finally, school, in Mauchester township, ventured providing for laying out a State road from

derstood, in order that when any action be Little Meadows to Le Raysville, also an act taken, it may be such as shall meet the ap- to repeal the "Lenox road laws" in the townproval of the people, and relieve them from ships of Brooklyn and Gibson. House, Feb. 18 .--- Mr. Chase read a peti-

reception which their petitions meet on ar- " for an act giving justices of the peace power, riving at the Capital. Again we suggest with a jury, to finally try certain criminal for the County.

widnight. W. B. Walker, ELMIRA, N. Y., Feb. 17 .- A file broke out John Smiley, George L. Tiffany, morning, and before it could be subdued

twelve store were destroyed. J. E. Whitney, Const., J. W. Brundage, been recovered.

> PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 17 .- The bark gainst it. Muskingum of Warren, R. I., R. J. Martin, from Mantanzas for Providence, with a cargo and cry of the Republican press. Let our

Monday night, went assigne near Beaver the Democratic party, despite the howling of morning of Thursday. Tail Light, where she remains. She lies in the opposition. Let them recollect that Whether the state of the atmosphere has a rocky place. Her cargo is fully insured in those Democrats who voted against the Neb-Cuba. Who did more harm to society, the un- bodily to the enemy, or been swallowed up by

fortunate two who were lately hung at Pitts- the waves of political oblivion. The fate of these men might have served as barg, and who acknowledged the justice of a warning to aspiring politicans of after their fate,-or the late President of the Bank ,The People can Delegate their

Power. Bostos, Feb. 21-A renconter occured at There is an error somewhat prevalent, which Parker's Hotel here this afternoon, the facts has received its most distinguished support stated, being as follows:

from R. J. Walker. The late Governor of A Mr. L. D. Merril of this city made a vio Kansas asserted, in his letter of resignation, ent assault upon Mr. F. Birgs of New York, certain doctrines which are destructive of our the former spitting in the latters face, etc. system of government. He reasoned that Mr. Birge after repairing to his room, again sovereignty is indivisible and incapable of delmade his appearance, and called Mr. Merrill egation : that the sovereign power of the peoto account for the insult. A collision immeple cannot by exercised by a representative diately took place, during which Mr. Birge conventior. & discharged a pistol at Mr. Merrill, but with We have already spoken of the dangerous

out effect. They were separated and both tendencies of the doctrine which Gov. Walker narties are now under arrest.

satily imply that Mr. Walker desires to see Bell Air, Hartford County, Md., was nearly a pure Democracy inaugurated in this land, and all the constitutional checks, which our Many of the records were destroyed. There fathers wisely placed upon their own will and popular possessions, removed. At present we lesire to allude to the historical evidence was arrested last night when robbing the of the unsoundness of Governor Walker's views.

The supreme law of the land is the federal constitution, and, in accordance with its provisions, the highest acts of sovereignty are constantly exercised.

This constitution was never submitted to a popular vote, but was framed by a national convention and ratified by State Conven tions

On the 14th of May, 1787, the delegates met in Philadelphia, in compliance with the recommendation of Congress and the consequent action of the States, in choosing their epresentatives. On the 7th of September,

1787, the present constitution was framed, and the convention resolved, " that the preceding constitution be laid before the United States, in Congress assembled, and that in the opinion of this convention that it should afterwards be submitted to a convention of del impossible to ascertain the names of the kilegates, chosen in each State by the people EIGHT O'CLOCK. P. M. thereof, under the recommendation of its

The burning of the Pacific Hotel proves a Legislature, for their assent and fatification much more terrible calamity than was reportand that each convention, assenting to, and ed this morning. About one hundred per-sons were in the house when the fire broke of to the United States, in Congress assemout, forty or fifty of whom are missing. bled."

In accordance with this provision the States PHILAUELPHIA, Feb. 20 .-- The ship Diaseverally passed acts for'calling conventions, and the constitution, having been submitted to them, was ratified by the conventions of the several States at different dates. It was adopted by Pennsylvania on the 12th of December, 1787.

OXYGENATED BITTERS .- This compound pos-Hubley, at the risk of his own life, with much "Here is the man who swears, steals and lies- ing on every side are without precedent." Dya-Administratione, it will come out, we are that whatever is done at all should be done cases, and if not for the State, to pass an act difficulty succeeded in bringing the other swears off from drinking, steals away from pepties who have suffered for years have been bad company, and lies in an henest bed. . . I entitely relieved by a tew bottles, i comment

road, and Duncan Weir, mine agent, were pelled the last ression, and will probably he On the night succeeding the phenomenon, yesterday. Their bodies were recovered at eight is L. D. Campbell, of Ohio. His seat the shocks might be expected about the same is contested, and there is scarcely a doubt hour, crowded again into the squares and qpen that he will lose it. At the recent election, spaces, where they passed part of the night. in Water street, this place, at 2 o'clock this his district gave over 1200 Democratic ma-At the Royal Observatory on the Campo di Monte two astronomical clocks, the penduiority. We have taken the above facts from an lums of which vibrate in the plane of the WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 17.-The steamer authority which our Republican friends will prime vertical, (that is, east and west;) were

Magnolia, bound to Fayettville, exploded at scarcely dispute, viz Greeley's Almanac. And stopped. Other clocks in the observatory, Whitshall to day, killing from fifteen to it can not be denied, that we have made out however, continued to go regularly. The twenty persons. A few of the bodies have a much better record for the Nebraska bill, employees of the observatory estimated the than the Courier and Enquirer did a continuance of the first shock to be five, and that of the second twenty-five seconds. They Let not Democrats be deceived by the hue considered the direction of the undulations to

be from south to north. They perceived two of molasses, when coming into West Bay on members of Congress preserve the unity of slight slocks at three and five o'clock in the

any connection with our dependence upon raska bill have, generally, either gone over this class of phenomena is not certainly known. Here the weather for six weeks back has been like that of June in London. The rain bas fallen, and the sunshine has been almost uninterrupted. The Sirocco has alternated with the venta di terra, the one corresponding to our warm southwest wind, and the other to our cold northeast. Vesuvius has been very active, throwing up constantly showers of incandescent matter, which at night presents from time to time the appearance of what is called the "bouquet" in artificial fire works, A slight eruption of lava took place last week, and it has been observed that the activity of the voluano was considerably abated for two days before the shock.

It is unfortunate that here we are without the benefits of the agency, of journalism in. such cases, and have mainly to depend on the information which is obtained from mouth to mouth. There is an official journal, but that gives only such information as the government chooses to disclose, and the fear of excitement among an ignorant, fanatical, and priest ridden population, determines the goreroment as a general rule to supply as little intelligence of what takes place as possible .--Such as it is, however, I wait the publication of the official journal, which I am told will make known to day so much of what has passed in Calabria, as the government will allow to be published. Before I despatch this letter to the post I shall be able to tell you more. P. S.-As l'expected, a few particulars of the disasters in Calabria are given in the official journal. The visitation is undoubtedly far more grave than is admitted. It appears that the telegraphic wire has broken between Eboli and Sali, both in the line of country I have indicated. News, however, has been received from the latter place, where the walls of the prison and barracks have been cracked and three persons killed. At Atessa, a town near Sala, half of the houses are reduced to ruins. In Padula, another town in that district, more than one hundred houses has been thrown down, with an unknown number of persons buried under them. In La Polla, another town of that neighborhood, the disasters have been enormous and the victims bumerous, but unascertained : among them, bowover, is included a brigade of gendarmerie --In Auletta, Petrosa and Caggiano, ruin and death have occurred to an unknown extent. In Salerno a church and belfry have fallen, killing two ladies. In Campagna numerous houses are cracked, including that of the superintendent. In the Basilicata, at Polenza, the disasters have been extensive. Numerous buildings

have been thrown down, burying unknown numbers beneath their ruins. A broken telegraphic despatch from Bari and Campo Basso has excited great alarm, as it would appear to signify that all the inhabitants of one of these places have been destroyed .- Naples Corres pondence of the London Times,

mond State, formerly called the James Bay, took fire during the night and is still burnupon the ice on the Codorus, but it not being of sufficient thickness to lear their weight, ing. She will be a total loss. The ship lies four of the number broke through, and before aground near the West Jersey ferry landing, assistance could be rendered three of them Camden. She was built in Wilmington were drowned. The fifth child, a little girl, Delaware, is valued at \$16,000, owned by gave the alarm to some young men who Stetson & Co., and is fully insured.

were fishing near by, and one of them, Mr. TOAST at a surprise party, Feb. 2, 1858 : . . .

unfolds, and have argued that it would neces-BALTIMORE, Feb. 20 .- The Court House i destroyed by an accidental fire last night.

was no insurance on the property. The notorious burglar, Captain Green, alias Gallagher, warehouse of P. Sauerwein & Son. Over \$300 in coin was found in his possession.

WASHINGTON, Fev. 20 .-- A personal difficulty between the Hon. Mr. Clay of Kentucky, son of Henry Clay, and Mr. Cullom, late Clerk of the House of Representatives, resulted

led and wounded.

in a regular fist fight between these two gentleman at Brown's Hotel to-day. It appears that Mr. Clay and Mr. Cullom were drinking

at the bar of Brown's Hotel, when Collum proposed as a toast "The illustrious sire of a legenerate son," at which Mr. Clay naturally

felt and expressed himself indignant, when Cullom struck him. Sr. Louis, Feb. 20-A. M.-The Pacific Hotel, in this place, was burned at 3 o'clock