THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 1881,

ENTERED AT THE POST-OFFICE AT RIDGWAY, PA., AS SECOND CLASS

Warren Hospital for the Insane. The Hospital appropriation of \$110,-000, considered enough to finish the building, together with \$2),000 for its support this year and \$15,000 for next year, was passed and approved. The objectionable item requiring female Trustees was stricken out and the fol-

employ female doctors, but it is not mandatory: Warren Co.-Hon, L. D. Wetmore (8 years), G. N. Parmlee, Esq. (1 year) E. B. Grandin, Esq. (2 year).

Erie Co .- Hon. Geo. W. Starr (1 Venango Co.-J. D. Hancock, Esq.

Elk Co .- W. H. Osterhout, Esq. (8 years).

Crawford Co.-Hon. John Fertig, (2 years)

Jefferson Co.-Dr. R. S. Hunt, (2 years).

Mercer Co.-Hon. Geo. W. Wright. (3 years). The following is the bill as it was

passed finally and approved by the Governor; An act to organize the State Hos-

pital for the Insane at Warren, Pa. Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the Governor shall nominate, and by and with the advice and consent of the Senate appoint, nine persons to be trustees of said hospital, who under the name and title of the "Trustees of the State Hospital at Warren, Pennsylvania," shall manage and direct the concerns of the institution, and make all necessary by-laws and regulations not inconsistent with the constitution and laws of the Commonwealth, and shall have power to receive, hold and dispose of and convey all real and personal property purchased by or conveyed to them by gift, devise or otherwise, in trust for the use of said institution, and shall serve without compensation. Of those first appointed three shall serve for one year, three for two years, three for three years and at the expiration of the respective periods the vacancies shall be filled by appointment for three years as hereinbefore provided, and should any vacancy occur by death, resignation or otherwise of any trustee, such

term of said trustee. Sec. 2. Not more than three trustees shall be appointed from or be resident in any one county at any one time, nor shall any trustee be in any wise interested, directly, or indirectly in any purchase for or furnishing to the hospital of any article of any kind intended for the use of said hospital.

vacancy shall be filled by appoint-

Bec. 3. The said trustees shall have charge of the general interests of the nall visit and examine the hospital, either as a body or by committee, at least once in every month; they shall appoint the superintendent, who shall be a skillful physician, subject to removal or reelection not oftener than in periods of five years, except for infidelity to the trust reposed in him or for incompetency. Said physician shall always reside in the hospital and his family shall reside with him. The board of trustees may appoint a skillful female physician to have immediate charge of the female department of said hospital, under the supervision of the superintendent and trustees, and who tency or unfaithfulness in the formance of her duties, and shall be subject to such orders and regulations as the said board of trustees may pre-

Sec. 4. The trustees, by and with the consent of the Governor, shall make such by-laws and regulations as shall be necessary. They shall appoint a treasurer, who shall give bonds to the Commonwealth for the faithful bly for this month aggregate \$10,000,performance of his duties; they shall determine his compensation for ser-vices; also the services of the other officers and assistants of different kinds who may be necessary for the just and economical administration of the affairs of the hospital.

Sec. 5. The trustees shall appoint or authorize the appointment of and exercise control over all officers and assistants in the institution, and shall have direction of the duties of the same, subject, however, to the existing laws, regulating and prescribing the duties of officers of such institu-

Sec. 6. The said trustees and their successors in office shall have power continuance owing to certain inform-to take and hold in trust for the use alities in the notices sent in. There and benefit of said hospital any grant or devise of land, or any donation or bequest of money or other personal property, to be applied to the maintenance of insane persons in or to the general use of the hospital.

Sec. 7. The courts of this Commonwealth shall have power to commit to said hospital any person who having been charged with any offense punishable by imprisonment or death, shall have been found to have been in sane in the manner now provided by law at the time the offense was committed, and who still continues insane and the expenses of said person if in Indigent circumstances, shall be paid by the county to which he or she may belong by residence.

Sec. 8. The authorties of the several poor districts within that portion of the State comprising the district for the said hospital, shall have authority in their discretion to send to the said hospital the indigent insane under their charge; the amount to be charged the treasury. Futher than this, some for the support of such insane persons committed by the court, or of any insane indigent person sent to the said have found their way back into the hospital by the poor authorities of a poor district, shall not exceed three steadily decreased. The coinage at dollars per week.

Sec. 9. The Governor, Lieutenant Governor, judges of the several courts of record in the Commonwealth, and members of the Legislature, shall be ex-officio visitors of the hospital.

Three Hours in the Shadow of the

(Philadelphia Press, June 12.)

morning the full moon, approaching in brilliancy the harvest moon, began to be obscured by an eclipse of very exceptional totality. The late hour was no bar to the interest of citizens of more or less astronomical acquirements. Street corners and housetops were acceptable observatories, needing no better optical assistance than the hand funnel-shaped furnished. Dense clouds, early in the evening, caused many hearts to sink with apprehension lest the eclipse and the moon as well should be obscured from view. Before the midnight hour the dense clouds had disappeared and nothing more vexatious than occasional lowing efficient Board of Trustees was patches of mackerel sky intervened. appointed and confirmed. They may When the moment of obscuration predicted by astronomers - 12:12 midnight-arrived, a tissue of such fleecy clouds rather accentuated than disturbed observation. On the eastern border of the silver disc an impingement was noticeable, which grew rapidly and in half an hour had carried the orb of night through all its monthly changes-only in reversefrom reversed gibbous to half moon. In three-quarters of an hour it had decreased until the novel spectacle of old moon on full moon night was presented. What was left shone with seemingly increased luster, and the outlines of the obscure parts were seen just as they are when distance and position, and not an intervening body, produce the same result. Still. when the moon is passing through its phases there is a vividness even in what can be seen of the unilluminated portions. What was seen during the eclipse of this morning was of the dull copper-color of a badly-kept brazen shield. Again, the marking as the eclipse approached totality differed much from the sharp-marked crescent of ordinary phases. When totality approached the bright portion scarcely showed a line of concavity, proving thereby the greatly out-measuring size of the intervening earth, which could cast a shadow so much larger than the apparent size of its satellite. The upper western edge of the moon was the last bright streak. Thereafter for an hour and twenty-one minutes, it was only the brazen shield, with brightness gradually changing from west to east as the earth's shadow

shifted The time the obscuration was one hour and twenty-one minutes. From the time that the first impingement on its disc was noticed until it passed beyond the shadow was three hours and twenty-five minutes. The duration of total eclipse of the moon is owing to the fact that the earth and its ment as aforesaid for the unexpired satellite move in the same direction.

The ectipse of this morning was unusually long, because the moon very seldom falls under the central shadow of the earth. It might be supposed that the obscuration would be totalno sign left-when this happens. It is believed that the light which illumins her so as to make the coppercribed can occur only at a time of full moon and on her arrival at one of the nodes or crossing points of the pened this time when she was nearest the earth, and thus the nearest approach to perfect eclipse resulted.

The National Government in

Good shape Financially. Washington, June 11.-The Treasury Department is running very close to the wind just at present in the matter of public money in order to be preshall be appointed for a term of five pared for the bonds due July 1 and years, unless dismissed for incompe- August 13. The end of the present August 13. The end of the present fiscal year will, however, show the Government in very good shape financially. There is now in the Treasury a cash balance of \$155,000,-000 in round numbers. The usual surplus from revenues each month is 000. This will close the balance at the end of this fiscal year, June 20, with about \$165,000,000. \$16,000,000 of this will be paid out July 1 to meet this amount of uncontinued 6-per-cents. which are payable on that date. On the 13th of August there will come due the remainder of the fives to be redeemed, and the Treasury Department is as yet uncertain how many will be brought in for redemption. About \$270,000,000 have been sent in, but of these five million are awaiting a legal decision as to their availability for alities in the notices sent in. There is also quite an amount of fives due under the call of March 25, 1881, which have not yet made their appearance and which must be provided for. Altogether the end of the first quarter of the next fiscal year will find the cash balance in the Treasury greatly de pleted and there will be few bonds bought for the Sinking Fund.

> -The circulation of the standard silver dollars from the treasury vaults has practically stopped altogether. During the fall and early winter there was quite a demand for this coin for the purpose of moving the crops. That demand stopped when the corps movement was over. Since the first of January last there has been no call for silver. All of the dollars that have been coined since that date remain in of the silver dollars then in circulation steadily decreased. The coinage at the rate of a little over \$2,000,000 a month goes on. The question of storage will soon become an important one if the present condition of the sil-Var dellar continues unchanged.

A Battle with Tramps.

Olean, N. Y., has long been one of the chief headquarters of the tramps At 12 minutes after midnight this and several days ago, quite a bloody conflict took place between a gang of them and citizens at the Erie depot, in which numerous shots were fired and one of the desperadoes received a probably fatal wound.-The Democrat thus describes the affray:

"Yesterday afternoon a company of even of the most desperate of the gang, obtained a keg of lager and proceeded to fill up on the invigorating beverage. After getting into fighting trim, they came around the Buffalo depot at the Junction, where they terrorized the employees and made themselves particularly obnoxious generally. Station agent Rapp ordered them away, when one of them deliberately fired a revolver at Rapp which just escaped his head, lodging in the side of the depot, where it tore a hole big enough for a cannon ball,-They then started down toward the Erie depot, where train 38 (way freight) was standing and proceeded to take possession of an empty box car standing in front of the Erie depot. They got inside and partly closed the door, when they where discovered by conductor Fred Hallis. He attempted to eject them, and while near the car they pushed the car door over on him from under the door, one of the tramps

to come to the rescue."

colored steel fashion plate is a gem Ohio know how to work and victory as "beautiful as a dream," as a lady at our elbow says. There is a profusely Modern Gardens," and a pretty illustrated love-story, by Agnes James, Governor......Charles Foster. 'Paste and Diamond." In this num- Lieut, Governer.J. G. Richards. ber, we have the first chapters of a historical novelet, "The News From Yorktown," which is also illustrated and which is particularly appropriate, as this is the Yorktown "Centennial Year." In addition to this, there are some two score cuts of fashions, work- ting the later on the successful refundcolored pattern for a photograph frame, in daisies on black velvet, alone plank is as follows: worth the price of the number. Every lady ought to be a subscriber for this dollars a year, with great reductions is the time to subscribe. A new volume begins with the July number, to Legislation. but back numbers, to January inclusive, can always be supplied, if wished. Specimens are sent, gratis, if written for, to persons wishing to get up clubs. Address, Chas. J. Peterson, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadel-

phia. -A storm of unusual severity occur red in this region about midnight June 8, by which considerable damage was done to growing crops, to the country roads and bridges, and also to the railroads. Nearly all trains are out of time in consequence to-day. A family hamed Straub, living on Glenn's Run, were swept away in the night, the mother and five children being drowned and the father carried on a log to the head of one of the Sisters' Islands, where he was found today in an insensible condition. The bodies of the mother and two children have been recovered, but the others have been carried down the river.

-The death of Frederick Hermann last Wednesday at the New York Bureau of Vital Statistics, from hydrophobia. The boy's parents are German and live in West Forty-third street. He was bitten by a mad dog April 2, but the wound healed under medical care and no ill effects were experienced from it until he took sick on Sunday with symptoms of genuine hydrophobia, and convulsions ensued, which continued until the boy died.

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Ohio State Convention.

FOSTER AGAIN NOMINATED FOR GOV-ERNOR-SPEECH BY JOHN SHER-

Cleveland, June 8 .- Senator Sher-

man was elected permanant chairman to-day and on assuming the duties thereof made a short speech. He bewas entitled to a renomination for his earnest canvass of two years ago, which culminated in the election of General Garfield as President of the United States. After giving praise to Ohio as a cosmoploitan State and a fair representative of the vigor, energy, intelligence and morals of the American people, he said something would be expected of him about the platform. The platform of the Republican party was what it has done. He then gave a brief review of the history of the achievements of the party for the last twenty-five years, and said the Republican party intends still further to advance the public credit, still further to reduce the public debt, and to see that every citizen in the whole land is protected in all his rights. Continuing, he said:

There are some other things, my countrymen, about Ohio politics. We have no room in this country for a leader that commands and dictates. and jumped out. While crawling out | We have a great people. Our Conventions are gathered from all parts of our deliberately aimed and fired at the broad State, brought here as free men. conductor, but luckily the ball flew There never has been, and there never wide of the mark. By this time, a will be room for a primate or boss number of railroad employees and The man who attempts it had better others had been advised of the melce make his will beforehand. And, feland hastily started in pursuit of the low citzens, I congratulate you upon desperadoes, who had started back to- the auspicious opening of the Adminward the caboose, which was standing istration of James A. Garfield. We toward the crossing. The tramps know office-seeking is undoubtedly were well armed with revolvers, one the proper pursuit of mankind. There having two pistols, and threatened to may be some disappointments because kill any person who ventured near, there are fewer places to fill than men As they came near the caboose they willing to fill them. But in the main fired at least a dozen shots into it, and the general principles and policy of seemed to be utterly bereft of any fear this administration are in harmony whatever. The crowd of pursuers had | with the aspirations of the Republican by this time largely augmented by re- party. The financial policy of the last inforcements from the acid works, re- Administration has been supplefinery, and elsewhere, many of them | mented by the reduction of the rate of bearing muskets, shot guns, pistols or interest on \$500,000,000 of the public any other weapon they could get hold sureties, from 5 and 6 per cent. to 33 of. The tramps had in the meantime per cent. This wise measure has been concluded to beat a retreat, and had carefully and most skillfully managed started up the Buffalo track, hotly by Secretary Windom, an Ohio boy. pursued by the crowd, which was They are saving \$15,000,000 a year, and pretty well armed. They called on now the debt which frightened brave the tramps to halt, but the fellows con- men fifteen years ago has melted away tinued to retreat as rapidly as their like snow before a summer sun. It no legs could carry them. Several longer frightens the timid, and now shots were fired at them, and when the tax on whisky will pay the internear the pump-station-they had left est on the public debt. Now, my felthe track-one of the shots took effect low citizens, I have already said perand brought to grass a hard-visaged haps all that was necessary. That the fellow. One other threw up his hands people of Ohio are satisfied with the and surrendered, but the remainder Administration, I believe, as it is now continued on regardless of consequen- stands. I believe I can say in advance ces. Two more were soon afterwards of the resolution that has been or will captured, and the four prisoners-in- be offered, that General Garfield has cluding the wounded man, were the emphatic approval of the Republibrought to the city by officers King caus of Ohio in the course he has purand Wiley, who had been telephoned sued thus far. Let him further advance the public credit; let him punish all who do wrong; let him give us an -Peterson's Magazine for July is on Administration pure, simple and reour table, ahead of all others, as usual. publican, worthy of a nation like ours. colored disc visible is due to sun's rays We have so often spoken of this lady's and we will send him our approval reflected through the earth's atmos- book, as the cheapest and best, that twice over again. But, my countryall we can do now is to reiterate that men, we have something to do in this opinion. The present number is task. We have got to emphasize our peculiarly rich in embellishments. approval by indorsing this adminis The steel plate, "The First Train," is tration in the election of the Republiearth's orbit and her one. It hap one of those charming illustrations, can ticket this fall. Let us, then, do never seen except in "Peterson." The our part. Work as Republicans of

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Stopping Gross Extravagance.

Washington, June 8 .- The Star Serice Investigating Committee have to-day discovered another instance of what they regard as gross extravagance in the expenditures for mail service in the southwest and have submitted a recommendation which, when carried into effect by an order that will shortly be issued by Postmaster General James, will, in the judgment of the postal authorities, result in an additional saving of \$100,000 per annum to the Government, without in any degree crippling the postal service. The details are withheld to await the issuance of the order. President Garfield, in view of the highly satisfactory progress already made by the committee in the line of discovering opportunities to cut off useless contracts and the detection of the methods by which such contracts were obtained, remains undisturbed by the criticism of his approval of the per-Kragher a lad of 11 years, was reported sonnel of the Commission, and expresses himself as more than ever determined to sustain the Attorney General and the Postmaster General in their untrammeled conduct of the entire investigation.

> -At a second meeting of the Common Council held at their own rooms, they straightened up, reconsidered their resolution of last week, and unanimously resolved to instruct their wives to trade only at the NEW YORK

-England is not the only country on whose dominions the sun never sets." The United States claim the same distinction. When the sun is setting on the confines of the Behring's Sea it is always beaming brightly of the Republican State Convention in Maine. From the farthest eastern point of our county, at Eastport, Me., to the Aleuden Isles the distance is gan by saying that Governor Foster 197 degrees of longititude or seventeen more than half way around the

> -Venor seems to be a sure weather prophet so far. His last prediction for June reads : "Cool and cloudy generally, with frequent rain-falls up to the 6th or 10th; an occasional warm day, and frosts probable about the 7th and 8th. On the 10th, 11th and 12th there will be a storm period, with muggy weather, hail and thunder storms; on the 13th and 14th, fair summer weather, with cool nights; 15th to the 18th, cool, unsettled, showry weather; 19th and 20th, warmer weather, with increasing heat up to the 25th; 25th to 28th, a storm period, with sultry weather; on the 29th and 30th, cooler, with change in the weather. The foregoing forecast will probably hold good for a large portion of United States."



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