# Telegraphic News.

The Virginia Recommendation. WASHINGTON, Dec. 5 .- The Democratic members of Congress from Virginia, strongly condemn the action of the members of the Electoral College of that State, in recom-mending Ex.Gov. Floyd for a position in Mr. Buchanan's Cabinet. It is a fact derived from undoubted author-

ity, that Mr. Buchanan has expressed a desire to have the benefit of Mr. Weise's coursel, and offered him any station within his gift, but the Governor has declined the tender thus made.

#### The Railroad Collision at Alliance-Eight Lives Lost-Names of the Killed and Wounded.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 9 .-- Abont half past o'clock last evening, the Cleveland and Pittsburg train ran through the Pittsburg. Fort Wayne and Chicago train at Alliance, smashing two cars of the latter train One era Pennsylvania. of the cars was thrown into the rotunda of the station, and the other through the public room which constitutes part of Sowerbeck's Sunbury, a distance of ten miles, will be let notel, in which several persons were sitting. The rotunda and sitting room were both torn down, killing eight and wounding a number The postnonement of the letting was for the of persons.

The following are the killed :

Jacob Rudy, John McIntyre and Dr. Smith and lody, all of Alliance. Mr. Jattehoit and Wm. Ritchie, of New Garden, Ohio, and John Brooks, of New

tory, arrived at Wilkesbarre and were inter-Jersey. red with Military Ponors on the third in-Among the wounded were Charles Coats. engineer, badly ; Mr. A. Roth, Philadelphia, stant. thigh fractured and otherwise badly burt.

This name in another despatch is given M. A. Root.] W. C. Cleland, conductor of the Cleveland

and Pittsburg train, slightly hurt, D. N. Courtney, slightly.

Fielding Cavanagh and lady. Anna Armour, of Columbus, Indiana,

badly. Painter, Stark county, Ohio, slightly,

An Inquest will be held on the bodies to-day.

Most of the killed and wounded were not on the cars, but were sitting in the public

room when the accident occurred. The train which left Pittsburg at 3 P. M. yesterday, arrived at Alliance behind time. The passengers had just got through their supper, and the train had barely started and got across the track of the Junction when the Cleveland train came dashing along, and before headway could he stopped, the col-

lision occurred Sowerbeck's rotunda, into which the car

went, presents the appearance of a total wreck It is said that the engineer of the Cleveland

### and Pittsburg train has absconded.

[SECOND DESPATCH.] PITTSBURG, Dec. 9 .--- The verdict of the Coroner's jury in the case of the terrible accident of last might, has not yet transpired. Several witnesses were examined, who testi-fied that the Cleveland train run into town chandize on their way from the city are locked at a fearful rate of speed, at least 35 miles an hour. The conductor of the Fort Wayne train supposed he would be checked in time, according to the rules of the road, but the train seemed to increase its speed as it came forward, without sounding whistle or bell. and the collision occurred, causing a fearful wreck.

None of the massengers on the Fort Wayne train were killed, and but three injured. All has been doing good service in towing some the wounded are doing well. Mr. Brooks, of ice bound boats New Jersey, was to have been married to a ware, in the neighborhood of Alliance, named Ware.

The accident has caused great excitement The engineer and firemen of the Cleveland train fled to the woods to escape the fury of the people.

#### Jefferson College Burned.

in which he is held by the public. We have PHITSBURG, Dec. 9 .- A letter from Wash: ington, Pa, states that the Jefferson College, not had time to read "Little Dorrit," but et Canonsburg, was destroyed by fire on learn that it equals in power and interest any grades. dar night la mith the literan



62 The unfinished portion of the Northern

purpose of making the necessary surveys.

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55 The remains of Capt. Francis L. Bow

man, who died at Fort Dallas, Oregon Terri-

cents, D. Appleton & Co., New York.

the Democrat.

scientific Journal, contains the usual amount

THE CANALS CLOSED .- The recent cold

weather put a stop to canal navigation, on

Saturday night last. On Sunday morning the

Susquehanna was closed with ice at this place

A number of boats, many loaded with mer-

fast in icy fetters and the probability is that

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running about ten days since, and has been

monthly list of patents granted.

they will remain so until spring.

ELECTORAL COLLEGE. The Electoral College of this State, met in nesday last, and organized by choosing Hon.

William Wilkins, President, and William V. McKean, Esq., and Gen. Wm. H. Miller, Secretaries, The twenty-seven votes of Pennsylvania were cast for James Buchanan and John C. Breckenridge. Mr. Campbell, of Butler, was chosen bearer of returns to Washington City -Mr. Osterhout to Judge Kane of the U. S Court, Philadelphia-and Mr. M'Nair to the Harrisburg Post Office.

On Thursday the Electors dined at Wheat" land, by invitation, with M. Buchauao. H. B. MASSER, Editor and Proprietor

ST SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE .- We observe To ADVENTINES. The circulation of the Sunbury American among the different townson the Surper 10 Joya "bat our friend and cotemporary J. L. GETZ. f the Reading Gazette, is recommendc Speaker of the House. We fully

se the recommendation. Mr. Gerz is Central Railroad, from Trevorton Bridge to an intelligent, as well as a faithful and industrious member, and would make a good

presiding officer. OTZIMACHSON ; Or a History of the West Branch Valley of the Susquehanna, by J. F Megin-

ness. Philadelphia, H. B. Ashmead, Publisher. Mr. Meginness has favored us with copy of his book, which is got up in a style

of excellence that reflects credit upon the liberality of the publishers. We have not had time to read the work, but a cursory glance 63" Appleton's Railway and Steam Naviat its table of contents, and the perusal of gation Guide, this useful, little work conseveral chapters, have given us a favorable tains the time-table, fares, connections and impression of the work, which possesses an distances, of all the Railways in the United interest that must make it acceptable to eve-States, illustrated with maps &c. Price 25 ry family in the valley of the Susquebanna --

The work, we confess, exceeds our expecta, tions, though it is not wholly free from errors. W H. L. Dieffenbach Esq., in connection We will take occasion refer to it again. with Mr. Martin, formerly of the American Watchman, at Lock Haven, have become the We have received the first number of

editors and publishers of the Clinton Demothe monthly "Real-Estate News-Letter," pubcrat. Mr. Dieffenbach formerly belonged the lished by G. L. Vliet & Co., Philadelphia .craft, and with his experience, will improve It is intended as a medium for advertising Real Estate to be sold or bought. Terms \$1 per year. Those who wish to purchase or

5 JOURNAL OF THE FRANKLIN INSTITUTE. sell will probably find it a valuable means of -The December number of this excellent letting their wishes be know to the public. of valuable information together with the

GODEY FOR JANUARY has been on our table for some days. It is a really beautiful number, but not better, Godey says, than the succeeding numbers will be, and what Godey promises he always fulfils. Several of the engravings are fine specimeus of the art, and the whole book is made up of matter

useful and entertaining not only to ladies, but to all who may peruse the Book. .... - Lancaster Bank notes are bought by the Brokers in that city at 80 cents for the

The Steam Tow Boat Susquehanna ceased dollar. In trade higher rates are given. FROM WHSHINGTON.

hauled out on the stocks for repairs. Mr The Postmaster General's report shows Ira T. Clement's Steamer is yet affont, and the following : On the 13th of June, 1856, there were 25,

565 Post Offices being an increase of 4,664 635° LITTLE DORATT .- We are indebted to On the 14th of June there were in opera-T. B. Peterson, of Philadelphia, for a copy tion nearly 8,000 mail routes, the total length of Dickon's last work--"Little Dorrit." The of which was estimated at 235,642 miles. costing \$6.035.474. These mail rontes were of the Institution - Lan. Intel. reputation of Dickens as a writer, and a nodivided as follows: 23 323 miles railroads

velist, is so well established that no commen-14,951 steamboats : 50,453 coach and nearly dation of ours could enhance the estimation 154,000 inferior grades. The increase during the last fiscal year was nearly 20,000 miles railroad ; 332 steam-

boat ; 1,250 coach, and \$2,000 miles inferior

#### THE LANCASTER BANK.

Another meeting of the stockholders was the Senate Chamber, at Harrisburg, on Wed-nesday last, and organized by choosing. Hon, pointed at the last meeting to report on the condition of the Institution, submitted a statement from which we learn that the notes in circulation have been reduced as follows : Nov. 22 -Notes in circulation, \$724,869

Dec. 6 .- ditto do. 552,477 \$172,392 Reduction. The assets of the Bank are reduced to a

ficial career of Prof. Holloway present to the similar amount. The following plans were submitted for the bliad stapidity of such a man. Having per-fected, alter many years of laborious research resuscitution of the Bank : resuscitation of the Bank : The first proposition was offered by Mr. Hiester, who pledged himself to subscribe for one hundred shares if his plan was adopted. It is as follows : We hereby agree to subscribe the number of the proposition of the subscribe the number and experiment, two remedies which he knew with positive certainty, were absolute speci-fics for nearly every internal and external malady incident to humanity, he determined

at once to give them a wider publicity than of shares set opposite to our names respec-tively, to renew the capital of the Lancaster any other medicine had ever attained. motive was noble and benevolent. He felt Bank, and pey in the amount thereof at fifty dollars per suare on the first day of April, that he possessed the power of mitigating suffering and waging successful war with dis 1857, in Lancaster Bank notes, checks of

eases heretofore unconquerable, and like a good champion he earlessly entered the lists. depositors of said bank, or the present stock Had he been moved by avarice instead of philanthropy he could not have taken a surer thereof at \$5 per share. Mr. II. A. Roland thought the plan was objectionable, and he submitted the following or shorter path to wealth. The plan of ad-vertising preparations, which actually accom-plished all that empiricism had ever promised as more feasible :

Plan for Resuscitating the Lancaster Bank or medical orthodoxy attempted, of course submitted to the Stockholders, December proved self remuner tye He flooded every 6th, 1856.

nation with his advertiments, he pervaded the whole world with his advertisements, he per-vaded the whole world with his medicines, 1st. The Stockholders shall advance to the Bank, in the shape of a loan, a sum equal to two-fifths of the par value of the and the world repaid him with a shower of stock respectively held by them, (say \$20 on each share) for which the Bank shall issue gold. We verily believe that there is no possible means of disseminating information among men that he has not adopted in giving certificates of deposit, bearing interior six per the date of the deposit at the rate of six per certificates of deposit, bearing interest from notoriety to his Pills and Ointment. The Hon. Mahlon Dickenson, of New Jercent per annum, payable semi-donnally. The principal whereof shall be redeemable by the sey, once satirically likened the poles to big flagstaffs, and that if they were flagstaffs

Bank in five equal annual instalments, commencing on the 1st of March, 1863. Holloway would contrive to have a bit of 2d. The present depositors of the Bank bunting nailed to each with his name and adshall advance to it, in the shape of a loan, a dress inscribed upon it. In fact, such is the sum equal to two-fifths of their respective enterprise and irrepressible energy of the man deposits upon which certificates shall be issued to them by the Bank, on the same that we should scarcely be surprised to hear of the virtues of his medicines being inscribed terms and conditions with those issued to the on the desert sands of mid Africa or traced Stockholders. in the eternal snow that caps the peaks of the

3d. The Bank shall issue to the present Andes. His central office for this hemisphere (he maps out his advertising ground by hemispheres) 80 Maiden Lane, has only depositors, certificates of deposit for the whole amount respectively due to them, which certificates shall be payable by the Bank in five equal unnual instalments, without inter probably there are not five hundred adults out est, commercing on the 1st of March, 1858, 4th, The Bank shall issue the 4000 addiof our population of thirty millions who have not heard of Holloway's Pills an! Ointment. tional she and stock allowed by its charter, at the rate of \$10 per share, subject and liable to the same advancement of \$20 per share, upon the same condition proposed to the present Stockholders.

Provided that the present stockholders cies. shall be entitled to the refusal of the said 4000 additional shares in pro rata proportion to the number of shares now held by them respectively, upon the terms proposed. And in case of their refusal or inability to accept them, then the present depositors shall be entitled to take them in propertion to the amount of their present deposits; and any shares left over may be sold to any other ied .--- N. Y. Day Book. parties, upon the same condition.

fair Quakeress, as follows :-- "Hum-yes and verily, Penelope, the spirit argeth and moveth 5th. The Bank shall make application to the Legislature for power to reduce its capital me wonderfully to beseech thee to cleave to \$240,000, making the par value of its unto me, flesh of my flesh, and bone of my shares \$20. bone."

These plans were discussed by several gentlemen, when, on motion of Dr. Atler, they were referred to a committee consist-Messrs. Hiester, Roland, Reigart, ing Shirk, M'Ilvaine, Konigmacher, Bear, Kline and Brown, with instructions to report there-

since his early youth.

and entire ages of the family are given:

Presbyterian, in speaking of felt hats, dis-

courses in the following style of good sense :

eadache-never injured by rough handling

Statement of Strengtheney Str

all classes, clergymen included.

on at an adjourned meeting to be held on next Saturday, the 13th inct., at 10 o'clock, Gnat confidence was expressed by the SLACE, all of Upper Augusta tp. several speakers, in the ultimate resuscitation

On Thursday the.27th instant, by the Rev Samuel Domer, Mr. J. C. McFall and Miss Susan Jarrett; both of Selingrove. Theasure Forxp - About one thousand

Pars, in old American and Spanish gold On the 25th ult., by the Rev. C. G. Erlen. coin, and French silver, were found on Tuesmyer, Mr. Benjamia Ulrich and Miss Angeday last, in a smoke house attached to the dwelling of Mr. Peter Texter, on the South line Pawling, both of Penns township, On the 30th ult., by the Rev. J. T. Mountain, in Lower Heidelberg township, by

TRAVERSE JURORS.

We take it to be a demonstrable fact that Sunbury-Henry S Gobin. John Speece, Philip Clark, Wm A Braner, S B Sickel Northumberland-John A Taylor, S. B. no discovery or invention worth advertising at can be advertised too extensively. The man whose mental vision is darkened by us serly instincts, whose soul lies in his breeches pocket, cannot understand this ; and if such ith, Joseph Bashore, Jos. Martin. Dela-gre-Charles Hagenbuch, John an one in his mole-like gropings, should chance upon some new and useful truth, he would be afraid to take the sure road to cele-Keiser. Lewis-George Stahl, Geo. Wykoff,

THE SURE ROAD TO FAME .....

Chilisquaque-Vm. Derr, Point-Adam Vandling, Upper Augusta-J. H Adams, William, SmithWm. Kremer, Jeremiah Cooper, J. brity, which hes through the columns of the 

H Riland, Lower Augusta-J. Fashold, Geo. Savidge Rush-G Deitz, Anthony Huff, John De-

shay, Shamokin-Jesse Reed, Robert McWilliams, S. Campbell,

Coal-Wm Snyder, Jackson-John Y Klock, J Wolf, Comeron-J H Haupt, Jordan-J Daniel, Upper Mahanoy-J. H Adams, Charles

Washington-J Reitz, B Treon,

Lower Mahanoy-John Dockey, sen. John

Bowen, Little Mahanoy-S Dunkelberger, J. Hen-

eyl, Jacob Raker, Zerbe-D L Herb, D Beckley, Mt Carmel-Thomas Shall, Wm Moore,

PETIT JURORS.

Sunhury-J. Borne, J Weiser, Martin F.

Bucher, F. Lazarus, Northumberland-G. I Taggert, H Rennin-

ger, J Shriner, Milton-A Logan Turbut-John Huffman, J Hartman,

Delaware .- J. P. Armsrtong Christian Jush, F Carver,

Lewis-B Menges Chilisquaque-T Pardo, Point-J Gulick

Upper Augusta-H. Robins, Lower Augusta-P. Mallick. Wm Dewitt, Wm Furman Samuel Gehringer, James Leit.

Rush-Steph Hursh, Alex. Campbell, P. Huff, A Gulick, J. Basset, Shamokin-P. Rotharmel, Elida John,

Cameron-C B Boyer, Washington-Godfried Rebock, L T Drum-

heller,

Lower Mahanoy-M. Wolf, P Borrel, J. Philips,

Little Mahanoy-N Brower.

#### Notice to Bridge Bullders.

Be this as it may, it is a statistical fact, veri-fied by the books of the establishment, that SEALED Proposals will be received by the undersigned on Tuesday, the 30th more than half a million of persons have within that time purchased the preparations at the New York Office and its Country ageninst., between the hours of 10 A. M. and 3 P.M. of said day, at the Commissioner's office in the borough of Sunbury, Northumberland county, for building a bridge across Snow Could the amount of good they have effected in that period, in the United States alone, be computed and placed on record, it Creek, on the Tulpehocken road leading towards Klingerstown, a short distance from would of itself form one of the proudest mon ments of success to which zealous philan-Shadel's tavernstand in Jordan township in said county. Specifications will be exhibited on the day of letting. PHILIP RENN, thropy on the one hand and popular apprepreciation on the other, have ever contribu-CHAS. HOTTENSTINE. FREDERICK HAAS.

Commissioner's office, Commissioners Sunbury, Dec. 10, 1856.

## SHERIFF SALES.

By virtue of a certain writ of Fi. Fa. to bone." "Hum-truly, Obadiah, thou hast wisely said: inasmuch as it is written that it me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale at the Court House in Sunbury, on Saturday is not good for man to be alone, lo! and behold I will sojours with thee." the 3d day of Jannary, 1857, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following Real Estate, situate in the

county of Northamberland, to wit : Out-Lots of the Borough of Sunbury, adjoining lands of the Sunbury Canal and Wa-ter Power Company, on the east ; west by On Saturday, the 6t inst., by Rev. D. Y. road or lane leading southerly from the said Borough; north the lands of George Weiser, and south by land of Benj. Hendricks, con-

ber 268 in the plan of the Town, adjoining a

lot of H. Simpson, on the east and an alley

he north and west sides, on which is an old

Also, The eastern half lot No. 146 in the

borough of Sunbury, on the north side of

Dewherry street, adjoining said street on the south, and a lot of Ira T. Clement and Dr.

Also, Three lots of ground in the town of

Shamokin, numbers 238, 239 and 240, on one

of which viz : 238, there is a frame dwelling

Heisler, Mr. GEO, Wilson to Miss CHARITY taining Twenty Acres or thereabouts all under coltivation. Also, a lot of ground in the said Borough, on the north side of Pokeberry street, num-

lands of late of J. Spring, Ludwig, Phteger and others, without improvements. The last two tracts held by Deed from Dennis Buoy and acknowledged, 1st April, 1854.

Also, The interest of defendant in a tract or lot in Coal township, adjoining the town of Shamokin, devised by Henry Masser to his

children in equal parts, the whole containing 25 acres. Seized taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Jacob B. Masser.

ALSO:

By virtue of a certain writ of *Lee. Fa.* to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, Sunbary, on Saturcay, the 3d day of January, 1857. at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following described property to

All those two certain contiguous lots of All those two certain contagoous hole of ground in Dewberry street, in the Borough of Sunbury, and numbered in the general plan of said town, numbered 146 and 147 bounded on the east by lot No. 145, and on the west by lot No. 148, containing each one quarter of an acre, more or less, together with all and singular the buildings and improvements, &c.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Jacob B. Masser. ALSO:

By virtue of a certain writ of Lev. Fa. to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Sunbury, on Monday the 5th day of January, 1857, at 1 o'clock

P. M., the following property to wit : All that certain tract or piece of Land, situate in the borough of Sunbary aforesaid, adjoining lands of Lewis Dewart on the north and east other lands of Ebenezer Greenough on the south, on the public road along the river Susquehanna, on the west, being the northerly end of out-lot late the property of E. Greenough, in said borough, and bounded as follows : beginning at a post in the divi-sion line by lot hereby granted, and land of Lewis Dewart; thence south ten degrees west, along the public road aforesaid 15 1-10 perches to a post; thence along hand of E. Greenough, south 724 degrees cast, 28 4-10 perches to a post in the division of lot of said Ebenezer Greenough and Lewis Dewart ; thence north 25 degrees east 12 perches to a post in the division line just above mentioned ; thence north 663 degrees west 32 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 2 acres and 85 7-19 perches, it being the same piece conveyed by Deed to Jacob B. Masser by

said E. Greenough. Seized taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of J. B. Masser, with notice to H. B. Masser, terra tenant. ALSO :

By virtue of a certain writ of Levori Fa. to

me directed will be exposed to public sule on Monday the 5th day of January, at the Court

House in Sunbury, at 1 o'clock P. M., the fol-

lowing property to wit : All that certain House and Lot of Ground

situate in the borough of Sunbury, and coun-

ty aforesaid on the side of Fawn street in

said Borough containing in width on said

ing in depth 240 feet, bounded on the North

by a lot formerly belonging to John Young, now George Renn, on the East by lot of Re-

bins, on the South by lot formerly of Peter

Hileman, now Solomon Stroh, and on the West by Fawn street aforesaid.

ALSO:

as the property of Elias Brosious.

Siezed taken in execution and to be sold

By virtue of a certain writ of Ven. Ec. to

me directed will be exposed to public sale on

Monday the 5th day of January, at the Court

House in Sunbury, the following property to

A Lot of Ground situate in the town of

Treverton Northumberland county, bounded

in the East by lot of Holshoe, on the west

by lot of J. Keiser, and fronting on Shamo-

depth. Whereon are erected a frame House

Siezed taken in execution and sold as the

street fifty seven feef, six inches and extend-

of Dickens' previous novels. Peterson has 10.000 volumes. The total loss is \$50,000

#### Southern Commercial Convention

SAVANNAU, Dec. 8 .- Large numbers of delegates to the Southern Commercial Con-vention have already arrived. Virginia sends the largest number. The best feeling pre-vails amongst the delegates.

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NEW SCRVEVING INSTRUMENT.--The Quin-cy Whig states that Mr. W. L. Hervey, of that city, has recently procured a patent for But we think the Canal Board wants re-ora very ingenious instrument called "The Sur-This instrument is designed to acvevor. complish the labor of a surveyor and chainmen. It is stationary, and surveys any space of which the bounds may be distinctly seen. It has been examined by practical surveyors, who pronounce it an excellent invention The Whig says by this instrument all the in tricate colculations are made mechanically, thus saving the time and trouble of the engineer in this department, and which he must necessarily spend when the usual method is employed. The new invention enables the surveyor to run his lines directly over rivers. swamps and other inaccessible places. By it a field or coast can be surveyed, without moving the instrument, it all the points to be maps can be seen distinctly from the starting

Lewis Shank, a captain on one of the boats of the Miami canal was passing along the street, at Cincinnati, with several hundred dollars mostly in small bills, in his hat when his money was counted at the bank it was found that S47 were missing. A wag ad-vised Mr. Shauk always thereafter carry his money in a safer place, or to keep a brick in his bat.

ANECDOTES OF REV. DR. BARNES .- Being some times (as even younger men might be) inclined to sleep a little during the sermon, a friend who was with him in his pew one Sanday lately, having joked him on his bay-ing nodded now and then, Barnes insisted that he had been awake all the time. "Well then," said his friend, "can you tell me what the sermon was about?" "Yes, I can," he neswered ; "it was about an honr and a half too long !"

The Washington Star of the 5th says that now going on, will secure to the tribes an aggregate sum of between \$1,250,000 and \$1. 500.000. So far these tracts have brought an been withdrawn from St. Louis to meet the exigencies of purchasers.

A large Bear was shot by Maj J. Brass, about three weeks ago, on the Mountain oppo-site Muncy. His Bearship had been trapped by Mr. A Roberts, but in some way got the trap loose and made off with it hanging to him of revenue than is required to meet the nec sbut was followed and killed.

The earnings of the Cattawissa Railroad for Octaber, were \$20,577.66, being an increase \$8,282.28, as compared with the correspon-ons tax, it is this tax on sugar, for the bending month last year.

Enquirer, states that on, Kendedy's planta-tion, situated on North Sulphur, a few dey's since, 1948 pounds of cotton were gathered from one acre of ground. The ground was staked off, and the cotton weighed in the presence of several gentleman.

Mr Henry George Kuper, British Consul at Baltimore, was sufficiented in a house that tock fore in that city on Sunday.

published an illustrated edition of the work, uniform with his publication of Dickens' other works, at the low price of Fifty cents.

.... #3" CANAL COMMISSIONER .- The Lehigh Democrat recommends Gen. David Laury as a candidate for Canal Commissioner. We

have known the General for some years. He ganisation. It should be placed above Legislative control, or more properly speaking. the tenure of the office should not be at the grind or private resentments to gratify. The constant dread of the abolition of the Board by the Legislature, destroys, in a great measure, its independence, and members, in give a weekly mail. pressing appointments, do not hesitate to threaten the Board with the exercise of this the attainment of place and power, and until the hearts of men are changed, or the millenium comes, designing politicians will

use it for corrupt and selfish purposes.

GT THE NEW CENT PIECES .- It is not generally known that new cent pieces have been coined. Congress passed a law authordollars mostly in small bills, in his natt when it was blown off and the money scattered in all directions. Many persons kindly assisted in making collectios for Mr. Shank, yet when the ap" of them are now at the Philadelphia the ap" of them are now at the Philadelphia the ap" of them are now at the Philadelphia the ap" of them are now at the Philadelphia the ap" of them are now at the Philadelphia for their issue. The consequence is, that a \$1,498,000 per annum, and as that there is Sarah, mint awaiting the order of Congress to circulate. They are about the size of the half-cent circulated fifteen or sixteen years reduction of the British transit charge on ago, and are composed of copper, nickel and zipe.

> EST THE STAR OF YOUTH, a new monthly paper just started at Philadelphia, by Shaw the fiscal year was over nine and a quarter willion acres, and the receipts therefore \$8,may realise their highest expectations.

#### ..... THE DUTY ON SUGAR.

The exhorbitant prices of Sugar, which for further power being granted to the Commismore than a year past have been been gradually increasing, have become so important an the sales of the Delaware lands in Kansus, item in almost every family in the land, that a plan or remedy is beginning to be discussed The advance in the price of Sugar is attribuaverage to about forty three per cent, above table, to a certain extent, to a succession or their appraised value. Something like a failures of the Lousiana crop. On foreign and a half of specie, it is said, have snear there is an import daty of 50 per be acted upon by the Senate. By these treasugar there is an import duty of 30 per be acted upon by the Senate. By these treacent. It would seem to be proper that this ties the Indian title has been extinguished taviff should be taken off, and Cuban sugars admitted free- This would diminish the cost 203 3 nearly a third, and be a common benefit .--

The present tariff brings in a greater amount sary expenses of the government, and as su-

ous tax, it is this tax on sugar, for the benefit of a few planters in Lousiana, and what Great Field,-The Lomar county (Texas) makes it worse is the fact that the higher and scarcer it is, the greater the tariff will be Buchunan,

under the ad calorum system. ..... for The National Vocalists performed at this place on Monday and Tuesday evenings

last. The concerts were not as well attended

pleased with their performance.

In Nebraska and Kansas 20,238 miles were added to the length of the routes. Between the 1st of July, 1852, and the 1st great many years, in entire ignorance of the

of July 1856, the railroad service was increa-sed 10,177 miles, exhibiting the fact that operations of rats (all created things, it within that time this description of service was more than doubled. On the 1st of December, 1856, the length On the 1st of December, 1856, the length of the railroad road routes had increased to contained, that the discovery was owing. The 21,310 miles. The total cost for this service

to that date amounted to \$2,403,747. The whole cost of the inland service on the 1st of Jaly was \$6,526,036. He alludes to the Panama Railroad Com-pany seizing on the occasion of the withdraw. Banks were unknown assong us, and our

country had not yet sufficiently record from the disturbances of the Revolution. al of the steamers via Nicaragua, to force the department to pay what he considers an exmercy of members who may have an axe to orbitant price across the Isthmus, and recommake its possessor secure in investing it. Its discovery at this time was a lucky stroke of ceeding \$30,000 per annum, and a contract fortune for Mr. Texter, as he has recently not exceeding \$200,000 per annum, via the made a sale of his property under an agree-Nicaragua or Tehuantepec route so as to ment to give possession on the first of April next. The money is now on deposit in the

The California expenditures for the year 1856 were \$10,500.286, and the gross revenue including annual appropriation for the free power. Fear is often a potent auxilliary in matter, \$7,610,821. The deficiency is \$2. 787.000. He recommends the abolition of the frank-

ing privilege, and compulsory pre-payment on all transient printed matter; also the repeal of the act of 1845, which gives the Postmaster General discretionary power to make new

contracts for ocean stramship service. He alludes to the fact embracing the branch from Father, New Orleans to Havana, that there are now Mother, four ocean steamship lines running out of Thomas, New York at an expense to government of James, John. Mary. Among other points, it is stated that nego-Elijah Matthew, United States closed mails, and the rate of Daughter, postage between the United States and Great Britian from twelve to fifteen cents a Total hei't. 70 feet. Weight, 2228 pon

single letter. The quantity of lands sold for cash during

821.414 The total amount of lands disposed of was

over 39,000,000 acres. The Secretary suggests the necessity of

discontinue pensions when the reason for granting them has wholly or partially ceased. The number of putents issued within the year will probably reach two thousand fivehundred.

The report says that during the present Administration lifty-two Indian treaties have to nearly 75,000,000 acres. The aggregate money consideration therefore is \$11,154,-

The Indians within our bounds are supposed to be about 300,000. The colonization of the Indians has already been attended with the happiest results, and give promise of steady progress in amelioration of their physical and moral condition.

THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION .--- We have now returns from every State in the Union ---California having gone for Buchanau, the final result is as follows : 174 votes. . . . .

Fremont, 114 8 Fillmore, Total, 296 votes.

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Buchanan that Gen. Quitman is the proper man for the office of Secretary of War.

one of the girls living with him. The smoke- liams, Harrison Guinn, to Elizabeth Hart house had been used by the family daily for a ranft, both of McEwensville.

## DEATHS.

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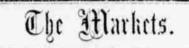
A QUAKER lately popped the question to a

MARRIAGES.

seems, have their uses) in undermining the On Sunday, the 7th inst., in Shamokin brick floor of the place, and exposing to view township, at the house of her foster parents, Wm. H. and Elizabeth Muench, in the hope of a blissful immortality, SARAH JANE oldest pieces bear the date of 1733, and the drughter of Jacob G. and Maria Reed,

American coin is principally of the issues of aged 14 years, 7 months, and 15 days. 1800 to 1804. This treasure was doubtiess "Peace ! 'tis the Lord Jehovah's hand. hid away by one of Mr. Texter's ancestors. That blasts our joys in death ;

Charges the visage once so dear And gathers lack the breath."



#### Philadelphia Market. December 11, 1856.

GRAIN .--- Wheat is dull, but prices are stea-A TALL FAMILY .- Some person furnished Sales of prime new Southern and Penna a paper in Obio with the following facts in 2 stories high. red at \$150a1 53, and \$160a162 for white .--relation to a family now residing in Bourbon county, Kentucky. The father was originally Rye comes in slowly; sales of Pennsylvania at 80 cts. Corn is quite scarce ; sales of yelfrom Maryland, but has resided in Kentucky low at 66a67, cents, adoat, and 65 cents in store. Oats are steady ; sales of prime old In the following table the height, weight, Pennsylvania and Delaware 43 cents per bushel.

Height, Weight,											amult frame storrand a half house
Father, Mother, Fhomas, James, Sarah, John, Mary, Elijah, Matthew, Eli, Daughter, Fotal hei't, En	6 feet 6 feet	4 inches, 4 inches, 4 inches, 6 inches, 6 inches, 11 inches, 2 inches, 3 inches, 6 inches, 6 inches, 3 inches, 3 inches, 3 inches, 3 inches,	Weight. 200 pounds. 285 pounds. 230 pounds. 215 pounds. 165 pounds. 196 pounds. 210 pounds. 220 pounds. 220 pounds. 197 pounds. 150 pounds. 228 pounds. 2228 pounds.	SUN WHEAT. RTE. COMM. OATS. POTATOES BEESWAX HECKLED BETTER. FOATSEN TALLOW.	FLIX.	•	CE	CURI	RENT.		small frame story-and-a-half house Also, a lot of ground No. 147.—in said bo- rough of Sanbary on the north side of Dew- berry street, adjoining said street on the south; lot No. 146 on the east: and a lot of Geo. W Smith, on the west, and a 20 feet alley on the north, on which is a large 2 story frame house. Also, a tract of unsented timber land in Shamokin and Coal townships, containing 591 acres, surveyed on a warrant to John Teitsworth, dated in 1794, situate on the Little Mountain, adjoining land of Richard Lake.
FELT HATS The editor of the Central				New Advertisements.							Also, a Tract of unseated land in Shamo-

NOTICE S hereby given that the following persons

fur or silk hat, so lately universal, a perpetual annoyance to its owner-in his way in every Court of Quarter Sessions of said County, for crowd-never protecting him from sun or rain License to sell Spiritous, Vinous, Malt and bat keeping him anxiously trying to protect it-very much in the shape and about as Brewed Liquors, under the act of Assembly passed March, 1855 :

pleasant to the head as a section of stovepipe Names Place. Remarks would be-always getting blown off, or much Sunbury, Ira T. Clement, Store. ed, or weather stand-instead of this, we Milton Druggist Cyrus Brown, now have the broad brimmed, flexible bodied Isanc Brown Store easy fitting hat, without fur on it, or stiffen Extracted from the record and certified ing in it-never binding the brow or causing

Dec. 11, 1856. JAMES BEARD, CLERK.

Sunbury-Henry E Martin, Jno G Young

-lately the estate of J. P. property of Barney Murphy. Shindel, deceased, ALSO:

Also, Two adjoining lots of ground in the By victur of a certain writ of Ven. Exposure adjoining the river road called Broadway on the west, lot of Philip Brymire on the south. the 5th day of January, 1857, at 1 o clock P. M., the following property to wit :---The one equal undivided fourth part as the Cranberry street on the north and an alley

and small Stuble, &c.

wit :

property of Lee W. Buffington, of a certain Also, Hulfa lot of ground in the said bo-Tract of Land, situate in Coal and Zerbe townships, Northumberland county, surveyed roug of Sunbury on the north side of Black-berry street, numbered 163 in the plan of the in the name of Matthias Zimmerman, and Town, adjoining the other half of the lot, on adjoining land surveyed in the names of John Bord, William Wilson, Michael Kroll and the east which is owned by Mrs. Mullen, and the lot on which E. Y. Bright has a Foundry Frederick Cramer, containing 367 Acres and on the west, said street on the south and an 98 perches more or less, about one-fourth of alley on the north, and ou which is a log an acre of which is cleared, whereon is erected a small Log House

Seized taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Dr. Lee W. Buffington, drawer, and Jacob Loose, indorsee.

ALSO:

Awl, on the east ; a 20 feet alley on the south By virtue of a certain writ of Ven. Expones and the western half of the same lot on the to me directed, will be exposed to public subwest, on which is crected a small brick house at the Court House in Sunbury, on MON-DAY the 5th day of January, 1857, at one o'clock P. M., the following described pro-Also, The western half of lot No. 146 in perty towit :---All that certain Tract of Land situate in Upper Augusta township. Nor-thumberland county, adjoining land of Henry the borough of Sunbury, on the north side of Dewberry street, adjoining the said street on the south : the eastern half of said lot on the east; lot No. 147, on the west and a 20 Kline on the west, Gilbert Deitz on the cast Eliza Depen on the north, and John Derr on feet alley on the north, on which is crected a the south ; containing 130 acres more or less, about 75 acres of which are cleared, whereou Also, a lot of ground No. 147 .- in said be

are erected a two-story frame House, a log Barn, Spring House, Orchard, &c. rough of Sanbury on the north side of Dew-berry street, adjoining said street on the south;

Seized taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Isaac D. Fisher. ALSO:

By virtue of a certain writ of VEN, EXPONAS to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Coart House, in Sunbury, on MON-DAY, the 22d day of December, 1856, at 9 Shamokin and Coal townships, containing 591 acres, surveyed on a warrant to John Teitsworth, dated in 1794, situate on the o'clock, A. M., the following described property to wit :---Two certain contiguous Lots of Ground. Little Mountain, adjoining land of Richard

ituate in the town of Trevorton, in Zerbe Also, a Tract of unseated land in Shamotownship, Northumberland county, being lots Nos. 3 and 4, in block No. 74, in said town, kin township, containing about 79 acres, surveyed on a warrant to Jacob B Masser, and adjoining a lot of Jacob Raker, on the West, John Hurtz, on the East, and fronting ou adjoining land surveyed to Jeremiah Jackson, Also, a tract of unseated land in Point Market street, being each 25 feet in front, and extending back to Rail Road street, township, adjoining land of John Wheatley and others, known as the John D Metzgar, Tract, containing fifty acres or thereabouts. whereon is crected a Two Story frame Dwolling House

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of William Kahler.

#### ALSO:

By virtue of a certain writ of VEN. EXPOSAS to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in Sunbury, on MON-DAY, the 22d day of December, 1856, at 9 Also, The interest of detendant in a Tract of Iron Ore Land in Chilisquaque township, adjoinining lands of John Parks, lands bought of Dennis Buoy and Chilisquaque Creek, con-taining Fifty acres, more or less, on which are erected a log house, with orchard, and the A certain tree o'clock, A. M., the following described prop-

A certain tract or piece of Land, situate tract is under good cultivation. It is held under articles of agreement with Dennis Mcin Upper Augusta township, Northumberland county, bounded on the North by the centre Turnpike, on the East by lands of John Z. Huas and George Conrad, on the South by lands of said Haas, and on the West by the Ghee, for its purchase by debt at \$1,200, and \$100 of the money have been paid said Mc-Ghee-has possession on a lease from defengut or Sunbury line, containing 38 acres more or less, all of which is cleared, and

Also, a tract of Iron Ore Land, in Chiliswhereon are crected Two Lime Kilns quaque township, containing 89 acres 21 perches and allowance, &c., adjoining lands of Wm. Barnhart, Michael Maghee, the Catho-Also upon another certain tract or piece o land, situate in the Borough of Sunbury, and bounded on the North and North-East and lie lands and others, on which are erected 2 South by Shamokin creek, on the South small wooden houses, and a bank barn, with an orchard-held by Deed from Solomon Dentler and wife, dated, 1st April, 1853. West by lands of Benjamin Hendricks, and on the North-West by lands of Dr. Masser

and George Weiser, containing seventeen Also, a tract of Irou Ore Land in Chillisacres, more or less, all of which is cleared, and quaque township, containing 52 acres 59 per-ches, adjoining lands late of Dennis Magoe, whereon is erected a large Sawmill. Seized, taken into execution, and to be

Peter Crampton, Lawrence Boor and others, sold as the property of the Sunbury Canal and Water Power Company. on which are a frame house, a bank barn and 2 orchards. HENRY WEISE, Sheriff.

Also, a tract of wood land in said township, Sheriff's Office, Sunbury, } containing 25 acres 135 perches, adjoining November 29, 1856.

Holloway's Pills are an excellent Family Medicine and recommended to all sufferers with dissenses of the Liver and Stomach — The surprising effect of these wonderful Pills have naturally made them an universal favor. D. H. Dreisbach, Samuel Gray. ite with the citizens of the Union, as well as to the inhabitants of all other parts of the world, as they are the best and safest remedy for all disorders of the liver and stomach; and to the billious sufferer they are invaluable. It isundisputably admitted that these Pills have never been know to fail to cure these disor-ders when used in accoordace with the direc-t.on which accompany each box. Lower Augusta-John Sterber, John Alerter, John Sterber, John ite with the citizens of the Union, as well as

-always in shape, if shape it might be called which has none-always shading the face from the sun, and sheltering it from storm-Sunbury, Dec. 13 1856 .-and last, but not least, the prettiest bat, if beauty is associated with utility au the fit-ness of things : this is the hat which consti-LIST OF JURORS. For Northumberland County, for the January Term, A. D. 1857. GRAND JURORS.

tutes one of the most to be louded inventions of the present day, one which should univer-sally supplant its predecessor, and be worn by

M. Bostian. Northumberland- M D Priestley,

Lower Augusta-John Sterner, John Mey-

12 New Advertisements.

"Indeed this is the only sensible hut now worn. Instead of the shiny, hard, and stiff have filed petitions with the Clerk of the