CALIFORNIA NEWS. From the California papers we make the

following selections:

Never, in the history of California, have the reports from the mines been so universally favorable. Placers which have been worked again and again, are paying well, while new diggings are constantly brought to light. Guided by the experience and skill acquired in past years, mining is beginning to be conducted in an extensive scale A large amount of capitol has been invested in floming, tunnelling, and water companies, some of them gigantic enterprises, and by these means many rich spots, impracticable to associated labor, have been made available, and yield rich returns.

Business affairs at Sonora are improving. Merchants are in fine spirits at the prospect of an immediate revival of business. The town boasts a number of fine stores, handsomely furnished, and soveral new buildings are going up-many refitted. One or two new banking houses are to be established --Five large stages arrive daily, loaded with passengers, while the stages to the neighboring towns are continually passing to and fro Twenty miles of the proposed plank road from Marysville to Nevada, have been surveyed and and easy grade obtained.

The principle merchants at Placerville, have signed a paper obligating themselves to suspend the transaction of all secular business in their establishments on the Sabbath

day. Mr. Michael Verona had been engaged alone for about three months, on a ravine leading into the Steamboat Bar; blasting a huge rock. During that time he had not made one cent. Thursday last he had entirely removed the rock, and took out five eighty two and a half ounces, worth about \$1200.

Substantial improvements are being made in Stockton. Three large two-story brick stores are in course of erection.

tween the 18th of April and 15th of May .-Healthy place.

Mr. Murray Hartford, of Michigan, was shot on the 12th inst., by one Thomas Wil-liams, on Sacramento River, some distance below the mouth of Chico Creek. The ball entered the abdomen, and caused a fatal wound. The murderer is now in custody, at Monroeviile.

A Sacramento policeman named Carrico, was convicted of receiving a bribe of \$4 50 from a Jew peddler. He indignantly resigned.

A company is being organised, at Placerville for crossing the Plains to the States.-They leave on the first of June.

A lady is lecturing in Placerville on the mind and philosophy of human progress.

tan.

One thousand three hundred and twenty dollars were subscribed at a small meeting of the friends of the Bible, recently destroyed by fire on Stockton street. The amount required is \$2,500.

A FORTUNATE MINER .- A miner, who has been at work in the North, deposited at a banking house in this city yesterday, \$30,000 in gold dust, the proceeds of the labor of him-



a not exceeded if equalled by any paper published in Nort on Pennsylvania

DEMOCRATIC STATE NOMINATIONS. FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER : THOMAS FORSYTH, Of Philadelphia County. FOR AUDITOR GENERAL EPHRAIM BANKS, Of Mifflin County. FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL: J. FORTER BRAWLEY. Of Crawford County EDITOR'S TABLE.

Rusiness Notices.

DR. VALLERCHAMP is again in town and ready to operate on those whose teeth want repairing. Those requiring the aid of a dentist should call on him soon.

NEW Goops .- We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Mr. Knobb, of cunces of gold, and one lump weighing Lower Augusta, who has just received a fine stock of new goods.

> HABPERS MAGAZINE .- The July number this valuable publication has already reached us. We look upon this Magazine as the cheapest and best publication of modern times. It contains cellent white paper, with illustrations of the highest order of art. This Magazine is published monthly by Harper and Brothers, New York, at

17 LAND WARRANTS .- Persons having Land Warrants for sale, can dispose of hem for cash, by applying at this office.

The thermometer on Wednesday last, at 2 o'clock, stood at 98 in the shade.

D The Hay crop, this season, has been secured in good order, and there appears to be an abundance of it. The price of good hay in this place is about \$10 per cloud of oblivion.

a Justice of the Peace, whose location was

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children and neighbors were fishing with,

and was the first knowledge they had of

17 The whigs of Dauphin county have

Assembly .- Geo. T. Hummel, Derry tp.,

District Attorney .- David Fleming, Har-

Commissioner .- John W. Kerr, Harris-

in the State, is one million of dollars.

len in the space of a few days.

Perry co., by E. L. Mowry.

commenced.-Erie Gazette.

MORE BAILROADS.

the early commencement and dompletion,

also, of the Allentown and Port Clinton Rail-

road, no longer doubtful. The editor says :

nominated the following ticket;

RIVAL RAIL ROADS TO HARRISBURG. OT FIRE IN THE MOUSTAINS .- The mountain along the narrows, a few miles There is a spirited rivalry in the Philabelow Sunbury, took fire on Friday, the elphia newspapers, between the Lebanon valley rail road company, and the Lan- 24th ult., and burned fearfully until Moncaster, Lebanon and Pinegrove rail road day following. The fire was arrested at company. The first road connects with the road, leading to Conrad's near the the Reading rail road at Reading and runs bridge. Some fences and considerable through Lebanon to Harrisburg. The lattimber was destroyed. The fire originated, ter road strikes the Reading road at Phanixville, and extends through Lebanon to rocks along the line of rail road.

Pinegrove. Gen. Cameron is the President of the Lebanon Valley road, and Christian E. Spangler of Philadelphia, President of the other. Both gentlemen are energetic and enterprising men, and the probability is that both roads will be made. This is an important matter to this section of country, as both roads will form a connection at Harrisburg with the Susquehanna rail road, running from this place. These roads, will

the heart-rending occurrence. no doubt, be so constructed as to run the distance from Philadelphia to Harrisburg, in less than four hours, so that the running time from this to Philadelphia will be but Lot Bergstresser, Mifflin tp. six hours. The time required by way of the Philadelphia and Sunbury road, through risburg. Pottsville, will be about the same. Travellers will, therefore, have a choice of routes at this place, and may go by one and return by the other.

RAIL ROAD SUBSCRIPTION CASE.

Some of our readers are perhaps aware that a bill was sent before the Grand Jury, in April last, charging several of our most respectable citizens with an attempt

to bribe Christian Albert, one of the Commissioners of the county, to induce him to subscribe \$200,000 to the stock of the Susquehanna rail road company. That Jury

was composed of men of character and standing, from the different sections of the county. Mr. Albert was the only witness There was but one death in Stockton be- 144 pages of matter, beautifully printed, on ex- examined, and such was the nature of the evidence, or rather want of evidence, that the Grand Jury promptly ignored the bill-The prosecution was then looked upon as

> one got up for sinister purposes, well understood in this neighborhood, and designed rather to gratify some private pique, or malicious promptings, than the public good. But as there had been some vague rumors in circulation, there might then have been

> some slight excuse for these proceedings. But after such a quietus, one would have supposed that the originators and actors in the matter, would have been glad to have seen the whole transaction rest under a

Not so, however, with the instigators of

RAIN .- Our neighborhood has suffered this prosecution, or we should more propvery much for the want of rain. For the erly say, persecution. They had been last two weeks a number of showers, have foiled with their own weapons. A few

been in sight, wearing not at this time, a men in one corner of the county, were from Easton to Allentown, a distance of 14 threatening, but a promising aspect, but called upon, and prompted by the prime miles; from Allentown to Port Clinton, a disthere was no outpouring to refresh the movers, who, strange to say, reside in tance of 30 miles; from Port Clinton to Auparched and famishing earth. The grass Danville, in another county. Information burn, on the Philadelphia and Reading Road, plats instead of presenting the appearance was made before Esquire Eckman of Rush, a distance of 6 miles; by the Dauphin and

RAILROAD MATTERS The various projects of the day in the West and pushing forward with commendable alacity. We scarcely open an exchange but some new line meets our eye, surveyed or let. By the Milwaukee Sentinel we learn that the Milwaukee and Watertown Railroad has been let to Messrs, Bishop & Co, of Bridgeport, Conn., who are to build the road

we understand, by the blasting of the by July 1, 1854, for \$585,000, one quarter in stock. The La Crosse and Milwaukee Railroad is now being constructed to Portage Mr. George Billmyer, an aged and City, and the credit of Milwaukee is given espected citizen of Liberty tp., Monjour to the amount of \$200,000. From Milwaucounty, was drowned in Chilisquaque kee to Portage City, on the Wisconsin river,

Creek, near his residence, on Tuesda,y the is 102 miles, and the road is to be completed by January 1st, 1855. From Portage City to 21st ult. His body was drawn out of the La Crosse, on the Mississippi, the road is t creek with a seine which some of his

be pushed forward as rapidly as possible. Notice of the opening of books of subscrip-

tion to the capital stock of the Atlantic and Ohio Railtoad Company is given in the Warren Transcript. That paper states that papers have been filed at Columbus for the organization of this Company with a capital of and it was not expected that any collision \$6,000,000, and that the project has been would occur. planned by some of the most wealthy and

energetic capitalists in Ohio. The line designated is to commence on the State line in Trombull county, and the Transchript says : It follows in the direction of Warren, Mas-

sillon, Millersburg, &c., to Columbus, and from There are now in California about thence will continue down the rich valley of twenty-two thousand Chinamen. The the Scioto in part, and terminate on the Ohio capital invested and owned by the Chinese at such point as will give an easy crossing of

the Ohio, and connect with the Maysville and Lexington road. Lexington and Dan-

The horse thieves have been comville, in Kentucky, are points of radiation mitting extensive depredations in Union from within by roads now in course of construction. Charleston, (S. C.) Savannah, county of late, five or six having been sto-Mobile, Nashville, and Louisville, will be reached in the most direct lines possible .--With chartered rights now in reach in Penn-17 The Liverpool American is the title sylvania, to connect with the Sonbury and of a new paper just started at Liverpool, Erie and the Cattawissa and Easton roads,

a line will be formed with a saving of distance, to New York and Philadelphia, of, at The Contractors of the Sunbury and least 150 miles; and, with connections now Erie Rail Railroad are on hand, ready to in progress of construction, will give a uni. commence active operations just as soon as form guage from New York and Philadelthe route is located, which will probably else are genuine phia to the great South, to Cincinnati and

be in two weeks. The pier work-given Chicago. tolMessrs. Whalon and Galbraith-has been The Grand Jury of Allegheny county, Pa., have recommended a subscription of \$500.-

000 to the Pittsburg and Steubenville Rail, road, \$150,000 to the Cleveland and Pittsburg. and \$150,000 to the Chartiers Valley Rail-The Allentown Democrat thinks that sec-

cess of the Lebanon Valley Railroad, renders road. The whole railroad debt created by the county of Allegheny, city of Pittsburg, and Allegheny City, and the debt recommended to be created, foots up five millions of dollars. Credit well invested, every dol-

"It must be made, and that, too, speedily, inasmuch as it forms a short link of about lar of it. 30 miles in the great chain of Railroads that Ground has been broken by the contract-

are to connect the city of New York and the ors of the Chicago, St. Charles and Missis-East with the trade of the South East and sippi Air-Line Railroad; and the work on the West. Look at the routs, which will be Aurora Extension and Central Military Tract nearly as follows : From New York over the Railroad is progressing rapidly. It will reach New Jersey and Central Raiload to Easton, the Mississippi river at Oquawka the present Pa., a distance of 63 miles, now in operation; year.

DISASTROUS CONFLAGRATION IN PITTS-BURGH.

PITTSBURGH, Jone 27 .- Last night, near the canal, a most disastrous fire broke out, which, at one time, from the inflammable

ARRIVAL OF THE BALTIC.

LATER FROM EUROPE. NEW YORE, June 26 .- The Collins' steamship Baltic arrived here this evening, at half past six o'clock, bringing dates to the 15th inst., four days later than the advices per Niagara.

A splendid entertainment has been given Commodore Vanderbilt, of the "North Star," by the City of Southampton, at which 200 guests were present. The Commodore, Cloths, Cassimers, Saltinetts, Vestings, Flan-nels, Muslin, Sc. subsequently, took a large company from Southampton on a pleasure trip to the southwest of England, in his splendid yacht. The recent strike among the cotton laborers of Liverpool was about to be settled

amicably. ENGLAND.

The English government have, both i the House of Lords and Commons, announced that the British and French fleets were jointly despatched to the Dardanelles, furnished with like instructions. The best understanding existed between France and England,

> FIRST LOCOMOTIVE -The Absecom Railroad Company placed the first locomotive ou the track of their road on Monday Morning. It is intended to carry materials for laying the track from Cooper's Point along the route. The rails have been laid to the old Newton Friends' Meeting House,

POISONING.

Thousands of parents who use Vermifuge omposed of Castor oil, Calomel, &c., are not

aware, that while they appear to benefit the patient, they are actually laying the foundaions for a series of deseases, such as salivation, loss of sight, weakness of limbs, &c. In another column will be found the adverisement of Hobensack's Medicines, to which we ask the attention of all directly interested n their own as well as their Children's health. In Liver Complaints and all disorders arising from those of a bilious type, should make

use of the only genuine medicine, Hobensack's Liver Pills. IF "Be not deceived," but ask for Hobensack's Worm Syrup and Liver Pills, and observe that each has the signature of the Proprietor, J. N. HOBENSACK, as none

MARRIED.

In McEwensville, on the 13th ult., by the Rev. S. R. Boyer, Mr HENRY STIFF, of Jersey City, lo Miss JANE P. MCWILLIAMS, of Delaware township. On the 19th ult., by the same, Mr ROBERT

H. SEILER, to Miss MARGARET ANN BARBER, both of the vicinity of McEwensville.

DIED.

At the residence of his mother in this place, on Wednesday morning last GEORGE HALL, aged about 32 years.

In Jackson township, on the 15th ult., REBECCA, wife of Nicholas S. Diumheller, aged 30 years, 3 month and 14 days. In Delaware township, on the 16th ultimo, AUGUSTUS GERMAN, son of Isaac Balliett, aged 1 year, 4 months and 15 days.

The Markets.

Jane E. Kay. Elizabeth Dentler, dec'd., settled by her Ex'rs Philadelphia Market. Jone 29, 1853. John Young and Geo. F. Miller. Simon Lenker, dec'd., settled by his Executors

More New Goods It WILLIAM A. KNOBB.

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally, that he has just received and opened a large and splendid stock of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

at his Store in Lower Augusta township. His stock consists of every variety of

Dry Goods, viz :

A splendid stock of LADIES DRESS AND FANCY GOODS.

Such as Silks, Berages, De Laines, Merinoes, Lawns, Ginghams, Calicoes, Sc. BOOTS AND SHOES,

fine assortment for Men, Women & Children A large assortment of GROCERIES. SUCH AS

Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Molasses, Spices, &c. Hardware and Queensware.

Fish, Salt and Liquors. SUCH AS

Gin, Brandy, Rum and WhiskeY, Besides the largest and most general assort-nent of all kind of Goods to be had in the country. All the above mentioned goods will be sold a such reduced prices as they can not be got for elsewhere.

Country produce of all kinds taken in exchange at the highest market prices. Augusta twsp., July 2, 1853.-6m.

Two Stray Cows.

STRAYED away from the subscriber, about two weeks since, 2 stray cows, both white and red ; one more white than the other; one cows' horns turns a little backwards. Both give failk. Whoever informs the subscriber where they are, will be liberally rewarded.

PETER M. YOCUM, Shamokin township, Bear Gap P. O. July 2, 1853 .- St.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that books will be append to receive subscriptions to the Capi-tal Stock of the Selinsgrove Bridge Company, on Wednesday, the 27th of July next, at the following named places : At the house of Mrs. Davis in Selinsgrove, Jacob Fryer, Middleburg, Charles D. Kline, Lewisburg and Isaac D. Boyer in Freeburg, Union county, also at the house of Samuel Thompson in Sunbury, Peter Snyder in Lower Augusta township, and J. Herb in Upper Mahanoy township in Northumberland county and at the house of Michael Weaver in Minersville, Schuylkill county, at which time and places one or more of the undersigned will attend for the purpose of receiving such subscriptions.

COMMISSIONERS. Ner Middleswarth, Peter Snyder, H. W. Snyder, W. F. Wanenseller

G. Leisenring,	Charles A. Mover,
James K. Davis,	G. F. Miller,
Henry C. Eyer,	Jno. Walls,
John Gundy,	Jacob Seasho.tz.
J.an B. Packer,	William Cameron,
Edward Y. Bright,	Ira T. Clement,
Selinsgrove, July 2,	

REGISTERS' NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Legatees. 1N Creditors and other persons interested in the Estates of the following named persons, that the Executors, Administrators, and Guardians of said Estates have filed their accounts with the Register of Northumberland County, and that the same will be presented to the Orphans' Court of said County, on Tuesday, the 2d day of August A. D., 1853, in the forenoon, for confirmation and alowance. Charles H. Kay, dec'd., settled by his Adm'rix

self and son, during the past ten or twelve of a green velvet lawn, is bronzed over by months, from a claim for which \$1200 ws, that ardent limner, the sun. paid. The fortunate owner of this snug little fortune has been in the State only thirteen Wednesday last, several most refreshing months. He leaves his son still at work in showers. the claim, with a fair prospect of continued good fortune.

FROM COLOMA .- We glean the following from the Miner's Advocate of Saturday :

A party working at Mamolake Hill took out in two days last week, 306 ounces of gold.

BORING FOR COAL.

We were out on the N. American coal Company's Mill Creek tract, on Monday last, and witnessed the boring operation as carried on by steam power. The company commenced this work on the 20th of Janua. bury rall road, now building at this place, in a few miles of Danville. ry last, and have in the mean time descend- which connects the basin with the river, is ed 280 feet 75 inches. So far every thing strata through which they have passed, confirm the theory on which they based their operations. In descending they passed Holmes Vein at a depth of 95 feet. This Bright has put up a crane and is now prevein they found 3 feet 9 inches in thickness, pared to make castings of almost any size and underlaying it 5 ft. 5 in. of slate and up to five tons. The uprights intended for sand stone, followed by 51 ft. of Free-stone. the lock will be about two feet apart, and After this, 35 ft, of brown stone intermixed with iron bowlders, and this followed by two and three thousand pounds. The lock slate, a small leader of coal and then again iron ore, and slate, and other material till they struck the conglomeratic rock at 242 ft. b in. from the surface. The position of this are no less than twenty seven hundred rock corresponds in the test with the survey screw bolts required, from two to four feet made by Mr. Shafer, Mining Engineer, pre- in length, many of them weighing from 25 paratory to commencing operations. They to 30 pounds each. The foundation of the have now sunk a distance af 38 ft. 21 in. in lock is nearly dug out and the workmen this rock, which leaves only about 16 ff. of will commence putting up the new structhis material to pass through yet. A few ture in the course of a week or ten days. that the Maginnesion theory holds good in Hands are very scarce, but the contractors, weeks at farthest will determine the fact this, as in other instances of trial, or it will Messrs. E. Y. Bright and Ira T. Clement, unexpectedly prove that it has great and seri- are pushing the work as vigorously as posuns exceptions in its laws. Here all are sible.

On Wednesday evening, and since the confident that it will hold correct and that this trial will establish the fact that the 7 ft. above was written, we witnessed the casting of the first of those heavy uprights, of to be made in the Danville papers. wein and the Mamoth vein, be found inconvenient proximity to the surface, of not only which we understand there are one hunthe Mill Creek tract embracing 420 acres, dred and ten to be made, weighing from but also of the Centreville tract containing 2,400 to 3,000 pounds each. The cupalo 400 acres more; both owned by the N performed admirably, melting a thousand Ametican Coal Company. We are awaiting pounds of iron every fifteen minutes. Mr. the result with great interest, and will lay it Bright intends putting up an additional before our readers at the earliest day. cupalo and is otherwise enlarging his works-

Mining Register.

NEW ZEALAND.

DISCOVERY OF GOLD FULLY ESTABLISHED have reestablished the gate, on their road, -A NEW FIELD .- By a recent arrival we near this place. Some of the farmers have files of The Auckland New Zealander to December 15th, later than previous advices. speak of it as a great annoyance, though The last accounts received from this group the toll is but trifling. The road has been informed us of the discovery of very minute free to farmers and others, coming to marflakes of gold upon one of the Islands, and ket, for many years, though we believe at stated that many had, in consequence, been one time, toll was charged, no matter how induced to turn their attention to gold huntshort the distance. The toll on the mill ing in hopes of finding a profitable field .wagons, to Haas and Weitzels mills, from By the present arrival we learn that their town, is one and a half cents for going and search has proved successful, and the extensive gold mines in the colony is already er- coming. There is certainly much dissatisfaction.

Since writing the above, we had on ville, and the sympathies of whose neigh-

TT IMPROVEMENTS .- We are pleased to see that Messrs. Friling and Grant of this place have under way another large building, a brick house on the corner lot adjoining the building put up last fall. Houses Another party in an afternoon took out 294. are much wanted and we wish we could infuse the same spirit of improvement, into some of our more wealthy citizens.

The Centre Turnpike Company

the defendants, one of whom together with Mr. Albert, the witness, reside in the ex. IF LARGE CASTINGS .- The lock, at treme end of the county 30 miles distant. the terminus of the Philadelphia and Sun- to appear before the Justice in Rush, with-We expected, as a matter of course, that

to be constructed of cast iron, on a new some additional testimony would be offer- was taken out without having received the of the officers. has worked satisfactorily, and the various plan, by Kimber Cleaver, Esq., Chief En- ed, but strange to say, Mr. Albert was the gineer. The large castings are now being only witness examined, and he swore that made in the foundry and machine shop of his testimony was the same as that offered through various materials, and reached the E. Y. Bright. Esq., of this place. Mr. before the Grand Jury, and upon which that respectable body had promptly dismismissed the case.

> In his argument Mr. Montgomery assailed the defendants with all the venom and are twenty feet high, and weigh between bitterness he could muster, and in the ebullition of his frenzy charged the Borough will be 90 feet long, and 32 feet wide, and will require about 120 tons of iron. There tainted atmosphere."

> > Happily, however, Mr. Montgomery is ooked upon as a kind of a mono maniac upon any thing relating to Sunbury, and nity, that it can result in no injury to any one except, perhaps, to the originators of these proceedings. We should have left his case for adjustment by the court, without a word of comment, had not Mr. Montgomery caused an exparte statement

my We are indebted to the Gamma Epsilion Society of Dickinson Seminary at Williamsport, for a copy of their anniversary magazine, enclosing a certificate of our election as an honorary member. The paper and typography could bear considerable improvement.

BT The Williamsporters are rejoicing n a live locomotive placed on the Willamsport and Elmira road, for the purpose of carrying materials to lay the track .-We shall have two of them on the Philadelphia and Sunbury road, a few weeks hence.

63 Four Thousand Passports have late ly been issued to Hungarians who design coming to America. Most of them are bound for California. The emigrants promise not to return to Austria.

uehanna Railroad from Auburn to the coal mines of Rauch Gap, 31 miles; from most convenient for the operators in Dan-Rauch Gap to Dauphin, on the Susquehanna, 29 miles; and thence over the Pennsylvania bors were more likely to assimulate with Central Railroad, now in operation, to Pittsthe citizens of that place. John G. Mont-

burg, a distance of 248 miles; making a gomery, Esq., of Danville, whose love for considerably shorter route from New York to the interest of the people of this county Pittsburgh and the Ohio than any other .-and for the people of Sunbury in particular, When we consider, too, that this whole line, with the exception of these thirty miles, will is proverbial, had invested himself with be in successful operation in a very few the title of counselor and prosecutor genmonths, it would be absurd for our people to eral. At his instance a special, instead of feel indifferent to these enterprises." a general warrant was issued, compelling

ACCIDENT IN A COAL MINE .--- On Wednes day morning, as the workman were about entering the coal mines of the Messrs. Horton, at Donaldson, Schuylkill county, a large McCluskey with a knife. The unfortunate mass of coal fell, completely burying one of the men in a standing position. After remaining in that situation for 22 hours, he escaped, and has thus far eluded the pursuit

slightest injury. His life was preserved by a large lump of coal about ten yards in thickness, which wedged him so tightly that he was mable to move. The mass of coal that which crosses the basin, when it suddenly fell, was estimated at 75 tons, being the result of a single blast the night previous.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

We are pained to learn that John Heninger, of Kelly township, Union county, and an Irishman whose name we did not ascertain, were drowned in the pool of Mancy dam, on of Sunbury with wholesale corruption, al- Saturday, the 18th ult., while attempting to ledging that the defendants came from "a cross the river in a boat, in company with four other persons. When about midway

the boat sunk, and before assistance arrived, these two were drowned. In connection with this two other accidents

occurred, which came near proving fatal. A this whole movement is so well understood, Mr. Huntingdon was proceeding to inform by every right minded man in the commu- the family of M. Heninger of their sad bereavement, when his horse run off, and threw him out of the buggy, breaking both his arms. A cannon was procured and placod upon a flat, whereon were a number of men, for the purpose of being fired to raise the drowned bodies, which, at the first fire, was reat in pieces, scattering them in all directions, but fortunately passed by those on the flat .-- Miltonian.

> OIL OF TOADS .- The Auburn (N. Y.) Ad vertiser, under the head of "something new" notices a collection of six or seven hundred toads-all alive and kicking-which were destined to be boiled down for the oil which is in them and which forms one of the ingre. idents of a new rheumatic ointment. We suspect that the "oil of toads," in the any country.

shape of ointment or something else, is getting to be very extensively used, judging from the amount of 'todyiam' one meets with .- Erie Gazette.

progress in that State.

material, threatened the destruction of large portion of that part of the city.

About half-past nine o'clock the alarm of fire was sounded, and found to proceed from at \$3 75; sales of the latter at \$2 621. the burning of the canal boat Charles Dunn, Sales of 3000 bu. Penna, white at 120c per lying in the basin. The fire rapidly spread bushel. Penna. red is worth 112a114 cts. and communicated to the adjacent ware-Sales of Rye at 85c. Corn is steady ; yelhouses. ow sells 60 cts, and white at 57 cents .-Mulvany & Ledlie lost two thousand boxes Oats are dull at 39a40 cants.

of glass, for which they were insured for at 22cents. \$6500 in the Delaware Mutual. The fire spread on both sides, and all the adjoining property was more or less injured.

GRAIN -Several parcels of good to prime During the fire a difficulty took place be red Wheat were in market te day and sold at 100a106 ets. At the Corn Exchange about tween some of the firemen. A few minutes after a man by the of G. Gracey, cut Thomas 10,000 bushels of Corn were sold at 56a58 ets for yellow, and 53a55 cts. for white. We man lived but a short time after receiving continue to quote Pennsylvania Rye at 82 cts Sales of Vitginia Oats at 36a38 cts. ; of Marythe stab. In the confusion the murderer land at 37a40 cts.; and of Pennsylvania at 421 cts. WHISKEY .- This article is scarce, but the

About half-past ten o'clock a most thrilling and frightful scene occurred. About two hundred persons were standing on the bridge gave way, precipitating the whole of them into the canal. A cry of horror arose, and hundreds at once rushed to the rescue A large number of them were seriously injured, but it is believed that not a single life was

The whole loss by the fire is estimated at from \$75,000 to \$100,000, which is partly TALLOW. covered by insurance.

CALIFORNIA SUMMER CROPS .- The Santa Clara Register says :- All appearances indicate that the harvest throughout the valley of San Jose will be far greater than ever was realized before from the labors of the field, even in this fruitful valley. The yield per acre of all kinds of grain will be enormous. Egypt, at her most fertile and best cultivated era, never produced more abundently than the soil of this garden of California. To persons all kinds of grain will be enormous. Egypt, accustomed to the best wheat districts in eight o'clock in the evening. All persons violating New York and Michigan, the luxuriant appearance of our grain fields is surprising .-Few, until convinced by observation, credit the newspaper accounts of California productiveness & the mammoth proportions the general climate gives to every variety of cultiva-

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made, at the next regular session of ted plants in the vegetable king. In every ted plants in the vegetable king. In every direction throughout the county the farmers are busy in cotting hay, and such hay, the stwo hundred thousand dollars, with the privispontaneous growth of the country, the wild lege of extending it to four hundred the dollars, to be located in the portugat to be called Northumberland county, Pa., and to be called "Tur Mixens' Bask or Sussura." pliars, to be located in the borough of Sunbury. oats now beginning to turn. No better provended for horse or cattle can be found in

INDEED, & NOBLE MONUMENT .-- To honor the memory of the Duke of Wellington, a magnificent School is to be established, at which children of Army officers are to be roan, with a light tail, long fore top hanging the memory of the Duke of Wellington, a with.—Erie Gazette. THE MAINE Law.—Michugan never goes into an election with any halt-way-fervor.— It is always largely one side or another. The to be the subscription with \$2500 each; and there are into an election with any halt-way-fervor.— It is always largely one side or another. The to be the subscription with \$2500 each; and there are into an election with any halt-way-fervor.— It is always largely one side or another. The to be the subscription with \$2500 each; and there are into an election with any halt-way-fervor.— It is always largely one side or another. The to be the subscription with \$2500 each; and there are into any person giving information to the subscription i Maine law question came up last week for cle) follow with \$2500 each; and there are the adoption of the citizens, and 'a majority several subscriptions ranging from \$500 to of about 20,000 has been given in the State \$1000. The entire subscription already. a pyramid of useless granite?

FLOUR AND MEAL .- The Flour market is Jonathan and Isaac Lenker. niet; mixed Western at \$4621; and for Jacob Horlocker, dec'd, settled by his Ex'tor Western, recently inspected, \$41. Ryc Flour and Corn Meal are dull ; the former is held

June 27, 1853.

100

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WHISKEY .- Sales of bbls. at 224c, and hhds

Baltimore Market.

emand is only moderate. Sales of bbls, are

making at 23 cts., at which rate holders are

SUNBURY PRICE CURRENT

New Advertisements.

Borough Ordinance.

this ordinance will be dealt with according to law. By order of the Chief Burgess. P. M. SHINDEL, Clerk.

NOTICE.

A Stray Colt.

Sunbury, July 2, 1853 .--- 3t.

firm. We quote hhds, at 22 cts.

WREAT. . .

RTE.

Cons.

OATS.

Eucs.

Pons.

POTATOES,

FLAXSEED.

BEESWAX -

HECKLED FLAX.

DRIED APPLES.

Do. PEACHES.

BUTTER.

Masick Horlocker. Joseph Hilliard, dec'd., Final account settled GRAIN .- There is a good demand for Wheat by his Ex'r Ephriam Hilliard. William Sheffer, dec'd., retiled by his Ex'tors

Wm. and Jacob Sheffer. Thomas H. Kerr, dec'd., settled by his Adm'r

William Levan. Isaac Stadler, dec'd., settled by his Adm'tor

Peter Strauss. Anna Maria Hunsicker, dec'd., settled by her Ex'tor David Taggart, Esq. James Price, dec'd., Final account settled by

his Adm'r David Martz. Michael Rockefeller dec'd., Final account set-

tled by his Adm'r Isaac Eckman. Andrew Tinbrook, dec'd., settled by his Adm'r

Andrew Tinbrook. Gideon Markle, dec'd., settled by his Adm'rix

Mary Markle. George Deibler, dec'd., settled by his Adm'ter

Jonathan Deibler Thomas Vastine, dec'd., settled by his Ex'tors Wm. and Amos Vastine. John Arter, dec'd., settled by his Adm'r Wm

H. Persing. Elizabeth Frick, dec'd., Final account settled

by her Ex'r B. P. Frick. Jacob Sechler, dec'd., settled by his Er'tors

Peter Stahl and Michael Sechler. Solomon Heckert, dec'd., settled by his Adm'rs John and Jacob Heckert.

Samuel Culp, dec'd., Final account settled by

his Adm'r John Haughawout. Absalom Adam, dec'd., settled by his Adm'tor

Gideon Adam. Alexander Strickland, dec'd., settled by his Ex'rs Wm. Gass and Wm. Miller.

John Hursh, dec'd., settled by his Adm'rs John and Stephen Hursh. Elizabeth Dieffenbacher, dec'd., settled by her

Adm'r Peter Kuns. George Hile, dec'd., settlee by his Adm'tor

Frederick Haas. Christopher Goodlander, dec'd., settled by his

Adm'r John V. Goodlander. John Hendershot, dec'd., settled by his Adm'r

Abm. Shipman. John Snyder, dec'd., Final account settled by his Ex'tors Thomas and Adam Snyder.

Henry Rockefeller, dec'd., settled by one his Adm'rs John Rockefeller.

Jesse and Elizabeth Tharp, minor children of Alexander Tharp, dec'd., settled by their Guardian Jesse Campbell.

William Tharp, minor child of Alexander Tharp, dec'd., by his Guardian Jesse Camp-

Elizabeth Losher, settled by her Guardian John

Troutman. Mary Horb, settled by her Guardian Daniel

Hannah Dressler, settled by her Guardian Sol-

omon Billman. Sophia, Emiline and Anthony For, settlad by

their Guardian Peter Strauss. Susan, Henry, Samuel, David, Richard and Alfred Culp, minor children of Peter Culp.

dec'd., settled by their Guardians Samuel Lantz and and Wm. Deppin. Peter F. Culp, minor child of Peter Culp, dec'd., settled by his Guardian Philip Renn.

JOHN P. PURSEL, Register.

Register's Office, Sunbury, July 2, 1853.-

ATTENTION, DEWART GUARDS!! VOU are commanded to meet in Market Square, Sunbury, on MONDAY, JULY 4, 1853,

at 9 o'clock, A. M., fully equipped for drill. Each member to be prepared with 10 rounds of blank cartridges. By order of the Captain. GEO. OLIPHANT, O. S. will be held for a Colonel and Sunbury, July 2, 1853 .---

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JACOB RENN. July 2, 1853.-3L