

The Jeffersonian.

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way appears to be terribly fearful that Presi dent Grant may embroil this country in a war Spain. He says-

And yet this was not the cry of Democracy last fall, when the Virginus outrage agitated the country. Then the orators and presses of that party throughout the land, including the Monroe Democrat, were loud in their demands for war, and jeered and berated the administration roundly, for not digging up the batchet and pitching in nolens volens and, at no time has that party let up in its scolding over what it has been pleased to call the pusilinimity of the President for not, long ago, insisting upon a recognition of the belligerent right of Cuba which would have been actual cause for war. If war comes now it can only come through the entanglements growing out of the Virginius affair; and surely for that the Democrat should not

It is shrewdly suspected, however, tha "unworthy ambition" is not the real cause of that no bribe was offered him, and that, proour distinguished neighbors outery; and that the matter of war is not so great a bug bear war may necessitate another trip to Europe in search of theologic lore. But we apprehend that our neighbor need entertain no fears on this head, as, if war is declared the fighting will be done at sea, and it would hard'y do to man our ships with men so hefty as he is. We think therefore, that we may safely assure him that, in any event, he will be allowed to rest quietly and happily with his babes at home, even to the great damage of the lakes and fastnesses of classic Switzerland, which will lose in distinction by his absence. One would rather think that one would onjoy a visit to scenes rendered memorable by former sojourn even though made upon compulsion, but such does not seem to be the case so far as our distinguished friend able to say to him -rest Amandus, apple of fore the Committee at an eleventh hour pen- et street, and will take charge of the same Tannersville. The result of their first conour eye for future honors in Congress, for even should war be declared against Spain we assure thee it will not physically disturb

President Grant entertains no intention of war with any country. His only desire was to call attention to the weak state of our coast defences, and to call the attention of Congress to the best and cheapest plan of rendering neighbor ventured on this defence, for it them impregnable against the attacks of an is right that Congressman Storm should enemy in case war did-come. Now, rest thee stand right and bright before his constitu-

Representatives at Washington, on Friday truths of history, neighbor Amandus, never 26 miles north of this place, indicated 18 sanction of the President. It is believed that an adage as the one with which we it will die a death of neglect in the Senate, commenced this article. Bear that in mind and we hope it will as a matter of justice always, lad. whites and blacks. It is an iniquity which should never be fastened upon the countryand one, too, which would be more observed in the breech than in the observance. The social problem can never be solved by law, but must receive its solution through the virtuous conduct of people, and the less legislation we have upon the subject the better. The evil effects of legislation to raise men above their deserts, "without regard to race, color or previous condition of servitude' and behavior are already too apparent, here as well as elsewhere, to admit of a doubt of civil rights bill.

not succeed, and we are thankful for it.

The pecupiary value of a lady's ankle has fuet been determined by a Crawford county jury. Mrs. Pollard, of Titusville, sued that city for \$6,000 damages because of a sprained ankle received by her in '71. ered a vergice for \$3,000.

"It is never too late to do good," says the old adage, and we are glad to see that our around. distinguished neighbor over the way is of that thinking, and that he has ventured to step forward in defense of Congressman both money and safety in it. Storm against the charge of having touched 'filthy lucre' in the interest of the Pacific fense of our worthy Congressman's course on the "salary grab iniquity; nor does our distinguished neighbor exactly stick to the truth Pacific Mail matter.

If the testimony in that case is correct with Spain. He has no reason to suspect Congressman Storm was not offered a bribe teis, for if the policy of the administ for his vote or influence. If he had been, tration, has evinced anything, it has been possibly, it would be hard to tell what the of so many degrees ranging below and in peace with all the world, and especially with result would have been. If our memory the neighborhood of zero. serves us Congressman Randall, of Philadel-"However just our claims upon Spain phia, testified that Congressman Storm told way be, the nation should never permit them him that he had been offered the thousand to be the means of promoting an unworthy dollars, and that he told it to him to make friend AMANDUS has lately invested in a him, if possible still more strenuous in his one thousand dollar "pianar." opposition to the subsidy. On being called to testify as to how about the matter, Congressman Storm stated that Congressman Randall was mistaken-that he did not tell that gentleman that he, Storm, was thus in- Leighorn." Alas I poor Cochin. siduously approached, but that Congressman somebody else, from some of the Eastern States, told him, Storm, that he had been approached. This Congressman somebody else, on being summoned before the Committee, testified that he never told Congressman \$200 at a premium of 43 per cent. Storm any such thing.

> Taking the whole case together, and stir ring it up and then averaging it, and we conclude, that there is a little "white fib" lying around here somewhere loose, and that Congressman Storm, deserves no particular cred it for the virtue of having resisted a bribeopposition to the subsidy, but in view of the of joy. ealary grab iniquity, we are glad that the managing attorney of the subsidy interest, that sterling democratic Congressman from Brooklyn, Mr. Crongressman Schumakerkept no letters received nor took copies of print 'em." letters sent-that thorough business man who never kept a bank account or check did'nt know what he did with it, except that he paid it out but did'nt know who to or wherefore-that lawyer who secured success dirty business-we say that we are glad. heartily glad, that Congressman Storm did not fall in his way, or he might have been left in a worse predicament, even, than he

Amandus, rest thee, and sweet be thy dreams. ents, for in view of the "Salary grab" ini-The Civil rights bill passed the House of quity he needs that privilege. But the last. Before it becomes a law of the land it forget them. "Let the truth be told degrees below zero, at 7 a. m. on Tuesday of an unusual interesting character. The has yet to pass the Senate, and receive the though the heavens fall," is equally as good last

SCRANTON has been aggitated over an "oil barrel case," which grew out of the efforts of a couple of smart New York State chaps, to inaugurate a nice little speculation. It appears that there is a law of this State which punishes by a fine of \$300 any merchant who sells an empty oil barrel, (Kerosene) without first erasing all the brands and marks property. upon it. The law was passed with a view to the result of such legislation upon the coun- honest merchant and the consumer; and a the nag announcing "Oats wanted within. try. We claim to be a tolerable good and very good law it is too. Well, these New Contemplating the thing for a moment he Acquine "black Republican but we do not go York State chaps visited Scranton some time exclaimed "Oats wanted by good" and it to quite the length of the provisions of the ago and commenced buying the barrels with mounting Pagassus, rode off about his busia rush and at greatly advanced prices, and a ness as good humored as usual. WE have before us the annual catalogue nice thing was in prospect, in view of the of Maplewood Music Seminary, East Had- eager sellers, and some \$60,000 dollars to the On Wednesday last January thaw-on dam, Conn., Prof. D. S. Babcock, principal, New Yorkers would have been assured had Thursday thermometer below zero-on Frialso programme of a Grand Operatic Concert it not been for their anxiety to buy, which day cold enough to freeze ones nose off-and and reception given at Maplewood Opera aroused the suspicion of the merchant, and on Saturday still cold enough to enable one House, Monday evening, Feb. 8th, under set them to looking into the matter. When to keep cool without much effort. Queer Stroudsburg about noon and placed in the the direction of Prof. Babcock, assisted by they saw the probable result of their transac- weather truly, but just what might have been ladies room of the Dopot, when Drs. Bush. students of his school. In glancing over the tion there was a terrible scratching off of expected of February, which at best always Patterson and Jackson applied every remedy The Carlisle Herald supplements this drinking, since the first of December, has programme we notice the name of Miss Lizzie brands and marks. And there was more—seems to a be conglomeration of winter, known to medical science to relieve the story with another, about a colored man been the melting of snow, and this re-Williams, daughter of Mr. J. S. Williams of there was an arrest, and an indictment of the spring, summer and autumn combined. this place, who made her debut as "Nancy" New York chaps for conspiracy. The result in the charming opera of "Martha." Miss was a trial at Wilkes-Barre last week, which Williams has been a student at Maplewood, has resulted in the acquittal of the conspirawilliams has been a student at Maplewood, he has been at the leading roles in so grand a piece as that by their condemnation to pay the costs. But usually interesting child and was favorite relieved from his terrible suffering, by sixth acres of land, three hundred and the supply of water from these sources are that the end is not yet. It has of "Martha," will be a piece of welcome it appears that the end is not yet. It has with all who knew her. She will be missed death, about seven o'clock in the evening. eighty-four bushels of corn. The ground lessens each succeeding year. Yet hardly lessens each succeeding year. news to her numerous friends herebaouts. leaked out that though the jury had no by all, but her loss to her idolizing parents was limed and ploughed the fall before, and any body appears to heed the lesson prop-THE Pacific mail subsidy investigation, there was a "sticker" as to the disposition of over their affliction hereabouts will be univer- year ago. He leaves a young wife and was planted 21 by 4 feet, and two stalks which was inaugurated to find out who got costs, which, finally, after a wrangle of three the \$750,000 spent by the Steam ship in se- hours, was settled by the flipping of a copper curing the subsidy, has not resulted in any - "heads I win tails you loose" - we sup- REAL ESTATE SALES .- H. R. Ransburry, very alarming results so far as members of pose, as to where the cost should go. After Administrator of the Estate of John Rans-Congress are concerned. But three things this there was no trouble in securing a new burry, dec'd. sold the farm of said deceased. have been established thus far: -1st, that trial, as the Court does not recognize copper on the 4th inst, to James Hoffman for four the money was spent, 2d, that Irwin is a flipping as a legal argument even in the jury thousand dollars. brick of a witness, 3d that Congressman room, and now the New Yorkers are to have | Linford Marsh, Esq., sold 17 feet front on Shumacher has the poorest memory of any new trail and another chance for a straight lot, Main street in this Borough, adjoining man living, and that at a cost, to the govern- acquittal. The question also remains as to D. R. Brown's Jewelery store, to S. Holmes. ment, of many thousands of dollars in shape whether our merchants are not liable to the Jr., for \$2,000. of witness fees. There was a look at one penality, as the scratching of the barrels was Jacob Ruth sold his dwelling house and time as though they were going to draw our not done until after the sale was clinched by lot, on Sarah street in this borough, to John virtuous Congressman Storm, as a culprit in the payment of the price, and a delivery thus Appenzeller, for \$2.000. to the piece of dirty rascality, but they did secured. It is a greasy business all around, and our own merchants would do well to make a note of it.

fruit trees. Some have been frozen so fit it up, and on the first of April next, from an uneven sidewalk. The jury rend- badly that the bark has split open in many commence the manufacture of Boots and cases to the length of four feet.

Be patient—the blue birds will soon be

WE had quite a chilly spell of weather

was no name for it. WE regret to learn that Mr. Wm Flory

Our distinguished neighbor over the in the story which he tells in relation to the is confined to his bed from injuries received in alipping on the ice, last Monday.

> Nor much hanging on the gates these nights. Love cannot stand the pressure

paying? It certainly must be, for our AND now there is another aspirant for

"Eggs-traordinary" fame. It is J. E. M.

Keller, and the species of fowls "White THE Stroudsburg Building and Loan As sociation of this place, at their meeting on Friday last \$200 at a premium of 42 per cent and \$600 at a premium of 42 per cent. and

COLLECTOR McCARTY paid his first official visit to Wayne and Pike counties last week. We have no doubt all coming within the realms of Internal Revenue exactions found him a prompt and obliging officer.

OUR young married friends Tammy Angle and Fred Norton, are the happiest larks in bably, it was a very good thing, for his repu- town. Cause why. The former is a girl tation there was not. We give, and in our and the latter is a boy, and both suited. with him as the fear that a declaration of columns have given him due credit for his Wish them both the greatest possible amount

> "WHAT we heard and saw," next week. Until then, adieu "Tempest," "Sunshine, "Hoop-la," and all ye members of ye happy that genius of tender sensibilities but ex- band. Remember, though, "there is a tremely short memory-that man who never chile among ye takin notes and faith he'll

REV. W. B. WOOD, the Presiding book, nor stubs of checks drawn by him- Elder of Lehigh District, preached a very that brilliant financier who received \$300, interesting and eloquent sermon in the M. 000 for "working up" the subsidy, and E Church last Sunday night, to a large and hence our dancing school suggestions. appreciative audience.

for his client but did'nt know how it was Stroudsburg, Pa., has rented the store ists belt for several weeks past, on Saturday done-that scape grace who appeared be- room now occupied by Joel Mann, on Mark- last removed the scene of their exploits to itent, sorry that he ever took a hand in the about April first. It is his intention to test at the latter place is as follows: run a first-ulass saloon .- Belvidere Jour

On Sunday the 14th inst., the Rev. Gladhill a Lutheran minister of Maryland. who went down to Jericho and fell among will preach in the Hamilton Church, in the morning at 10 o'clock, and in the after-We are glad that our distinguished noon of same day, in Custards' church. On the Sunday following, in the morning at Jackson church, and in the afternoon at Lo Broadheadsville church.

Cold.

The thermometer at Tobyhanna Mills,

At this place, on same morning the thermometer indicated 6 degrees below zero.

KEEP uppermost in your thoughts those cisterns as adjuncts to our fire department, we came very near learning the value of such them, especially sabbath school children. during that period. appendages to our town last week, and if we Messrs Pierson & Sigafus are deserving of had needed them what would we have done. the most liberal patronage from the citizens to three classes-men, women and the Remember Honesdale. For the want of of this place. water at the right time, that beautiful town now mourns the loss of \$150,000 worth of

prevent inspected barrels from being used to the Stroudsburg House, one day last week, Railroad, met with a terrible accident above contain the non inspected, or explosive, tied his horse to the hitching post and went oils and thus imposing a danger upon the in. On coming out, he discovered a card on

the fact that our townsman, Richard S. Sta- crushed limbs was deferred and he was The bowl held a quart. ples lost a very interesting daughter on Friday last from scarlet fever. May was an unabout two miles from town where he was

J. S. WILLIAMS, Esq., has rented the basement and second floor of his Hall build-The extreme cold weather of this winter and George streets, in this Borough, to a has resulted in considerable damage to gentleman by the name of Crum, who will

Well, you know that next Tuesday is JURY LIST--FEB. TERM-1875. election. Well then lets look around and select out the best men, and at a meeting, with-Don't forget the gas project, for there is out distinction of party, on Monday night nominate them, and elect them on Tuesday. It is just as easy as thinking, if we only think so and go to work in the right way. We can Mail Subsidy. This, however, is not a de- for a week past .- Cold, as the saying is thus insure the management of our borough affairs, honestly, fearlessly and to the best interests of the Tax-payers.

> Our town had two very narrow escapes from fire last week. The one at the Y. M. C. A. room where a lamp was turned up too high and exploded the chimney, and the other at the Democrat office, where some combustible material had inadvertantly been put in the stove when the fire was prepared for the night. Both were happily extinguished Who says the newspaper business is not before damage was done. Sound argument these for both gas and those cisterns.

Our little puzzle which we published couple of weeks ago, and the answers re ceived, formed quite an interesting little ep isode in the Jeffs career. The fact is we liked it. Now who will continue the ball thus set in motion? Who will send us a puzzle for each weeks edition. Don't all speak at once but send your puzzles, with the answers, and we will publish them. Let's see how much fun we can get up this way.

Ir looks as though our distinguished neigh over the way, (see his article headed "Hell" in last week's Democrt, was trying to make us believe there was no hell. You can't come that neighbor. It can't be did. Why what would become of the splendid churches in our borough, for the erection of which so many thousand dollars have been spent within the last few years, if that doctrine should prevail. No, no! Hell is an absolute necessity hereabouts, to keep us somewhere within the line of grace. Don't it?

THE Winter is fast drawing to a close and still we hear of no move towards the establishment of that dancing school under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. At Scranton the Y. M. C. A. indulge negro minstrelsy James Postens. as a drawing card, and it is said, make money by it, but we have neither bones nor banjo in the association here, and we doubt whether we could find the "beel and toe" and "double shaffle" until after a few lessons from the mender of our manners and the limberer up of our awkwardness. We want this altered so that we can be in "ton" and

Our sporting characters hereabouts, who WE learn that Mr. Samuel Overfield, of have been contesting for the champian shoot-

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narles Brown,	1	0		0-
arry Burnett,	0	1	1	0-
seph Shaffer,	0	1	1	0-
braham Azer,	1	1	1	1-
m. Buckley,	0	0	1	0-
iram Shiffer;	0	1	0	0-
eorge Alleger,	0	1	0	0-
Younkins,	1	1	1	1-
hn Selwood,	1			0-
hn H. Lesh.	0	0	1	0-

Pierson & Sigarus' Allegorical entertainday evenings, Feb., 17 and 18, promises to be phia paintings are pronounced by critics as the manner in which they are exhibited and inches in hight. simplyfied by explanations as each scene is presented to the audience, to be very instruc-

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.-Ezariah Hunt son of Ebenezer Hunt, a resident of Stroud township, employed as a brakeman on No. ONE of our ex-Sheriffs having business at 10 Freight train, Del. Lack. & Western Forks station, a few miles north of this place, last Tuesday morning. So far as we can learn he slipped and fell between the cars, the wheels passing over his right arm, crushing it from the elbow to the wrist in a shocking manner. His left arm was crushing it fine. He was brought to East child to mourn his sad end.

The Philadelphia City Item names, among the probable candidates for Goverof Luzerne; Charles Thompson Jones, of Philadelphia, Young S. Walter, of Dela-Schofield, Gen. Todd, and John W. Kil-ber of commissioned officers is 733.

Connecticut, last Friday night.

GRAND JURY-FIRST WEEK. Chestnuthill-Felix Storm, Chas. Hufsmith Eldred-Paul Gower.

Jackson-John Hay. M. Smithfield-Moses Strunk, Benj. S. Strunk, needed subsistence. Charles Trible, Andrew J. Fish, Hugh Labar. Paradise-John Storm. Pocono-Henry Miller, Charles Arnold. Ross-Samuel Meckes, Reuben Hartzell. Smithfield-Martin Ye,ter, James Fenner. Stroudsburg-Hiram S. Wagner. Tunkhannock-Frederick Keenhold.

PETIT JURY-FIRST WEEK.

Barrett-Geo. B. Williams, Geo. W. Ink. R. Wess, Joseph Heller, Charles Eberle. Eldred-Charles Roth, Christ. Barleib, Jr. East Stroudsburg-Wm. E. Henry. Hamilton-Stodgdel Lesh, Isreal Houser, Linford Hufsmith, Joseph A. Featherman. Jackson - Frank Anglemoyer, Andrew Det-

M. Smithfield-John Primrose. Paradise-Jacob Learn, Jacob Recsecker. Polk-Paul Smale, Reuben Kresge. Ross-Jacob Schoch Smithfield-Edward Yetter, Andrew Albert,

rick, Michel Miller, Joseph Green.

Stroud-Peter K. Edinger, Geo. Bush. Stroudsburg-John Conner, Jere. Frutchey, Joseph Matlack, Theodore Schoch, Tobyhanna-Samuel Setzer.

PETIT JURY -SECOND WEEK.

Chestnuthill-James Everitt. E. Stroudsburg-Comodore Price, Jacob Buskirk, Wilson Pierson, Chas. E. Durfee. Hamilton-Abner Shoemaker, Geo. F. Hel ler, Jacob W. Butz, Joseph Fellencer, Peter Mosteller. Geo. Erdman, Jr., Jabez Kirkhuff. Jackson-Philip McCluskey, John Dailey. M. Smithfield-George Michael, George W. Labar, Philip M. Peters.

Paradise-John J. Price. Price-Thomas Fish. Smithfield-M. C. Kautz, John W. Custard David Smith, Charles M. Hoffman, Isaac R. Transpe, David Yetter, Manassah Labar. Stroud-Sydenham Lee, Charles Dennis, Henry Dennie. Stroudsburg Benj. Hannas, Robert Boys, and qualifications for teachers. For the

Tunkharmock-Henry Keenhold. THO. M. McILHANEY, Proth'y. Last month New England lost \$1,023,

475 by fires. The Philadelphia pelice arrested 2,053

persons, during January. Mr. Isaac Kupp, of Union township, lief by inditing the following letter to a Berks county, has a ewe that gave birth to

The number of German-speaking chil- My DARLING LUCY: I must leave you dren attending schools in this State is esti- to merrow, you used to love me but your

mated at 144,000.

In Womelsdorf, Berks county, lives a man sexty years old, who has never tasted too as well as Robert but if you want to fish, flesh or fowl.

Jonestown which is one hundred and ground you walk on i would die for you i forty-two years old.

The Baltimore petroleum trade have large orders for oil to be shipped for Europe in the next two months. A cheeky business. A New York bar-

ber claims to have shaved 4,414,628 customers during the last fourteen years.

Two brothers and a sister in Berks coun-

coinage at the Philadelphia mint last month whom would represent the district as ably

The witty division of the human race in-Beecher family—is almost daily vindicated in the great scandal trial.

ty, found a way to put together two quilts noyance and expense of an extra electioninside of two years, one containing 7,270 -Lock Haven Republican. pieces and the 2,178 pieces.

Two young men of Sugar Run, Clinton county, recently ran a barefoot race a dis- land and Western New York is assuming tance of a half mile, for a half bushel of a really alarming character. Not only apples. They gained their prize without have many of the large factories been

The other day, in Jersey City, in broad daylight, with the roar and bustle of life transport their stock or bring water from a around it, and pedestrians upon the sideterribly lacerated, the flesh being completely walk brushing against it, a corpse stood country alike, the supply of water from eistorn from the bone. The wheels also passed leaning against a lamp-post unnoticed durover his right leg, diagonally across the knee ing all the morning. The man had been most all dry, and those from which so much

The Tamaqua Item tells of a German in draught are jealously watched and guarded. that place who, on a wager, ate one hund- The only source of water-supply for thousufferings of the unfortunate man. No re- "getting away with" thirteen bowls of source has now become so precarious as to WE regret to be called upon to announce action having taken place, amputation of the mush and milk, at a festival in that place, excite continual alarm lest the slender

trouble in agreeing to a verdict of not guilty will be particularly severe. Public sympathy five years of age, and married about one no other fertilizer was used. The corn erly.

There are connected with the State arsenal, at Harrisburg, twenty-six cannon, 15,-277 muskets and rifles, 1910, pistels and counties of Pennsylvania, passing himself nor, next fall, Gen. Charles Albright, of 853 sabres and artillery swords. Accord- off as a Government officer on the lookeut ing to the report of the Adjutant General for counterfeit money. He has succeeded there are 347,475 persons in Pennsylvania in obtaining money in some instances from ware; Gen. Negley, of Pittsburgh; Judge Schofield, Gen. Todd, and John W. Kil-

The Wilington (Del.), Every Evening "State of Greene," according to the Way. parent a trick. says Pennsylvania "always disgraces itself nesburg Republican: "There is a woman in choosing a United States Senator." To in the west end of the county who can On Thursday evening, says the Eric which the Norristown Herald very briefly stand in a half bushel measure and should- Dispatch, the wife of John Sheridan, liv and pointedly replies: "A paper that is er four bushels of wheat in a wool sack. ing on the Lake road a mile or so east of published in a State that was represented She offers to bet five dollars that she can this city, gave dirth to four female children double of the control of ing, situated on the corner of Monroe by a drunkard for years, and now by a re- throw down any man in Aleppo township. dren, three of whom were alive at last nobel sympathizer, should not hurl such large Another woman in the same township counts. Pater familius is absent, having tackled a two hundred pound man in church gone west last fall and has not returned a short time since, in the presence of a large It would be worth something to see the Ex-Governor and Senator Wm. A. Buck- congregation, because the man claimed to look of astonishment on his face when he ingham died at his residence in Norwich, be a Universalist, and made him beg for learns of this alarming increase in his fami-

The Johnstown Tribune states that one of the messengers in the House of Representatives at Harrisburg, is Theophilm Snyder, Democrat, of Blair county. He is reported to be worth \$75,000, but as busi ness is dull he is turning an honest penny Hamilton-Christopher Bittenbender. John in the obscure post of messenger, at \$600 H. Fenner, Simon Storm, Geo. Green, Casper a year, thus preventing some poor but deserving Democrat from earning a much

The Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals held its an nual meeting in Philadelphia last week The annual report shows that the receipts for the year 1874 were \$8,440.72, and the expenditures \$8,416.44. There are outstanding bills to the amount of \$550. During the year 1826 complaints were regis Chestnuthill-Simon Trach, John Merwine, tered at the Philadelphia office represent ing 3619 cases of cruelty. The Society has established branches during the year at Scranton, Harrisburg, Pittsburg. Eas ton, Lancaster and York.

Near Allentown, Pa., recently, a little boy of nine, named Moyer, was inhumanly treated by a male teacher. The child had committed some trivial offence, and as a punishment therefor was seized by the Barnet Morgan, Samuel Casebeer, Harman unfeeling teacher and placed in a straddled posture across two desks-that is, he had to maintain himself in an upright position between two of the school desks perhaps three feet apart, with a foot rest. ing on the edge of each from the recess hour in the afternoon until the close in the Barrett-Stephen H. Peters, Emery Price, evening, causing such a severe strain upon his frame that he could scarcely walk home.

> At present there are no soldiers' or. phans applying for State care and protection in Pennsylvania. The total number of such erphans now supported by the State is 2,987, while 7,398 have been sunported in this manner since the plan was adopted. The cost of the system in 1874 was \$450,879 49, against a cost of \$467. 132 84 in TS73. Of this sum \$5,000 was expended in preparing at the State normal schools discharged orphans of suitable age four years of work that remain to be done there will probably be required \$1,200,000 and this sum added to the amount already expended will make an aggregate of \$5 600,000 expended for the purpose.

A heart-broken youth in Wilmington, N. C., nine years old, has lately found re-

WASHINGTON, Jan'y 5th. love for me is gone but my love for you is just the same just think Lucy how your words cut my heart i would give you things self your love for two or three apples go a There is an old log house standing in head i deat care a straw lucy i love the love you lucy please seceive my vow.

> P. S. if you hear of me being dead you drove me to it R says be dont care a fig for you nore the rest.

The scramble for the old honors, just thrown off by Senator Wallace, has com-A few days since four coal trains of one menced in good earnest. In Centre, P. ment, to be given in the M. E. Church at hundred and fifty cars each passed over Gray Meek, of the Watchman, and Adam East Stroudsburg, Wednesday and Thurs- the Lehigh Valley Railroad to Philadel. Hoy are named. Hay's friends accuse Meek of being a "Modoc," and Meek's friends retort by calling Hoy a "baby Democrat." In Clearfield, Joff. Boyer and T. ty are respectively, six feet four and a half M. McCullough, who belong to the Momost able and elaborate works of art, and the inches, six feet two inches, and six four does," are named, while here in Clinton the Democracy are ready to present our friends, The total value of the silver and base S. R. Peale or C. S. McCormick, either of tive to all who are so fortunate as to see was \$462,855. There was no gold coinage and faithfully as the parties named from other counties. It may be in their eager haste for position and power, they will leave a ray of hope for Republicans to hang

> Rumor says that Wallace does not propose resigning his seat in the State Legis-Miss Way, of Unionvill, Chester coun- lature, and thereby save his friends the an-

The water famine throughout New Engobliged to suspend work, but there is great distress among farmers and stock breeders, who in many cases are obliged to frozen to death while in a drunken stupor. as a dipper full of water can be obtained at a supply should entirely fail. It is a repeti-

A Swindler Victimizing the Pennsyl

There is a swindler going about different of \$2,000. The wonder is that any sand This is the way they do it up in the persons can be imposed upon by so trans-