# SUNBURY AMERICAN AND SHAMOKIN JOURNAL.

## Correspondence.

EXTRACT OF A LETTER FROM THE EDI-TOR. DATED COLUMBIA HOUSE. Philadelphia, June 25, 1850. Steam has made a wonderful change in

the commercial world within the last ten years. Before the Ocean was navigated by steamers, only a dozen years since, we were often without news from the old world for a month. Now steamers are arriving every few days. Besides, California has become as it were, a new world to us, and may, in some respects, be viewed as a distant colony instead of a coterminous part of the Union. The arrival of the Cambria gives us the effect of the first intelligence of the invasion of Cuba in England. Parliament and the British Government were considerably startled with the intelligence, and a long debate ensued between the Ministers and the opposition members. The relations between England and Spain have not been, for some time past, of an amicable character, but England is extremely jealous of the growing power of the United States, and was, no doubt, ready to interpose in behalf of Spain, if circumstances should have required it. The Earl of Aberdeen in the House of Lords, stated that twenty years ago he proposed that England, France, and the United States, should guarantee the possession of Cuba to Spain. Our government refused to join in the guarantee.

Business is growing more doll as the weather grows warmer, and next month, when all will leave that can leave, bosiness will be at a stand. The boats to Cape May have already commenced running. The Penobscot and the Kennebeck are said to be very fine boats, with good accommodations, and under the command of obliging and attentive officers. The boats run between Philadelphia and New York, via; the Capes. The Columbia House, by L. Harwood, at Cape May, is highly spoken of for its very superior accommodations. The Omnibuses, which thread almost every street, are doing a shall hear from me. Yours, &c. smashing business, but the poor skeleton. frames of horses suffer terribly under the lash and the heat. How quiet the city would be without them ? though twenty years ago they were scarcely known. Yet numerous as they are here, they bear no comparison to the number in New York. They are a source of great convenience and enable many to live, as it were, out of town. To ride from Kensington to the Navy Yard, two miles, for sixpense appears almost incredible. It is in fact the carriage of the multitude, the poor as well as the rich. You have but to raise your finger and the driver stops to receive you. In New York, Broadway is literally jammed with them. A gentleman who was there a few days since, says he waited fifteen minutes by his watch, for an opportunity to is not exceeded if equalled by any paper published in Northcross the street. Some gentleman, sometime since who had the curiosity to count, stated that over nine hundred vehicles passed a certain point in one hour.

The Whig Convention, which we believe was the first State Convention, ever held in this city, was well represented. The delegates were treated with great hospitality .--The prospect of success being small, there was not much difficulty in making nominations. The Lancaster delegation were, however, with difficulty quieted, after the rejection of John Strohm for Canal Commissioner. His vote in Congress, refusing supplies to our

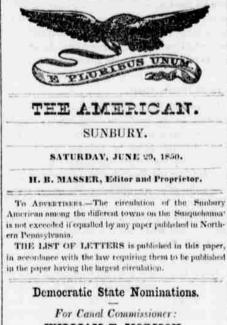
tre street as you enter it from Sunbury. The material of which it is constructing is brick. It is very large and not very well planned .--Besides its distance from the centre of town and the height of the hill upon which it stands are such as threaten to place justice beyond the reach of all who are not blessed with stout limbs and good wind. The public offices are to be placed in the basement. The jail will be built a few squares distant. The Court House will be under roof by the 4th proximo, when a jollification is expected to take place.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Hookey, the superintendent of the Gas works, I had an opportunity of examining the process by which the town is lighted. The Carburetted Hydrogen is produced here from rosin. The gas is pure and makes a brilliant light, alillumination of both houses and streets is not so bright as it might be. There has been much prejudice against the use of gas here, but is dying away, and camphine and candles are going out.

The scenery in the neighborhood is very horizon. The fact is that this region is not descends exactly in its zenith. The coal business has been overdone and will take some time to recover from its consequent prostration .--This town is very dall except on Saturday night and during the whole of Sunday, when

a constant growd are upon the sidewalk .--Yesterday, Sunday-there was a grand military display. The regiment under Col. Nagle paid the last honors to the remains of Sergeant McClure, an aged revolutioner. This regiment is justly celebrated for the neatness and taste of its uniform, and its high state of discipline. While this delightful weather lasts, we

will visit Tumbling run, Swatara falls, and all the rest of the grand places of resort here. and if any thing interesting happens, you



WILLIAM T. MORISON, Of Montgomery County. For Auditor General: EPHRAIM BANKS. Of Mifflin County. For Surveyor General : J. PORTER BRAWLEY, Of Crawford County EDITOR'S TABLE. Business Notices. VARNISH AND PAINT STORE .- We call the at-

ention of those of our readers who are in want of

such articles as varnish, paint, putty, ink, &c , to

STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE, appointed at

11th of July next, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose

TP The United States Marshall arrived

FOUL AIR.

West Chester, Pa., June 11, 1850

JOHN HICKMAN, Chairman.

of organizing the Committee.

The members composing the DEMOCRATIC

SUNSET ON THE SUSQUEHANNA.

## THE CUBAN INVADERS.

#### During the past few weeks we have wit-The Grand Jury of the United States nessed a succession of gorgeous sunsets Court, at New Orleans, have found a true which seemed to vie with each other in bill against Gen. Lopez, Ex-Governor Henvariety and loveliness. Our scenery, even derson, Gov. Quitman, Judge Pinckney under cloud, is beautiful, but beneath the and eleven others, for violating the neutralshowers of purple and gold that the setting ity laws. It is painful to us to see such

distinguished men arrainged for such a crime, sun pours over the valley, river and mountain side, it exhibits transcendant charms men whose public stations and trusts ought which alike defy the power of pen and to have placed them beyond the control of pencil. There is no hour of the day that such motives as led to the expedition. To some of them was committed the adminishas half the sweetness of a summer sunset.

tration of the laws they were the first to Morn may break with its rosy dawn, frabreak. They were looked up to by the grant with the fresh perfume of the opening flowers and vocal with the matins of a community, and their example has been thousand joyous birds, but there is some- the means of leading many to embark in thing in the magnificence of a summer sun- this scheme; some of whom have already though from the small size of the burners the set, where all the splendor of that orb bursts forfeited their lives. To whom can we out in a succession of brilliant colors, as confide the administration of our laws and man and beast, fatigued with the days's la- the guidance of public affairs, when Goverbor, seek their homes, the winds die away nors and Judges, high executive and judicial and nature seems to be composing herself officers, project and aid in carrying out ex-

nations.

for the repose of night, that gives us an in- peditions for piracy and plunder. What fine, particularly when viewed from Sharp definable pleasure. We could sit upon the obedience can be expected from the people mountain. Long lines of buildings stretch banks of the Susquehanna and watch one of when officers thus hold themselves out as and she must get it back, by force of arms, away from Pottsville on every side like the these sunsets through eternity and ask no the leaders of insubordination! Where can if necessary! diverging beams of the san when near the other blessing. Then as the sun slowly we look for safety when those who have

> "The moon is up, and yet it is not night-Summer divides the day with her-a sea Of glory streams along the dizzy beight Of the far distant mountains; Heaven is free From clouds, but all of colors seem to be Melted to one vast iris of the West, Where the day joins the past eternity ; While on the other hand fair Dian's cred Ploats through the azure air-an island of the blest A single star is at her side, and reigns With her o'er half the lovely heaven; but still You somny sea heaves brightly, and remains As Night and Day contending were, until Nature reclaimed her order; gently flows The Susquehanna where their bucs instil The odorous purple of a new born rose, Which streams more her stream and glass'd with glows,

Filled with the face of Heaven, which, from a far Comes down upon the waters; all its haes, From the rich aumet to the rising star, Their magical variety diffuse ; And now they change ; a paler studow throws Its monthe o'er the mountains; parting day Dies like the dolphin whom each pang imbury With a new color as it gasps nway. The last still loveliest, till-Us gone-mid all is gray.

CALIFORNIA NEWS. The Crescent City arrived at New York from pure love of liberty and disinterested to the 14th of June. on Monday, bringing fifteen days later sympathy with the enslaved, they risked news from California, half a million of gold the perils of war and the garote, by landing dust, and 117 passengers. The health of in Cuba, and braved the consequences of Chagres and Panama was good. A destructive fire occurred in San Fran- tion at home. What sympathy they de- stuffs,

cisco on May 4th, which reduced one serve from peaceful and law-abiding citizens fourth of the city to ashes. It is supposed we can not say. If a party of abolitionists to have been the work of an incendiary, were to make an incursion into Maryland, and a reward of \$5000 has been offered for attack and murder a planter, and plunder his his apprehension. The loss is estimated at house for the purpose of giving his slaves \$500,000. In ten days after the fire, ma- freedom, they would undoubtedly be hung, ny of the houses were rebuilt and several if apprehended, and they would deserve it. stores were replenishing their shelves with But they have the same right to do this as

new goods. The reports from the mining districts, only difference is that the latter intended both North and South, are still favorable. The health of the placers is good.

We hope the accused will undergo an im-The city fathers of San Francisco have determined to erect cisterns and sink artesean wells in all parts of the city, so that a If they are guilty they ought to pay the pen- has been passed entire. supply of water can always be readily ob- alty of guilt, and the punishment should be

IMPORTANT FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, June 25. Intelligence has been received here from California, relative to the certain political movements going on there, looking to results which will astonish the people of these States, when it is divulged. It needs confirmation, however.

ted at Worchester. News has also been received, of anothe revolution in Mexico-but of what extent 1 m not yet apprized. It is certain, however that Santa Anna has returned !

The prospects of the Compromise are less favorable. Mr. Soule's speech is having effect to strengthen the demands of the South.

NOTICE.

Townships.

Lewis.

Delaware.

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Suaburn.

WASHINGTON, June 26. The news from New Mexico created an ntense sensation, nere, to-day. It non-plusyear 1850, as follows: ses everybody, and summarily knocks on the NAMES head all previous calculations.

The Southern extremes are in a terrible Roup & Savage, liquor rage, "Resistance" not only to New Mexico, J Kamp, liq A. T. Beisle, he but California, too, must be made, now, "at all hazards, to the last extramity." Deutler & Armstrong The Texas members are particularly fero- Hayes & McCormick ions. Texas they say has been deliberately T E Albright Ludwig & Wank lig defrauded, and cheated out of her territory, Dentler & Armstron J Hime Efforts are making to pursuade the South Isaac Brown generally, to make this their common rallysworn to administer the laws excite and en-Blair & Reed liq ing ground. It is rumored, to-day, that Isaac Brown liq courage insurrection ! It is a sight which nembers are to meet in caucus, to-night to Swenk & Mastelle must sicken the heart of honest men who Aaron Comly deliberate on what is best to be done, in this love their country and her institutions. Wm H Frymire lig new exigency. John H Raser Theirs is a spirit which must bring run and The speech of Mr. Soule, and the growing John F Caslow disgrace upon the country. Unless it is desire that the Missouri line shall be made Hinen & Brother George Correy promptly checked by the swift and severe the basis of compromise, had previously Wm G Nagle strengthened the South in their opposition Haag & Caldwell punishment of those guilty, we may as well have no laws, no government, but live like to the Compromise, but the advices from David Hulbert liq Seth Cadwalader Turks and Arabs upon the spoils of weaker New Mexico now band them closer together-The Southern members keep cool and James Reed quiet-but the excitement on all hands is Adam Conrad The avowed object of the invaders was very great. Weather very warm. Wm Porter to rescue Cuba from Spanish tyranny and John H Vincent oppression. Their secret intention was to ARRIVAL OF THE MIAGARA, Samuel Woods get gold, glory and influence in that island. All Quiet on the Continent, The whole scheme was one grand specula-Forsyth & Priestly liq. tion from the beginning. Soldiers were James Tangart jr. Decline in Cotton and Breadstuffs. George Apsley enlisted for exorbitant wages to be paid, H Rush The steamship Niagara, Capt. Ryric, reach-Willam Elliott liq upon the contingency of success, out of the ed her wharf between 5 and 6 o'clock in the M J D Withington liq spoils. Officers were easily procured under morning of the 25th inst. Most of the pas- Conrad Wenek the same golden expectations. And yet sage had good weather. She brings Liver. S. B Denormandy James Taggart & Son lie they would have the world believe that, pool papers to the 15th, and London papers

S N Thompson liq Accounts from the continent represent John Young every thing quiet. The political news gene-George Bright J. Buvers & co. rally does not possess any importance. H. B Masser The crops are more forward, and this fact J W Friling liq has caused a reduction in the prices of bread-Wm & Reuben Fegely

Lower Augusta. The Niagara will leave for Boston about Heilner & Boughner liq eight o'clock. David Fisher liq ENGLAND. Simeon Hope liq John Kaufman liq The debates in Parliament present no new

feature. The Ministry have again been bea- Wm Hoover liq Lower Mahonoy. A bill having for its object the exemption Ditty & Leuker lig from sale, of all estates in Ireland, not mort-George Brosious Elias Weist liq gaged to a certain amount, has been intro-Benjamin Heffner liq duced in the House of Lords. Jackson.

FRANCE. John Carl liq The country is tranquil. The bill for grant, William Kearse liq Daniel Swarts liq ing pensions to the families of those killed William Deppin liq and wounded in the affairs of February and

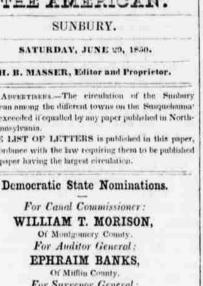
Upper Mahonoy. June, has been rejected. The bill for legal-Benevil Holshue liq partial trial, unbiased by morbid sympathy. ising the transportation of political offenders Daniel Heime liq 14 14 Charles Snyder & co liq 14 DENMARK AND THE DUCHIES. Little Mahonoy. Wm Rotharmel Several proposals for the settlement of the Coal difficulties, have been published by the Solomon Boyer 14 Schleswig Deputies. Preparations for hostil-Wm. & Reuben Fegely Ammerman & Zern ities continue. PRUSSIA Shamokin. Nothing of moment. The King is fast re-Leisenring & Wolverton 14 Shreive & Statsel H H Vastine lig Samuel John 14 ANOTHER CUBA EXPEDITION .- A New Or-John Vanzant leaus correspondent of the Norfolk Beacon, Taggart & co. 13 John C Morgan 14 says he has reason to believe, from what he Samuel Bergstresser has heard, that a second expedition against Upper Augusta. Cuba is in contemplation. He says, further, J Campbell & co. that it "will be composed of material which All persons engaged in selling Patent Medicines, are enforced against them, we shall make thing. If it is organized and once lands on in Northumberland county, are assessed as follows: Delaware or extermination, as, Cortez like, it will burn T E Albright the transports and render retreat entirely out Hayes & McCormick of the question. Traveling agent for Dr. E Soul Milton. INDIANS BURNT ALIVE .- An express came John H Raser in from Fort Lamarie, a few days since, from | John T Caslow which we learn that the small pox had gotten BEER HOUSES AND OTSTER CELLARS. among the Sioux Indians, who, to stop its rava-Milton Joseph Eckbert ges, had burnt to death a number of those Christopher Stine that took the disease. The small pox was Sunbury. Philip Brymire emigrants .- Western (Mo.) Reporter, June 8 Northumberland. Henry Wanck The total number of deaths in the city of BREWERS WITHIN THE COUNTY. St. Louis, for the week ending the 9th inst. Milton George Baker was a seventy-five, of which thirteen are reported as from cholera. Persons engaged in distilling iiquors, in Nor thumberland county, are assessed and rated by Another destructive fire has occurred in the appraiser of mercantile tax as follows : Milwaukie, Wisconsin, by which the exten-Milton sive stables of the Temperance House, to-**Christopher Stine** gether with several other buildings, were John Kohr destroyed. Twenty horses perished in the A Dence & Brothe Lower Augusta. Joseph Weitzel An Appeal will be held at the Commissioners office at Sunbury, on the 29th day of June next at 10 o'clock, A. M., at which time and place those espondent of the Picayone, writing from Havana says: interested may attend. The new plan of garrison and defence for DANIEL P. CAUL, Mer. Appraiser. Chilisquaque, June 7, 1380.- je 29 the island is to be put in force immediately. A rendezvous has been opened in this city and men are being enlisted "to serve out of BOARDING. the city." I am told they are to compose the THE subscriber will continue to receive and new corps of Civic Guards, which is to be accommodate a few transient or permanent two thousand strong. This force is to be BOARDERS, at her residence in Sunbary. ocation is in Market Square, one door west of the placed along the entire coast of the island "Sunbury American" office, a handsome and pleasant part of the town. To persons from the the stations to be made at every forty leagues and two small steamers are to be purchased city, who wish to spend a few months in the country during the summer season, Sunhury af-fords a delightful retreat. immediately, either in the United States or England, for the purpose of conveying infor-ANN C. MORRIS. mation. The Government are resolute in be-June 29, 1850 .--lieving that the feast 'is not finished. The

NORTHERN DISTRICT. Gen. Walbridge, that the Compromise Bill NOTICE AUTICE. Shereby given that the Supreme Court for the Northern District of Pa., will commence its annual session on the 2d Monday of July next, at the court house, in Sunbury. CHAS. PLEASANTS, CHAS. PLEASANTS, will pass the Senate by nine majority. So the public mind will rest easy on this point. THE LARNEDS ARRESTED .- The two brothers Larned, suspected of robbing the Charlestown (N. H.) Bank, have been arres-Prothy's. Sup. Court, N. D. Prothy's Office, Sunbury, June 11, 1850. THE cholera is at Nashville. There were Argument List. 1 Covil vs Maffit, Lu-13 Heinman vs Kent. zerne county. 2 Forbes Ryan vs Sut-well & Coleman, M'- 15 Ross adm. vs Phelps. six cases and three deaths on Wednesday last, and three new cases on Friday. Kean. 16 Ross adm. vs same. 3 B T Case vs Johnson 17 Shoemaker vs Rolland 4 Cooly 2d vs Taylor. 18 Gardner vs Davis. THE Venders and Retailers of Domestic and Foreign Merchandize, of Northumberland county, will take notice that they are assessed and 5 Holden vs Cole et al 19 Morss & co vs Ayers 6 Gulick vs Parkhurst. 20 Mains vs Fillmon. rated by the appraiser of mercantile taxes, for the 7 See vs Browing. 21 same vs Pelman. CLASS. LICENSE 8 Campbell vs Stewart 22 Sickler vs Warner, & co. 23 Chastellenx vs Fair-9 Maylard vs Jones. child. 13 \$15 00 
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Volunteers in Mexico, did the business for him. Henry W. Snyder the nominee for Auditor General is well known in our neighborhood, and is a worthy and competent man, but 1 presume he does not feel much anxiety for the cares of office, in anticipation of his election.

the advertisement of W. F. Peddrick, No. 78 Congress is progressing slowly with the North 4th street, Philadelphia. These articles slavery question. The compromise will no are manufactured by him and have the reputation doubt pass the Senate and will, I think, with of being among the best in the city, and at prices certain amendments in the House, pass that as low as any.

body. Should this event take place soon there may be some hopes of a modification of the tariff. Mr. Webster, by his patriotic and manly course has acquired many new Williamsport for the ensuing year, will meet at McKIERENS' Merchants' Hotel, in the City friends. The New England cotton mills and the Pennsylvania furnaces, will not be the of Philadelphia, on Thursday evening, the less cared for in consequence.

The markets are now well supplied with vegetables and fruit. Strawberries were sold, last week, as low as five cents per quart-

> **FOTTSVILLE** CORRESPONDENCE. PENNSTLVANIA HALL,

Pottsville, June 24th, 1850. My DEAR AMERICAN :- This town always reminds me of a large man in a small suit of ciothes. It is perfectly hemmed in by moun. having notes falling due on the 4th should tains and crowded together in a most uneasy and uncomfortable position, that to look at it on a sultry day like this, makes one feel as that day according to law, unless paid. if he was buttoned up to the chin in a very tight overcoat. But the demands of extentensive trade forced the people to erect hopat New Orleans, May 20th, with Cols. ses wherever it was possible to place them Gonzales, O'Hara and Picket, and Capt. and each strove to get as near the centre as Lewis, Cuba invationists, in custody. possible. Latterly they are extending their bounds, and Mahantongo street forms the most beautiful and pleasant part of the town. It is rather steep for a square or two west of Centre street but then ascends with an easy grade. A number of beautiful residences have been built along the upper end. Among these Courtland Terrace attracts particular attention. These houses are built in the cottage style and painted in imitation of red sandstone. In front are beautifully terraced gardens, and along the rear the sombre shadows of a dense thicket of young pines pre-The position commands a fine view of the town and much of the surrounding country. A little above of Conrtland Terrace, in a shady grove, is the Academy ; a handsome brick building, in which are training the future lights of the town. Among the faculty is Mr. Kirkwood, whose recent astronomical discoveries have immortalized his name.

Still further on lies the Cemetry. It is neatly kept, but does not contain any very striking monuments.

Silvir Terrace, at the southern edge of town is not yet completed, but its original style and imposing size promise to make it a most beautiful structure.

The new Court House is being built upon a commanding eminence to the right of Cen- is not original with him. increased.

near Auburn. They also severely wound- duct might have involved the country in a covering, and may be considered out of daned a trader and robbed his team. A party from Auburn immediately started in pursuit, overtook the Indians and killed twenmake war upon the Indians. It is supposed there were white men with the Indi-

NEWS IS SCARCE.

We judge from the column upon column devoted in many papers to a street fight be-

tween Forrest, a play-actor and Willis, an editor. One would suppose from the fuss that is made about them, that they were IF We are requested to give notice pillars of the state, and that the result of that the Bank of Northumberland will be an exhibition of rowdvism on their part closed on Thursday the 4th of July next, was big with importance to the United and that the board of Directors will not States and the rest of mankind. The fact meet until Friday the 5th. All persons is that nobody, except a few friends of the parties, cares a copper which of them was make their arrangements to pay them on whipped, or whether he deserved a thrash-Wednesday, as they will be protested on ing. In the country, when two persons so far torget their good breeding and decency

as to engage in personal rencontre, they that so far from perpetuating their disgrace by newspaper cards, they are too happy

to have the affair forgotten as soon as possi-Some scientific society down east has ble. But in our cuties, which set themawarded a premium to John Green, for a selves up as examples to the rest of the new method of expelling foul air from community, these personal matter become wells, &c., by means of unslacked lime .- affairs of national importance, and the rage This air, which sometimes collects in wells for carding is so great that even dutch and coal mines, is carbonic acid gas, and Charley and Yankee Sullivan felt themlime has long been used to dissipate it .-- selves called upon to make a public state-Lime, as used for white wash and mortar is ment of their grog shop quarrel. Now, we made from the carbonate of lime by burn- have statements and counterstatements from sent a pleasing and striking contrast with ing it with coal, either mineral or vegeta- Forrest and Willis, and their backers, tothe blaze of midday upon the pavement .- ble, which expels the excess of carbonic gether with comments at large from the acid and leaves the protoxide which is press, upon a common fight between two quicklime. By the slaking process it be- persons, who, if ever they were gentlemen, comes the hydrate of lime. Both the ox- seem to have forgotten it on that occasion. ide and hydrate have a powerful affinity This notoriety may be very pleasant to the for carbonic acid, and when thrown into combattants, but we much doubt if they

wells, &c. where it exists, will immediately are envied by any respectable man in the combine with it, forming the carbonate of country. lime. An equally efficacious method of If there is a taste among the readers of handsomely laid out, favorably situated and dislodging this or any other foul air, is to the papers which have taken such a deep lower into it a pan of burning charcoal interest in this fight, for matters of this diswhich produces an upward current of air cription; it is a depraved taste, and it becarrying off the foul and introducing fresh comes their editors to correct, if possible, in its place. Both methods have long been instead of pandering to it. We shall not be in use and we do not see anything in Mr. surprised to find others taking this new Green's which deserves a premium, as it mode of acquiring notoriety and exposing

their domestic relations.

ained. The number of engines and the heavier in proportion to the rank and influstrength of the fire department is also to be ence of the criminal. Whoever contributed his aid in this expedition deserves se-A party of Indians had attacked and vere punishment. Not only did they break murdered a few miners on North Fork, the laws of the United States, but their con-

system.

crime by concocting and aiding the expedi-

the "Ousel Owls" had to invade Cuba. The

to plunder on an extensive and wholesale

war and caused the sacrifice of numerous ger. and valuable lives. If they are not punished, we shall have bands of marauders setty-five before they fled. A Volunteer corps ting out upon similar excursions every year. has been formed to scour the country and There are always men ready to show their bravery and spirit in bloodshed rather than earn an honest living, and unless the Laws will fully test the practicability of the whole ans who incited them to these outrages.

> the United States a prolific brooding place the enemy's shores, its motto will be success of pirates. The high standing of Governor Quitman and Ex-Governor Henderson, should make them a mark for, not shield them from, punishment.

IT THE LAST AGONY .- Yesterday we saw a youthful sucker imbibing a julep in most luxurious style. Amid the green leaves of the mint, reposed a full blown rose ; and his nose inhaled the fragrance of also prevailing in several companies of the the flower, while he sucked up through a straw the iced liquid with most exquisite satisfaction.

OF The public dinner tendered to Hon. Robert Walker, at Pittsburgh, is, we trust, are so much ashamed of themselves after- on account of his services in the Wheeling wards, and feel their degradation so deeply bridge case. His labors to annihiliate the iron business would scarcely deserve such a compliment from the Iron City.

> 17 The citizens of Columbia county have held an indignation meeting, and protested fiercely against the erection of Montour county. They pledge themselves for a repeal of the act.

THE WHIG STATE CONVENTION .- This body met at the city of Philadelphia on the 19th inst., and nominated Joshua DUNGAN, of Bucks county, for Canal Commissioner. Henry Snyder, of Union county, for Auditor General, and Joseph Henderson, of Washington county, for Surveyor General.

17 The United States Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania opened its term at Williamsport on the 17th inst., and adjourned the same on the 25th. The trial of Geo. Baldwin, indicted for robbing the mail at regiments of Galicia and Napoles go to Santi ago de Cuba at once, and a reinforcement of his office in Great Bend, Susquehanna county, occupied the court for three days. The jury mounted artillery to the Control Department.

returned a verdict of "guilty." Judge Grier, sentenced the prisoner to ten years' hard labor in the Western Penitentiary, at Allegheny

libel suit, ten of his zubscribers have liberally The case of Charles M. Gearhart for robclubbed together and sent him one cent, ho bing the mail at Danville was likewise dispesed of. The jury brought in a verdict of ping that the example will induce others t "guilty" and he was sentenced to ten years' make up the remaining five sixths of the amount. hard labor in the Western Penitentiary.

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### CELEBRATION.

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THE Cadets of Temperanee will hold their annual celebration on the evening of the 4th of July, in the lecture room of the German Re-formed Church. The citizens of Surbury, as DOING THE HANDSOME THING .- The editor well as the public generally, are respectfully invi-ted to be present. Several discourses appropriate to the occasion will be delivered. of the New York Tribune having been mulcti ed in the sum of six and a quarter cents, in a June 29, 1850 .---

MINERAL WATER, from the Oak Orchard Acid Springs, highly valuable in chronic discases, and tonic remeales, for sale by HENRY MASSER. Sunbury, June 29, 1850 .- 4

### THE DRAWING

of this Sweepstake will take place publicly on the 23d day of August, 1850, the day on which the race will be sun—the place and hour being first duly announced by advertisement; when the names of all the horses entered, will be allotted amongst the subscribers in each class, and on the 20th day of September next, by which time the result of the race will be known, the Prizes will be distributed; the holder of the name of the winning horse in Class "A." receiving a Prize of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

that of the second, Twenty-five Thousand Dollars, &c. &c., in accordance with the above Scheme.

A commission of 10 per cent, to cover expenses will be deducted on payment of all prizes. Any further information required, will be afford-ed by Secretary, Mr. William Barroll, at the offied by Secretary, Mr. Winnin Darton, at con-ces as above—to whom all applications for Agen-cies and other communications are to be addressed Post paid, and all remittanes, either by Bill or Note to be made, in return for which, numbered Note to be made, in return for which, Certificates will be forwarded as directed. Lists of Horses entered for the above, and all other Races of Importances may be seen, together with Schemes of Sweepstake in the forthcoming St. Legur, &c. &c. June 29, 1850-