ARRIVAL OF THE NORTHERN LIGHT.

LATER FROM CALIFORNIA Nearly a Million in Treasure—Arrival of Col. H. L. Kinney in Nicaragua—Extraor-dinary Gold Product—Duels in San Francisco, Fires, &c.

New York, Aug. 5.—The steamship Northern Light, From San Juan, arrived at her wharf at 9 o'clock this evening, coming up unannounced, owing to the thick weather.

The Northern Light brings dates from San Francisco to the 16th of July, 413 passengers, and \$940,085 in treasure.

The principle consignees are as follows:—Drexel & Co., \$247,000; Metropolitan Bank, \$190,000; Wells, Fargo & Co., \$126,000; Ross, Falconer & Co., \$61,000; A. Jacobs & Co., \$33,000; W. H. Dunbar, \$23,000; Bank of America, \$23,000; W. Seligman & Co., \$22,000, and others,

822,000, and others,
The passage from San Francisco has been made in 19 days and 20 hours.
The Sierra Nevada arrived upon the 14th of July, with the Cholera on board, and having had 32 deaths.

FROM THE ISTHMUS. Capt. Walker was at Realejo, where had retreated from San Juan Del Sud. Capt. French arrived down by the last steamer from San Francisco to join the gov-

ernment party.

Col. H. L. Kinney, with twenty-four followers, arrived at San Juan on the 16th, in the brig Huntress, of Philadelphia, They were engaged erecting buildings at San Juan.—Dissatisfaction is said to exist among them.

The brig Hamlet, of Wilmington, went ashore and bilged in the harbor of San Juan, on the 14th. The crew were saved.

FROM CALIFORNIA. The news from the mines show a better yield of gold than for several years.

Gold is said to have been discovered

large quantities near Puget Sound.

The steamer Pacific, from Nicaraugua, arrived upon the second of July, and the John
L. Stephens, from Panama, on the thir-A serious dispute had arisen between the French Consul Mr. Dillon and Samuel Her

mann, of San Francisco, and a duel was thought inevitable.

Two or three other duels had taken place without any fatal result. Twenty houses on Keamly and Bush streets,

San Francisco, were destroyed by fire on the 4th ult. The loss is \$100,000. The new city government of San Francisco has been organized,
J. L. Baabeau, of the Komestead raffle humbug, had been examined before the Re-

corder on the charge of false pretences, and the complaint dismissed. The weather had been unusually hot.

Capt. Doran, of the British ship Nazarine,

Capt. Doran, of the British ship Nazarine, was under arrest for shooting three boarding-house runners, wao attempted to board his vessel and entice the crew away. The men were badly wounded. Capt Doran was held in \$6000 bail to answer.

A. A. Cohen, late Receiver of Adams & Co.'s assets, and J. C. Woods, a member of that firm, are charged with frauds to the amount of \$400,000 by Judge Chambers, late of the firm of Page, Bacon & Co. The Judge charges that Adams & Co., have been engaged for four years in palming off inferior dust upon Page, Bacon & Co., and that a regularly organized band of disguised accomplices has been maintained in the various mining districts. districts.

Extraordinary news from Mexico has reached San Francisco, via Acapulco.

Letters dated Acapulco, July 2, have been received, stating that Santa Anna has resigned the Presidency, and that Generals Alvarez and Commerfort, with 30,000 men, were marching on the capital.

THE CROPS.

The New York Courier reviews "the crops," and pronounces them "good." "It estimates a product of seventy-five per cent, beyond that of 1850—or one hundred and seventy millions in the aggregate. If we allow 34 bushels of wheat per head, or one hundred millions of bushels for home consumption, we shall then have on hand for export or for future stock about seventy-five millions. The year 1855 has exhibited remarkable weather—no previous season has been more propitious. We must not lose been more propitious. We must not lose sight, however, of the fact that the harvest Europe is very flattering. In Austria the harvesting of the grain crops commenced about the middle of July, and with the exception of a few localities, will be abundant, Up to the last two weeks no signs of the potato disease have appeared in any of the German States. The Prussian Government has recently made inquiries in relation to the crops in all the districts of the provinces; the result promises an abundant yield of wheat, while ryo will scarcely be an average yield. In Egypt the fields promise a highly abundant crop, and the only fear latterly expressed was an overflow of the Nile and the damage of their harvests. Nothing can demonstrate more strongly the present productive power and the prospective wealth of the Great save the trouble of an election. Has it come West, than the official tables of the grain to this that the people are no longer to be crop of that region. From reliable data we show that Illinois alone will produce, this year, sixteen millions of bushels of wheat, or nearly one-tenth of the whole crop of the the States west of the Mississippi do not at present make much show in the cereal crops, they will exhibit a stronger position. Missouri, Iowa, and Minnesota will in a few years produce as largely as Indiana, Illinois

The "Economist" reasons, however, that our prices must depend upon the foreign market and the most sanguine of the English under the most liberal imports from the

"A rapid fall took place last year in England, on the approach of the harvest, but was followed by as rapid a rise, notwithstanding that the harvest turned out to be good. In three months, ending Oct. 5, 1854, the averages for the kingdom fell from 78s. to 55s., equal to 75c, per bushel; and some persons here went so far as to predict imports from Great Britain. The promises of the harvest were very good; but it was alleged that the stock of old wheat in the kingdom was 5,000,000 quarters less than in the province. 000 quarters less than in the previous year-and that turned out to be the case. The prices recovered themselves before the close of the year. The stocks were also small abroad, and although the sales of English wheat have been very large throughout the year, the prices have been well maintained."

RESUSCITATION FROM DROWNING .- The Glar gow Herald mentions a remarkable case of gow Herald mentions a remarkable case of resuscitation from drowning. Miss Murdock, a young English lady, was bathing with a girl named Shaw, when the latter got out of her depth. Miss Murdock placed her out of danger, but herself sank to the bottom. She lay there for fully five minutes, when the body was recovered, cold and inanimate. A gentleman had her conveyed to his house, where the body was rubbed with brandy, mustard applied, and bath put in requisition. To the surprise of all she gradually recovered. The case is mentioned as giving encouragement for the trial of remedial measures, how-ever cold and manimate the body may be when rought out of the water—excepting, of ourse, in cases where submersion has taken place such a length of time as to preclude all



THE AMERICAN.

SUNBURY.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 1855.

H. B. MASSER, Editor and Proprietor

American among the different towns on the Surge is not exceeded if equalled by any paper published in North ern Pennsylvania.

Business Notices. LIFE IN A CONVENT AND PRIESTLY INIQUI TT .- De Witt & Davenport have just published an exciting work, entitled, "The Escaped Nun; or Convent Life Unveiled," (price \$1.) for a copy of which we are indebted to the enterprising

publishers. It is a book which will command an extensive sale; because it is full of startling incidents and adventures, respecting the practice of those who dwell in the mysterious vaults, and cells, and cloistered nooks of numeries.

THE KNICKERHOCKER for August has been received, and is filled, as usual, with a variety of interesting literary matter.

BLACKWOOD'S EDINBURGH MAGAZINE.-Th, July number of this popular Magazine, has been published by Leonard Scott & Co., 79 Fulton street, New York. The contents of the number before us embrace several admirable papers. and much voluminous literary matter, prominent among which is "The Imperial Policy of Russia;" "Modern Light Literature-Theology;" "Vernier;" "The Story or the Crimean Campaign," &c.

A CAMP MEETING for Sunbury Circuit will be held in Dr. J. W. Peal's woods, three miles east of Sunbury, near the Centre turn-pike, leading from Sunbury to Pottsville, to commence on Friday, August 17th. Preachers and members of adjoining circuits and stations are cordially invited to attend. Sunbury, July 28, 1855 .- .

There will be preaching in the German Reformed Church in this place, to-morrow (Sunday) in the morning and evening, by the Rev-Messrs. Harbaugh of Lancaster and P. Weiser of Selinsgrove. The services will be held in the English language.

THE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL FAIR .-The proceedings of the meeting of the Agri cultural Society will be found in another column. It will be seen that a resolution has been adopted, fixing the place of holding the County Fair permanently at this place for not the clock the future on certain conditions, which we have no doubt will be accepted. There is no doubt that this will be the most central, and when our rail roads are completed, the most convenient place for all interested.

COURT .- The August Term of court brought together a good many people on the first day. On Monday morning Judge Jordan charged the Grand Jury, explaining to them, fully, the duties imposed on them, by the late act restraining the sale of spirituous and malt liquors.

We understand that the Democratic Standn Committee of this county held a meeting at this place, on Monday last, the proceedings of which, we believe, have only been revealed to a few of the faithful. We have seen nothing of them, and can only state the rumors that are affoat in regard to their action. It is said that the Committee, not trusting the people, has appointed the officers who are to hold the primary elections, and has invested them with inquisitorial powers, and that an oath is to be administered to the voters, who will be required to purge themselves from all heresy or connection with secret political societies. We trust that no democrat who possesses the spirit or feelings or a freemen, will submit toany such degrading conditions. Why did not the committee proceed at once to appoint the candidates and trusted, and must be led by the nose by a self constituted tribunal? Do we live in an age of light and progress, or are we going back country. Ohio, twenty millions; Indiana, to the dark ages of the Spanish Inquisition, twelve millions; these three States producing when suspected heretics were compelled to more than one fourth of the whole. Although confess under the tortures of the rack, or were burned at the stake.

It is not a year since when the chairman and a few of the members of the committee, issued a ball of excommunication, setting aside the nomination of a candidate by a previous convention. If this remnant of the Spanish Inquisition is destined to become one of the institutions of the country, in order to test the faith of democrats, it is time that the people should know it, and we would suggest that on no one, could the mantle of Torquemada fall with more becoming grace, than on the present Chairman of the Standing Com-

GLEANINGS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS.

LEWISBURG .- The Chronicle has several ong articles in defence of its course in regard to the annexation of the four upper townships in this county to Union County-One of the arguments used is, that the citizens of Milton themselves have complained time of it with all these afflictions resting on of the old Court House and the jail is notetionsly unsafe. Now as to our Court House friends of Schnylkill county, that they have we have only to say, that it has always been at least one Journal, ready to defend the deemed a comfertable one though plain in its faith, and save them from utter perdition, appearance. As regards the jail, it has been religious civil and polititical. sufficient for the quiet and peaceable citizens of old Northumberland. If the character of the population of Union is such, as to require heavier prison walls, our friends of the "upper end" had better be rid of their com-

pany. The Chronicle says: pany. The Chronicle says:

We think there must have been a pretty broad grin on friend Masser's face when he got off that joke about the "fair proportions" of Northumberland County! To be sure, before Montour and Columbia were taken from the North and North West, and Snyder and Union from the South West, leaving that unsightly gore running away off Nor' West, old Northumberland was a very fair, square county. But these lesses left it the most

awkward, gerrymandered county in the State. It looks like a crane, minus its legs, the five "upper end" districts making the neck and head (not to say brains) of the county. Or a goard, some would say—Or a crook-necked squash, others would compare it to—Or a piece of cloth from which garments have been cut without regard.

ut without regard. In reply to this we might say-De gustibus non disputandum, or in other words, "there is no disputing about tastes." Our friend of the Chronicle, may think an object shaped like a barrel of pork, more beautiful than one like an hour glass or a fashionable lady with a taper waist, to which, a refined and more cultivated taste, would naturally have compared it, but, as he resides west of the Sus-

quebanna, we are willing to make allowances. The Union Argus is the title of a new paper started at Lewisburg. It is published Messrs. Ziebach and Stout, and is well got up. In politics it professes to be Democratic. Lewisburg has now three English newspapers-too much of a good thing, we

The Union County Star has shifted its place in the galaxy of luminaries. It now shines at Mifflinburg. The new editor has shorn it of its political rays, and made it neutral in all things but the seat of Justice, for which Mifflinburg enters the list with Lewisburg.

Selinsgrove.-The Democrat is wholly absorbed in the matter of the seat of Justice. Middleburg and Freeburg both contend with Selinsgrove for the honor of the County Seat, Though not so central, we doubt not but that Selinsgrove would be most convenient and ac

The corner stone of the German Reformed church, in Selinsgrove, will be laid on Saturday, the 18th, at 10 o'clock A. M.

WILLIAMSPORT .- A new line of Telegraph has just been completed between Williamsport and Elmira. The Express passenger train now stops opposite Muncy five minutes, reducing the time at Williamsport, to fifteen

POPULATION OF ELMIRA AND WILLIAMSPORT. -A census of Elmira, just completed, shows the population of that village to be 10,107or nearly double what it was in 1850. A recent census of Williamsport, by Rev. J. W. Barret, fixes the population at 4,045-or more than double that of 1850.

JERSEY SHORE.-The Republican com. The clerk of the weather has certainly, of storm.

While the above had transpired in the late, given very general dissatisfaction in his administration of affairs. Perhaps he has us a surfeit of cold water.

The good people of Jersey Shore have a town clock, but the Council refuse to pay \$10 a year to wind it up. Under these cir. affair thirty or forty shots were fired, and cumstances the Republican is in favor of its is impossible to ascertain the number of killed and wounded. removal. That would wind up the subject, if

THE LAST number of the Jersey Shore News Letter says very confidently that the Sunbury and Erie Railroad company has decided to build that road on the side of the river opposite Williamsport. The Gazette enquires where the Jersey Shore editor got that piece of information. This subject has been the and did not interfere with the election. ause of considerable dispute between the two towns. The Gazette says the arrivals at one hotel, the United States, last week was 296.

DANVILLE .- We learn from the Democrat that Capt. Wells now runs two Packet boats, between Rupert Station and Wilkesbarre.

At a meeting of the Directors of the Susquehanna River and N. & W. Branch Telegraph Company at Danville on the 17th ult., a dividend of 2 per cent, was declared for the last six months. The old Board of Officers was unanimously re-elected.

A colored man, by the name of Newton Carter, was shot in the thigh with a shot-gun by a boatman, named Thomas Eddings, of Berks county, on Monday afternoon last, on a canal boat near Mill street. The wounded negro was taken to Esquire Sechler's office, and his wound, which is of considerable size, dressed by Dr. Rhodes, Eddings was committed in default of \$300. The quarrel arose

about a bottle of whiskey! On the Jug Law, the Democrat thinks, the Democrats will be in favor of repeal, but that both parties will be apt to dodge it, and cautions the party which will attempts to handle it snake-fashion. But we should like friend Cook to tell us how a man can help dodging when he gets a snake in his hat.

BLOOMSBURG .- The Star advertises for sale, a judgement against a Dr. Cole, who forgot to pay the printers bill.

Porrsynge,-We learn from the Miners' Journal that the storm of Tuesday week, caused a tremendous flood in the Schuylkill river, and did much damage to property on its banks. The stream rose suddenly, and thousands of dollars worth of lumber were

swept away. A young man by the name of William Forney, was attacked and robbed by four Irishmen!!! at "Scalping" town, near the East Mines, about one mile from Pottsville on Wednesday noon. He was coming from St. Clair to Pottsville with two hundred and twenty-one dollars, for the purpose of sending the money by express to Philadelphia. From the Gazette we learn that the plane, on the Ashland extension, was got in working order, on Monday last. They are now

running about a hundred cars a day. The Gazette, as usual, is teeming with rabid articles on the subject of Cameronism, Cake, the Farmers' Bank and Know Nothingism. Friend Deyo must have a hard his shoulders. What a blessing it is for our

NEW POST OFFICE WRINKLE .- Our readers are perhaps not aware that writing, printing or embossing anything except the address on an envelope containing a circular, subjects the package to letter postage; and such circulars will not be forwarded unless the full letter rate is pre-paid. All envelopes, therefore, with the name of a corporation or business firm printed thereon, are not allowed to pass with circulars unless at letter postage. A plain envelope is only allowed.

THE LOUISVILLE RIOT.

Peace Restored-The Election-Twenty Lives Lost-Twelve Buildings Burned.

DETAILS OF THE ELECTION RIOT AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, Aug. 7.—The disturbances yesterday commenced in the 1st Ward, where an American, named Burge, was stabbed and beaten until he was nearly dead, by a party of Irishmen. The parties making the assault were arrested. Afterwards, three Americans, it is said, were fired upon while passing a German brewery. A gentleman riding in a carriage with his wife, were fired upon at the same time. Then a shower of shot and bullets was rained from some of the German houses, on the crowd below, and many wonnded. Armed bands now began to collect in the vicinity, when an indiscriminate fight commenced. The firing from the windows continuing the American set fire to the continuing, the Americans set fire to the brewery, and sacked several houses in the cinity, from which shots had been fired. At six o'clock, in the 8th Ward, three Americans icans were attacked by a mob of Irish, with fire-arms. One killed and others wounded.

The Irishmen then tock refuge in a house, The Irishmen then tock refuge in a house, from which they continued firing upon the crowd, killing two Americans. The house was finally broken into, the murderers captured, and one of them hung. A policeman cut him down while still living, but he was afterwards shot, and died this morning! Meanwhile fusilade, rifle, and gun-shots were kept up from four Irish houses, on Eleventh street, on all passing Americans. Several were wounded. The Americans attacked the houses, but failing to dislodge the Irish, fired houses, but failing to dislodge the Irish, fired the buildings. By this time reinforcements of Americans arrived with cannon and mus-kets, and some of the Irish were shot in the burning buildings, and others captured. No attempts were made to stay the flames, and two or three blocks were burned. Several fires occurred in other parts of the city also during the night.

The Americans had now become infuriated and marched to the office of the Times, a
Democratic paper, which was only saved from
destruction by the efforts of Messrs. Prenpervisors of the Borough of Sunbury, in tice, Spears and others. This morning there were more disturbances, and at 11 o'clock a large mob preceeded to the levee and attacked a row of Irish houses, from which it was reported some shots had been fired this morning. The mob is now partially restrained, and efforts are being made to restore order

and prevent further excesses. The mob threatened to sack the Catholic Church, where, it was rumored, arms had been concealed, but Mayor Barbee und others prevailed on the crowd to leave without com-

mitting violence.

The mob then marched to the engine houses in the fifth ward, with their cannon plains of the weather, and says it has been raining every day since the 20th of July.

upper part of the city, other occurrences were going on in the lower part. On Main street been tight, and in revenge of the passage of the late liquor law has determined to give from a house occupied by Irish, for which it is said there was no provocation. An Irish man who was charged with shooting Mr. Rhodes was immediately hung in the street, but cut down before he was dead. In this

A row of houses occupied by Irish, the owner of which it was asserted had fired upon the mob, was set on fire and totally destroyed. Mr. Quinn, the owner, was killed, and
eight or ten persons are said to have perished in the flames. The number of lives lost
is estimated at from fifteen to twenty.

The city is now quiet and it is thought

there will be no further disturbances. The fighting was all at a distance from the polls, ber of drunken men about the streets are few in number. The keys of the Cathedral have been placed in the hands of the Mayor by Bishop Spalding. THE LATEST.

Louisville, Aug. 7.—10 o'clock.—Two companies of volunteers are marching to the Eighth Ward for fear of fresh disturbances. Louisville, Aug. 7 .- 10 o'clock, P. M. The Democrats concede the election of Mr. Swope, the Know Nothing candidate for Congress in the Tenth District by over 500 majority.

THE PUBLIC WORKS AND THE RAILROAD A Harrisburg correspondent of the Frank-lin Repositord and Whig makes some grave charges against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company which may involve the latter in serious trouble, if correct. He says "one part of the charges made is that the Railroad Company has bought off the transporting cempanies—by giving one company \$40,000, another \$60,000—to withdraw their boats from the Canal, and thus force all the carry-

These three to George Zimmer ing trade upon the railroad."
"When I first heard this charge made, thought it untrue, but I am now convinced that there is some reason for making it. am also informed on good authority, that th Attorney General, under the direction of the Governor, has inquired of the Railroad Com-pany in regard to these charges, and that the Company has admitted that there is some truth in them, but say "they are not so bad as represented." The Attorney General has demanded an explicit answer, and the Com pany has fixed an early day for giving their version of the matter. You may rest assured that the Governor has determined to probe that the Governor has determined to probe the matter to the bottom, (in which he will be sustained by the people) and will call to his aid all the power of the law to stop any such abuses. If true, a more illegal act was never committed, and the Directors of the Penasylvania Railroad Company will find, when it is perhaps too late, that they will have raised a storm of popular indignation before which they will be hurled from office, as chaff before the angry wind, and their chartered rights, and ill-gotten possessions resumed by the Commonwealth. They have Auditors' report, To amount of rent of Henry Bucher resumed by the Commonwealth. They have been so uniformly successful in controlling the Legislation of the State to suit their own purposes, that they have become embol-dened by past successes, and think themselves omnipotent. They are, however, wofully mistaken. The people will as one man sustain the action of their independent and fearless Executive in all that he may do in the premises, for if though the venality of the employees of the Canal Board no revenue does accrue to the Commonwealth, still the carrying trade of the country can be accom-modated, and we are not willing to be cheated out of the value of our public improvements by a corporation which has grown up through our care, and prospered through our indulbalance due Borough July 7, '55,

Correspondence.

Ms. Fritos—Sis:—By your permission I would give to the public through your extensive and interesting Sunbury American, a brief sketch of the whereabouts and doings of the town of Mt. Carmel. This town is located in the township of Mt. Carmel, Northumberland county, at the terminus of the Philadelphia and Sunbury Rail

town, but it is equally true that there is plenty of space for its enlargement, and judging from the way in which it commenced, it will in a few years be a large one. The name cause which has retarded the progress of every place this sesson, has also retarded

this; I mean the depressed state of finances.
Still it is progressing.

Many are the advantages this place possesses. The interesting and healthy location, the good mountain water, the refreshing breeze which is always had here, make it a very deshable location—and in addition, surrounded by an abundance of the very best Anthracite white ash Coal, which will necessarily tend to the increase and support of the place.

One thing at any rate may be said of Mt Carmel. It has already a Hotel, large and commodious, and scarcely excelled any where. This Hotel is kept by Jos. M. Feger, and its arrangements and accommodations are perhaps surpassed nowhere. I believe, so far as I know, all who tarry with him are well satisfied and highly delighted. It is certainly, as a resort for persons wishing to enjoy a few weeks away from the contined air of large cities, one of the most desirable places, both for location and entertainment which the for location and entertainment which the state can afford.

A number of visitors and boarders have heen here during this season, a number are still here—but still there is room for more, if they desire to avail themselves of the privilege. More in the future with reference to this place.

604 be accepted.

The Chief Burgess laid before Council a petition from the Good Intent Fire Company asking for an appropriation of Fifty dollars for repairs necessary to be made in their ap-

Yours Respectfully, OBSERVER.

Borough Corporation

PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL. COUNCIL CHAMBER,)

SUNBURY, Aug. 7, 1855. Council met, it being the stated night of maeting. Present—D. W. Shindel, 2d Burgess, in the chair, Beck, Bright, Covert Beard, Clark, Druckemiller Haas and Snyder. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Mr. Beard, from the committee to audit

unsettled accounts of Supervisors, presented

pervisors of the Borough of Sunbury, in account with said Borough, for the year commencing May 1852, and ending May

To whole amount of duplicate. To Balance due June 29, 1855, The above balance charge to G. Zimmerman in his accounts of 1854.

By amount of Exonerations, amount of orders, receipts, &c., of Benj. Hendricks, of George Zimmerman Percentage on \$532 38 at 5 per 26 61 cent. Balance due. 128 20

8550 94 George Bright and Geo. Zimmerman, Snpervisors of the Borough of Sunbury, in account with said Borongh, for the year com May 1853, and ending May 1854. Dr. whole amount of duplicate,

Balance due June 29, 1855, The above balance charged to George Zimmerman, in his account of 1854. By amount of Exonerations, amount of Zimmerman voucher and Check Roll for work done, (Bright having done no work.) percentage on \$461 30 at 5 per Balance due,

Geo. Zimmerman and C. Bower, Supervisors of the Borough of Sunbury, in account with said Borough, for the year commencing May 1854 and ending May 1855.

l'o amount of Zimmerman and Hendricks, To am't of Zimmerman & Bright, G. Gass. interest on this last for 3 years, and nine months, (\$36 74) amount of C. Bower and Geo. Gass, 1851, per C. Bower, "interest on 67 394 for 3 years 67 394 and nine months, Balance due Geo. Zimmerman from the Borough of Sunbury. Balance due Borough of Sunbury

By amount of Geo. Zimmerman youcher and check roll for work done and materials furnished, amount of bill produced by F. Lazarus, Esq., adm'r of C. Bower for labor done and materials fur-

from the Estate of C. Bower,

Henry Haupt, Collector of Borough Tax for said Borough of Sunbury, for the year 1853. To balance of his duplicate, as per

812 624 By G. B. Youngman, Chief Burges-Benjamin Hendricks, Treasurer of the Borough of Sunbury for the year 1854. DR.

\$11 00

By order paid P. B. Masser, order paid John Landau & Co., \$11 00 George C. Welker, Treasurer of the Borough of Sunbury, for the year 1852 May, to May 1853. To amount received of H. Haupt,

By amount of sundry orders produpercentage on \$70 75 at 4 per ct.

We, the undersigned committee, appointed by Council of the Borough of Sunbury, to audit the unsettled accounts of the several Supervisors of said Borough, having examined the said unsettled accounts of the different officers above stated, do find their several Witness our hands this 10th day of July,

On motion of John Hass that the above report be accepted, it was agreed to.

We, the committee to investigate and
make report of the Financial affairs of the
Borough would state that owing to the great

dimently of getting papers and documents before them, and also owing to the great looseness in which the matters of the said Borough have been kept, that it is impossible to make a final report at this time, and would therefore ask to be continued.

JAMES BEARD, JOHN HAAS, JACOB O. BECK, On motion of E. Y. Bright, that the above ommittee be continued, it was agreed to.
P. B. Masser, one of the Borough Regula-P. B. Masser, one of the Borough Regula-tors submitted a draft of that part of the Grave Yard commonly called the "New Part," which was approved of by the Council. D. W. Shindel, from the committee to pre-pare form of Lease for the use of the Bor-ough, asked to be continued, and, on motion,

On motion of Jas. Beard,

Resolved, That Ira T. Clement's bill against the Borough of Sunbury for the sum of \$43,-

paratus. On motion the above petition was laid over

until next meeting.
On motion adjourned,
EM'L WILVERT, Town Clerk.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. Agreeable to notice, a meeting of the officers of the County Agricultural Society was held at the Court House, in Sunbury, on Monday, the 6th day of August, inst. Present, JAMES CAMERON, President, SAN'T. JOHN, S A. BERGSTRESSER, Vice Presidents. The object of the meeting was then stated by the President, which was to take into consideration the time and place of helding the next County Fair, and to appoint the several committees necessary to award the

In pursuance of the recommendation of the President, that a stated and permanent place be fixed upon for the holding of our annual Agricultural Fair, the following resolution was offered and unanimiously adopted.

Resolved, That the exhibition of the society shall be accounted.

shall be permanently held at Sunbury, provided a sufficient amount is raised by the citizens to defray the expenses for said purposes, with the necessary fixtures.

On motion of Philip Hilgert, Esq., Resolved, That a committee of six be appointed to

appoint all the township committees, as well as the committees or judges of the different articles of Agriculture.

The President appointed the following named gentlemen as that committee.

Charles A. Kutz, S. M. Kase, S. K. Gilger,

Philip W. Hilgert, Wilson Hutchinson, Comly Vincent. The committee appointed the following township committees:
Sunbury—John B. Packer, G. C. Welker
Wm. L. Dewart.
Northumberland—Amos E. Kapp, J. C.
Horton, M. J. D. Withington.
Millon—John R. Eck, R. M. Frick, Jacob

Turbut-J. J. Reimensnyder, Jno. McCor. mick, David Mare. Delaware-Wilson Hutchinson, D.

Watson, Joseph Nicely.

Lewis-Comly Vincent, A. T. Bisel, Sam'l Shannon. Chilisquaque—John Frederick, Daniel P. Caul, John P. Summers. Point-Joseph Nesbit, Jesse Horton, R. Curry.

Upper Augusta—Henry Kline, Isaac Kline, John Eckman. Rush—Wm. H. Kase, Joseph Sharpless, Stanley Gearhart. Shamokin-Samuel John, Elida John, Jac. Coal-Wm. Fagely, Kimber Cleaver, S. I. Kase. E. Muench.

Jackson-Reuben Zartman, Benj Strickler, Chas Rotharmel. Cameron-S. B. Boyer, Jer. Wiekel. Upper Mahanoy-P. Beisel, John Hetrick. Lower Mahanoy-Dr. Chas. Weiser, Christian Albert. Zerbe-John Weaver, Edw. Helfenstein,

LIST OF PREMIUMS. HORSES. Best stallion over 4 years, 2d under 4 years Best 2d Best mare and colt 2d do Best pair matched horses. CATTLE.

Henry Weaver.

Best bull over 2 years old, 2d do under 2 years, 2d do best cow, 2d do best heifer, best yoke of oxen, 2d do do

Best boar, 2d do best sow,
do pair of shoats,
2d do do best litter of pigs under 3 mouths

do fat hog, SHEEP. do Ewe, do fat sheep, POULTRY. Best pair of turkeys, geese, muskove ducks,

puddle ducks, large Asiatic fowls do do GRAIN & POTATOES bushel of wheat.

potatoes VEGETABLES beets not less than 12.

> salsify or oyster plant, onions cabbage not less than 6 cauliflower do egg plants

FRUIT.

IMPLEMENTS

plough, cultivator, roller, corn plough, straw cutter, farm wagon, do horse rake, do grain cradle DAIRY, &c. Best butter not less than 5 lbs. 1 00 1 00 1 00 1 00 1 00 1 00 1 00 do honey do do loaf of bread, do ham cured by loaf of bread, ham cured by exhibitor, ham cured by exhibitor, 6 lbs apple butter, preserves, 6 quarts, DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES. Best quilt, 1 00 1 00 1 00 1 00 1 00 hearth rug, pair blankets, 20 yards carpet, home made cloth, 10 yards, flannel,

do gloves and mittens, do home made thread, MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES. For mechanical invention, tools, furniture and other articles not coming under any of the above heads, prizes will be awarded according to the means of the society, and mer-its of the articles exhibited. PLOWING MATCH.

knit stockings, woollen.

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Best Ploughman. 5 00 3 00 2 00 The committee are instructed by the President to 'say that all premiums shall be paid

on the day of exhibition.

The following named persons were chosen as Judges of the articles placed on exhibition. Horses.—Wilson Hutchinson, Amos E. Kapp, Ira T. Clement, Wm. H. Kase. CATTLE.—Comly Vincent, Jacob Haas, Elijah Crawford, J. C. Horton, J. E. Muench, Grain.—Nathaniel Brittain, Jacob Leisen-

ring, Samuel Finney, Fred'k Hans, John W. Fryling. VEGETABLES.-Alex. Jordan, J. B. Reed, Dr. J. C. Robins, Jas. Taggart, William E. Muench.

FRUIT .- C. A. Kutz, S. M. Kuse, H. B. Masser, Henry Donnel, Philip Hilgert, Wm. L. Scott, S. A. Savidge, S. K. Gilger, W. P. Withington, Wm. McCeary.

IMPLEMENTS.—Samuel Ent. Jac. Scusholtz. S. Gilger, George Rohrbach, John W.

Hoffman, Daray.—Horatio Taggart, Frank Bucher, Philip Follmer, S. A. Bergstresser, Jacob DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES .- E. Y. Bright, John Roush, C. W. Tharpe, E. L. Piper,

Alexander Colt, John B. Youngman. Miscrillaneous Articles,—Dr. Galen S. Robins, Wm. Rockefeller, P. B. Masser, Dr. H. B. Livermore, Dr. R. H. Awl, Franklin Bound, Mark Priestley.
PLOWING MATCH.—Andrew Armstrong, J.
B. Heller, John Cooper, Isaac Marsh, Geo.

Conrad. Committee of Arrangements .- Hon. Alex. Jordan, James Beard, S. R. Peale, Georgo Rohrbach, John B. Packer, Wm. L. Dewart, John K. Clement, George Weiser, Jno. Haas, Jacob Painter, Hon. Judge Weiser, Agustus Covert, Henry Weise,
The Exhibition will be held on the Third

TUESDAY of October.

The annual address will be delivered by S. M. KASE, Esq., of Shamokin, The different papers in the county will please copy.

New Advertisements.

LAND WARRANTS.—The highest price will be given for Land Warrants by the sui-

scriber. NOTICE is hereby given that letters of admin istration upon the estate of Samuel B. Hans, late of the town of Shamokin, Northumberland county, dec'd.. have been granted to John Vanzant, residing in Shamokin township. All persons having claims against said deceased, are requested to present them for settlement,

and all persons knowing themselves to be indebted will it ake immediate payment.

JOHN VANZANT, Ad'tor. Shamokin tp., Aug 11, 1855 .- 6t.

EXECUTORS' SALE. WILL be sold at public sale, on the premises on SATURDAY, the 29th day of September, at 10 o'clock, A. M., 1855, in pursuance of the last will and testament of Michael Evert,

dec'd., a certain A TRACT OF LAND. situated in Upper Augusta township, North'd county, about four miles east of Sunbury, adjoining lands of Jonas Fry, John Haughawout, Daniel Keefer and others, containg about fifty acres, more or less. About twenty acres of the said premises are cleared, and in a good state of cultivation. The remainder is timber land. There is also an excellent, and never-failing spring on the property.

Persons wishing to examine the land can ap-

and conditions made known on the day of sale.

DAVID MARTA, Ex'r. Upper Augusta, Aug. 11, 1855 .- ts. To the Voters of Northumberland County. I hereby offer myself to the qualified voters of Northumberland county, as a candidate for

COUNTY COMMISSIONER,

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ply to Jacob Evert, near the premises. Terms

at the ensuing election. Should I be elected, I promise to perform the duties of said office faithfully and impartially.

FREDERICK HAAS. Upper Augusta, Aug. 11, 1855 .- te. To the Voters of Northumberland County. At the solicitation of a number of my friends,

offer myself to your consideration as a candi-COUNTY COMMISSIONER, at the ensuing election. Should a majority of 2 00 my fellow citizens elect me to that office, I will discarge its duties faithfully and to the best of

my ability. JOSEPH VANKIRK. Point tp., Aug. 11, 1855 .- te. To the Voters of Northumberland County Fellow Citizens—Urged by a number of my friends throughout the county, I hereby offer myself to you as an INDEPENDENT CAN-

DIDATE for the office of REGISTER AND RECORDER. Should you see proper to exert your influence for me, and I be elected, I will discharge its duties faithfully and impartilly RICHARD A. FISHER.

Sunbury, Aug. 11, 1855 .- te-WONDERS OF NATURE. THE present Proprietor of the newly discovered WINFIELD CAVE (limestone) in Dry Valley, Union county, hereby gives notice that the cave will not be open on Sundays for Visitors. It may be visited by Ladies and Gentlemen, on Saturdays of every week, when es-pecial preparations will be made to accommodate with lights.

with lights.

EF All persons are forbidden to break off, injure, or take away any specimens from the Cave, under penalty of prosecution.

The payment of 12½ cents only is required of every person before entering.

NOAH WALTER.

Dry Valley, Aug. 11, 1855 .- 3m. Washington Fire Company.

A meeting of the Washington Fire Company will be held in the Grand Jury Room, on Monday evening next. Punctual attendence is requested.

Br ORDER OF THE PARAIDEST. Sunbury, Aug. 11, 1805.