The following letter will sufficiently explain itself. It is enough for us that it comes in an authentic form; and, however "doctor may disagree" in regard to the subject matter, we simply perform an act of courtesy to the recipient of this communication, who oc-cupies no doubtful position in our midst. The writer is a clergyman of good standing in Cincinnati, Ohio.—Philadelphia Bulletin. "CINCINNATI, Aug. 9, 1849.

"Dear Sir-I have lately read in the Saturday Evening Post, published in your city, under date of July 28th, an article on "Cholera in Cincinnati," containing some extracts from a correspondent in this city, who, the editor says, is a gentleman well and favorably known in editorial circles.' The correspondent of the Post ascribes the great mortality in Cincinnati from cholera: 1st, to the circumstance that the mode of living of the foreign population, among whom the epidemic has prevailed most extensively, is calculated to bring on the disease;' and 2d, 'to the fact that these classes generally employ either Homœopathic physicians, or illiterate and uneducated physicians of foreign birth, violently prejudiced against the use of calomel and opium.'

"As nearly as I can ascertain there are belonging to the congregation in Cincinnati, of which I have the pastoral charge, 104 families in all. Of these families, 86 have used. and relied upon, the homocopathic treatment in all attacks of cholera; 13 have used, and relied upon, all ropathic treatment; and the remaing 4 have had recourse to the eclectic or botanic practice; and the results have been

"In the 86 families that have relied upon the Homoopathic practice-numbering 476 individuals, including such domestics and others in their employ as abide by the usual medical treatment used in the familiesthere have been, since the commencement of the epidemic the present season, 160 cases of cholera, and a considerably larger number according to the definition as given by one of our distinguished Allepathic physicians, Dr. Drake. I do not include in this number all cases of diarrahea that have occurred in these families, but only those severe attacks which were of a decided cholera type, and which, if unchecked, there was every reason to believe would have resulted shortly in fully developed cholera. Several of them were cases of cholera fully developed, and some of the severest kind; and very many were attended with cramps, vomiting, ricewater discharges, &c. And out of all these 160 cases treated Homosopathically, there has occurred but one death. And it is but justice to Homoopathy to state, that this was the case of a lady whose vital powers had been greatly enfeebled by a recent confinement who did not send for her physician until six or seven hours after the diarrhan commenced, and who, owing to the numerous other calls at that time, supposed to be more urgent (for ho was not infomed that her's was a case of cholera) was not seen by him till about 12 hours after the attack, when the patient had sunk beyond the reach of remedial agents.

"In the 13 families treated Allophathically-numbering in all 74 individuals, including domestics, &c .- there have been 25 cases | the chances of success are so remote. and five deaths-all Americans.

Botanic practice-numbering in all 30 individuals-there have been 5 cases and no

deaths. "I ought to mention, that, in quite a number of all the cases treated, no physician was called, the patient having found relief from the remedies previously furnished the families by their respective schools of practice. I believe about all the families who have used the Homospathic practice have kept themselves supplied with a box of the cholera remedies, accompanied with the printed directions. This has generally enabled them to arrest the disease in its first stages. The proportion of cases to the number of persons composing the families, is almost precisely the same among those who relied upon the Homopopathic, as among those who used the Allepathic treatment, i. e. about one case to every three individuals. It will also be seen that the number of cases treated Homopopathically have been more than six-nearly six and a half-to one treated Alloopathically Yet the number of deaths under the Allosopa' thic treatment has been five times as great as under the Hommopathic. According to the ratio of deaths to cases treated Alloopathically, the Homosopathists should have lost more than 30; whereas they have lost but one. As far as these statistics go, therefore, (which I have used great care in collecting) they show that the new treatment has been more than thirty times as successful as the old or regular treatment as it is called.

"These are the most important facts which I have been able to collect by careful personal enquiry among the members of my own congregation. And I will add that they are not picked facts. They have not been culled from a number of others less favorable to Homopathy. They have not been selected with partiality, nor with any design or wish to favor the New School of Medical practice, but simply to show to you, and (if you think them sufficient importance to be made public) to the inhabitants of your city, and other eastern towns, how little foundation the correspondent of the Evening Post had for the assertions made by him and published in that paper, touching the success of Homorpathy in our city during the prevalence of the epidemic Cholera. I cannot think that any high minded and honorable Allepathist will blame me for collecting these facts, or for leaving it optional with you to make them public. For what other solid or safe foundation there besides facts, on which to base a rational conclusion in matters of this nature? And yet I do not explain for others the facts

"I remain dear sir, yours, with sentiments of high respect and esteem.

"B. F. BARRETT."

"DR. CONSTANTINE HERRING. The distance from St. Joseph, Mo., to the distance to the Bay of San Francisco.



THE AMERICAN.

SUNBURY. SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1949.

H. B. MASSER, Editor and Proprietor,

DEMOCRATIO STATE NOMINATION. FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER JOHN A. GAMBLE

Of Lycoming County.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY NOMINATIONS. FOR ASSEMBLY: FOR REGISTER & RECORDER: JOHN P. PURSEL, of Sunbury.

FOR COMMISSIONER: WILLIAM WILSON, of Lewis township. FOR TREASURER: GEORGE B. YOUNGMAN, of Sunbury FOR AUDITOR:
WILLIAM L COOK of Nor hum!erland.

NOTICE .- As the late firm of Masser & lisely was dissolved in March 1848, and the books left in the hands of H. B. Masser for collection, persons are hereby notified to settle with and pay over to the said H. B. Masser any balance due for advertising or sub-

EDITOR'S TABLE.

Business Notices. GODETS LADY'S BOOK, AND THE AMERICAN. Those of our readers who would like to subscribe for this elegant monthly periodical, can now do so at a very small cost. The Lady's Book is published at \$3 per annum, but as an inducement, which we are enabled to hold out by means of an arrangement with the publishers, we will furnish the Lady's Book and the Sunbury American, one year for \$3,50 cash in advance, to those who may wish to subscribe.

THE NOMINATIONS

Our readers will find in another column the proceedings of the Democratic County Convention, held at this place on Monday last. The Delegates were all in attendance, and great interest was manifested in the proceedings, although the number of offices to be filled, was not as great as last

John B. Packer, Esq., was selected as the candidate for Assembly, without a dissentng voice, the other candidates having withdrawn their names before the ballotngs commenced. Under these circumstances, the election of Mr. Packer is of course, rendered certain. Mr. Packer has the ability to make a good member, and that he will prove himself a useful and industrious representative, we have no doubt. The unanimity of his nomination will preclude the idea of opposition, and our whig friends, we presume, will hardly deem it advisable, to take up a candidate, where

The great contest was for Register & Re-"In the 4 families who use the Eclectic or corder, and it was impossible to fortell the result, Mr. Miles came into the conven- Wm. F. Packer and William Dunn. tion with 9 delegates, Mr. Pursel 8, Mr. Oyster 7, Mr. Barr 5, Mr. Haas 4, and Mr. Wilson 3. Mr. Oyster withdrew after the 4th ballot, which placed Mr. Pursel at the head on the 5th. The balance of power was now in the hands of Mr. Barr's delegates, and Mr. Barr and Mr. Haas having withdrawn, Mr. Pursel was nominated on the 6th ballot. The delegates of the Forks held the nomination in their own hands. and had they united, they could have nominated either Mr. Miles or Mr. Wilson .-The delegates of the uppper end believing that Mr. Pursel had been unjustly dealt with last fall, deemed it but an act of justice to give him another trial. That Mr. Pursel, who has had considerable experience in the office as clerk, will make a good

officer, there can be no reasonable doubt. For Treasurer there was but one ballot. Mr. Youngman, the nominee is well qualified, and will no doubt make a good officer. For Commissioner we have Mr. Wilson, of Lewis, a plain, honest and substantial farmer, of practical good sense, who will, we have no doubt, faithfully and honestly discharge the duties of his office. The other candidates having withdrawn, Mr. Wilson was also nominated without oppo-

William L. Cook, of North'd, was nominaed for Auditor. This though the last and considered the least office in the gift of the people, of the county, is in reality the most important, and we are pleased that one so

competent as Mr. Cook, has been selected. The nomination of Major W. L. Dewart, of this place, and William Follmer of Turbut, as Senatorial and Representative delegates to the next Canal Commissioners Convention, is a well deserved compliment to the democracy and standing of these gen- nesday last. The Brass Band of this place,

APPORTIONMENT BILL.-The bill for the apportionment of Senators and Representatives, will be passed at the next session of the legislature. It will therefore be important to have a democratic majority in order to have the proper districts formed. In 1836, Northumberland county was thrown to Lycoming and Centre, to make up a fraction of a few hundred. We go in for a re-union with old Union, notwithstanding her big whig majority.

WM. C. PATTERSON has been elected President of the Pennsylvania Rail Road in place of S. V. Merrick resigned. The Bem, are said to signify that Bem has met Wisconsin. How many letters were subject-South Pass is 938 miles. Just one half the road will be opened for business to Lewis- Jellachich the Ban, or chief of the Croa- ed to a high postage to pay the expense of

An association at Boston, has issued cirof postage, that may, and no doubt will tic cities, but they must have a very shallaw, that does not allow a free circulation dor and liberality, that does him credit, he this important improvement. does not hesitate to do it justice.

THE HUNGARIAN NEWS .- The Lon-Tokay; one statement places him at Neme- for itself. thi-Szathmar, which satisfies us that no authentic account exists of his precise position. The same uncertainty prevails respecting Bem, in Transylvania, of whose operations absolutely nothing certain is known. The general impression made from the desultory, contradictory, very crude statements which come from Vienna, that the Hungarians are concentrating their forces along the Theiss, with such a disposition as to check the advance of the enemy, avoiding a pitched battle, so as to veary out the allies, who find it necessary to bring into the field all their spare reserve. In this way it is very possible that the Hungarians may protract the war till winter sets in, when their enemies must put an end to the campaign. Up to this period the Hungarians maintain their positions far better than could have been anti-

The Democrats of Union County, ield there Convention on the 20th inst. Col. Henry C. Eyer was called to the chair -Capt. John Foster and Capt. Geo. Swartz Baum and Philip Hibish, Secretaries. Samuel Roush, Esq., offered a resolution in fawas negatived.

John Cummings, Jr., was nominated in the 2d ballot for Assembly as follows

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BALLOTINGS	1st.	2d.
John Cummings,	19	24
Robert Swineford,	7	2
Jonathan Wolf,	8	9
James Madden,	6	5

The whigs of Clinton county have tive. The Democratic nominees are. Gen-

MAP OF HUNGARY

We are indebted to our very ingenious oung friend, Dr. R. B. McCay of Norhumberland, for a Map of Hungary, engraved on wood expressly for the Danville Democrat and Sunbury American. As an ngraving it is highly creditable to the ingenuity and artistical skill of Mr. McCav. discredit to the best engravers of the city. The dotted line shows the route taken in the sally from Komorn to Raab, mentioned in the late news by the Canada.

The government has now twelve companies of troops in Florida, to put down he Indians who have been committing deredations and murdering the citizens.

OLD KING COLE .- Mr. John Cole. quaint old genius, who prides himself in his resemblance to Mr. Dallas in his flowing white locks and to General Tayin Philadelphia. He has raised the American flag under the shade trees before the State House, and sells pamphlets at 5 cents, descriptive of himself and his claims.

THE INVASION OF CUBA.-There eems to be scarcely any doubt but that an xtensive scheme is on foot to invade Cuba. and that large forces are enlisted in many of our cities for that object. The government, it is said, is impressed with the importance of the matter, but it is doubted if it can be stopped.

Opp Fellows' Procession .- A proession of the order of Odd Fellows of Upper Mahonoy and neighboring lodges came off at the House of Peter Beissel on Wedwas taken down for the occasion the day previous, by Jacob Hoffa, Esq., with a team rigged for that purpose.

There has been another fire at Wilkesbarre lately, supposed to be the work of some incendaries. A number of stables were consumed.

The work on the North Branch Canal now in the State Treasury \$150,000 appli- an unfortunate name for a dress maker. cable for that purpose.

BEM BAN BUM .- These three words which constitute the dispatch of General tions, and thrashed him.

The whigs are making vigorous efforts to culars in relation to a reform in the rates elect Henry M. Fuller, Esq., of Wilkesbarre, their candidate for Canal Commissioner. very well suit the publishers in the Atlan- He is to be run in the North as the peculiar friend of the North Branch Canal, and may low idea of the country, if they suppose probably obtain some democratic votes, the Press in the interior, will approve of from those friendly to that work, and who such measures. The country press will do not know that Mr. Gamble, the democontend, and will not be satisfied with any cratic candidate, is equally favorable to the completion of that important measure. We of papers within the limit of thirty miles have always thought it to be the true interest or more from the place of publication .- of the State to complete the Canal as speed-Our own views in relation to this matter, ily as possible, and would be among the are well expressed in an able article last to support any man supposed to be inifrom the Philadelphia Sun. Colonel Wal- mical to that measure. Mr. Gamble underlace, has himself, been connected with the stands the interests of the State and will, we country press, and with a degree of can- are satisfied, favor the early completion of

But little has been said in regard to the don Times gives the following summary of law, which requires the people of this counthe Hungarian news. The state of the case ty to decide by ballot, whether or not they is this. The Hungarians, under various are in favor of erecting a Poor House. We generals, occupy the line of the Theiss, and understand that there is an impression that Zuber. still maintain their position at Szegeden, the contemplated Poor House is a joint which the Imperialists have not yet taken work of this and Union county. This is Georgey is supposed to be somewhere about not the case. Each county is to provide

The Rey case is wrapped up in some mystery. The evidence is pretty clear that Rey was abducted through the agency of the Spanish Consul at New Orleans. Our government will probably send out a vessel of war and demand his release, from the Cuban authorities, with an apology and explanation for the outrage.

A FRIEND at our elbow wants to know when Harry Masser intends starting that democratic paper in Milton, for the purpose of preventing the Miltonian from getting any of the county printing ! Perhaps the American can inform him on the subject.-Miltonian Can't say exactly neighbor when the thing will be done, but hope it will be attended to James D. Barr, of Lewis; Wm. C. Wilson, tient with delay.

A Camp Meeting commenced yesterday, (Friday,) on the farm of Mr. Savidge, about three miles from this place.

That excellent paper, the Baltimore American, appears in an entire new dress.

COTTON FACTORY.—The citizens of were appointed Vice Presidents, and J. M. Reading, not to be outdone by their neigh- ted. bors of Lancaster and Harrisburg, have raised \$150,000, the necessary sum required for of the formation of a full ticket, which to complete a Cotton Factory which is to be commenced forthwith.

> We were blessed with a bountiful and most refreshing rain yesterday, (Friday,) for want of which, the country was suffering.

A Cargo of English Rail Road iron was received at Baltimore a few days since, the actual cost and freight of which, did not exceed \$35 per ton. Such prices are put in nomination Joseph F. Quay, for not only calculated to ruin our iron manu-Senator and Wm. P. Brady for Representa- facturers, but actually inflict an injury on the public, as the iron is of such an inferior quality that it is much less durable, and exceedingly dangerous by its liability to break, a fact acknowled and deplored by some of the English Iron masters themselves.

FORREST IN A NEW SCENE.-A very disgraceful scene occurred a few days since at Forrest's Castle, on the Hudson, if we are to believe the current reports. It appears that two gentlemen who had been out gunning, an amateur artist, and would have done no induced by curiosity, entered Mr. F.'s grounds on their way home, and encountered that gentleman at a well, where he was engaged, with a tin dipper, slaking his thirst. He roughly ordered the gentlemen to leave the grounds, it is said, and threatened, if they were not quick about it, to "whip them off." One of them, however, not fancying the tone and manner of his address, handed his gun to the other, when Forrest struck him on the ide of the neck with the dipper, and received in exchange a tremendous blow between the eyes; when both fell and a scrambling fight took place on the ground. On rising, Mr. F. backed out, and summoned his retainers to carry out his threat to eject the party from lor, in person, is a candidate for Sheriff the grounds, but a warlike demonstration on their part kept them at bay, and Forrest considering that

"He that fights and runs away, May live to fight another day, ncontinently fled to his castle, followed by his retainers, and shut himself up within its walls, The gentlemen then gratified their curiosity by viewing the grounds and the exterior of the edifice, and proceeded on their way homewards .- N. Y. Mirror.

DEATH OF A CLERGYMAN AND HIS WIFE BY CHOLERA.-The Western Christian Advocate announces the death of the Rev. W. Cox, a minister of the Baptist Church at Milford and his wife, by cholera, which seized them on the afternoon of a day in which they had been engaged in visiting the sick. They died on the same day, after a few hours ill-

DUTIES FOR DRY GOODS .- There was an nprecedentedly large amount of duties colring the past week. During Friday and Saturday alone over half a million dollars were received \$95,000 of which were paid by the Messrs. Stewart, dry goods dealers, in broad-

The Boston Post says there in the following sign in that city: "Miss M. Fitz, cloak and will be commenced forthwith, as there is dress maker." We should consider Miss Fitz

> THE CAUSE OF HIGH POSTAGE .- One day last week a bag weighing not less than eighty pounds, addressed to the Hon. Henry Dodge, passed through the post office at Jonesville, the transportation of that bag?

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION. The Democratic County Convention met at the Court House, in Sunbury on Monday the 26th of August, 1849, and was organized by ppointing Gen. JESSE C. HORTON Presint, GEORGE CORRAD and CHRISTIAN BOU-

BERLAG Vice Presidents, and George Weiser, Esq. and John D. Brittein, Secretaries. The following named delegates were Sunbury-Gideon M. Yorks, Geo. Weiser.

Upper Augusta-Dennis Woolverton, Peter Lower Augusta-Thomas Snyder, George Coal-John Evert, John Hine.

Rush-John Oberdorf, John W. Hoffman Shamokin-Samuel Hummel, Christian Bou schlag, Joseph Hoover. Little Mahonoy-Jacob Raker, Elins Pifer

Upper Mahonoy-Felix Maurer, John Het-Lower Mahonoy-Philip Spatz, Edward

Jackson-Henry D. Hoffman, Reuben Zart-

Northumberland-Robert Lesher, John J Point -Anthony Watson, Jesse C. Horton

Chilisquaque-Neal Caul, William E. Irwin Milton-J. H. McCormick, J. W. Huether. Delaware-Henry J. Reader, James D. Cathcart, James Smith. Lewis-Jacob Kerchner, A. J. Derr.

Turbut-George Kunts, John D. Brittain. On motion of G. M. Yorks, the Convention proceeded to nominate a candidate for the House of Representatives.

On motion of Col. Felix Maurer, the following resolution was then unanimously a- this morning en route to meet the General at

Resolved, That JOHN B. PACKER, Esq., of Sunbury, be unanimously nominated by this Convention as the candidate of the Democratic party of this County, for the House of Representatives at the ensuing election.

FOR REGISTER & RECORDER, &c. John P. Pursel and Edward Oyster, of Sunbury, John W. Miles, of Northumberland ; due time, lest you should grow impa- of Milton; Frederick Hass, of Augusta, were

BALLOTINGS,	1st	2d	34	411	5th	6th.
John P Pursel,	8	8	8	9	13	21
John W. Miles,	9	10	11	12	11	11
Wm. C. Wilson,	3	3	3	3	5	4
James D. Barr,	5	5	5	5	5wi	th'd.
Frederick Hans,	4	4	4	4	2w	th'd.
Edward Oyster,	7	6	5	3 1	vithd	rawn
John P. Purset	hav			ved	21	votes
on the 6th ballot,						

FOR TREASURER. George B. Youngman and Jacob Young of

Sunbury, were nominated. 28 votes. Jacob Young George B. Youngman having a majority of all the votes cast, was duly nominated for

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER. The different candidates having withdraws heir names from the convention, with the exception of Wm. Wilson, of Lewis, he was accordingly nominated by acclamation.

FOR AUDITOR. Wm. L. Cook, Peter Reed, Abraham Shipman, John Yordy and John Haughawout were

nominated.		
BALLOTINGS,	1st,	2d,
Wm. L. Cook,	9	20
Abraham Shipman,	7	
Peter Reed,	3	
John Yordy,	14	14
John Haughawout.	1	

Whereas, Wm. L. Cook having received a majority of all the votes, was duly nominated as the candidate for County Auditor. Mai, Wm. L. Dewart was nominated Senatorial Delegate to the fourth of March Convention next, to nominate a Canal Commissioner, and Wm. Follmer, Representative

Delegate. On motion of G. M. Yorks, Esq., the following resolutions were unanimously adopt-

Resolved, That the times demand a stringent individual liability to be applied to all new banks, and the re-charter of old ones-a restriction on banking corporations that no democrat will hesitate to endorse.

Resolved. That the intelligence and discriminating justice of the people of this State are such that all power can be safely entrusted to them. We, therefore, heartily approve, "not only of an elective judiciary, but of electing all public servants by the people." Resolved, That, entertaining the belief

that our glorious Union owes its present elevated position to the fact that the great democratic party has directed her destinies, with but few interruptions, for the last fifty years, we cannot but view the ascendancy of our opponents, in the National and State administrations, as a misfortune to the country that can only be remedied by placing the democracy in its rightful position.

Resolved, That in JOHN A. GAMBLE, Esq., our candidate for Canal Commissioner we have, in every sense of the term, a firm and faithful democrat, who will take care that the proceeds of our extensive public works are properly applied.

Resolved, That this convention have just cause for congratulating the democratic party of Old Northumberland, in the selection o JOHN B. PACKER, Esq., as its candidate for the Legislature. We present his name to the people of this county with unhesitating confidence, knowing full well that his plain and unassuming manners-his sterling integrity-his thorough knowledge of the tenets and doctrines of the democratic party, united with an intellect of the highest order, will ensure us an easy victory.

Resolved, That the nominees of this covention are well qualified to fulfil the duties of the offices for which they have been nominated. We therefore pledge ourselves to use all honorable means to promote the election of the "whole ticket."

A resolution, offered by Mr. Britain, o Turbut, relative to the revenue laws, was acaidently lost or mishid. On motion of J. J. Zuber, of Northumber and, the following resolution was adopted:

to the democratic party throughout the Union, to the democratic party throughout the Union, and to such whigh as sympathize with the struggling freemen of other lands, to unite as of silk of their own manufacture, as a token brothers upon the all important subject of human liberty, and urge our next Congress, by all honorable means, to acknowledge the dependence of every foreign country which shall have successfully struggled against the tyrannical power of its former ruler.

The following named gentlemen were appointed as the Standing Committee for the current year:

G. M. YORKS. Col. Wm. B. KIPP. REUBEN W. ZARTMAN. Capt. ANTHONY ARMSTRONG, SAMUEL ENT, Maj. SAMUEL LANTZ, Wm. WILSON, of Northumberland, HENRY READER, Sen., SAMUEL T. BROWN.

Resolved, That the proceedings of the conention be signed by the officers, and pubished in the democratic papers of the county. (Signed by the officers.)

GEN: TAYLOR RECRUITING AT ERIE. ERIE, August 28.

Gen. Taylor is getting much better. He vill remain here for two or three days for the purpose of recrniting his health. WASHINGTON, August 28.

In consequence of a telegraphic despatch eceived here last evening, announcing that Gen. Taylor had again been attacked by diarrhoa, and that he was lying very ill. Mrs. Taylor, the lady of the President, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Wood, left here

[ANOTHER DESPATCH.]

Ente, Aug. 28-P. M. General Taylor was removed to private lodgings this morning at 10 o'clock. He still continues to improve. It is thought that bodily repose will entirely recover him.

THE ISLAND OF CUBA.

This Island is 624 miles in extreme length, with a width varying from 22 to 117 miles. and covers an area of 37,000 square miles, being about the size of the State of Maine .-It contains a population, at the present time, of 1,400,000; of which about 610,000 are whites, 190,000 are free colored, and 600,000 slaves. Its imports in 1847 were \$22,389,-119, of which \$7,049,975 were from the United States. Its exports during the same period were \$27,998,770 of which \$12,394,-876 were to the United States. In 1847 the number of arrivals, at its ports, was 3740; and the number of clearances 3346. Its principal harbors are the finest in the world .-The amount of American tonnage employed n the trade with Cuba is 476,773 tons. It has 195 miles of railroad completed and in successful operation, and 61 miles in course of construction. It is well watered by numerous rivers, and its surface, except in the central portion of the Island, diversified with nountains. Only two-fifths of its surface are cultivated. Of the remaining three-fifths, now unused, one is probably worthless, leaving one half of its agricultural resources undeveloped. The climate is so genial, that it manufacturing purposes, and its mountains fortunate as to be elected, I will endeavor to dis

considerable advantage.

THE WOMEN OF HUNGARY .- Countess Csaky -Patriotism and true love of country, are the great characteristics of the noble matrons of Hungary. Ladies of the highest rank, as well as those of the humblest origin, all mingled together in a maternal bond of alliance, stand forth as the encouragers of the martyrs of the Republic. The young Countess Caky has been foremost in the bloody struggle; she raised a regiment of volunteers at her own expense, and is actually in command of it. The adjutant is also a lady of rank, and is her sister. They dress in the uniform of officers-Hungarian jacket, blue pantaloons, and a large sword by their side. Watchfires surround their tent, and sentinels keep guard throughout the night. Before the Countess retires to rest, she writes despatches to all her officers, giving them orders, and if any spy brings a report of an advance of the enemy, she is at once at the head of her division. With the most wonderful talent she lays the plans for the surprise of her enemy. To the discomfiture of the foe, her commands are carried out confidently and strictly. The animated patriotism of this noble woman inspires such enthusiasm amongst the soldiers, that each one becomes a hero in his courageous desire to out-do in deeds of daring, his compatriot. The skill in managuvring displayed by these admirable women is wonderul, and in many instances the enemy have surrendered to them without a blow. Not the less efficient are many other ladies who are not quite so famous in arms; every where the angelic presence of the women is visible, saving the soldiers from the jaws of death .- European American.

OLD TIMES .- Umbrellas were introduced by British officers into this country about the time of the revolutionary war. Parasols were then unknown. As a defence from rain, men then wore "rain coats," and women "camblets." Gloves were introduced about the year 1755. There were very few carpets before the revolution on the floors; when first introduced, they covered the floor outside of the chairs around the rooms.

QUITE A DIFFERENCE.-Gen. Taylor stated, when at Chambersburg, Pa., lately, that fifty years ago he passed through there, when a young officer in the army, and on his way from Baltimore to Pittsburgh, the whole of which distance he travelled on foot. Now he goes as the honored President of a mighty nation.

A WESTERN EDITOR, speaking of the venerable appearance of a stump orator, said that he stood up like one of 'em, with his bald head and hands in his breeches' pocket.

BANKING HOUSE AT LEWISTOWN, PA.-Messis Longenecker, Grubb & Co., of Lancaster, Pa., have established a Banking House at Lewis-

Resolved, That this convention recommend The "Economists" presented both Gen.

MARRIED. On Thursday last, by the Rev. R. A. Fisher, Mr. Samuel Thompson to Mrs. Maria Bisnos, all of this place.

DIED.

In Rush township, on Tuesday, the 21st ult., VICTORIA ISABELLA, daughter of Samuel and Rhoda Oberdorf, aged 2 years, 4 months and 8 days.

The Markets.

PHILADELPHIA MARKET.

WHEAT-Prime Pennsylvania reds are eld at \$1 04 a 106 and white at \$1 09a\$1 11. Conn .- Yellow is worth 64 a 65c; white 52 a 63 c. OATS .- Southern Oats are held at 28 a 20;

RYE-Market bare-small sales at 65c. WHISKEY.-Sales in hhds at 24 c and in bls at 27 cents.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

Office of the American, Aug. 28, 1849. GRAIN.—Sales of wheat at 1 05 a \$1 08e or prime white, and \$1 00 a \$1 05 for red, with an occasion choice parcel at 106 ets. CORN--Sales at 64 a 65c, for white, and

9 a 60 for vellow. No sales of Ryc.

GATS—Sales at 27 a 30c per bushel.

WHISKEY—Is not plenty. Sales of bhds.
and bbls at 27 cents. Some parcels are held above this rate.

SUNBURY PRICE CURRENT.

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Conse								160		54
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To all Wifom If may concern.

JOTICE is hereby given that the following certificates of Shares of Stock, in the Centr Turnpike Company, have been lost or mislaid, viz: one share in the name of John Buyers, deeased, one share in the name of Martin Weaver, Esq.; and two shares in the name of Jacob Gearhart, sr., deceased. That application will be made by the subscriber, to whom the above shares have been legally transferred, for new certificates of stock to be issued to him.

Wm. L. DEWART.

Sunbury, Sep. 1, 1849 .- 3t.

TO THE INDEPENDENT VOTERS OF NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY. Fallow Citizens:—Warmly urged by many of my friends, I have consented to be a candidate

REGISTER & RECORDER & nt the next general election. It is known to the most of you that I submitted my claims to the County Convention that assembled in Sunbury. od Monday last, and received a majority over any other candidate on the first four ballots. The yields two crops a year of many of its pro- were unjust and dishonorable. I agree to submit ductions. It also abounds in materials for them now to an intelligent community, and if so

Very respectfully your fellow citizen. Northumberland, Scp. 1 .1849 .-

To the Friends of Humanity This is to certify, that since Mr. Rockefeller has eld the offices of Register & Recorder he has kindly and freely supported myself and seven children, (the oldest being merely able to main-tain himself,) and that he pledges himself in his notices in the papers, that if the voters of the county will elect him to these offices at the next general election, he will give the one half of the proceeds of said offices to the support of myself and little children, for two years from December next, in which pledge I most cheerfully and wil-lingly confide. He has offered to give me secu-rity therefore, but I do not ask it of him, his word alone being a sufficient guarantee to me for tha

I, therefore, humbly and most respectfully, ask all the friends of my late husband, Martin Irwin, and the voters of Northumberland county, generally, to support Mr. Kockefeller; for should be be elected I would be able, with the aid of my relatives, to discharge the debt upon the house built by my husband, and secure a home for myself and

I am in a feeble state of health myself and have no means of support whatever for my family, nor have I had any since June last, except what I have received from Mr. Rockefeller; and that he has freely and plentifully given. May God reward him for his kindness. I, therefore, most earnestly hope, and believe that the friends of the widow and the fatherless will support Mr. Rockefeller for these offices.

RACHAEL IRWIN. Widow of Martin Irwin. Sunbury, Sep. 1, 1849 .-- 3t.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

N pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Cour of Northumberland county, will be exposed to Public sale, at the house of Michael Spatz, is Georgetown, Lower Mahonoy township, Northumberland county, on Saturday the 29th day of September inst., to wit: All the interest of Danie N. L. Reutter, (said to be the undivided half) of and in a certain lot of ground, situate in Lowe Mahonoy township, near Georgetown, bounded blands of Adam Binguman, George Brosius, Jaco Alleman, and the river Susquehanna, containing one acre. Late the cetate of said Daniel N. Reutter deceased. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. of sa

MARY A. SCHNABEL

By order of the Court, David Rockefeller, Clk. O. C. Sunbury, Sep. 1, 1849.—ts

Notice

LL persons indebted to Charles S. Bogar A save costs by calling on him before the sof Septembar, as he intends leaving all his counts in the hands of Esq. Weiser, on that d without repect to persons.
CHARLES S. BOGAR Sunbury, Aug. 18, 1849 .- 5t.

Teachers Wanted. PROPOSALS will be received by the Direct of the Common Schools of Sunbury, u 1 o'clock P. M., on Saturday the 1st day of St tember next, for two male and two female teach tember next, for two male and two female tests for the crossing year, at which time, at the passion of the passion of the passion will be held for the purpose of examination the applicants and allotting said schools.

By order of the Board,

G. M. YORKS, See'r

Sunbury, August 25, 1845