

Constantine McGuire has been sentenced to six months imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$5000 for defrauding the revenue at St. Louis.

For killing John Williams, in August last, Charles Haggerty, on Saturday last, was found guilty of murder in the second degree, at Binghamton, New York, and was sentenced to imprisonment for life.

The Press brands as an untruth the story that Philadelphia hotel keepers have notified their regular guests that they must either vacate their rooms after April 1st or pay transient rates for rooms and board.

A man in New Jersey offers to eat 100 hard-boiled eggs at one meal, and even goes the length of thinking that he could manage a bar of soap at the same time. Give him a chance. He might die suddenly.

No more five dollar notes of the Merchants' National Bank of New Bedford, Mass., will be issued, they having been successfully counterfeited. The genuine five dollar notes now in circulation will be redeemed and destroyed.

A little girl living in Philadelphia jumped into eternity the other day by means of a skipping rope. She jumped one hundred times in succession, fell down, was picked up and carried into the house, where she died.

A father and son were sentenced to the Western Penitentiary in Blair county recently, the former for burglary and larceny and the latter for larceny alone. The father received a sentence of seven years and the son four years.

Treasury balances on Saturday:—Currency, \$4,760,923; special deposit of legal tenders for redemption of certificates of deposit, \$34,780,000; coin, including \$30,381,000 in coin certificates, \$74,154,593; outstanding legal tenders, \$370,755,248.

A Watonsville granger recently purchased a revolver for his wife, and insisted on target practice that she could defend her horse in case of his absence. After the bullet was dug out of his leg and the cowherd, he said he guessed she'd better shoot with an axe.

The Lancaster Intelligencer, the Democratic organ of Lancaster county, is rather hard on some delegates to the State convention in that city, and thinks a number of them ought to have been in the penitentiary. It says:—"We never had to deal with a rougher and uglier looking set of cut-throats than were some of the Philadelphia representatives and their comrades brought here to aid them in effecting their ends."

Mr. Jopling, the British superintendent of the section of fine arts of the United States Centennial Exhibition, who sailed on Saturday for Philadelphia, took 56 water-color drawings, many engravings, architectural designs and 197 oil paintings, of which more than 100 have been exhibited at the Royal Academy. The insurance value of the collection exceeds \$750,000. The council of the Royal Academy contributed an important selection from pictures for which diplomas have been awarded.

On Friday afternoon, David J. Van Meter, city editor of the Rock Island (Ill.) "Argus," had a fight in a saloon with John Stanbach, about whom Van Meter had written an offensive article. Stanbach was knocked down and cut by Van Meter in the temple with a pocket-knife. He died on Saturday night from the effects of the stab, when it was found that the point of the knife had broken off the left temporal bone. Van Meter was arrested and locked up on a charge of murder.

The latest feature in pisciculture is a successful effort to cross breeds of fish. Seth Green has impregnated the ova of the brook trout with the milt of the salmon, during the past winter, producing a fry resembling the salmon and lighter colored than the trout. His idea is that the stock from this source will be excellent for brooks, and that it will be of rapid growth in ordinary streams. He has also crossed the white fish with the salmon trout, the result of which is smaller fry than that of the salmon trout, and redder in color, bearing a closer resemblance to the white fish. Valuable consequences may follow these experiments.

Four powder magazines on Arsenal Hill, just north of Salt Lake City, blew up Wednesday afternoon, with a succession of tremendous explosions. The whole city was shaken by the shock, doors and windows were blown in, and a shower of large stones crashed through buildings and fell in the streets. Two boys who were on the hill were killed, and a woman and a boy in the city were killed by falling stones. A number of persons were injured, some of whom may die, and one woman expired from fright. The damage by the breaking of glass alone is estimated at \$50,000. It is supposed that the disaster was caused by one of the boys killed on the hill firing into a magazine.

DOYLE'S PARTNER.

Kelley Convicted of Murder in the First Degree.

MARCH CHUNG, April 6.—At the opening of court this morning Judge Dreher began his charge to the jury. The reading of it occupied one hour and forty minutes. The Judge said very little about the evidence, the chief point of the charge being a full exposition of the law. At 10.40 the jury retired. Court sat until 12 o'clock and adjourned until 1. Shortly after re-assembling the tramp of the jury was heard, and they were soon in the box. Amidst breathless silence Clerk Kenerer asked the usual question, and the foreman responded: "Guilty of murder in the first degree." At the request of the counsel for the defense the jury was polled. Kelly was entirely indifferent throughout the whole proceeding, but his aged mother, who sat near him, was terribly affected. Mr. Kalfus made a motion for a new trial, which will be argued on next Wednesday. Meanwhile Kelley was remanded to jail.

Methodist Conference Proceedings.

On Tuesday, the sixth day of the Conference, the sudden death of Rev. S. G. Hare, one of the members, was announced, and suitable action taken. He was stationed at Safe Harbor, Lancaster county. The discussion of the proposed change in the presiding eldership was continued. There was great difference of opinion; several ministers taking the ground that an elective eldership would be very injurious to the church. Rev. Pennell Coombe said that popular elections in the church were a curse, and called on the preachers to keep their hands off the presiding elders. The subject was finally disposed of by the adoption of a substitute proposed by Rev. W. J. Paxson. This resolution recommends that the number of districts be fixed by the annual conference; that the annual conference shall decide whether the presiding elders shall be appointed to stations or circuits or not; and that the presiding elders shall be elected by the members of conference except when a majority shall request their appointment by the bishop. Revs. J. F. Chaplain and W. B. Wood were elected as two of the delegates to the General Conference. Rev. C. H. McDermont was granted permission to withdraw from the ministry. In the afternoon a memorial service for two deceased ministers was held, and in the evening was the annual meeting of the Preacher's Aid Association. On Wednesday forenoon the supernumerary preachers were reviewed. Resolutions were adopted protesting against the separation of Dauphin district from this conference. A committee to investigate charges against Rev. J. H. Brittain reported him guilty of immorality, and he was expelled. The charges against Rev. G. D. Carrow were dropped. The charges against Rev. E. F. Kenney were declared not sustained, and his character was passed. Rev. C. F. Turner was elected the sixth delegate to the General Conference. Twenty-one new delegates to the conference were elected and admitted, and several trustees were chosen. On Thursday, the eighth day, resolutions were adopted resisting all efforts to change the Sabbath into a secular day, approving of the closing of the Centennial Exposition on Sundays, and condemning the admission of visitors to Zoological Gardens on that day. The running of Sunday excursion trains to camp meetings and other places of resort was censured. The observance of the second Sunday of June as "children's day," was recommended. The reports of a number of societies were presented and approved. The changes proposed by the committee on church policy, not before acted upon, were laid on the table, and the delegates to the General Conference were instructed to urge the adoption of those which had been recommended. It was agreed that the next annual meeting be held at Grace Church, at Broad and Master streets. Rev. Pennell Coombe was recommended as general temperance agent. The report of the committee on statistics showed a membership of 39,841, an increase 1,011 during the last year. There are 365 Sunday schools in the conference, with 7236 teachers and an average of 40,097 scholars; 315 churches, worth \$3,813,755; and 93 parsonages, worth \$406,350. An address was made by Bishop Haven on the subject of appointments, after which he read the assignments for the next year. In the Lehigh district, which includes most of Monroe county, Rev. W. E. Wood is continued as presiding elder. Among the appointments are the following:

Easton—William L. Gray. New Hope—B. H. Sanderlin. Richmond—J. W. Rudolph. Bangor—Joseph Robinson. Portland—J. T. Satchell. Delaware Water Gap—R. Turne. Stroudsburg—To be supplied. East Stroudsburg—W. P. Howell. Cherry Valley—G. L. Schaffer. Jackson—L. M. Hobbs. Spragueville—E. L. Martin. Oakland—G. Alcorn. Tobyhanna—W. L. McDowell. The conference then adjourned with the benediction by Rev. W. J. Paxson.

The War in Mexico.

GALVESTON, Texas, April 10.—1 p. m. A dispatch dated Laredo the 10th, to the Galveston News says: At the request of Special Deputy United States Marshal Mayor, or Merriam, a twelve-pounder was planted on the bank of the river this morning, and at one o'clock this afternoon the Mexicans opened a hot fire from New Laredo on our guard at the ferry, and they were compelled to withdraw. The fire was then concentrated upon the gunners, whereupon Col. Sexton threw two shells into New Laredo, Mexico, from his twelve-pounder, which silenced the Mexicans' fire on our soldiers and the American citizens. Two men and three women of this city were wounded badly.

HOT FIGHT BETWEEN THE OPPOSING FORCES.

GALVESTON, April 10.—A Laredo special says the Mexican federal troops opened fire on the United States government troops at 7 p. m., the United States troops returning the fire with twelve pound howitzers, shelling New Laredo, Mexico. A hot fight is progressing.

A Midnight Accident on the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

MAUCH CHUNG, April 10.—An accident occurred at Barndorf, a short distance above here, on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, at 12.30 this morning. The train which left Philadelphia at 8 o'clock last evening struck a rock which had fallen upon the track and two passenger-coaches and a baggage-car were thrown over the bank. Five persons were slightly injured. The names of the injured are as follows: George W. Blake, New York; William Crossly, New York; John Sadler, Jersey City; William Gasser, Weissport; Owen Hall, Easton. Medical aid was on the ground almost immediately, and the injured parties received proper attention. They were removed to the Mansion House, at this place, where all are doing well. None of them are seriously hurt and no bones were broken, except in the case of a brakeman, who had an arm broken.

The Philadelphia mint coined 4,600,040 pieces of money during the month of March, of a value of \$1,624,910.

"Did you catch that grizzly you started after last night?" inquired one hunter of another, who was somewhat boastful of his prowess in the hunt. "Wa'al no. You see I followed him for about thirty-six hours, and then the trail got a little too fresh." Does Mr. Heister Clymer see the point?

The Senate of South Carolina, sitting as a Court of Impeachment, has found Judge Montgomery Moses, of the Seventh Circuit, guilty of high crimes and misdemeanors, and dismissed him from office. A committee reported to the House in favor of the impeachment of Judge Butt, of the Charleston Circuit.

The Cincinnati soft money organ has been too mad thus far to say much about the abandonment of the rag baby by the Pennsylvania Democrats. It merely remarks in a bitter way that they were "either terrible liars last year, or they are terrible liars now." The observation appears to have a grain of truth in it.

The counsel of Lenahan, who murdered Captain Riley in Wilkesbarre eighteen months ago, who was captured in Ottawas Illinois, last November, and who was convicted of murder in the first degree and was sentenced to death January 29, has secured a delay of twelve months, the case having been carried to the Supreme Court.

A brutal prize-fight came off near Newark, Delaware, on Wednesday, last week, between two pugilists named Weeden and Cleary. About 5000 roughs, collected from the large cities, were present. The men fought for nearly an hour and a half, when Cleary was declared the victor. No police were about, and the ruffians will probably escape arrest.

An unparalleled case of cruelty to animals is being tried in the Erie County Court. It seems that the defendant, who resides near Erie, in trying to manage a balky horse, fastened a chain to its lower jaw and hitching another horse to the chain pulled the jaw entirely off. Such a brute should be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

A funny story in connection with the Beecher case has just come to light. It appears that Bowen was lately informed that a Brooklyn dressmaker had stated that a certain fashionable customer told her that she was expecting funds from Mr. Beecher with which to pay her bill. Bowen traced the story by means of a detective, and ascertained that the party named Beecher was a New York real estate owner and commission merchant, and not the Plymouth pastor.

There are eleven persons living in Rockland township, Berks county, within a circuit of ten miles, who are remarkable for longevity, all being between 80 and 100 years of age. Of these the following are the oldest: Abm. Rumber, 85; Daniel Angstadt, 85; Mrs. Rohrbach, 86; Mrs. Mass, 87; John Mass, 90; Jacob Bosburg, 98. Mr. and Mrs. John Mass have lived together as man and wife sixty-five years, and are yet a happy old couple, in the full enjoyment of mental and bodily health.

The Greensburg Argus says: A correspondent informs us that a piece of iron hung in fruit trees will effectually prevent the ravages of frost. The informant states that the night before the freeze in April last, he hung several pieces of old iron in ten of his peach trees, and that the fruit was not killed. The fruit of the remaining trees (fifteen in number) was all killed. A piece of horse shoe was hung in a cherry tree in the same orchard and it was loaded with fruit, whilst on three adjacent trees the fruit was entirely killed.

A hospitable lady gave her young friends a party, the other night, and when round dances were proposed, she strenuously objected; "but," she added, "if any of the boys wish to hug the girls, let them sit down upon the sofas and go right at it in earnest—but no round dances, mind you." They went at it, and seemed to enjoy themselves every bit as much as if they had glided in round dances all the evening. And the girls are "just dying," as one of them expressed it, for that lady to give another party.—Norristown Herald.

Judge Jerry Blake's opinion of the Democratic House of Representatives was expressed, according to a Washington correspondent, in the following emphatic terms. He was remonstrating against the commitment of his client, Kilbourne, when one of his Democratic friends said: "But, Judge, we couldn't do differently." Couldn't do differently! retorted the Judge, contemptuously; couldn't do differently! All that the Democrats in this House are after is garbage—garbage; and it won't be long before you'll be thrown out as garbage yourselves!"

Special Notice.

WALL PAPER at panic price, 6 cents a piece. No charge for trimming. Save time and money. D. R. BROWN.

April 6, '76.—2s.*

A revolution has been brought about in the popular opinion in regard to ready made clothing. Thanks to the enterprise, skill and enthusiasm of One House, at least, the standard of ready made clothing has been raised higher than was dreamed possible fifteen years ago. One can now buy in Philadelphia, at Wanamaker & Brown's garments ready made, good fitting, fine appearing, and in every sense suitable and admirable, for astonishingly low prices. They have been working for the public good while they have been building up their deservedly immense and far reaching business.

KEYSTONE DRUG STORE.

Dr. S. L. FOULKE & J. KRESGE, successors to Peter Williams, have purchased the Empire Drug Store, on Main Street, a few doors below the Post-office, and for the convenience of those who wish to call, will have a red lamp in front, and know hereafter as the

Keystone Drug Store,

where will be constantly kept Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Drugs and Medicines, and all articles usually kept in a Drug Store, at the lowest market prices.

S. L. FOULKE, J. KRESGE.

Dr. S. L. Foulke being a practical Physician, having his office in the rear of said Drug Store, cordially invites the public to give him a call, as he is fully qualified to prescribe and compound all prescriptions. [Nov. 11, '76-6m.]

Opposition to Humbuggery!

The undersigned hereby announces that he has resumed business at the old stand, next door to Ruster's Clothing Store, Main street, Stroudsburg, Pa., and is fully prepared to accommodate all in want of

BOOTS and SHOES,

made in the latest style and of good material. Repairing promptly attended to. Give me a call. Dec. 9, 1875-1-7.

TREASURER'S SALE

of UNSEATED LANDS in MONROE COUNTY.

Notice is hereby given, that agreeably to an Act of General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, passed the 13th day of March, 1815, entitled an "Act to amend the act entitled an act directing the mode of selling Unseated Lands for taxes and for other purposes," and of an act passed the 13th day of March, 1817, a further supplement to an act to amend the act entitled "an act directing the mode of selling Unseated Lands for taxes and for other purposes," passed the 9th day of March, in the year of our Lord, 1847, entitled an Act in relation to the sales of Unseated Lands in the several counties of this Commonwealth," the following tracts of Land will be sold at public vendue, on the

12th day of June, 1876, being the second Monday of June next, at the Court House, in the Borough of Stroudsburg, in the County of Monroe, for arrears of taxes due and the costs accrued on each lot respectively for the years 1874 and 1875.

BARRETT. No. Warrant's Name Area Per. Tax. 211 Barnett, John 90 70 4 51

290 Brodhead, Thomas 427 6 39 294 Brodhead, Alexander 353 22 25 304 Brown, Daniel 398 80 25 06

319 Chapman, Joseph 200 12 60 92 Dills, Abraham 190 12 17 204 Duncan, John 334 84 14 67

138 Moore, Patrick 225 14 19 122 Murray, Sarah 225 14 19 235 Murray, John 422 25 29 323 Murray, William 202 10 27

205 Smith, Jonathan 347 24 10 392 Smith, Elizabeth 393 24 76 251 Tyson, David 457 6 30

312 Van, Jacob 410 60 6 30 343 Vancompen, Gearhart 421 111 6 30 313 Vancompen, Rachael 404 111 6 30

221 Wills, William 343 72 15 12 311 Woolbert, Johnathan 411 66 30 98 307 Whiteman, Jacob 313 20 9 82

147 Able, John 400 15 20 188 Arndt, Jacob 408 97 15 38 189 Arnold, John 408 97 15 30

102 Barnes, Jonathan 440 120 16 72 174 Baker, Jacob 260 143 11 71 177 Bush, John Sr. 400 52 45 60

237 Arnold, Thomas 220 120 16 72 179 Bush, James 338 17 45 45 198 Bell, Joseph 408 53 48 14

187 Bell, William 400 99 48 60 192 Bush, Thomas 400 61 30 40 191 Bush, John Jr. 408 62 22 80

194 Brown, Daniel 408 97 22 80 198 Biles, Henry 408 97 46 52 195 Brown, John 200 7 60

199 Brutzman, John 408 46 52 230 Burrows, William 408 50 62

186 Sidman, Isaac 400 160 22 80 176 Summers, George 401 88 22 80 173 Sumner, Joseph 232 120 13 65

177 Smith, Robert 234 70 11 40 184 Shook, John 405 83 15 42 112 Smith, Pratt 432 12 49 26

219 Swartwood, Moses 318 140 24 18 230 Sprout, William 206 156 11 40 232 Shaw, Richard 403 93 46 53

230 Starman, Frederick 407 127 48 99 146 Taylor, John M. 400 23 60 232 Trail, Robert 408 134 30 96

214 Taggart, John 399 122 60 65 215 Taylor, James 399 122 60 65 Teel, Leonard 899 91 12

165 Vandermark, James 199 58 6 27 208 Vantilly, Richard 409 10 47 195 Vandermark, Jacob or Jan. 300 34 20

286 Vanuxem, James 438 70 33 30 188 Walker, Emanuel 428 95 42 21 208 Ward, Thomas 428 18 32 64

209 Ward, Hannah 411 67 31 25 Wheeler, Daniel or David 415 10 45 60 Wellington, Richard 50 4 66

Yard, Joseph 411 37 21 25 Yoh, Adam 400 19 00

CHESTNUTHILL. Bower, Dillman 288 12 96 Shupp, Peter 440 14 40

ELLDRED. Craig, John 255 7 62 Hefley, Peter 126 4 20

Hempflid, Joseph 173 6 29 Hower, John 178 6 29 Hower, Nicholas 120 4 20

Levers, Isaac 103 13 44 Weaver, John 175 6 29

HAMILTON. Vanorman, Samuel 100 3 12 Claywell, Sidney 140 1 00

JACKSON. Barnet, John 160 100 11 19 Ball, Margaret (part) 150 4 13

Delong, John 116 10 8 6 Gwinner, Frederick 260 18 56

Kroner, William 47 6 3 62 Kamb, William 415 30 92

87 Barclay, James 430 80 4 80

Hartman, Thomas 401 28 10 24 Hartung, J. D. 400 11 32 20

276 11 4 89 Lester, George 270 11 4 89 Purdy, William 405 150 21 60

Paechel, Thomas 400 11 23 70 Ronn, James 401 11 80

Rees, Derrick 100 13 30 Saylor, David 416 4 8 42

Shee, John 408 59 16 40 Starnes, Henry 439 80 28 87

Stigraev, Samuel 260 18 53 Stover, Richard 369 50 23 40

Stewart, James 400 80 12 30 Taylor, Amos 193 135 22 49

Towns, Charles 401 4 12 30 Wilson, William 282 64 28 70

Williams, John 338 10 16 40 Waters, Nathaniel 410 31 27 40

Wildman, John 300 15 54 Jackson, A. Reeves & Co. 139 101 11 47

LINFORD MARSH, Treasurer. Treasurers office Stroudsburg, Pa. March 23, 1876.

TREASURER'S NOTICE OF SALE OF SEATED LANDS, For arrears of Taxes.

The following is a list of Taxes on seated assessments as returned by the Collectors of the several Townships and Boroughs for 1874 and 1875, which lands will be sold agreeably to the 41st section of the Act of the 19th of April A.D. 1847, which provides for the Collection of taxes on the 12th day of June, 1876, being the second Monday of June next, at the Court House, in the Borough of Stroudsburg, in the County of Monroe, for arrears of Taxes due and costs accrued on each lot respectively:

Barrett. Acres. Taxes. Boram, Jacob 29 1 42

Dieterich, Nelson (down lot) 370 18 09 Merrett, Griswold W. 370 18 09

Stelling, James 179 7 78 Sanders & Co. 179 7 78

Stewart, John A. 179 7 78 Schenk, Way 109 3 70

128 1 78