Excitement in Scranton, Pa.—A Newspaper Office Robbed.

SCRANTON, Luzerne county, Pa., April 26.—The *Morning Herald* office was attacked last night by a number of persons from the neighboring town of Dunmore, and the editor and his men were severely handled. The difficulty grew from the exposure made by the *Herald* of a gambling house in Dunmore. The mob wanted to know the name of the informer, and this information being refused, they attacked the office.

From Barbadoes.

DEATH OF THE AMERICAN CONSUL.

NORFOLK, April 26.—The schooner Lucy B. Wright, thirteen days from Barbadoes, has arrived at Hampton Roads.

She reports the death of Noble Towner, the American consul at that place.

American produce was improving in price, and provisions had an advancing tendency.

New Hampshire Republican Convention.

CONCORD, N. H., April 26.—The New Hampshire Republican State Convention met here to-day, and elected the following delegates at large to the National Convention at Chicago:

Edward H. Rollins, William Hale,
Aaron W. Cragin, Amos Tuck.

The Ohio River in Good Condition.

PITTSBURG, April 26.—The Ohio river, at this point, is at a good stage.

The steamer Dacotah, the regular packet for Memphis, leaves on Monday evening.

Numerous boats are leaving, taking freight for all other points on the river below Pittsburg.

From Utah and Pike's Peak.

ATCHISON, April 26.—The Salt Lake Express has arrived, bringing $9,000 in dust from Denver City.

The papers report that John Scudder, who killed Bassett, has returned and given himself up, and was undergoing an examination.

Cotton Crop Injured.

MAYFIELD, Tenn., April 23.—The cotton and other crops in this vicinity have been seriously injured by the recent heavy frosts.

THE CITY.

MODEL FARM ASSOCIATION.—An adjourned meeting of the association was held at the Agricultural Rooms on Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Charles Kelly, of Delaware county, in the chair.

Mr. T. S. Walter, of Chester, reported that since the last meeting he had received offers of eight additional properties, making sixteen in all, which were recommended to the notice of the committee to be adapted to the purpose of the proposed Model Farm and Botanic Garden, viz.: Two in Middletown, of one hundred and fifty acres each; in Nether Providence, one of one hundred and sixty-seven acres; in Radnor, one of eighty-three acres; in Edgemont, one of one hundred and sixty acres; in Upper Providence, one of one hundred and thirty-six acres; in Ridley, one of one hundred and sixty-seven acres, and one in Chester of one hundred and thirty acres. If Delaware county secured the location, she would come up handsomely in the way of subscription to the capital stock.

Mr. Charles Kelly, of the same county, coincided with the last speaker, and reported two more offers—one of ninety-three acres, in Springfield and one of one hundred and twenty-five acres, in Upper Darby.

Mr. Marshall B. Hickman, of Chester county, reported two additional properties to the four previously reported, viz: One of one hundred and seventy-five acres, in Westtown, and one of one hundred and fifty, in Kennett.

D. H. Malvany, of Montgomery county, had received three more, making, in all, eleven—viz: One in Upper Merion, of one hundred and sixty-five acres; one in Limerick, of one hundred and eighty-seven acres; and one in Norriton, of one hundred and thirty-five acres.

Mr. Charles J. Elliot reported a farm of two hundred and ten acres, in Upper Merion. He hoped that the association would decide within what limits it was willing to locate. He approved of no property that was over twenty miles from the city, or half a mile from a railroad station.

The president thought it very desirable that a location convenient to the city should be selected. This was especially important in view of that attractive feature of the plan—a botanic garden.

Dr. A. L. Kennedy believed that the selection would be most impartially made, after the most eligible farms in each county had been visited and reported upon by a committee. He, therefore, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed to visit, in each county, the farms which may be most strongly recommended by the sub-committee of that county, to ascertain the amount of stock which will probably be subscribed, in the event of a selection, and to report to the next meeting of the association.

The resolution, after discussion by Samuel Riddle, of Delaware, Mr. Hickman, of Chester, and others, was agreed to, and the following gentlemen appointed—Messrs. Samuel J. Kennedy, of Philadelphia; D. H. Malvany, of Montgomery; A. P. Morgan, of Delaware; J. K. Eshleman, M. D., of Chester; and D. Landreth, of Bucks.

Adjourned to meet in same place on Wednesday, May 16, at half past two o'clock P. M.

NOT A "ROOSTER," BUT A FORGERY—ANOTHER SNIDDLY CASE.—In yesterday's *Press* an article appeared which doubled the statements made by an afternoon paper of the day previous in relation to the issuing of certain alleged fraudulent tax receipts by a newly-elected Democratic alderman. Having made the proper inquiries of the alderman, he (the Eighth ward, we suppose) could give something of the transaction, and the names of the alleged guilty parties being withheld, we reasonably concluded that there was no foundation for the report, and so stated. The *Evening Bulletin*, in which the article relative to these tax receipts originally appeared, yesterday afternoon repeated the story in full, and would be expected to place