THURSDAY, MAY 1, 1879.

-Making waistcoats at fourteen cents each, cheviot shirts at four cents history of Congress as that of last Monapiece, heavy overalls at fifty cents per day, when bills poured in from the dozen, and woolen trousers at ten cents representatives of every State, until a pair are some facts gleaned by a 1,385 were introduced. Republicans society of ladies who are invegtigating and Democrats alike joined with the the condition of the sewing women of few Greenbackers, and all seemed Cleveland, Ohio.

revolvers in a Louisville street, and and he appeared about as fresh when their mutual friend Mendel sprang he left off as when he began. Some between them to prevent bloodshed; others managed to get in as many as but after a bullet from Oppelmeir had gone through his collar, and one from about 750 were for relief, in one shape Foust had carried away a bit of his car, or another, of private individuals for Mendel retired from the position of whole communities, or for the dis peacemaker.

-Dent and Brush own adjoining farms in Sunbury, Ohio, and disagree about the boundary fence, which they have moved several times. Each went out with two sons, all armed with guns and pistels, to fight over the disputed question. They fired at one another across the fence until four of the six were wounded.

-The longest subterranean construction in the world is in the mines of Freyburg, in Saxony. A series of galieries, which were begun in the twelfth century, reached in 1835 a length of 128 miles, and had yielded an immense quantity of silver. In 1883 a new gallery was commenced, which was finished a year ago and is eight miles long.

-Among the eccentries of Detroit and two women servants, and insists upon the men having black and the to luck, imasmuch as years ago he passed a black-haired man and redpresently found a purse of money which was never claimed.

-The First Presbyterian Church of Saratoga is in financial difficulty. Ten years ago, according to a report by the treasurer, it owned over \$25,000 of unencumbered property, yielding a rental of \$4,000. Now the members are astonished to learn that a debt of \$46,000, or nearly double the church's possessions, has been incurred. The treasurer declines to make a full ex-

murderer, recently made an unsuccessful attempt to escape from the state not object to having it continue all lant. prison, at Concord, but the fact has summer, only just been published. By some hence the discovery.

ereased revenue caused by increased business, will tell favorably upon our funding is \$13,600,000, and two years' saving on the interest to be paid, will go far towards paying these arrears of pensions without increasing the burden of the public debt.

-Dr. Traill Green replies to Dr. William Parker's views that fermented liquors are comparatively harmless and often beneficial. He claims that all of the drunkenness described and condemned in the Bible was caused by vinious beverages, and deserns no less evil in them than in distilled liquors. Alcohol is alcohol, wherever him beyond her utmost expectations, you find it. "There is no occasion," he says, "for any discussion about the products of stills or fermented wines. when we cannot discover any difference as to the drunkenness which both produce. If some are disposed to condemn the use of distilled liquors it is very well, but they need not praise the harmless nature of wine, when for centuries it was the only drink that produced drunkenness, and it can be shown that it is no less intoxicating now than it was before distilled liquors were prepared. No harm cau come from abstaining from both, but great evil has followed their use."

-Two young men went into the woods near Aurora, Ill., to play a game of cards. As they were rival in Marion county, Kansas, for the purlovers, and had not previously spoken to each other for mouths, it is conjectured that the girl in dispute was the stake that they played for. The winner, however, was not permitted to gain the prize, for his opponent instantly shot him through the heart. An effort to settle rivalry by chance had no less sad result in Texas. The two suitors were convinced that the young woman would accept either if the other would let her alone, and they agreed to throw dice to decide which should give her up. The loser honestly endeavored to keep the compact, but the woman refused to be disposed of in that way, and wrote to him that she would marry nobody else, and would not even see the winner. The latter would not believe that his competitor had tried to retire from the contest, and so murdered him.

have proved their debts, and other debts, disposed of in that way, and wrote to

Washington Letter.

[From our regular Correspondent.] Washington, D. C., April 28. After all the efforts to shut out general legislation at this session of Congress, we now behold the doors wide open and a tremendous avalanche J. W. Mead and J. M. Bateman, of bills tumbled in. No such record for a single day was ever made in the anxious to hand in their measures. Mr. Turner, of Kentucky, won the -Oppelmeir and Foust drew their championship by working in 45 bills, 25 or 30 apiece. Of the whole number tressed country. It is a noticeable fact, however, that very few war claims were offered, while amongst the bills presented are a number of propositions to cut off such legislation entirely.

Taken altogether, the outlook for a session extending far into the warm weather is now very promising. It is becoming more and more apparent that what we need is a smaller Congress of a larger country. Enough measures were introduced on Monday to supply the wants of the nation for for two or three hundred years to come. Among the rest were 175 financial measures, including Mr. De La Matyr's proposition to issue a billion greenbacks, which, somehow, has not been received with the serious consideration so important a measure would seem entitled to. A billion of dollars is a good deal of money. Mr. is a man who always keeps two men Stephens' bill for redemption of subsidiary silver coin in greenbacks will certainly pass, and it is a measure sure women red hair. This is with a view to be of great relief to a large class of business men in all parts of the country whose daily receipts are made up of haired girl walking together, and small change, and who, under the present law, are unable, without con- Wm. J. Taylor, In the Court of Comsiderable loss and inconvenience, to dispose of it. All this is one of the results of our false system of finance, which for years has been discriminating against the small merchant and phens' bill wipes out this distinction, and places small silver coin upon an silver dollar, or put it upon a par with greenbacks. This is the kind of general legislation the country wants, and Jessee Pomeroy, the Boston boy if the extra se sion of Congress keeps on in the same line, the country will

To go from the affairs of State to the unexplained means Pomeroy came realm of gossip, I must repeat a story into possession of a case knife, the of a gallant Lothario from the far edge and point of which were provided West, who, though a law-maker is with teeth like a saw. One of the iron likewise a heart breaker and a gay debars he had sawn asunder at the bot- ceiver. He was, it is said, betrothed tom and nearly so at the top. The to a wealthy spinster of the Pacific east iron fittings were also sawn apart, coast, and the marriage was to have In ceplacing the cast iron parts Pom- transpired soon after the adjournment eroy failed to restore them in line, of the Forty-fifth Congress. But a brief residence in Washington served MAIN STREET, RIDGWAY, PA. 4194 100 to dispel the glamor of love's young Washington, April 22,-The first dream, and the recent swain, thinktreasury warrant for the payment of ing to secure another lease of single the arrears of pension was signed to- blessedness, made the extra session an DRY GOODS, day, and it is believed the back pen- excuse for non-fulfillment of his vows, sions can be paid as rapidly as the and wrote his fiancee that the short accounts are made up, or at the rate of intermission would not admit of his a million and a balf a month. Unless immediate return to the West. "If and WHITE GOODS, unexpected appropriations should be the mountain won't come to Mahomet. hereafter made by congress, after the Mahomet must go to the mountain," first of July the enormous saving reasoned the maiden, and she, in the ereated by the refunding, and the inpacks her trosseau and hastens to the national capital, intent on taking her TRUNKS AND VALISES, finances. The annual saving by re- lover by surprise, and there consummating their mutual vows. On the long journey here, as was quite BOYS' SUITS from \$3.00 upwards. natural, she made the acquaintance of some of her traveling companions, route, and beguiled the tedium of the days by the recital of her little romance and the happy sequel expeeted. Arriving at Washington she registered at the same hotel which our competitors can successfully cope sheltered her betrothed, and, if accounts be true, succeeded in surprising and was somewhat surprised herself! To make a long story short, in less than a week she, with her trosseau, was "homeward bound," a madder if not a wiser woman, breathing maledictions upon man in general and her recreant lover in particular, and announcing her intention to sue him forwith for \$20,000 loaned him at different periods of their engagement. This is I believe, a true story. And so runs the world away. Congressmen, like other men, if young and gay, are not unlikely to do things which they ought not to do-to be fickle, and

> -Certain gentlemen of Allentown have purchased over 5,000 acres of land pose of organizing a colony.

changeful, and bad. Dom Pedro.

-Acme Soap at Morgester's.

-Macaroni a good article at Mor-

### In the District Court of the United States.

FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PA. Joseph Windfelder of Elk Co., a Bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2d, 1867 having applied for a Discharge from all his debts, and other claims provable under said Act, By order the Court, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all Creditors who have proved their debts, and other

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To checks on treasurer 472 01 " certificate by A'd'rs 35 02 By services ande ash 89 62 court expenses &c. 289 36 paupers

\$507 03 ROAD FUND. A. E. Goff, Treasurer, Soundy orders 850 00 To county orders

cash from Co. Treas. 286 84 -\$1136 84 By orders redeemed 1026 06 25 65 commission

balance in treasury 85 13 -\$1136 84 POOR FUND. To Olivin Dodge col. 13 75 893 61

\$407.86 378 64 By orders redeemed 9 46 19 26 bal, in treasury Assessed valuation of taxable

property in Jay township for 1878 \$209,206 08 862 71 Am't seated road tax 1248 98 unsented Am't of Co. orders rec'd this year 850 00 Am't cash fr. Co. Treas. 286 84

-\$1136 84 April 14, 1879, cash in treasury at settlement Road orders outstanding unprovided for

R. I. SPANGLER, ) W. P. LUCE, J. M BROOKINS. Auditors. Attest: - JUSTUS WEED, Town Clerk.

mon Please of the Vs County of Elk.
No. 67, May Term,
1879.

DIVORCE.

in favor of the speculator, Mr. Ste- TO THE RESPONDENT ABOVE NAMED. subpœna having been issued in the above entitled case, and returned "not equal footing with greenbacks. The next step is to get rid of the trade next step is to get rid of the trade notified to appear before said court on the FOURTH MONDAY OF MAY, A. D. 1879 to answer the said libellant's complaint. D. C. OYSTER, Sheriff.

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Orders outstanding Assets over Liabilities 1632 81 \$2005 69\$2005 69

ACCT. JONES POOR DISTRICT. Total amount received ......\$1704 30 Sundry debts paid ...... 1118 36

ASSETS. Due from R. A. Manett 16 85 Funds in treasury 585 94 Due from Seated tax '77 118 03

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 Jordan S. Neel vs. John Wingart No. 26. September Term, 1878.
3. Thomas J. Burke et al. vs. D. C. Oyster, Sheriff, &c. No. 45, Septem-

ber Term, 1878.
4. Geo. A. Johnson et al. vs. Wm. E. Wyckoff et al. No. 78, September Term, 1878. 5. Irene Van Haren vs. Chas Kronenwetter. No. 85, September Term,

6. Edward Reid vs. Rufus Under-wood et al. No. 4, November Term,

7. S. A. Olmstead vs. W. H. Schram et al. No. 58, January Term, 1879. 8. Katharina Neubert vs. Joseph Wilhelm, No. 65, January Term, 1879. 9. Edward Derby vs. J. S. Hyde. No. 66, January Term, 1879.

Estate Notice.

ESTATE OF CHARLES WEBB, late of the Township of Jay, Elk Co., Pa., deceased. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having legal claims again the same will present them without delay in proper order for settlement. CAROLINE WEBB, Executrix.

Estate Notice.

ESTATE OF JOSEPH HOLSEYBROOK, late of Ridgway Township, Elk Co., Pa., deceased, All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having legal claims against the same will present them without delay in proper order for settlement. KATE HOLSEYBROOK, Admr'x.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE

Of Unseated Lands in Elk County.

In pursuance of an Act of Assembly passed the 13th day of March, A. D. 1815, entitled, "An act to amend an act directing the mode of selling unseated lands for taxes and for other purposes?" purposes," and the several supple-ments thereto, the County Commissioners of the county of Elk will expose to sale, by public vendue or outery, at the Commissioners' office, in Ridgway,

TUESDAY, MAY 27, 1879. at 3 o'clock, P. M. the following tracts of land situated and described as fol-

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4271 380 4890° 24 J. S. Hyde Jno. Briggs R. F. & C. Co. 24 4096 D. Kingsbury D. Kingsbury 4096 536 4095 282 4079 ) 680 D. Kingsbury 4083 4083 199 D. Kingsbury HORTON TOWNSHIP. 4453 James Wilson 4450 4371 4344 James Wilson James Wilson 17 James Wilson

Owner unknown 200 Wm. Parker Owner unknown P. Reilly H. Henry & Co 4194 100 James Ramsden ST. MARY'S BOROUGH.

> Town Lots on Erin street Nos. 38 and 57. Town Lots on Amandus St. Nes, 100, 113, and 114. Town Lot on Walburger St Ne. 66, Town Lot on Lewis street

TERMS CASH.
MICHAEL WEIDERT,
W. H. OSTERHOUT,
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