

POTTSVILLE.

Saturday Morning, April 19.

A NATIONAL CALAMITY.

DEATH OF GEN. HARRISON. We are called upon to mourn a National Calemity-a calamity as sudden as it is afflicting-as unfortunate as it is irreparable. President HARRISON is no more! but his memory is embalmed in the hearts of his countrymen. The Patriot, the Sage the Hero, sleeps with his fathers, but the remembrance of his great and glorious deeds cannot be for-

gotten. This is the first loss which the republic has mourn of an actual President. The distressing event took piece on Sunday morning last between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock. The venerable President appeared to be aware of his approaching end, and evinced the utmost composure and christian resignation. He took leave of his family and friends and gave his last injunctions to the members of his Cabinet, who were all present. His last words were for the Country and Constitution. The following is the official announcement of his death :

CITY OF WASHINGTON, April 4, 1641. An all-wise Providence having, suddenly remove from this life, WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON. late President of the United States, we have thought it our duty, in the recess of Congress, and in the sheence of the Vice President from the Seat of Government, to make this afflicting bereavement known to the country, by this declaration, under our hands. He died at the President's house, in this city, this fourth day of April, Anno Domini, 1841, at thirty

minutes before one o'clock in the morning. The people of the United States, overwhelmed like ourselves, by an event so unexpected and s melancholy, will derive consolation from knowing that his death was calm and resigned, as his life has been patriotic, useful and distinguished; and that the last utterance of his lips expressed a fervent de-

sire for the perpetuity of the Constitution, and the preservation of its true principles. In death, as it life, the happiness of his country was uppermost in his thoughts.

DANIEL WEBSTER, Secretary of State. THOMAS EWING, Secretary of the Treasury JOHN BELL, Secretary of War. J. J. CRITTENDEN, Attorney General. FRANCIS GRANGER. Postmaster General.

REPORT OF THE PHYSICIANS.

WASHINGTON, APRIL 4, 1841. DEAR SIN :- In compliance with the request made to us by yourself and the other gentleman of the Cabinet, the attending and consulting Physicians have drawn up the abstract of a report on the President's case, which I herewith transmit to you. Very respectfully, your ob't servant,

THO. MILLER. To the Hon, D. Webster, Attending Physician Secretary of State.

On Saturday, March 27, 1841, President Harri son, after several days' previous indisposition, was seized with a chill and other symptoms of fever. The next day Pneumonia, with congestion of the liver and derangement of the stomach and bowels, was ascertained to exist The age and debility of the patient, with the immediate prostration, forbade a resort to general blood-letting. Topical depletion, blistering, and appropriate internal remedies, subdued, in a great measure, the disease of the lungs He then turned back, and said no more till h and liver, but the stomach and intestines did not regain a healthy condition. Finally, on the 3d of April, at 3 o'clock, P. M., profuse diarrhæa came on, under which he sank, at thirty minutes to 1 o'clock. on the morning of the fourth.

The last words uttered by the President, as heard by Dr. Worthington, were these: "Sir, I wish you I wish them carried out. I ask nothing more." THO. MILLER, M. D.

Attending Physician. FRED. MAY, M. D. N. W. WORTHINGTON, M. D. J. C. HALL, M. D. ASHTON ALEXANDER, M. D. Consulting Physicians.

Immediately after the decease of the President Mr. Webster, Jr. Chief Clerk in the Department of State, accompanied by Mr. Beall, ar. officer of the Senate, sat out for the residence of the Vice President, in Virginia, bearing to him the following let-

" WASHINGTON, April 4, 1841. To JOHN TYLER.

"Vise President of the United States. "SIR: It has become our most painful duty to in form you that William Henry Harrison, late Presi dent of the United States, has departed this life.

"This distressing event took place this day, at the President's Mansion in this city, at thirty minutes before one in the morning. "We lose no time in despatching the Chief Clerk

in the State Department as a special Messenger to bear you these melancholy tidings. "We have the honor to be, with the highest regard, your obedient servants,

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Postmaster General.

A letter from Washington says :-- Genéral Harrison's wife is at the North Bend. The blow will be frightful to her, for her attachment to him is intense, and her health is very feeble. He teaves one son and three daughters. The ladies of the President's household now are Mrs. Taylor, of Va Mrs. Harrison (daughter-in-law.) and Mrs. Findley."

On hearing of the death of General Harrison. the Common Council of New York, opposed as they were politically to the late President, promptly responded to the feelings of the people. The whole nation mourn the loss of their Chief.

ern cities were closed on Wednesday last-for on that day the mortal remains of the "nation's hope " were consigned to the tomb. May his mantle fall on his successor.

To the honor of Philadelphia be it told, that every newspaper in that city, without regard to party, assumed the emblems of mourning on the death of General Harrison.

A number of articles which we had prepared for this week's paper has been unavoidably omitted, owing to the crowded state of our columns.

FUNERAL OF THE PRESIDENT. - The mortal reains of the lamented Hannison were consigned to he Tomb on Wednesday last. The following noce in reference to the funeral was issued at Washngton last Monday :-

WASHINGTON, April 5, 1841. The circumstances in which we are placed by the leath of the President, render it indispensable with s, in the recess of Congress, and in the absence of e Vice President, to make arrangements for the Funeral Solemnties. Having consulted with the family and personal friends of the deceased, we have concluded that the Funeral be solemnized on Wednesday the 7th instant at, 12 o'clock. The religious services to be performed according to the usage o the Episcopal Church, in which church the deceased nost usually worshipped. The body to be taken from the President's House to the Congress burying ground, accompanied by a military and civic procession, and deposited in the Receiving Tomb.

The military arrangements to be under the direcon of Major General Macomb, the General Commanding in Chief of the Army of the United States. and Major General Walter Jones, of the Militia of he District of Columbia.

Commodore Morris, the senior Captain in the Navy, now in the city, to have the direction of the naval arrangements.

The Marshall of the District to have the direction of the civic procession, assisted by the Mayors of Washington, Georgetown, and Alexandria, the Clerk of the Supreme Court of the United States, and such other citizens as they may see fit to call to their aid. JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, ex-President of the United states, members of Congress now in the city or it neighborhood, all, the members of the Diplomatic body resident at Washington, and all the officers of Government, and citizens generally, are invited to

And it is respectfully recommended to the Officers of Government that they wear the usual badge of

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PRESIDENT HARRISON'S LAST MOMENTS .- Th llowing account of the last moments of General Harrison is copied from the Washington Correspondal Assembly of this Commonwealth, on behalf of our ence of the Philadelphia North American. The · dying charge '' is affecting in the extreme, and it distrates the character of the departed patriot in the choly event. rongest light:

WASHINGTON, MARCH 4, 1841. "Yesterday the President was better, and cor lered out of danger, till between 2 and 3 P. M. hen he suffered a sudden relapse, by a painful an xhausting diarrhoga, under the effects of which his he alarm of his physicians and other attendants The members of the Cabinet were immediately sen for, and remained at the President's House till he

ied at half past twelve this morning. I understood from a member of the Cabinet th sorning, that the President did not speak but onc after the relapse, and those words are a precious le gacy to his country, evincing the "ruling passion

He had either requested or supposed that the Vic-President was sent for. From the powerful action sed he was incapable, after the relapse, of reckto have been waiting with anxious expectation t ee the Vice President, on whom the government he country was about to devolve. vening he moved, looked round, and Dr. Worthing ton standing by his bedside, the President seems to think it was the Vice President. He looked at him earnestly, and said, with a strong voice, and with clear and distinct enunciation: "You under stand the principles of the Constitution, I wish you to see that they are faithfully carried out.

Whether this is the exact version of this address I am not perfectly confident. It will probably appear in different to: ms. The sentiment is obvioand this dving injunction will be cherished, as not have aided in electing William Henry Harrison the Presidency of the United States. His country' to understand the true principles of the Government. good was his great anxiety, and being about to adjourned. he shoulders of another, after having worn it for so brief an hour, he leaves it in charge to his suc essor: "I wish you to see that the principles of his Government are faithfully carried out." this Government." All the rest is understood. H leaves it a dying charge to the Federal authorities

breathed his last.

to his country, to all.

The intelligence of the death of General Harison has spread the deepest gloom over the whole country. The bitterness and rancour of party feelng have passed away; and the deepest, the me neartfelt regret was felt by all on hearing that the venerable, the patriotic Chief Magistrate of the Republic was no more! When the afflicting news eached this borough, our citizens were paralyzed beween the effects of smazement and distress. All nourned the departed hero as a friend—a benefactor -a father. The bells of the Catholic and Episcopal hurches tolled their solemn dirge, and the "stars

nd stripes" were displayed at half-mast high. In Philadelphia-as indeed everywhere else-eve idication of respect for the memory of the President was promptly paid. The Pennsylvanian (a Van Buren paper, we are pleased to add) says that th everal courts of Philadelphia emmuediately adjourned upen the official announcement of the melancho ly tidings. The U. S. Court and the Supreme Cour stponed further business until Thursday. Th lags of the shipping, of the Navy Yard, at the Cuson House, and at the other public buildings, were displayed at half mast. This we also noticed wa he case at the Head Quarters of the different politi cal parties in the city and county, the flags being ap ropriately craped, in token of mourning. The bells of Christ Church and the State House tolled through t the day, and it was observed that a number of stores were closed. But the feeling, as before renarked, was by no means confined to these outward vidences of regret. They were true indications e general sentiment.

The Vice Passidence .- We see it stated (say the U. S. Gozette) in the papers that Samuel Southard, of New Jersey, is now Vice President of the United States. This is not correct. The Hon. Samuel L. Southard is President pro tempore of the Senate. The death of General Harrison makes no lifference in the title or rank of this gentleman. Mr. Tyler will act as President of the United States. But we do not know that Mr. Southard will die charge any other duties incumbent on the Vice Preident than those of the Presidency of the Senate,-The Vice President is, we think, ex officio, one o The stores and places of business in the east-the Trustees of the Sinking Fund, if any such exists. Mr. Southard, we suppose, does not receive that with his present elevated position.

> A VETO EXPECTED .- Speaking of the Bank Bil the Harrisburg correspondent of the Philadelphia Inquirer, under date of April 6th, says-" I may prepare your readers for a VETO to-morrow. Come must and come it will. I have it from high authority, that it was transcribed "in a fair and legible band' to day, for presentation on to-morrow. As "Veto" is a game at which two can play, shall we The Legislature of Maryland adjourned in

Town Council.

At a Special Meeting of the Town Council of the forough of Pottsville, held on Tuesday, the 6th of April, 1841.

MR. JAMES SILLTMAN, JUN., the President, inormed the Council that intelligence had been rewived of the death of the President of the United States, at Washington, on the 4th inst., and that he and convened the Council for the purpose of offering tribute of respect to the memory of the Chief Maistrate of the Nation.

The following preamble and resolutions were the

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, in the ourse of his wise providence, to remove from this vorld WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, President of he United States, and while we bow with submis ion to the afflicting dispensation, we deem it out duty to record a memorial of our sorrow and regret, or what we humanly consider a national bereavemen nd misfortune. Therefore,

RESOLVED, That this body have heard, with feelgs of unfeigned sorrow, of the death of WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, President of the United States. RESOLVED, That as a mark of respect to his memry, the several religious societies in this borough be equested to tall the bells of their respective churches, on the morning of the 7th inst, for one hour, comnencing at half past eleven o'clock; and that the ational flag be displayed on the flag staff in the bo ough at half mast, from sunrise to sunset on the

ame dav. RESOLVED. That the members of this body will vear crape on the left arm for thirty days; and that he Council recommend to the citizens also to adopt this badge of mourning, as a decent and proper tribute of respect to the memory of the late Chief Ma gistrate of the country.

EDWARD OWEN PARRY.

Town CLERK.

Our LEGISLATURE .- On Monday last, the House f Representatives being called to order at 10 o'clock, ented to the House by the Secretary of the Comnonwealth:

To the Senate and House of Representatives: Gentlemen-Intelligence has been received that William Henry Harrison, President of the United States, has paid the debt of nature. He departed his life at the President's House in the city of Washington on yesterday morning.

The public services and private worth of the dis inquished citizen who had just been elected to the nighest station in the Republic, call upon the Genercommon constituents, for the appropriate testimonials of public feeling which are inspired by the melan-

DAVID R. PORTER,

Executive Chamber, April 5, 1841, As soon as the message was read, Mr. Law, of the city of Philadelphia, rose and made a few pathet-ic and appropriate remarks. A solemn silence perpuntenance was instantly and greatly changed, to wade the House and a gloom sat upon the countenance of every member. When Mr. Law had concluded, Mr. Lusk offered the following preamble and esolution which were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, the melancholy information has reach ed this body by official announcement that an allwise Providence has suddenly removed from this life, William Henry Harrison, President of the United States, and whereas, the members of this Hous Reel deeply impressed with the solemnity of so unexof the disease on his constitution and mind, it is sup- pected and painful intelligence; as a testimonial of suitable respect for the memory of the illustrious eceased.

> Resolved. That a committee of four be appointed act in conjuction with a similar committee of the enate (should the Senate appoint such committee) to report what further measures should be adopted. to signify the sense of this Legislature under so offlicting a bereavement—and this House do now ad-

> The Speaker then appointed Messrs. Lusk, Smy. er, Flenniken, and Cox, said Committee, and the House immediately adjourned.

In the Senate, similar proceedings were had. mmittee was appointed similar to that appointe in the House. The committee consists of Messis aral to the deep concern of his last hour, by all who Reed, Brown, Pearson, and Gibbons. After the apnaintment of the committee, the Senate immediately

> THE PRESIDENT .- John Tyler, of Virginia, is now the President of the United States. A staunch, an unwavering, a consistent democrat of the Jefferson School. In order to show the perfect harmony and excellent feeling which existed between him and his distinguished predecessor, we copy the following article which appeared in the Baltimore American of December 2d, 1840

THE VICE PRESIDENT .- Some gentlemen of Charleston, S. C. belonging to the Van Buren party have addressed a letter of inquiry to the Hon. John Trier, in view of the possibility that he may be called upon to fill the Chief Executive Chair, The concluding portion of Mr. TYLER's letter in

inswer runs thus-"I unhesitatingly declare it as my firm convir ion that William Henry Harrison is qualified to uard and promote the liberties and happiness of is country, because he is the stern and unflinch. ing advocate of popular rights, and the uncompro mising opponent of the bold and daring assume ions of power which have of late years been claim ed and exercised by the Chief Executive Magis rate of this Union; because he regards the public fices of the country as created for the benefit and advantage of the People, and not for the political advantage of the President, and in that spirit, ut. erly denies the right, on the part of the Presiden remove from office one "who is honest, capable and faithful to the Constitution," to make way for mother whose chief recommendation is to be four in his being a noisy and clamorous demagogue and partizan-because he would carry with him into he Administration the principles of Jefferson, and would require of the office-holders to abstain from nterfering in the elections, and to bestow a close attention to their duties, in place of the active par tizanship which is now every where exhibited—because he is committed, by his principles, to recommend and to urge upon Congress the adoption of uch measures as will ultimate in the committing the custody of the public monies to other hands han the President's, so as effectually to separate he Purse from the sword-because he is in favor f economy in the public expenditures, in oppose ion to that wasteful course of extravagance which has caused the public expenditures to increase in en years, from \$13,000,000, exclusive of the pay. nent of the public debt, to near \$40,000,000 annu lly—because he is the sworn enemy to corruption and the lover of virtue-because in his election and by his example, will be established and secured that greatest of all reforms, without which the effort at formation is hopeless, viz: the limiting for all fi are time, the Presidential term of service to a sinle term of four years—and because he is an hones man, a Republican in principle, and a patriot in practice. I might find other reasons in the history of his past life—a life devoted to the service of hi

Having responded fully and freely to your enqui-1 am, gentlemen, Your most obedient servant,

untry-but I have fully answered your enquiries.

JOHN TYLER.

CONNECTION ELECTIONS .- The N. Y. Courie ind Enquirer of Wednesday last contains the folwing paragraph :-- The accounts which reached us yesterday of the results of the election, which is now in progress in Connecticut, are of the most satisfactory character, and render certain the success o the Whig candidates by increased majorities."

next fall "Veto" our Veto Governor---what say you." body to attend the funeral of the late President.

ABBIVAL OF VICE PRESIDENT TYLER AT THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.—We copy the following from the National Intelligencer of Wednesday morn-

" By the extraordinary despatch used in sending the Official Intelligence to the Vice President, at Williamsburg, and similar despatch by him in repairing to the seat of Government, John Tyler, now President of the United States, arrived in this city yesterday morning, at 5 o'clock, and took lodgings t Brown's Hotel.

At 12 o'clock, all the Heads of Departments, except the Secretary of the Navy, (who has not yet cturned to this city from his visit to his family,) vaited upon him to pay him their official and personal respects. They were received with all the poiteness and kindness which characterize the new President. He signified his deep feeling of the public calamity sustained by the death of President HARRISON, and expressed his profound sensibility o the heavy responsibilities so suddenly devolved upon himself. He spoke of the present state of things with great concern and seriousness, and made known his wishes that the several Heads of Departments would continue to fill the places which they now respectively occupy, and his confidence that they would afford all the aid in their power to enable him to carry on the administration of the Government successfully.

The President then took and subscribed the folowing oath of office :--

I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute the office of President of the United States, and will to the best of my ability, preserve, protect, and de fend the Constitution of the United States. JOHN TYLER. April 6, 1841.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, City and County of Washington. I, William Cranch, Chief Judge of the Circui Court of the District of Columbia, certify that the above named John Tyler personally appeared before me this day, and, although he deems himself qualified to perform the duties and exercise the powers he following message from the Governor was pre- and office of President, on the death of William Henry Harrison, late President of the United States. without any other oath than that which he has taken as Vice-President, yet, as doubts may arise and for greater caution, took and subscribed the follow-

ing oath before me. April 6, 1841. W. CRANCH.

THE PRESIDENCY .- Since the death of President Iarrison, we have been frequently asked if it is ne essary to hold another election for President. It is not. Read the sixth Section of the second Article of the Constitution of the United States:-

"In case of the removal of the President from o hee, or of his death, resignation, or inability to discharge the power and duties of the said office, the same shall devolve on the Vice President : and Con. gress may, by law, provide for the case of remova leath, resignation or inability, both of the Presiden and Vice President, declaring what officer shall then act as President, and such officer shall act accordingly, until the disability be removed, or a President shall be elected.

The death of the President, it will be seen, doe not render necessary another Election. The Vice President fills his place until the close of the term for which they were both elected. The subjoined Sections of the Act of Congress, 1st March, 1792. designates the person who shall perform the duties of President in the case of a vacancy in the offices of President and Vice President, and provides for the election of a President and Vice President in such

SECT. 9. In case of a removal, death, resignation r inability both of the President and Vice President rited States, the President of the Senal ro tempore, and, in case there shall be no Presi sentatives for the time being, shall act as Preside of the United States, until the disability be removed r a President shall be elected.

SECT 10. Whenever the offices of President and Vice President shall both become vacant, the Secre tary of State shall forthwith cause a notification t e made to the executive of every State, and pubished in at least one of the newspapers printed i each State specifying that electors of the Presiden and Vice President of the United States shall be prointed or chosen in the several States, with hirty four days preceding the first Wednesday i December next ensuing, if there shall be the space of two months between such date and such ednesday, and of the term, for which the Presihall not expire on the third day of March next ensuing, he shall specify in the notification that th ectors shall be appointed or chosen within thirty our days preceding the first Wednesday in Decem ber in the year next ensuing, within which tim he electors shall be appointed or chosen; and they hall meet and give their votes on such Wednesday.

THE UNITED STATES BANK -An adjourned neeting of the Stockholders of the U.S. Bank was held at the Banking House on Monday last. The oom was crowded and considerable excitement prevailed. After the usual preliminary business had wen disposed of, and some little acrimonious feeling exhibited, what was termed the "Stockholders Re port" was read—that is, a report of the state of the affairs of the U. S. Bank, prepared by an investigatng Committee, appointed by the Stockholders of he Bank. The report, notwithstanding some singular disclosures in the way of loans to firms and ndividuals, cost of foreign Agencies, &c., places he affairs of the Bank on a better footing than the public were previously led to suppose. The invesagating Committee are of opinion that there is still nore than \$15,000,000 of the original capital left to he Stockholders, and that the shares are worth \$46

Since the above was in type, we learn from Phildelphia papers that Thomas Dunlap, Esq., resigned his situation as President of the United States Bank. and that Mr. James Martin was elected President of the Bank, pro tempore.

BREACH OF PROMISE.—Miss Jane Baker and Mr. Richard Davis reside in the town of Carbondale. Luzerne County. Richard admired Jane, popped the question, and was accepted instanter. His hapiness was complete. Only a few weeks, however, elapsed after this delicate transaction, when he hought that his happiness would be still more complete if he could dissolve the tender connection beween himself and his late adored—the wretch. The connection was dissolved. Jane was heart broken. Her friends advised her to prosecute the fickle wain for a "breach." She took their advice-laid her damages at \$1000--the case was left to the decision of Arbitrators-who decided that the defendant should pay over to the fair plaintiff the sum of \$275, to heal her wounded and lacerated feelings.

SUSPECTED MUBDER .-- The Susquehanna Regiser, of the let inst., says:--- By a hesty note just eceived from a subscriber at Skinner's Eddy, Luerne County, we learn that considerable excitenent prevails in that vicinity, in consequence of the iscovery on Saturday last, of the body of a female n the river above that place. An inquest was held and a verdict returned, in substance, that she was probably murdered and thrown into the river for ncealment. The body was dressed in a red flannel petticoat, clouded cotton stockings, and dress much torn; had rather sandy hair, fair complexion, and appeared to be between 18 and 20 years of age. Suspicion seems to identify her as being the one mysteriously missing at Owego some time last win-

GOVERNOR VETO.-The Intelligencer save that the mode of salutation about Harrisburg now is-"What's the news-any Veto to day ?"

ALL SORTS OF ITEMS. The value of property in the United States is e imated at five billions of dollars.

A Convention of Baptists met in Baltimore th

The late municipal election in Mobile resulted the triumph of the democratic whig ticket.

The Association of American Geologists, organ zed about a year ago, held their annual meeting is Philadelphia this weck.

The Secretary of the Treasury reports Treasury Notes outstanding on the 1st inst., \$6,301,324 87. The personal property of Louis Philippe is said to e equal to fifty millions of dollars.

Mitchell, the notorious M. C. forger, it is stated eached Boston in time to take the steamer. Other accounts represented him on his way to Texas. The Juniata Canal is now in navigable order.

The Ohio Legislature adjourned on the 29th ult. Mathew L. Davis, the "Spy in Washington," his peen appointed Deputy Collector of New York. The first salmon made its appearance in the Bos

on market last week. It sold for two dollars pound—thát's ail! A German Jew pedlar, named Arnold Klughart, met with a shocking death on Monday last. He was

run over by a train of cars on the Columbia Rail

There are now 254,900 children in the Common Schools of Pennsylvania.

During the month of March, there were 386 arri als in the port of Boston and 283 clearances. ·Bosting" is looking up.

In a scuffle lately at Natchez Landing, Miss., ar individual had his nose slit and the bridge cut down by the stroke of a bowie knife.

The Union Bank of Florida has resumed speci payments. Miracles will never cease. Corporal Streeter says that duelling practices

always be pop-ular. It is stated in the Pittsburg Gazette that Walte Forward, Esq., has accepted the appointment of First

Comptroller of the Treasury. Mr. Clay was reported at Wheeling, on the 30th lt., on his way home, with his health considerably

The General Tax Bill has passed both houres he Maryland Legislature and is now a law.

Levi Woodbury's friends in Portsmouth, N. H. are preparing to give him a public dinner on his re-

The steamer North America recently brought 70 assengers from Albany to New York. The New York papers are raising a crusade again-

ne venders of " ground coffee ' in that city. They wear that the said "ground coffee" is worse than

It is said that the U. S. ship Delaware is unfit for es. Her timbers are as rotten as the professions of

Asher Robbins has been appointed Postmaster of Newport. He was formerly a Senator in Congress rom the State of Rhode Island.

New York was visited with a most destructive fire on Saturday last. In consequence of it, upwards of one hundred persons were thrown out of employment. A German who sometime since broke his leg in New Orleans, has instituted a suit against Dr. Luhaving set his limb properly.

esson. They were destined for southern ports.

The passengers by the British Queen have ad ressed . letter of thanks to Lieutenant Franklin R. N., the commander, for the skill and judgment displayed during their very tempestuous passage to New York.

IMPROVEMENT MAGAZINE .- Our friend Wallace of the Harrisburg Telegraph, is about establishing monthly periodical, to be called the "Improvement Magazine and Journal of Natural Science." Magazine is intended to promote the interests of the works of public improvement of Pennsylvanie Divil Engineering, Mining, the Smelting and Manufacture of Iron in all its branches, and practical Science in general, as connected with the mineral pro luctions of the Commonwealth, will be embraced within the design of the work. Mr. Wallace will be issisted in the editorial department by Mr. Totter n experienced Engineer.

ONE TERM FOR GOVERNOR .- A joint resolution as passed both branches of the Legislature of this state restricting the Governor's tenure of office to one term of three years. By the Tenth Article of the amended Constitution this resolution will be ournalized, and published by order of the Secretary of the Commonwealth in one paper in every county: if the next Legislature shall in like manne agree to the amendment, the Secretary will again order its publication as before, and it will then be submitted to the vote of the people.

ATTENTION !- The Refectory recently occupie y Mr. Silver, in the basement of the Pennsylvani Hall, has been re-opened by Mr. D'Estimauville, the worthy landlord of the Hall. Mr. D'Estimauville has enlarged the Refectory and otherwise improved its appearance, and it now has a very comfortable and inviting look. The Bar appears to be stocked with the best of Wines, Liquors, &c., and we know from experience, that his Oveters and other refresh gents are most unexceptionable. We trust Mr. D. will receive that patronage which his enterprise a

ROBINSON, THE MURDERER.-The New Brunswick Times says that Robinson, the murderer, re mains unaffected since his sentence. He refuses t admit the Ministers of the Gospel to his cell, and has kicked the Bible from his door. On one occasion h did admit a clergyman, and seemed somewhat moved by his admonitions; but the next day he was a eckless and hardened as before. He has made so many different confessions, that reliance can b placed on none. He has, however, distinctly avowed himself the murderer of Suydam.

SUICIDE. - A young woman, named Ellen Norris, of Sacketts Harbor, N. Y., took a large dose of corosive sublimate on the 12th ult., of which she died on the evening of the 17th. She had been accuse f purloining a ring from a friend, which so wrough n her mind as to induce the commission of spicid

STABBING .- Dr. Copeland, of Carbondale, was lew days since arrested and sent to the Wilkesbarr iail for stabbing with a knife, a very respectable cit zen, Deacon Root, of Carbondale, against whom he ntertained some spite. The wounds are said to be langerous.

The Public Offices of this state were close last Monday, by order of Governor Porter, in consequence of the death of President Harrison. This mark of respect to the memory of our lamented Ha rison, was as unexpected as it was gratifying.

THE FIRST BOATS OF THE SEASON.—The Pitts ourg Advecate of the 2d inst. says-"Two boats oaded with goods from Philadelphia, one belonging to the line of D. Leech & Co., and the other to that of James O'Connor & Co., arrived in that city or the 31st inst.

Hanniesuno.—The following resolutions passed both branches of our Legislature on Tuesday last: Resolved, That four Senators and six Representaives, to be selected by the Speakers, be deputed to epresent this Commonwealth at the city of Washington, at the funeral of the late President of the United States.

Resolved, That an eulogy on the character and public services of WILLIAM HENRY HARRI-SON, be pronounced on Saturday, the 17th inst., at noon, in the Hall of the House of Representatives, by Thomas Williams of the Senate.

Resolved, That the members of the Legislature will, as a testimonial of their sincers sorrow for the death of the late President; wear the usual badge of mourning for the remainder of the session.

Resolved, That an extract from the journal of each House, to be signed by the Speaker, be communicated to the Governor, with a request that be will forward the same to the family of the late Presi-

The committee appointed to proceed to Washingon were Messrs, Pearson, Headley, Strohm and Kingsbury, of the Senate, and Messrs. Cox, Brodhead of Northampton, Chrisman, Lusk, Smyser and Hill of the House.

CONDITION OF THE AMERICAN NAVY .- We copy the following judicious and sensible remarks in relation to the present condition of our Navy, from he Philadelphia Daily Standard .-

"It has been so much the custom recently to speak f the weakness of our marine defences, that most persons have probably an incorrect idea of our real naval strength. The United States Navy at this ime comprises 68 sail, including eleven ships of he line, one razee, and fourteen 44a. Then we have the frame timbers (contracted for and mostly in readiness) of 15 ships of the line, 18 frigates, 15 orvettes, 9 steamers, and 9 brigs and schooners, esides copper, iron, etc. In no very long period, herefore, we could go to sea with 26 heavy ships of the line, 32 frigates, only two of them rating less than 44 gurs, 30 corvettes, a dozen steamships, and a suitable proportion of smaller vessels. If hulf a ozen trigates and a few corvettes could in the last war maintain the honor of the country against the mmense Navy of England, one would suppose that he above mentioned force, officered and manned as would be in the most efficient manner, would give even England some trouble

The Senate has fixed upon the 27th inst. as e day of adjournment of the Legislature. It is questionable if the House agree to it.

ANOTHER VETO. - Governor Porter has returned the bill in relation to the Chester County prison with his vero'l!

FOR THE MINERS' JOURNAL.

Mr. Bannan .- I beg feave to inform you that ne ladies of St. James' Church, Schuylkill Haven, lo not design in these hard times to act upon your suggestion of "giving back no change" at their approaching sale on Easter Monday and Tuesday .-They mean to suit their prices to the times, and to expose their large and rich collection of articles at rates, with the cheapness of which purchasers will be satisfied. Their own labors have been most liberally sided by the skill and taste of the ladies of Pottsville, Philadelphia, and New York. Thanking your for you notice of the sale.

I am yours truly,

SCHUYLKILL HAVEN. Modesty.-Who shall win the prize? There was a meeting of the flowers, and the judge appointed to award the prize of beauty. "Who shall win the prize?" asks the rose, proudly stepping forward zenburg, of that city, for damages in \$25,000, for not in blushing beauty, with full assurance of its winning worth. 'Who shall win the prize ?' asks the ious of its attraction, and each equally sure of reeiving the award. "I will take a peep at the asemblage," thought the Violet, not intending to make one of the company, " and see the beauties as they pass." Just as it was raising its modest head rom its humble and retiring corner, and was look . ing in upon the meeting, the judge arose to render his decree. "To the Violet," says he, " I award he prize of beauty, for there is no trait more rare, one more enchantly beautiful than-Monesty.

MARRIED. On the 7th inst. by the Rev. E. B. Evans, Mr. DAVID OWERS to Miss ANN EDWARDS, both of

At Pottsville, on the 9th inst., by the Rev. Joseph McCool, Mr. George W. SLATER, late of Centre County, to Miss Anna S., daughter of the late Rich-

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PHILOMATHIC SOCIETY. TUESDAY EVENING, April 13th, 1841. Subject for ebate: " Which are the most exalted, the pursuits of the Philosopher or those of the Poet." AFFIRMATIVE-Messrs. Neville, Lawton, and Sil-

NEGATIVE - Messrs. Porter, Holzer & Wynkoop, The Ladies of Pottsville particularly, and all iends of learning and free discussion, are invited to attend the meetings of this Society, which will reafter be held on Tuesday instead of Thursday venings, at the Academy

JOHN C. NEVILLE, Secretary.

Public Sale.

DURSUANT to an order of the Orphans' Court of Schuylkill County, the Subscribers, Admintrators of the estate of George Lyons, late of Port Carbon. in the county of Schuylkill, deceased, will spose to Sale by Public Vendue, on Monday the day of May next, at I o'clock in the atternoon, the house of Michael Mortimer, in the Borough f Pottsville and county aforesaid; A Certain Lot of Ground situate in the town of Port Carbon, county of Schuylkill, bounded by lot forty nine Spruce Street Valley Alley, containing sixty feet front and running back one hundred and ninety eight feet, seing Lot number forty eight, late the estate of said deceased. Attendance will be given and the Conditions of Sale made known at the time and

ANN LYONS.
HUGH KINSLEY. By Order of the Court,

JACOB KREBS, Cierk.

Orwigsburg April 10th Anthracite Iron Furnaces. THE subscriber offers his services as superin.

endant in the erection of Furnaces, with the ne. cessary arrangement of the machinery, &c., to those who may be about erecting Fornaces for the amelt. ng of Iron Ore with Anthracite Coal. From the experience attained by having had the superintendance and arrangement of the Pottsville Anthracite Furnace, and from his known abilities

as a Mechanic has induced him to offer himself thus Plans and estimates may be had-as also compe tent Founders to blow in, by applying to
JOSEPH GEORGE, Pottsville.

Reference, Wm. H. Marshall and Isaac Trimble,

Pottsville A. Furnace, Wm. Lyman, Reading, B, Pomroy & Enoch McGinnes, Pottsville Foun Pottaville. April 10 The U.S. Gazette will insert the above 3 times ud charge this office.