

POTTSVILLE.

Saturday Morning, Jan. 17, 1846 VOLNEY B. PALMER, At his Real Estate and Coal Agencies,

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LIFE INSURANCE. This kind of Insurance is beginning to attract considerable attention in this country. Pamphlets containing the necessary information, can be obtained at this office, where application can be made.

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AGENTS FOR THE MINERS' JOURNAL. Minersville—Charles B. De Forest.
Fort Carbon—Henry Shissler,
Who are nuthorised to receive subscriptions and ad-ertisements for the Miners' Journal.

A few copies of the Miners' Journal containing the Coal Statistics for 1845, remain unsold at this Office. Nearly roun HUNDRED copies

have already been disposed of. Our thanks are due to Benj. Matthias Esq., of the House for a copy of the Auditor General's Report.

We refer our readers to a sale of lots to take place in the Town of "Donaldson," in the Swatara Region, on the 24th inst.

We refer our readers to the advertisement of Mr. Eilett, the President of the Schuylkill Navigation Company. It shows a determination to push this improvement to completion at the ear liest possible period.

First line of J. M. C's article on our first page, should read "trenibling" bark, "instead of tumbling back.

- Connection .- Steam Engines in the Coal Revion .- We stated last week that there were in process of construction in the Coal Region fifteen steam engines. This was a mistake. We have made for increasing the business of the Coal Re-

E. O. JACKSON, Esq., editor of the Emporium of this borough, has been elected one of the Transcribing Clerks of the Senate.

DEDICATION AT PORT. CARRON.—The new M. E. Church at Port Carbo will be dedicated on Sunday the 25th inst. Rev. Dr. Durbin of Philadelphia is expected to officiate.

We feel grateful to those of our cotemporaries who have so kindly noticed our recent efforts to spread before the public statistical information feel particularly indebted to the North American, neighboring towns the excess of males is proporfor the very flattering manner in which it has spoken of our paper and ourself. During the present year, we will devote considerable attenceptable to the numerous patrons of the Journal.

We learn from Harrisburg, that there is an application before the Legislature for a charter to

name changed by the Legislature of Florida to convention. Both Conventions were organized David Levy Yulce, the name of his father who on Monday, both were well attended, and the cordropped the Yulee several years ago, which sur- respondent of the U. S. Gazette states that they name the son has now resumed.

ACCIDENT AND DEATH IN THE MINES .- We. understand that on Wednesday last, as a man by the name of Brahany was riding out of Milnes' cars, a piece of the coupling fell upon the back of year 1845. We should have stated the quantity his head, causing his instant death. His funeral as follows: took place on Thursday, and was attended by one of the largest concourse of people ever witnessed at a funeral procession in this county.

the exception of what is contained in this Basin, that quarter will be largely increased. which was protected by spurs in the mountain running parallel with the deposit. A shaft has been sunk to the depth of about 20 feet in the Coal, which is of a tuperior quality of White Ash.

THE OREGON QUESTION IN ENGLIND. The arrival of the Steamship Cambria is looked for with much anxiety, as she will bring with her the papers containing the British opinion of the Presidents views on Oregon. Great efforts will be made by the leading papers in New York and Philadelphia to publish the news in advance of \$250, and other papers have offered large sums to story neatly got up. Price 20 cents. any person who will forward the news for them then be better able to judge of the prospects of a 374 cents. war about Oregon.

A New Mar .- We have received from the pub. lisher, S. A. Mitchell, of Philadelphia, a copy of a new map of Texas, Oregon and California. The Map represents that part of North America which extends from lat. 26 deg. to lat. 56 deg. N., and from the Mississippi River to the Pacific Ocean. It includes the State of Texas, Oregon as claimed by the United States, and the whole of increasing. There is no periodical in the country Upper California, together with the adjoining regions of the State and Territory of Iowa; and a considerable portion of Mexico and Old California, and some part of British America. It embraces, also, the most recent published information extant, including that derived from Nicoliet's Map of the Country between the Mississippi and Missouri nia, &c., by Capt. Fremont, U. S. A.; the Conthe Counties in Texas are shown on the Map." Pogether with a book of descriptive matter as an accompaniment, containing 40 pages duodecimoannum.

PROPORTION OF MALES AND PERALES IN THE COAL RESTON.—In looking over the statisics of the towns in the Coar Region, we have een struck with the disproportion existing beween the males and females of certain ages, and have taken some trouble to ascertain the difference

between the sexes at various ages. Males, Females, Total. Under 20 years of age 3698 3776 7474 3776 79 Excess of temales

The population of the towns in the Region is 4,036, and of that number 7474, or more than one half are under twenty years of age. The males and females are almost equally divided. In

Pottaville there is a difference of but 10 in a total of 2586 under twenty, and in Schuylkill Haven here is only a difference of one. In Minersville there are one hundred more girls than boys. The fact, however, that in 7474 persons under twenty there are but seventy-eight more girls than boys, proves that in this region the births are nearly qual of each ser.

We give below a table of the number of males

and females between the ages of 20 and 40.				
5	i	Males.	Females.	Total.
1	Pott-ville.	. 1047	1027	2074
.	Minersville.	556	244	· 900
,	Port Carbon.	431	256	687
۱- ا	Schuylkill Haven,	336	252	687
1	Tamaqua,	225	134	7 364
_	Orwigsburg,	132	154	286
0	St. Clair.	156	81	237
	Pine Grove.	74	88	162
	Llewellyn,	78	61	139
	Middleport,	68	40.	108
ıt	New Castle.	. 39	33	72
·	Patterson,	41	. 24	65
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r-		3183 2499	2499	5682
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Excess of males 684

Excess of females, 13

There are in the twelve towns above named Males. Females Total. Over 40 years of age, 701 688

If Orwigsburg, which is not in the Coal Region, be omitted from the list of towns, the males will since learned that there are twenty five, instead of exceed the females by seven. This is contrary to fifteen, and are very happy to correct the error, as the usual order of things, as it is a general rule it shows that extensive preparations are being that after the fortieth year the females should greatly exceed the males in number.

It is a well known fact that in large cities, in thickly settled country towns, and in manufacturing villages, the females generally preponderate over the males. It will be seen by the above statement that in the Coal Region, the males exceed the females by 681. Here is a chance girls! You need not go to Iowa or Wisconsin to get into Riddles, Coal Screens, and the various purpose husbands. We have 684 able bodied, industrious for which it is used. He has invented a machine husbands. men, who cannot be furnished with wives in the Coal Region, and ought to be supplied from some source. We cannot promise to do much for you in Pottsville, but in Minersville 212 can be acrelative to the Coal Region. Among others we commodated without trouble, and in the other tionately almost as great.

Goon.-It is stated by a late English Journal tion to the collection of various statistics, connect- that a method of making paper out of iron has ed with our region, which will no doubt prove ac- been discovered. The Country Mirror says, that is nothing new, for it knew of one newspaper at least which is composed entirely of steal.

RAIL ROAD CONVENTION AT HERRISDERG .make a Rail Road from Tamaqua to Easton, and A Convention in favor of a continuous Ruil Road eventually to New York. It is to connect with communication from Philadelphia to Pittsburg. the contemplated Rail Road from Cattawissa to met at Harrisburg on Monday last. The friends SENATOR LEVY .- This gentleman has had his be outnumbered, split off and formed a separate excited more attention than the Legislature.

SWATARA RAIL ROAD. - Last week we stated that there were 47,928 tons of Coal transported and Haywood's Mill Creek Colliery, upon the over the Lorberry Creek Rail Road, during the

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Over the Lorberry Creek Railroad, Over the Swatara Railroad

The Swatara Reil Road is 6 miles in length, and connects with the Uinion Canal Company's COAL BASIN ON THE BROAD MOUNTAIN. - We Road, 3 miles above Pinegroye. It is constructed learn that Messrs Roogns, Sinnicuson, & Co., with Iron Rails in, the most substantial manner have leased the isolated Coal Basin on the top, and the trade would have been much larger over of the Broad Mountain, about three miles above it, if the navigation of the Union Canal Feeder the head of the Mill Creek Rail Road, on property had not been suspended for about three months, belonging to Messre Bennett still Charabers - during last season, for the want of water. The This Basin is about three hundred yards wide, Mine Hill and Schuylkill Haven Rail Road Comand several miles in extent, entirely disconnected pany are now engaged in extending a Branch managed. with any other portion of the Coal Region. It Rail Road to connect with the Swatara Rail is the opinion of many that the Broad Mountain Road, in the Swotara Coal Region, near the towns was originally covered with Coal, but owing to of "Tremont" and "Doneldson." This road will to originate the plan of procuring subscribers and its flat surface the Coal was all washed off with be completed in July next, when the trade from

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

"MONTEZUNA, THE LAST OF THE AZTECS?"-This is a new work by Edward Maturin, descriptive of the conquest of Mexico. It is an exciting work-2 vols., 50 cents cach.

"THE LADY OF MILAN"-No. 69 of Harper's Library of Select Novels, by the author of "Raj land Castle," The Chevalier," &c. -160 pages

"Ant Madvine"-A Temperance Tale, pubthe others. The New York Tribune has offered hished by Dungan in New York. An interesting

"THE ROSEN CHURCH AND MODERN SOCIE so that they can publish it one day in advance of | Tr"-translated from the French of Prof. E. Quitheir cotemporaries. The Cambria will probably net, and edited by C. Edwards Lester. A well arrive on Monday or Tuesday next, and we shall written volume of two hundred pages. Price

> THE FARMERS' LIBRARY. The January No. of this Magazine has been received and is one of great interest. "Thæir's Principles of Agriculture" is confinued in this number, and it contains an unusual amount of miscellaneous matter of interest to the farmers." We see that during the last month many of the first men of the country subscribed to the Library, and its list is constantly which can be more valuable to farmers than this The publishers, Messre. Greely & McElrath, advertise that they are still supplying back numbers.

Price \$5:00 per annum. THE AMERICAN REVIEW. - We have received Rivers; Map of Oregon, by Capt. Wilker, U. S. semi-annual volume of this valuable Whig Maga- between the North and South he jucosely proposed N. : Map of the Explorations of Oregon, Califore | zine. The leading papers are the "European Ingressional and other maps of Texas; the latest | nia," and a "Biographical notice of Justice Story." Maps of Mexico, &c. The Emigrant Route to The Review is now firmly established and is one for the Slaveholder. We regret that we have no Oregon, via the South Pass, and the Traders' of the most able literary periodicals of the coun- room for his address. It is about the most rational Route to Santa Fe, are distinctly traced, and all try. To the whig party it is important that such Anti-slavery speech we have ever read. a work should be well sustained. Now is the proper time to subscribe. We will receive sub- ber of citizens of Philadelphia, to deliver an adacriptions for the Review at this office and deliver | dress before them, spoke on Tuursday evening

#### Local Affairs.

Dr. Dunnin's Lecrunis.—Rev. John P. Durbin. D. D., author of "Observations in the East," will delive a course of Lectures, in Pottsville and Port Carbon, nencing on Monday evening 20th inst. The sub jects will oe, "The Turkish Empire," "Christianity in he East," "Jerusalem," and the "Restoration of the lews." The first two of these Lectures will be delivered in Pottsville, the last two in Port Carbon .articulars as to terms &c., will be found in our adertising columns.

Dr. Durbin has been engaged during the presen week in delivering the above lectures in Philadelphia where they have been listened to by crowded audien ces with great attention, and have elicited the highest comiums from the press. He has consented to de liver the course for the benefit of the new M. E. Church in Port Carbon, and we hope that the attendance will do credit to the intelligence and christianit of the Region.

COAL YARD .- By reference to our advertising co nmns it will be seen that Mr. L: Whitney has opened a Coal Yard in the lot opposite Ruch & Evans' Steam Mill. Our citizens will not have so much trouble as they have heretofore had in procuring fuel.

STOVE AND TIN SHOP .- Messrs Skeen & Hoove have taken the establishment occupied by the late olumns that they are ready to supply all articles in their line cheap. Messre. S. & H. are young men who were in the employ of Mr. Philips and are skitful work-

THE WEATHER .- During the past week the weather has been outte mild. 'We have had a few clouds, and once in a while a little snow fell, just to keep us in mind that it is winter; but for the most of the time the sun has shone brightly by day and the moon by night. In some parts of the county, the sleighing has not yet, entirely disappeared, although the ground in the towns is bare, and in the middle of, the day the streets are rather muddy.

COTILION PARTY -The second Cotilion Party of the season came off on Thursday evening last, at Geisse's Engle Hotel. The company was large enough to be pleasant, the music was very good, and the dancing was kent up until about 2 o'clock. The arrangements were excellent, and those in attendance appeared high ly gratified with the evening's amusement.

New Buildings .- We observe that several new houses are going up in various parts of the borough. Winter is not'a good season for building, but so soon is spring commences a large number of new buildings will be erected.

PRACTICING BALL-DANCING SCHOOL .- Mr. Stauch will give his fifth Practising Ball at Goisse's on Thursday evening next. It may not be amiss to inform our readers that Mr. S. will remain in Pottsville but a few weeks longer. Those who wish to learn dancing or to send their children, had better seize the present op portunity, as it may be some time before they will have so good an opportunity again. Mr. is an excellen teacher, and all those who have attended his school have improved wonderfully.

Wine WEAVING -Mr. Henry Jenkins, an ingenior engaged in weaving wire of almost every description filling to a proper shape, which enables him to weave much thicker wire' than has ever heretofore been woven in the United States. He shipped a large Circular Screen to Cuba a, few days since, for the use of the from abroad very rapidly. His establishment Norwegian Street.

Overen Houses .- We stated last week that there list of the occupations carried on we totally omitted to notice the fact that there are fifteen Refectories and Ovster Houses in our borough. Most of them are under the Hotels, and we neglected to designate them separately, though the greater proportion are not kept by the proprietors of the hotels. . Some of these are in the Union has an equal number of eating houses The proprietor of one of these establishments informed us a few days since, that he had sold as n'any as sirty thousand oysters in one week.

Our Markers.-The streets of our borough during with vehicles containing produce, as they were before, and during the holydays. The good sleighing which bringing heavy loads of produce to Pottsville, has resolutions: elling in wagons. We cannot, however, complain of motion, and voted it down-55 to 41. any scarcity in provisions in Pettsville. The town is still well supplied, and prices remain about as they

have been during the season. MILITARY INSTITUTE .- We understand that Captain this borough relative to the establishing of a military school similar to the one at Harrisburg now under his care. He proposes that the students shall be tanght 16,822 not only military duty, but mathematics, languages, and such other branches of study as are usually con sidered essential to a complete education.

> Lange Pongen .- A hog, three years old was which weighed 632 pounds. They must live well down there. We may mention here, that Mr. Grieff is an excellent superintendent, and that the affairs of the Poor House are admirably

UT We publish this week a "Card" of Mr. Volney B. Palmer, of Philadelphia. He was the first offered. advertisements, and making collections for newspapers, published at a distance from the cities, and he deserves much credit for the manner in much for the business community, and he deserves to succeed. Many persons have started in the same business since he commenced, but as he was foremost in the field he is entitled to the benefit of the precedence.

JUDGE WOODWARD.-There is some controersy with regard to the resignation of this gentleman, and the appointment of E. Banks, Esq. as his successor, which was announced. As his onfirmation by the Senate to a seat in the U. S. Court, seems to be doubtful, the Harrisburg Union explaine as far as they were concerned, as follows: We announced upon cuthority, that Ephraim Banks, eq., and been appointed, but said nothing about the signation of Judge Woodward.

Perhaps the resignation has been recalled for the present. Locofocos but seldom give up an in the habit of giving away the infants of her feoffice voluntarily until another is secured.

CASSIUS M. CLAY. - This gentleman being on visit to New York, was addressed last week by him to deliver a speech, in the Broadway Tabernaclo. He consented, and on Monday last made band not feeling able to procure one, she sent her one of his most splendid efforts. He spoke for two hours, to an audience numbering between three and four thousand, and was interrupted frequently by hursts of appliquee. The Tribune gives a full report of his speech, in which he proves that slavery is not only morally wrong but is also of labor performed in the South and North, and demonstrates that the South loses by employing the January number which commences the third slave labor, and in order to preserve an equality to buy out England's partial right to Oregon with terference in the Mission to Panama" \_- Calefor- Texas and South-Carolina money, since the North was so liberal as to buy Florida and Louisiana

Mr. Clay having been requested by a large num-This Map is for sale at this office. Price 75 the numbers free of Postage. Price \$5,00 per last, in the Juliana street Church, which was crowded to suffication.

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#### CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

The naws from Washington this week is of a ery important character. The House of Representatives have been almost exclusively engaged in the discussion of the Oregon Question, and the tone of debate in the House has caused genera alarm, and forced upon every one the belief that there is great danger of a war with England. The National Intelligencer, which has hitherto confidently expressed the opinion that there would not

be a war, on Monday last said: "We desire to recall our expressions of confidence which we have heretofore felt ourselves au thorized to use in regard to the peaceful termination of this Oregon dispute; hoping at the same time, that counsels, wiser than those which row seem in the ascendant, may yet avert the dire ca tastrophe of war."

The Senate seems disposed to check the rashness and recklessness of the House, and for that purpose have postponed farther action in relation to Oregon. Mr. Allen, who introduced the resolution relative to giving notice that the joint occupancy must cease, and who has gone far in his advocacy of that measure, on Monday last propos-Byron Philips, and it will be seen by our advertising ed to defer farther action on these resolution until the 27th inst. Mr. Westcott; of Florida urged that the time be prolonged until the 10th of February, and the Senate accordingly laid over the discussion of the Oregon resolution until that

time, by the following vote: Yeas-Messrs. Archer, Barrow, Benton, Bern. Calhoun, Chalmers, Thomas Clayton, John M. Clayton, Colquitt, Corwin, Crittenden, Davis, Dayton, Evans, Greene, Haywood, Jatnagin, Johnson of Maryland, Johnson of Louisiana, Lewis, McDuffie, Mangum, Miller, Pearce, Pennybacker, Phelps, Speight, Upham, Webster, Westcott, Woodbury, Yulec-32.

Nays-Messrs, Allen, Ashley, Atchison, Atherton, Breese, Bright, Cameron, Cass, Dickinson. Dix, Fairfield, Hannegan, Jenness, Niles, Semple, Sturgeon, Turney-18. In reference to the above vote, "Oliver Oldschool," the correspondent of the U. S. Gazette

"This may be considered rather a strong indication against the notice being given; and when the Texas Senators arrive, there will be two more against the notice. It is not altogether certain that the resolutions will be considered on the day. set apart for it, for it may be again and again postponed by the same vote that postponed it today. Mr. Archer said he was in favor of postponing it much beyond the day fixed; he thought the Senate ought to keep control of the question until near the close of the session at least.' Resides endeavoring to place a check upon the

rash Legislature of the House, the Senate are making proper preparations for defence and offence in case of a war. On Monday, Mr. Fairfield, and industrious mechanic of this borough, is actively from the Committee on Naval Affairs, reported "a bill to organize the Naval force of the United States," which was read and committed. The bill appropriates five millions six hundred and odd thousand dollars for the increase, &c., of the Navy. It authorises the building of ten war steamcrs; three of the first class of 'frigates, five of the Copper Mines, and orders are pouring in upon him class of sloops of war, and two of a smaller class, for which it appropriates \$2,530,000. It also appropriates, of the five million six hundred thousand dollars, \$1,520,000 for completing ships now were only thirteen taverns in Pottsville, but in the upon the stocks, \$625,000 for repairs of ships now in commission, and \$500 000 for naval munitions.

PENNSTLYANIA LEGISLATURE .- This holy is cutting out business for a long session—they have already introduced the Oregon question for the elegantly fitted up and would do credit to a large city, sake of blawing off some wind, at an expense of and we doubt whether, another town of the same size about five hundred dollars per day to the people. The following synopsis of the debate on Saturday last embraces the principal measures before that hody at present.

the past week have not been quite so much blocked up series of resolutions on the second day of the session against any alteration of the Turiff, moved afforded farmers at a distance excellent, facilities for that the house proceed to the consideration of there

disappeared, and the roads are not very good for trav- The Locos, with few exceptions opposed the The 'Democracy of Pennsylvania, who lately huzzaed so lustily for "Polk, Shunk and the tariff of 1842?" are now afraid to touch the question. We hope the Whigs and real friends of the Tariff Alden Partridge has written a letter to a gentleman of will pross it upon them. Let them show their hands to the people, in order that hereafter they may know where to find them on this question. Mr. WADAWORTH introduced a series of resolutions in opposition to any alteration of the

Naturalization Laws. Mr. Kung'eu's Oregon resolutions were then aken on and a spirited debate ensued. Mr. KUNKEL moved to amend his resolution as

killed at the County Poor House a few days since - Strike out the words "to terminate the joint occupancy of the Oregon territory," and insert, "to terminate and abrogate the convention between the United States and Great Brit in, of 6th August, 1827." ugust, 1827."
This, Mr. K. said, conformed more nearly t

resolutions now before Congress, and he regarded the terms used in the amendment as more appropriate than those in the resolution as originally

Mr. MAGERAN liked the amendment better than the original resolution of the gentleman from Dauphin, because it was a little more warlike, and he was very sensible of the fact that the more it showed its teeth, the better it would go down in which he has performed his labors. He has done the House. If this resolution was adopted, and Oregon was taken possession of by our Government, he would then, if a member of the Legislature, move for the annexation of Canada. Mr. Burnsing then moved to strike out all after

the word "resolved," and insert the following. "That our Senators in Congress be instructed and our Representatives requested to vote to give notice to Great Britain of the intention of the United States to terminate the joint occupancy of the Oregon territory, and to vote for the extension of our laws over the said territory :-Mr. Bunneine supported his amendment at some length, and was replied to by Mr. Kunker.

in an able and truly eloquent speech, which arrested general attention.

THE PURITANS AND SLAVERT .- In Mrs. Child's History of woman it is told that in old times, when slavery was sanctioned in Massachusetts, a wealthy lady residing in Gloucester, was male slaves, a few days after they were born, as people are accustomed to disopse of a litter of kittens. One of her neighbors begged an infant which in these days of comparative simplicity, number of gentlemen of that city requesting among her own children. This woman had an carnest desire for a brocade gown; and her huslittle nurshing to Virginia and sold her, when she was about seven years old.

Tue BLIND CHAPLAIN.-Alluding to Mr. Milburn, the recently elected Chaplain of the House of Representatives, the Washington correspondent of the Boston Post save that he was or his way to the city of New York, where he inimpolitic. He adverted to the comparative amount | tended to submit to surgical operation, in the hope If making a last experiment for the restoration of his eyesight. On hoard the boat, after leaving Lexington, on a fine Sabbath morning, he was requested by a few of the passengers to conduct eligious exercises. He con-ented-sung a bymn, offered up a prayer, and preached a sermon. The audience was not only delighted, but irresistably enchanted, by his tich and extemporaneous cloquence, and at the conclusion of the services they came forward as it were; en masse, to learn his past history and future intentions. Among the from the west, who begged the blind preacter to men who adorn and dignify the bench. This is tarry a few days at Washington, and they would one among the very rare in tances occurring, in endeavor to elect him the chaptain of the House. He consented and they have kept their word .-That he will, in all respects, fully justify the gen-

doubt."

## All sorts of Items.

A Parnicrios .- The Marion [Ohio] Eagle of the 31st Dec. says : "A weather wise friend of urging this happy country to the dread alternative outs, bids us mark the prediction, that during the of war: winter, of greater severity; a late, wet spring, and an uncommonly fruitful season.— We shall

. III A gentleman wishing to get rid of a visitor and not liking to tell him "To put on his hat and making himself scarce," modified it thus :- Elevate your golgotha to the summit of your perictanium, and allow me to present to your ocular that scientific piece of mechanism which forms the egress portion of this apartment."

AN EARTHQUAKE was seriously felt at Memhis on the 23d ult. ) The Eagle says the shock was accompanied with a rumbling noise, and apparently proceeded from a northwesterly direction, and lasting about half a minute."

LONGEVITY .- A list of twenty-seven persons who died at Providence during the past year, gives an aggregate age of 2168, being an average f 80 to each, and this number comprises about ne-fifth of the whole number of deaths in the of a siege or a tempest."

One individual who is methodical in his busiess, can, with ease, perform the work of four menwho set order and regularity at defiance.

Inon in Pennsylvania .- One iron foundry near Harrisburg, Pa., paid during the past season \$10,000 for tolls on its coal and iron transported on the canal. There have been creeted in the State of Pennsylvania, within the last two years, hurt 'em; they aint the best I've got.' thirty-two anthracite iron furnaces.

The expenses of the Mission to China formed

the subject of a message sent in to Congress by the President on Monday. The whole amount appropriated was \$40,000. To Mr. Cushing has een paid \$32.434, and he claims \$893 as yet Mr. Webster has received \$7,500, and claims \$1,994 additional. The Emperor of Russia has sent in a claim for

he Oregon territory, and has just given notice to all American vessels not to frequent any of the creeks, bays, and harbors, north of the latitude of 54 degrees 40 minutes. The N. Y. True Sun, says:-"Passing

brough Hudson street, the other night, we saw a watchman gravely promenading on his beat with a label on his back, having the inscription, "The stars do with with over watching." boys caught me asleep and put this card on my

NEW YORK ON CHEAP POSTAGE. The Legis lature of New York, on Wednesday last, unanimously adopted the following resolution Resolved, That our Senators, and Representaives in Congress be requested to use their best endeavors to prevent any increase of the rate of

INFLUENCE.-Every person has more or less offuence. The greater the talent, the larger the wealth, the higher the office, the wider will be be influence. Remember this and so live that your good deeds and daily example may lead to tauth and virtue, TEXAS MEMBERS OF CONGRESS .- The Hop

. Pilsbury has been nominated as a candidate for Congress, and has accepted. Mr. P. is a native of Mainel-Mone Revolutions .- Letters dated in the city of Mexico, as late as the 7th December, unite

the opioion, that another revolution was inevitable. Two revolutions had been planned, one by the army in the Northern Department, and the other by the army in the city of Mexico, and in the Southern Departments. A RICH CHURCH.-The property held by the Trinity Church in New York city is estimated to

be worth one hundred millions of dollars. , Real Estate, \$80,000,000; and other. property, \$20,-DELAZON SMITH, who went out to the Repub-Equasor as Special U. S. Agent, returned to

Baltimore in the brig Phonix, from Kingston, lamaica. ENIGRANTS.-During the year just passed, her- arrived at Baltimore, from foreign ports, wis barr 2.198 empt in's, of which 7.547 were from Bre-

nen. 244 from Liverpool, 199 from Amsterdam and 198 from Rotterdam. The edit ir of the Himpden Post has been sued for a libel, in publishing a story called "Romance and Rescality in Real Life." A Mr. Smith, of

Mn. SLIDELL IN MEXICO.—The Washington Juion gives an extract from a letter, dated Vera Cruz, Dec. 11; which says-Our minister (Mr. Slidell) was very flatteringly received by the authorities of this place; and it is known that he reached the city in safety."

COMMENCING BUSINESS .- The New York Spirit of the Times says that a gentleman is going. South to open a jewelry establishment—his capi Two Catholic Priests recently passed through Warsaw on their way to Nauvoo, to examine the

Mormon property, and ascertain on what terms i

can be bought. COAL TRADE OF BOSTON. Below is the quantity imported for the last six years. The receipts of all descriptions are larger than any previous year -excepting English which, in 1837, exceeded the past year a few

hundred chaldrons: Anthracite. English.
12,156 chalds
7,278 do
5,400 do
9,892 do
11,396 do
9,023 do 165,422 tons 134,120 do 111,655 do 66,582 do 107,995 do 68,870 do A considerable portion of the English coal imported is con-umed in the English steamers, which trive at Boston, and is therefore exported again. During the last year the quantity exported again

Inox - We find in the Harrisburg Argus th following table, showing the whole amount of iron and steel of all kinds annually imported into the United States for the last, sixteen years. We think more conclusive evidence than is afforded by this table, of the great benefit of a permanent

and protective	re tariff to	the whole counti	у,	coul
not be found			_	
Yeurs.	Tons.	Value,	$P\varepsilon$	r to
1828-'29,	36,814	\$2,417,292	-	\$6
1829-'30,	40,644	2.340,964		5
1830-'31,	51,581	2.235,563		4
1831-'32,	73,079	3,697,380		4
1832-133,	80,289	3 371,867		4
1833-'34,	78,190	3,998,398		5
1834-'35,	77,597	3,710,103	-	4
1835-'36,	96,220	5,359,131		5
1836-'37,	102,865	6,363,183	:	6
1837–38,	74.762	4,036,963		5
	115,637	6,688,596		5
1838-'39,	72,769	4,341,086		5
183940,		5,020,416	,,,	4
1840-'41,	112,111	4.332.000	-	4
1841-42,	107.392	1,665,651	-	7
1842'43,	37,405		•	. 4
1843'44,	102,277	3,963,883		٠. ٤

Total-tons, 1,261,074 \$69,837,546

A WHIO JUDGE ELECTED BY A DENOCRATIC LEGISLATURE. The Tallahassee papersstate that the Hon. Samuel W. Carmack, a Whig, has been elected by the Legislature of Florida. Judge of the Superior Court for the Southern Circuit of that ast history and future intentions. Among the State. The Judge is spoken of as a sound lawyer lumber were several senators and representatives and a man of sterling integrity, and it is only such clover and a man of sterling integrity, and it is only such clover. which the majesty of truth and principles triumphs over party intolerance, and the Legislature of Florida have evinced their wisdom and patriotism Atriotism Hay Dried Peachespared Bush-bried do unpared News. Dried Apples pared erous confidence of his friends, does not admit of in having kept the ermine of justice unpolluted b doubt."

its beneful influence,—Charleston S. C. News.

WHO PROFITS BY WAR!-The annexed extract answers this question in a manner that may possibly explain the patriotism I with which many persons in and out of Congress, are now

"The wars of civilized nations make very slow month of landary, a general thaw will take place, attended with higher waters than have been known for years—which will be followed by a second perceives scarcely any attention but an increase perceives scarcely any attention but an increase of debs-and a few individuals who are benefitted are not supposed to have the clearest right to their divantages. If he that shared the danger enjoyed he profit, and, after bleeding in the battle, grew rich by the victory, he might show his gains without enty. But at the conclusion of a ten years' war, how are we recompensed for the death of multitudes and the expense of millions but by contemplating the sudden glories of paymasters ind agents, contractors and commis quipages shine like meteors, and whose palaces

ise like exhalations? "These are the men who, without virtue, labor, or hazard, are growing rich as their country is impoverished; they rejoice when obstinacy o ambition adds another year to slaughter and de vastation; and laugh from their de-ks at bravery and science, while they are adding figure to figure and cipher to cipher, hoping for a new contrac from a new armament, and computing the profits

Jones' Last .- Jones was on a steamboat above St. Louis, not long since, when a raw Hoosies came on board. At night the Hoosier turned in to his berth with his boots on. ing this, said, "Sir, you have laid down in your boo's.'

The raw one raised his head, and looking down at the boots, innocently replied, Well, it wont

CONSUMPTION.—There is perhaps, no disease with which our country is affected, which sweeps off annually so many victims, as that fell destroyer of the homair race—Consumption. Day after day, year after year, the insatiate monator hurries to the portals of the cold and silent tomb fresh added victims to its conquest. No work of life is sacred from its blighting influence. No age is exempt from its death-deating shafts. The old, the middle aged and the young, all alike, are food for this common enemy, of mankind. The white-haired patriarch, whose life of temperance has rendered his system impervious to the attacks of other ills, and whose good deeds prepared him for the enjoyment of life's calm evening, finds Consumption fastening its fanga unon his vitals; and tearing him from a world, ever bright to minds which look complacently on days well spent. CONSUMPTION.-There is perhaps, no discase vell spent. ... Is there no help for the afflicted? No preventive of

Is there no help for the afflicted? No preventive of the dangers which beset us in our changeallie and fickle clime? We think there may be. And, if the allegations of those who are at least entitled to veracity, may be behaved, there is a preventive and a remedy.

Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry is offered to a suffering world as such. It needs not the 'adventitious aid' of a long string of fictitions certificates to give it notoriety. Its true value and intrinsic excellence are sufficient to entitle it to the confidence of the public, and

Waft on to fame,'
the name of its inventor, as a benefactor of his species.

For sale by John S. C. Martin, Druggist, Pottsville; Wm. Taggart, Tamaqua; Hickel & Meillar, Orwigsburg; J. B. & J. A. Falls, Minersville; Galeb Winceler, Pinegrove.

Punisication.—It is a settled erged in a correct med-cal jurisprudence, that unless the blood is kept free from impurities the whole system must inevitably be-ome diseased. When the brood becomes cloged, hick, and moves through the veins and arteries with a duggish motion, we may rest assured that sickness, with all its concomitant train of evils is about to ensue. ie utnigst care and greatest precaution are therefor cessiry, and the system should be closely watched The uningst care and yreatest precaution are therefore occessiry, and the system should be closely watched. Those who generally provide themselves with mid and specient physic, should give a preference to suck as re of a strictly vegetable nature. Brandreth's Vege-able Universal Pill appear to be the universal favorite is they are composed entirely of vegetables and to-op-rate so effectually—cleansing the system—purifying he blood and removing all undue biliary secretions. C. Sold at Brandreth's Principal office, 214 Broadway N: Y.) and by the following anthorized agents in

N: Y.) and by the iones man Schnytkill county; 52-Pottsville, William Mortimer, Jr.—New Castle George Reifenyder—Port Clinton, J. Robinhold & Co.—Schnytkill Haven, Charles Hontzinger—and one ag't, in every place of importance throughout the world SUCCESS OF THE "SUGAR COATED INDIAN VEGE NILE PILLS." - In old man of 70- If this is not belie-d, people would not believe though one rose from the ad to proclaim it. - CAZENOVIA, July 25th, ISM.

Lhave used 40 boxes of Brandreth's Pills, and I many used to noves or brounders First and have a many more of different kinds, but the whole have of hine tited me so much as two hoxes of the "Sugar Coated Indian Vegetable Pills." They seem to strike when the foundation of my disease, which is of a flow character. IRA ALVORD, as This old gentleman settled Cazenovia they years ago.

De ders farmished at the New York College of Heath,
De Greenwich street, New York.

Sold at 179 Greenwich street, New York, and by
John S. C. Martin, Bruggist Pott-ville—J. & J. Jahn, Orwit large—E. W. Farl; Reading—S. & G. Sholl-mberger,

Bast & Sterner, and J. A. & J. H. Fall Miner CHANGES OF WEATHER AND CATCHING COLDS, -- In should be remembered that a courh is al-ways an evidence that some impurity is lodged in the Imps, which if not speedily removed, will most as-aedly so irritate those del cate as to bring on tuff unma ion of the lungs, a disease which we all know is the

and Rescality in Real Life." A Mr. Smith, of Westfield, considers that the incidents apply to hun!

Why ought Napoleon to have been a friend to Greece (grease!) Bécause said the Yorkshireman, he was born on the oilland, (island.) and lived and died on an oilland. (island.) Horid!

It is said that a vein of coal has been discovered on a farm near Louisville.

Special Elections for Congress.—Mr.

Towns, Democrat, has been elected to Congress in the third district of Georgia, to supply the place vacated by Mr. Poe. Mr. La Sere, Democrat, has been elected in the first district of Louisiana, to supply Mr. Slidell's place.

Mr. Slidell's place.

Mr. Slidell's place.

Mr. Scidell's National and the man of mine, neither can I guarantee as genuine and the construction, is to purchase from people of unblembled character, or at the Office and general Depty, No 169.Recestreet, Philade-Irbia.

from people of antidemished character, or at the Office and general Depot, No 19. Racestreet, Philadelphia, WH LIAM WRIGHT, . For sale in Pottsville, by Messrs, T. & J. BEATTLY Agents for the Proprictor, and the other Agents in Schuylkill County.

## RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

NOTICE.—An adjourned meeting of the Baptist Congregation of Pottsville, will be held at the Universalist Church on Tuesday Evening next, Jan uary 20th at 7 o'clock. Punctual attendance is partic rly requested as business of importance will be a ed upon.
Alti-Ladies and gentlemen friendly to the permanen organization of a Baptist Congregation in Pottsyille, to worship in the English Language, are respectfully in riped to attend and participate.

DIVINE SERVICE will be held in the Weish Congregational Church, in this borough, on Sunlay afternoon at 2 o'clock, and at 6 o'clock P. M. BAPTIST MEETINGS.—By Divine permission the Rev. Mr. Anderson will preach every Sab-ath at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Universalist

CONFIRMATION.—The Right Rev. Bishop Porter, will hold confrination in Trinity Church, to-morrow morning, at 10] o'clock. There will also be service in the church in the afternoon, at the jusual

BY DIVINE PERMISSION the new Methodist BY DIVINE PERMISSION the new Methodist Episcopal Church, in Port Carbon, will be dedicated to the worship of Almighty God, on Sinday, the 25th inst., by Rev. Dr. J. P. Durbin, author of "Observations on the East Rec." Services to edimenice at 11 o'clock in the morning, 3 in the afternody, and 7, in the evening, collections taken throughout the day. Dr. Durbin will also deliver a course of Lectures on the following subjects, on Monday, Tuesday. Wednesday and Thursday evening of the enauing week, viz.

1. The condition and prospects of the Turkish Empire

1. The condition and projects of the pire 2. Christianity in the East. 2. The Topography and Antiquities of Jerusalem, accompanied with a large map. 4. The Restoration of the Jews. The first and second lecture (on the Tarkish Empire and Christianity in the East.) will be delivered in the M. E. Church, Pottsville; the third and fourth, (on Jerusalem, and the Restoration of the Jews.), in the M. E. Church in Port Carbon. Tickets for a sincle lecture 25 cits; for the course, \$1.00; tickets admitting a lady and gentleman to the entire course, \$1.50—10 be had of T. H. Wintersteen and A. Heebner's store, Port Carbon, II. Rigg, corner of Market and Centre street, J.

T. H. Wintersteen and A. Hovdner is store, roll Cal-ton, H. Rigg, corner of Market and Centre street, J. T. Hazzard's store, opposite the Post Office, J. Neill, Mahantongo street, at this office, and at the door on the SONS OF TEMPETANCE.—A special meeting of the Sons of Temperance, will be held at their room, this evening, for a final consideration of the Constitution and Bye-Laws.

Jan. 17.

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J. M. CROSLAND, R. S. A Meeting of the NATIONAL LIGHT INFANTRY, will be held at their Armory, on Monday evening January 19th, 1856, at 7 o'clock. Punctual attendance is requested, as business of importance will be liab before the meeting. By order of the Captain. Jan. 17, E. McDONALD, Sec'ry.

OUR MARKET. CORRECTED CAREFULLY FOR THE JOURNAL per Bbl. \$5 50 3 25 to 3 50 bushel 1 00 65 to 70 65 to 70 65 to 70 65 to 70 65 to 70

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PUBLIC NOTICE. V. B. Paimer, the American PUBLIC NOTICE.—V. B. Palmer, the constraint PUBLIC NOTICE.—V. B. Palmer, the constraint and advertisements for the Journal, in the cities of Philadelphia, Baltimore, New York and Boston, of which public notice is here.—B. BANNAN. Pottsville, Jan. 17, 1846.

Public Sale. A BOUT 20 perches of stone, ready quarried and rankA ed, calculated for the Schuylkill Navigation Locks,
it the quarry, near George Lauer's Brewers, For
urther particulars inquire of D. W. HYDE.
Pottsville, 17, 1816

Pottsville Water Company. THE Board of Managers, have this day declared a semi annual dividend of three per cent on the Capital Stock of this Company for the last six months, payable to the Stockholders, or their legal representatives on or after the 19th January. A RUSSEL, Presil't.

### WANTED.

SEVERAL Moulders, Finishers, and Boiler Maxers, are wanted immediately, at the Pottsville Iron Works. To good workmen, good wages will be given. Jan. 17 "3— E. W. McGINNIS.

WANTED.—A competent person, who can come well recommended and who understands the business, to attend a Hardware Store in Pottsville. To such a person, a salary of from 4 to \$500 per annum, will be nad for one, two or more years. ill be paid for one, two or more years.

January 17, 3. GEORGE H. STICHTER:

Nails and Spikes. 600 KEGS Nails and Spikes, at \$1 622 cents per

n Scotia Grindstones at 11 to 2 cents per lb. Nova Scotia Grindstones at 11 to 2 cents per lb.
Har from at 4 cents per lb.
Castesteel at 182 cents per lb. warranted.
Just received and for sale by
GEORGE H. STICHTER.
January 17, 1816.

CAME to the premises of the subscriber, residing in this Borough about two months lago, a small Brindle Cow, with a white back and white legs. The owner is requissed to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away, otherwise she will be solid according to law?

JOHN TEMPLE. JOHN TEMPLE. January 17, 1816. Dwelling House to Let.

THE Dwelling House and Storage present occupied by the subscriber, in PortCarlon, is offered for rent. The building is of stone, 30 by 60 feet, 3 stories high, with a large number of rooms, suitable for a family of almost any size. The basement is well calculated for a Store. There is good stabling on the premises and a well of good water at the door. For terms and other particulars, apply to the subscribe on the premises.

GEORGE DOUGHERTY.

Port Carbon, Jan., 17, 3-31\*

## COAL YARD.

WHITNEY, TAKE sthe liberty to inform the citizens of Pottsville and vicinity, that he has opened a COAL AARD, at the corner of Norwegian street and the Rail Road, directly opposite Ruch & Evans' Steam Mill, where he intends keeping a constant supply of Red and White Ash Coal of the hest quality, of all sizes, and in quantity to suit jurchasers, all of which he will shell at the lowest prices for cash.

L. W., connedently believes that he will give satisfaction to all who may favor him with their custom, as he intends to cruct scales on the premites and sell by weight, 2210 liberts, the ton,

January 17,

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE subscriber appointed by the Orphans' Court of Schaptkil County, an Anditor to distribute the assets in the hands of Peter, Jones, and Nicholas, Jones, administrators &c., of Jonathan Jones, deceased, to and among the creditors entitled thereto, hereby gives notice that the will be in attendence for that purpose, at his Office in the borough of Graviesburg, Schaytkil county, on Tuesday the 17th day of February m.xt, at 10 a clock A.-M., when and where the creditors interested may attend. sted may attend CHARLES WITMAN, Auditor.

Pennsylvania Hall Omnibus.



THE Onnibus formerly run by T. A. Simpson, from the Hall to the Depot, is now owned by the subscriber, and will continue to carry Passengers and others, between these places, on the arrival, and departure of the Cars. Persons wishing to be conveyed to the Depot, will be called for by leaving information at the Pennsylvania Hall.

JOSEPH WEAVER,
L. L. BEVIN, Agent:
January 1, 1816.

DISSOLUTION. "HE copartnership heretofore existing between the undersugned, trading under the firm of Downey & cott, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The names of said firm will be settled by James Downey. JAMES DOWNE JAMES FOCHT.

## Tin Ware and Stove Factory.

SKEEN & HOOVER, A NNOUNCE to the public, that they have purchased the Stock and Fixtures of the Tin Ware and Stove Factory of the late Byron Phillips, in Centre street, next door below Henry Crisse's Hotel, and intend continuing the business in all its branches. Having been in the employ of Mr. Philips for a number of ing been in the employ of Mr. Philips for a number of years, and having a perfect knowledge of the business, they flatter themselves that their Ware of every description, will be manufactured in a superior manner, of good materials and at low rates. They therefore solicit a continuance of the patronage heretofore extended to this Establishment, which they will spare no pains to merit. They are new beginners and it is their interest to give entire satisfaction to their customers.

On hand and for sale a large assortment of TIN WARE, STOVES, &c. All of which they will sell at unusual low prices. They invite the public to give them a call, and try them.

SAMUEL T. SKEEN.

SAMUEL T. SKEEN, SOLOMON HOOVER 3-3t

# COLLIERY WORKS,

FOUNDRY & MACHINE SHOP. THE subscribers, at their old stand, corner of Rair. Road and Callowhill streets, are prepared to manufacture to order, at the shortest notice, Steam Engines and Pamps, of any power and capacity for mining and other purposes, Battin's Coal Breaking Machines, with solid and perforated relieus, as may be-required.

Also Engines and Blowing Cylinders with all necessary machinery for Blast Farnaces. Hot Air Pipes, of the most approved plans, Cup and Ball joints and Hearter Tayers, of the-very best construction. They pory itcularly invite the attention of Iron Masters out partices engaged in the Iron trade, to their large stock of Patterns for Rolling Mills, having lately constructed the machinery for two of the largest Mills in the country, viz:—The Wyoming Mill at Wikesbatre, and the Holling Mill at the Montour Iron Works, Danville. They are fully prepared for this kind of work, together with every variety of general machinery. Of the quality of the year. a ney are fully prepared for this kind of work, together with every variety of general machinery. Of the quality of their work and materials, it is enough to say, that time and experience, the most infallible tests, have amply demonstrated the vast superiority of their engines and machinery.

Orders are respectfully solicited and will be promptly attended to.

HAYWOOD & SNYDER.

Pottsville, January, 17, 1846,

Notice to Contractors. SCHUYLKILL NAVIGATION ENLARGEMENT. A LI, those Sections of the Schuylkill Navigation, A which are not now under contract for widening and deepening, will be ready for lotting, after the 20th of he present month.

Contractors wishing to effer for this work, will send heir proposals to the vesident Engineers on the line, To Mr. Eliwood Morris Engineer of the Division be-

To Mr. Ellwood Morris, Engineer of the Division befween Port Carbon and Althous' Locks; Antes Saydar, Engineer of the Division extending, from Althous'
Locks to Vincent Dain; James F. Smith, Engineer of
the Division extending from Vincent Dain to Fairmount; or to Edward Miller, Esq., Chiof Engineer, No.,
7 Sansoum strock, Philadelphia
In making the contracts for this work, the Company
will reserve the right to prescribe the number of men
that shall be placed on each contract, and to require
the number to be increased from time to time, as their
officers may think necessary to secure the completion
of each job by the time specified in the confract.
The right will also to be reserved by the Company,
to enter at any time with their own force, upon any
section which in the judgment of their entineer is likely
to be delayed, without notice and without incurring
inbilities for damages. All proposals for work are to
be made with this understanding. By order of the
Board.
CHARILES ELLET, Jr., President.