The steamship Columbia has arrived from Liverpool with dates to the 24th nit., being four days later than previous advices.

The steamship City of Washington arrived out on Tuesday.

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE. The U. S. steam frigate Ningara arrived at Liverpool on the 22d ult., and the shipment of the cable commenced forthwith. The proceedings in parliament were of lit-

the importance.

The elections in France passed off quietly.
In Paris, the Government elected seven of their candidates and the opposition three, viz:
M. M. Carnot, Goodchaux and Cavaignac.—
A despatch in the London Times, however, throws a doubt on the latter's return.

MR. DALLAS DINES WITH THE QUEEN.

On Monday evening, June 22d, Her Ma-jesty had a dinner party at Buckingham Pal-ace. The company included his Imperial Highness the Archduke Maximilian of Austris, her Royal Highness the Duchess of Kent, her Royal Highness the Princess Royal, his Royal Highness Prince Frederick William of Prussia, the Duchess of Beccleuch the Bayarian Minister (Baron de Cetto,) the United States Minister and Mrs. Dallas, Lord John Russell, Lady Augusta Bruce, Lord Panmure Right Hon. Sir Charles Wood, Lieutenant-General Sir Colin Camp bell, Sir George Couper, Count Zichy, Count Hadik, Baron de Pont, Baron de Bruck, Captain Alphonso Wissisck, Dr. Trogher, Lord Charles Fitzroy, and Baron Moltka.

The process of shipping the cable on the Agamemnon at Greenwich was going briskly forward, and attracted large numbers of dis-tinguished visitors. Up to Saturday, the 29th inst., ninety-eight miles of the coil had been taken on board.

STILL LATER. ARRIVAL OF THE ARABIA. The Bank of France has reduced the rate

The Spanish-Mexican question assumed a threatening aspect. A mutiny has occurred among the native

troops in India, who have taken possession of Delhi and massacred the European resi-

dents.

The Jewish caths bill has passed the House of Commons by a large majority.

The opponents of the French Government have only elected half a dozen members of the Legislature.
The Paris correspondent of the London,

Times mentions the rumor of a serious plot connected with the recent election movement Four Italians on whom papers and fire arms were found, had been arrested. SPAIN.

The advices from Madrid state that the Spanish and Mexican Ministers had a long conference, without improving the Mexican question. In fact the situation of affairs between the two countries is considered as crit-The English and French Ambassadors at Madrid were striving to effect a reconcilia-

The report that General Concha had sent vessels to the Coast of Mexico, is fully con-

Later advices state that the Mexican Minister positively intends to leave Madrid in the course of the week, if not previously recognized in that capacity. RUSSIA.

The Czar has started on the German tour, previously resolved upon.

A despatch from Trieste announces another victory of the Circussians over the Rus-

sians, in which the latter lost 1000 men.

WILLIAM L. MARCY. There could not have been a more solemn and impressive event connected with the eighty-first anniversary of American Independence than the sudden decease of William L. Marcy. It has been regarded as a fortupate incident that three of the great men of the early days of the Republic should have breathed their last on that sacred day, and the death of Mr. Marcy will serve to identify him with the great event that the whole nation was rejoicing over at the time be expired. That the people of all parties will grieve over the departure of this eminent man cannot be doubted; for he was indispubly the most able and the most distinguished member of the dominant party of the United

States. William Larned Marcy was born at Sturbridge, Worcester county, Massachusetts, December 12th, 1786. He was educated liberally, graduating at Brown University, Providence, R. I., in the year 1808. He studied for the bar and was admitted to practice at Troy, N. H., and immediately took a leading part as a Democrat in the politics of sustaining the measures of Jefferson and Madison in regard to our foreign policy. During the war with Great Britain he served as a volunteer in the military defence of the State. He was appointed Recorder of the city of Troy in the year 1816, but was removed by Gov. De Witt Clinton, in 1818, owing to his siding with Mr. Van Buren in opposition to his administration. On the success of the anti-Clintonian party, Gov. Yates rewarded Mr. Marcy by appointing him, in the year 1821, to the office of Adjutant General of the State, and he then removed to Albany. He was one of the earliest and most important members of the famous "Albany Regency," which cont o'led for a long time the movements of the Democratic party in the State, and exercised mighty influence in the politics of the nation. In 1823 he was appointed State Comptroller, and in 1829 one of the Associate Justices of the Supreme Court. The latter office he resigned in 1831, when he was elected United States Senator. He resigned his place in the Senate in 1832, having been elected Governor of the State. He was reelected Governor in 1834 and 1836, but in 1838, when he was nominated for a fourth time, he was defeated by Hon. William H. Seward. From that time Mr. Marcy re-mained in private life, until the elevation of Mr. Polk to the Presidency, when he was appointed Secretary of War, performing the duties of the office with signal ability during the whole term of four years-a term of unuenal difficulty, since the responsibility of the war with Mexico rested almost solely upon bim. After Gen. Taylor's accession to the Presidency, Mr. Marcy returned to New York, where he labored assiduously to heal the dissensions among the New York Democracy, which had almost entirely destroyed the power of the party in the State. In his efforts in this behalf he lost many friends among the "hunker" wing of the Democrate, and this operated to defeat his nemination for the Presidency by the Baltimore Conven-tion of 1852. Franklin Pierce obtained the nomination and was elected; and it was the most fortunate thing for his administration that he should have selected Mr. Marcy for the office of Secretary of State—an office that he administered with great ability during the whole of the Presidential term.—Phila.

THE MORTAITY AT MONTEVERO .- A letter in the London Times, bearing date May 6th. estimates the number of deaths from yellow fever at Montevideo at from 1400 to 1600. fever at Montevideo at from 1400 to 1600. The expenses to be paid out of the estate.—
which is a heavy drain from a population of Adopted in Northumberland county, Janualess that 25,000.



THE AMERICAN.

SUNBURY.

SATURDAY, JULY 11, 1857. H. B. MASSER, Editor and Proprietor.

Democratic State Nominations.

For Governor Gen. WILLIAM F. PACKER, OF LYCOMING COUNTY.

Judges of the Supreme Court, Hon. WILLIAM STRONG, of Berks County. Hon. JAMES THOMPSON, of Eric County

For Canal Commissioner, NIMROD STRICKLAND, OF CHESTER COUNTY.

The Fourth of July was celebrated at this place, as usual of late years, by the different Subbath schools in the shady groves near town. The day was fine and the weather

The weather seems to bave become settled at last, and there is a prospect of securing the hay crops in good order. The river has fallen rapidly.

of H. Y. FRILING, Esq., that he keeps regular-& GRANT, a variety of papers and magazines.

65 CHANGE OF TIME.—The cars for Shamokin and Mt. Carmel now leave this place at 81 o'clock, A. M., an hour later than before. The change took place on Wednes-

THE CROPS .- Although the weevil has severely injured the wheat crop in this neighporhood, and in some of the adjoining connties, still, we have reason to believe that the injury is not as serious nor as extensive as some imagine. If even the crop of the whole State was a failure, it would have no great effect upon the supply or the price in the city markets. In some of the States the crops are larger and heavier than usual. On an average, we have no doubt, the crop of this year is fully equal to that of last. We anticipate no such high prices as are talked of by some who imagine that a few counties, or even the whole State, can materially affect prices. We have no doubt that before the close of the year, wheat will be selling again at \$1,50 per bushel.

THE NEW STEAM FLOURING MILL, which Messrs. Snyder & Harrison are erecting in this place, will be put into operation next month. The building is a substantial brick structure. The stack or chimney is forty-four feet high, and built in the most approved style. Mr. Campbell, the mill-wright, is making a good job.

The mill, if properly conducted, will be a profitable investment as well as a great convenience. The builders are mechanics of limited means, who deserve every encouragement in undertaking an enterprise that reflects great credit on their perseverance and indus-

IMPROVEMENTS .- Mr. E. Y. Bright has greatly improved the front of his store by a heavy cornice above the first story, and a range of papel work on the roof, in front.

Frederick Lazarus, Esq., we observe is taking out the front of his dwelling, and making extensive repairs.

Sheriff Weise, who purchased the "Lawence House," intends raising the front another story, and erect new back buildings, including a dining room forty feet deep. The property is a good one and has fallen into good bands. The Sheriff has always been one of the most enterprising men in our Borough. Sheriff Covert also contemplates adding an additional story to his Hotel, with wings on either side. These improvements would add greatly to our Hotel accommoda-

The death of Hon. WM. L. MARCY is noticed everywhere with profound regret. His abilities as a diplomatist, and his administrative talent were, perhaps, superior to any living statesman in the Union or elsewhere. His great abilities were only beginning to be properly appreciated, when death suddenly summoned him to a Ligher tribunal. His famous letter to Chevalier Hulseman in the affair of Martin Koszta, and his letter to the Peace Conference at Paris, are monuments of his comprehensive ability.

HUSSEY'S REAPERS .- We refer our eaders to the advertisement of Geddes. Marsh & Co., of Lewisburg, manufacturers of Hussey's Reapers. Also to the card of a number of farmers who were present at a trial of different Respers in Montour county.

The sale of the main line of the public works seem to meet with general approbation. Before the sale was effected, a few politicians and some of the papers kicked considerably against the measure, but since the sale, a large majority of the press have come to the conclusion that the State has been fortunate is its release from an incubus on its prosperity.

The following rule of Court, in regard to notice is important to Executors and Administrators, where the widow claims \$300 worth of property, under the Act of Assem bly exempting property to that amount, for her use. The rule, which is a proper one, was established by Judge Jordan in January

It is ordered by the Court, That in future when the widow claims \$300 worth of person-al property of her husband, it shall be the duty of the Executor or Administrator of the deceased to cause notice to be inserted in one of the newspapers published in the County Town, three weeks, that the widow has made her selection, and that it will presented to the Orphan Court for approval, on a day certain, to be designated in the notice.—

which makes its appearance in a new dress, Mr. Snyder has the experience as well as the ability to make a good paper.

Jacob Miller, together with his tools, furniture, &c., was destroyed by fire on Friday afternoon, the 3d instant. It was probably set on fire by a child playing with matches. Loss about \$1500. Insurance \$900. Politics is getting high in young Snyder county. Col. Eyer and Thomas Bower are named as candidates for Senator. The appointment of J. G. L. Shindel as Post Master gives general satisfaction. A better appointment could not have been made. A notice for a Bank at Selinsgrove is advertised.

DANVILLE .- Peter Baldy, jr., of Danville, received a boat load, (1500 bushels) of wheat from Baltimore, It was Canada wheat. Formerly, Danville cent large quantities of finely. wheat to market. But they now consume more than they produce. Rudolph Sechler died on Saturday week last, aged 85, the oldest citizen in Danville, He voted for Gen Washington for President. Application for new Bank, the "Keystone Bank," is adverised. The Danville Bank makes application for an increase of capital. An annual meeting of the stockholders of the S. R. N. & W. B. Telegraph will be held on Tuesday, the 14th.

The following verses were handed to us for publication, by the author, Hartman H. Knowble, who is a candidate for Prothonotary. It will be seen by the advertisement They purport to be translated from the German original by the same author. In regard ly on hand, for sale at the store of FRILING to their originality there can be no question .-Hypercritical individuals may feel inclined to find fault with the author, in making bimself the hero of his own epic. But he had a motive-a commendable one too. He is a candidate, and by blending business with literature, he economises time as well as expense. Heretofore, friend Knoeble has been down on us, as being, in his opinion, somewhat heterodox, and somewhat deficient in our taste for codfish-but that, he says, is past. Besides, he has discovered that the only way to let the people know, that he is a candidate, is to have his name in our English and German pa-

> The 4th July, the Birth day of the independence.

ribs onthor translated from the german original.) Triumph, Triumph, victoria here, The 81the Birthday from the independence

there. Joyfull for every one, who have a voice in To bring then creator, one hyme this day for

the act. Therefore i thank god as a Freeman alone, On whose account i am, through thyn servant Washington.

pray also to the, o, Lord; give strength wisdom and intelligence, Our President, to govern our Land of the in

Also others who keep offices, great or small, To keep uprightness, faithfull in every thing pray for our old good Northumberland,

Wich is Known as to the throughout democratic meassur bound. To Keep however the democratic doctrine of

And let not false republicanismus deprive her from the stake. After i have given the omnipotence my hyme

prayer and Song, I that some thing of my duty most be done, The Bible that hely Boock most be read, And hear what god through our savioar speak. And i read and found the saviour's Law.

Mau! you most love thy Neighbor, that is true what i saw,
I. that long, and that much, but before quitt my Labor,

I. concluded that every Democrat in North umberland is my Neighbor.

l. love you all therefore, and will serve you as a faithfull Knight, When you is willing to elect me as Prothonnotar in the fullest Right.

And i give Notice to you all without distinct tion, that i am bound To hound you up this month, and make the round.

Certainly my hand and friendship will not When you can elect me, to such office with

respectfull your obedient servant, H. H. KNEBLE,

Elysburg, Shamokin twp., July 4, 1857.

THE WEATHER OF JUNE.-The mean tem perature of June, as ascertained by the therometer at the Pennsylvania Hospital, was 694 degrees, which is two degrees below the average for the last 32 years, and is the coolest June since 1846. The mercury indicated a temperature of 89 degrees on the 26th, which was the highest of the month, and of 53 degrees on the 6th, which was the lowest. The amount of rain was 74 inches. In June, 1855, there fell within a fraction of 8 inches viz: 7.94 inches, which is the greatest amount on record at the Hospital, for June. The average amount of rain for June, for the last 20 years, is 34 inches.

"THE GREAT UNITED STATES."-The largest valley in the world is the Valley of the Mississippi, which contains 500,000 square miles, one of most prolific regions of the rlobe. The largest lake in the world is lake Superior, 450 miles in length. The greatest natural bridge in the world is that over Codar Creek, Virginais, which extends across chasm 80 feet wide and 250feet deep at the bottom of which a creek flows.

LIABILITY OF STARBUOLDERS -In the Su perior Court, this morning Chief Justice Nelson delivered an opinion on the question-Can stakeholders be made to refund money paid on the result of a race? The charge of the Court was to the effect that all such wagers were in this State illegal, and that the losing party could recover of the stakeholder if he was notified of their attention to recede from the original bargain at any time before he actually paid the money. If, however, he paid over the stakes to the winner, before any such notice was received from the losers, then he cannot be held liable. The question is one of much interest in the sporting world .- Boston Journal.

SOUTHERN SENTIMENT .- The Wilmington (N. C.) Commercial contains the following expression an opinion relative to Kansas affairs: "We confess that we are over anxious about the result. Of course, we would prefer that Kansas shall be a Slave State—but not without the consent of the people expressed by their votes. Were were cutertain a different sentiment, we would at once repudiate the principle upon which the election of Mr. Buchanan is predicated."

There are in Boston Mass., 527 persons of the name of Smith, 373 Browns, 297 Sullivans, 226 Clarks, 298 Johnsons, 188 Johnsons.

A Good Cow .- The last number of the

WILLIAMSPORT.—Geo. A. Snyder has become the editor of the Independent Press. The last number of the Chester County Times, gives a statement of a cow which is owned by Jeffries Williams, of said county, and which yielded a week or two since the extraordinary amount of twenty pounds of butter in seven days. We doubt whether this can be beaten in, or out of the State State. Our contemporary thus notices her: "She is 6 years old; weight 950 pounds; color, brindle; her feed was six quarts of mixed feed per day; the average yield of milk fifty-one and a half pounds per day; amount of butter per week 20 pounds.

of butter per week 20 pounds.

The Media Advertiser notices a cow, the property of William Dunwoody, of Delaware county, that yielded 17 pounds of butter in one week.

THE CROPS IN MARYLAND.—Harvest com-Md., on Monday last but operations were im-peded by frequent rains. So far, however, the wet wheather, it is said has done serious injury to the grain. The army worm has dis-appeared from St. Mary's county, after doing much damage and the injured corn is putting out again quite vigorously. The tobaco in St. Mary's county is said to be growing

REV. CHARLES WADSWORTH -The honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity has been con-ferred upon the Revd. Charles Wadsworth-by the New York University.

VALUE OF HORSE FLESH .- A pair of horses were offered for sale in Cincinnati, last week, for \$370, but the purchaser thinking the amount too large, offered sixteen cents a pound. The horses were taken to an adjoinng hayscale, and weighed 2350 pounds, making their value \$376.

THE CROPS WEST .- A correspondent of the Cincinnati Gazette says that he has watched the crops for forty years, and he thinks that in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and Kentucky, there will be a larger crop harves ted the coming season than ever before.

SINGULAR.-The Milwaukie (Wis.) Free Democrat says that two persons named Lynch father and son, were killed by lightning in Muskego last week, while the sun was shin-ing in all its splendor. They were at work in a field.

Mose "Lynch Law" in Iowa .- A gang o horse thieves had for some time infested the neighborhood of Wapsapincon river, and the people of that region at length turned out in pursuit. Several were captured and a trial inder the code of "Judge Lynch" commenced which resulted in the conviction of four, two of whom were hung on the 24th ult., one was hung on the 26th, and a fourth was shot.

Telegraphic Rews.

Twenty Wounded.

CINCINNATI JULY 2 .- A train of cars on crossing the dangerous trestle work, twelve miles west of Murietta, yesterday morning, met with an accident that might have been foreseen by any person acquainted with the road. A car ran off the track, and fell a distance of fifty-three feet, dashing it to pieces. The car contained thirty passengers, four of whom were killed and twenty wounded. Among the dead Wm. G. Richardson, of Boston.

WASHINGTON, July 2 .- A letter received bere from the Surveyor General of Culifornia states that ranche "Rio de los Americanas," has been confirmed to Joseph L. Folsom.-It contains over 35,000 acres, and is said to be worth \$5000,000. The "Fernandez Ranche," confirmed to D. L. Ferandez and others contains nearly 18,000 acres. Two San Francisco town lots containing a little more than 3 acres in extent, have been confirmed to Jacob P. Leese and others.

Sr. Louis, July 2 .- Advices from Leavenworth, Kausas state that on the 29 ult., James Lyle, the Recorder and Postal Clerk of the country, was killed by a Free State man, named Haller. The affray grew out of an election to fill vacancies by the City Council of Leavenworth. Haller was arrested .-There was much excitement resulting from the affair, and a riot was apprehended.

has just given its dicision in relation to the New York Police Bill. The decision de-clares the bill to be Constitutional, six of the judges agreeing to the decision, and two dis-

WASHINGTON, July 4. The President has offered the appointment Surveyor General of Utah to Colonel Jack Hays, to settle the question of settler's rights, and also to apportion the Government

The inhabitants of Utah do not exaced 50. 000, two thirds of whom are women. They are principally English foreigners, and unaccustomed to the use of arms. The Government anticipates no open conflict with the United States forces. The weekly train from California to Utah would afford reinforcements if necessary.

From Washington.

Kansas Affairs-The Course of Gov. Walker. WASHINGTON, July 6. The affairs in Kansas have formed the subect of Cabinet deliberation since the receipt of the resolutions of the Georgia and Mississippi Democratic State Conventions, condemnatory of the course of Governor Walker. Although his conduct is not entirely approved of by the Administration, it will firmly sustain him, believing that he acted with wisdom and justice in advising a submission of the Constitution to a vote of the people, and that he thus followed a safe line of policy. The Southern attacks are considered as ungrecious n view of the fact that he was sent to Kansas by an administration pledged to the defence of the Southern rights, and opposed to the Topeka Constitution; and in conformity with which policy Gov. Walker is now claimed to be acting.

The views of the Administration, carefully elaborated, will, there is reason to believe, soon be officially promulgated.

From Kansas.

The Democratic Convention-Ex. Gov. Ranson nominated for Congress-The Course of Governor Walker Supported. St. Louis, July 6.

Kansas dates to the 3d inst., bave been received here: The Democratic Convention to nominate a candidate for Congress, met at Lecompton on the 2d inst. Judge Elmore presided over

the body. Ex-Governor Ransom, of Michigan, was ominated by a two thirds vote over Hop. A resolution endersing the policy of Gov.

ernor Walker, and expressing a determina-tion to support him, was adopted. A resolution to adopt the Constitution to be framed by the Constitutional Convention whether it is submitted to the people or not, was lost by a vote of 40 yeas to 41 pays. Many distinguished gentlemen were pres-ent, and the festivities concluded with an

extensive barbacue. From Utah-Return of Brigham Young Sr. Loris, July 6.

The Descret News of May 27th announce the return of Brigham Young and his party, after an absence of sixteen days. The prospects of a plenteous harvest in the Territory is reported as flattering. The papers furnish no general news. The Death of Mr. Marcy.

ALBANY, July 6. Mr. Marcy died at the San Sonci Hotel, at Ballston, at noon on Saturday last. He complained of a pain in his side shortly after More, but not finding him, he returned to his room at the hotel. The Doctor came in a few minutes after, and on going to Mr. Marcy's room, found him dead, lying on the couch with an open book on his breast. He and partly written a letter to the Hon. John

The Common Council of this city have sent a deputation to bring the remains from Ballston to this city, for the purpose of inter-

Great preparations are making here for the funeral. The remains will leave for Al-bany to-morrow by a special train, and will be received by the Burgesses Corps and es-corted to the Capitol. The funeral ceremo-nies are fixed for Wednesday, when the services will be under the direction of the Rev. Drs. Sprague, Hatch and Welsh. Business will be suspended during the

ceremonies. The Common Council all the Societies and the notabilities of the city and vicinity will attend Invitations have been sent to prominent individuals of other cities.

A committee of the Burgess Corps have the matter in hand, and their programms of arrangements indicate a splendid funeral pageaut.

SECOND DESPATCH. The Funeral Arrangements, &c. ALBANY, June 8, Evening.

The Committee of Arrangements for the funeral of Hon. Wm. L. Marcy, met at nine o'clock this evening.

The following despatch, received by telegraph, was read, viz:

"WASHINGTON CITY, July 6. 'To J. Vanderpool, Esq., Chairman and President of the Committee of Arrange-ments :- Every member of the Cabinet would derive a mournful satisfaction in attending the funeral obsequies of an old and valued friend and companion; and nothing but the pressure of important business will prevent

them performing this sad duty.
(Signed) JAMES BUCHANAN.
Replies to the invitation of the Committee were also received from Ex President Fillmore and Ex-Gov. Seymour, regretting their inability to attend. Gov. King, Hon. Hamilton Fish, and Hon. Washington Hunt, sig-

nified their intention to be present.

Major General Wool has accepted the invitation to act as Grand Mursbul of the day. The fire department held a meeting this evening, and resolved to turn out in a body.

Peum Kupsas-Democratic Convention

St. Louis, July 7. An unpublished letter to the Republican says, the Democratic Convention at Lecomp ton was one third composed of a majority pro-slavery men, but the whole Democratic party support Governor Walker's Inaugural, the Marietta and Cincinnati Railroad, while and favor the submission of the new Cousti

tution to the people. Resolutions were adepted by the Convention excluding all sectional distinctions, adopting the Cincinnati platform, and assuming the name of the National Democracy of Kansus, embracing Democrats, whether from the North or South.

Gov. Walker was invited to address the Convention, which he did with great effect. Ex-Gov. Ransom's election to Congress was regarded as certain.

Correspondence.

[For the Sunbury American.] SUNDAY SCHOOL CELEBRATION IN SHAMOKIN.

Pursuant to public notice, a grand Sabbath School celebration came off here on the 4th. Early in the morning the scholars and officers of the schools, and a vast concourse of citizens were assembled in front of the ever of your trying to get any body's sister to the Shamokin Guards, commanded by Capt. Kase; and our excellent Brass Band, under their leader, Capt. McArthur,

The Rev. P. Bird and Capt. F. C. Clark were appointed Chief Marshalls for the day. After arranging everything-getting the teachers and children in ranks- and unfurling our banners, we took up our "line of march. The procession was large, there being over three hundred children. The military display was highly creditable to the commanding flicer-and the Band performed their part admirably. The banners were numerous, appropriate and patriotic.

Long live the name of Washington. "God and our native land," "we love our Brower, to institutions," "our Sabbath Schools," "the township. nurseries of piety," "independence forever,"
"in God we trust," and "Liberty" were to be seen among the number. The stars and stripes, freedom's standard sheet, floated proudly over the military.

When we had marched through several of

the streets, we repaired to the grove, where very comfortable seats had been prepared for our reception. There were now at least six hundred persons on the ground. After a prayer had been offered up by the Rev. Mr. Tannyhill, the Hon. JOHN P. HELFEN-STEIN was unanimously chosen President Upon taking the chair be made a very interesting and appropriate, though brief address.

He stated that when a child of one year af age, he had been taken by his parents, in Philadelphia, to the first anniversary of American independence. That he thanked the giver of every blessing that he had been per-mitted to celebrate his *eighty-first* with us. His address was listened to with much pleasure, coming as it did from a Revolutionary veteran.

Josiah Reed, Benj. McCloe, Capt. Var Gaskin, Dr. W. Atwater, Dr. J. Pursell, W. W. Hays, D. N. Lake, Esq., J. Snyder and W. H. Cherington were elected Vice Presidents ; J. F. Kennedy and Dr. J. J. John

The Declaration of Independence was then read by Col. W. L. Scott, in a very able and

satisfactory manner.

The next thing in order, though not the least in importance, was refreshments. The ladies of Shamokin certainly deserve a great deal of credit for the liberality and taste they manifested in preparing for the occasion. Notwithstanding the great number of persons present, there was a superabundance of every thing, and all, too, gotten up in the very neatest manner. After we had all partaken heartily of the bounties, the table was cleared off and we took seats.

A very pleasing and patriotic address was delivered by the Rev. Mr. Hoffman, after which Dr. Atwater was called to the stand. He entertained us for some time with an impromptu poem, delivered in his usual pleasant free and easy style. It was highly appreciated and won for him considerable honor. Col. Scott ther spoke. His address was interesting and adapted to the occasion. The confectionaries being distributed among

the scholars, J. F. Kennedy was called out, to which he responded in a brief address to the Sabbath School scholars. The school having sung a beautiful bymu, we prepared

to return to town. The Band was again in readiness, and. While the swestest strains of music Were wafted on the breeze,

we marched to the hall, where we disbanded and returned to our respective homes, feeling thankful to God for his guidance and direction through the past year, and invoking his blessing for time to come. J. FORREST KENNEDY. Shamokin, July 6, 1857.

From Trevorton.

TREVORTON, July 6, 1857. EDITOR AMERICAN—Dear Sir : Thinking that a few lines may be of interest o your readers of the American, showing how the good people of Trevorton enjoyed the na-tion's birthday, I will undertake to inform you tion's birthday, I will undertake to inform you of the day's events. The morning of the Fourth was opened with firing of cannon (which by the way is an old car-axle bored out.) However it did very well when we had no other. We also had a parade of the Fantasticals in full uniform, and with a spleudid banner, on which they had inscribed: "The Scrusendyike Artillery and Bungtown Battallion." They created quite a sensation, it being the first time they have appeared in this place. In the afternoon the Odd Fellows, paraded shout the town, preceded by lows paraded about the town, preceded by our new Brass Band, after which they marched to the grove, out of town, and listened to an excellent address, delivered by your fellow townsman, Gen. Clement, after which they returned and partook of a supper prepared for them at H. B. Weaver's Hotel. Out Brass Band, under the leadership of Thomas Foulds, jr., acquitted thomselves very well, for the short time they have their instra-

YOUNG AMERICA.

Communicated.

[For the Sunbury American.] !

MR. EDITOR : I observe in the papers the names of number of persons as candidates for the office of Prothonotary. I have nothing to say against either, and some of them, I have no doubt, would in time make good officers. My purpose is to recommend James Beard, the present incumbent, whom we all know has given universal satisfaction during the past six years he has been in office. Beard has all the necessary experience, speaks English and German, and is always obliging and attentive, and will, therefore, receive the support of many, without distinction of party AUGUSTA. t.on of party

> A CARD HUSSEY'S REAPER.

We the undersigned farmers of Montour and adjoining counties were at the trial of Mowers on the 22d of June 1857, on the farm of John Mowrer in Mahoning township, Montour county. Three Machines were brought into the field, namely: Hussey's Imbrought into the field, namely: Hussey's Improved Resper and Mower manufactured by Geddes Marsh & Co., of Lewisburg, Pa., Manny's Patent, manufactured at Hossick Falls, N. Y., and Ketchum's manufactured at Reading by Boas & Spangler. The machines were worked by the owners or agents. After seeing the operation of the three machines, we give our preference to the Hus-sey Reaper and Mower, for the following

I. We think it is the most durable ma-2. It costs less than the Manny's and the

Ketchum's.

3. It is very simple in its construction and not liable to get out of order. 4. It is manufactured in this section of the country.

And we would say to our neighbors, that

if you want a good, durable and reliable Res per and Mower, get one of the Hussey's Improved Machines-G W Rishel Wm. Yorks, Stephen F Roberts, Peter Rishel, Samuel Yorks. David Roberts, Jacob Sechler, Sr., Mathias Appleman, David Davis, Solomon Ri hel. John Gearbeart,

David Clark.

Peter Heinbach,

Mayberry Gearheart, Lafayette Sechler, A B Cummings. BROTHERLY AFFECTION .- Have you got sister? Then love and cherish her with a holy friendship, but if you havn't got any sister of your own, take some other feller's sister, and love her. There will be no use, how-Fellows Hall. They were there met by love you unless you dress in garments pro-Rockhill & Wilson. Nos 603 and 905 (new style) Chestnut street, above Sixth Philadel-

Stanley Gearheart

Wm Sechler,

MARRIAGES.

In Danville, on the 25th inst., by the Rev Stover, Mr. Hickman Frame, of Treverton

and Mrs. Mary Ellis, of Danville. On the 21st ult by the Rev. J Fritzinger, Mr. Aaron Lucas to Miss Sarah Ochseur der both of Upper Mahanoy.

On the 23d ult., by the same, Mr. John Brower, to Miss Polly Grob, both of Jackson On the 28th ult., by the same, Mr. Isaac Deppin, to Miss Bresilla Brower, both of

Jackson twp. In this place on the 4th inst., by F. Lazarus Esq., Mr. Henry Miller, of Lewisburg, to Miss Mary Bower of this place.

The Markets.

Philadelphia Market. July 8, 1857. GRAIN.—Wheat—Sales of prime new Pennsylvania red at \$1 85@\$1 87 and 1 90 for good white. Rye—Pennsylvania at \$1 10

cents. Corn-Sales of old yellow at 85 cents Outs is selling at 55 cts per bushel. Cloverseed-Sales of prime at \$6 50 per Whiskey-Sales at 32 cts. in bbls.

in hhds., at 31 cents. SUNBURY PRICE CURRENT. . . \$2 00 | Butter, . Oats. 50 | Lard. -Buckwheat, . . 75 | Pork, . . Potatoes, - . 1 00 Beeswax, - . 25 Flaxseed, - - 1 25 Dried Apples, - 1 25

1000 lbs of Carpet Rags WANTED at the store of E. Y. Bright & Son, who are constantly receiving a fresh supply of Goods, thus offering to the public the largest and most desirable assortment.
July 11, 1857.

New Advertisements.

PAPERS & MAGAZINES. THE New York Ledger, Parlor Casket, Fing of our Union, Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper, Ballou's Pictorial, National Police Gazette, Weekly Novellette, Waverly Magazine, and Harper's Weekly Journal of Civilization. Also, Harper's Magazine, Godey's Ladv's Book and Putnam's Magazine, just received and for sale by H. Y. FRILING. for sale by Sunbury, July 11, 1857.

To the Electors of Northumberland County.

THE subscriber would respectfully announce to the Democratic voters of Northumberland county that he is a Candidate for nomination for the office of PROTHONOTARY.

Having had much experience in the legal pro-fession he is thoroughly acquainted with the du-ties of the office, and should he be nominated and elected he will make every effort to discharge faithfully his duty as an officer. CHARLES J. BRUNER.

Sanbury, July 11, 1857.

To the Electors of Northumberland County. HAVING been solicited by a number of my friends to offer myself as a candidate for PROTHONOTARY!

I hereby announce that I present myself to the Democracy of the County for nomination at the approaching primary election. If I am nominated and elected I will use my best abilities to perform the duties of the office.

H. H. KNOEBLE.

Shamokin tp., July 11, '857.

To the Electors of Northumberland County. HAVING been solicited by many of my tellow citizens to become a Candidate for the office of SHERIFF. I hereby announce that I present myself to the Democracy of the county for nomination at the approaching primary election. If nominated and elected, I will use the best of my shilling to refer the Milling to the county for the my shilling to refer the Milling to th my abilities to perform the duties of the office.

D. C. CAUL, Milton, July 11, 1857.

NOTICE. NOTICE is bereby given that the officers and members of Mount Zuber Lodge No. 125, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, located at Shamokintown, Northumberland county, have filed their application for a Charter of Incorporation in the Court of Common Pleas of Northumberland county. And the said Court have appointed the first day of next term for the hear-

ing of said application.

JAMES BEARD, Proth'y. Prothonotary's office, Sunbury, July 11, 1857.

Estate of Alfred Howland, dec'd. NOTICE is hereby given that the widow of Affred Howland, dec'd., late of Trevorton, has selected from the personal effects of her late husband, property not exceeding in value \$300, agreeably to the provisions of the Act of the Assembly, exempting for the use of widow's pro-perty of the value of \$300 from levy and distress. That an inventory of the same has been filed, and will be presented to the Orphan's Court of Northumberland county on Tuesday the 4th day

of August for approval.

GEO. MOWTON, Adm'r. Trevorton, July 11, 1857 .- 41

NOTICE.

I have this day purchased the following per-sonal property of John L. Renn, sold by Constable Clark, at public sale; and loaned the same

te him during my plersure, viz:
One brown and one bay horse, 2 cows, 2 calves, 4 shoats, 2 sheep, 1 wagon, 2 ploughs, 1 sled, one-half of a Thrashing Machine, one-half of 20 acres wheat, 12 do. rye, 5 do. oats, 5 do. corn, 2 beds, 1 bureau, 2 tables, 6 chairs, 2 stoves 1 dress, 1 sink, 1 chest, a lot of pictures, 1 kettle 1 grindstone; for the sum of \$345 87.

JACOB RENN.
Lower Augusta tp., July 11, 1857.-41\$

Estate of Samuel K. Savidge, dec'd. NOTICE is hereby given that letters of Administration have been granted to the subscriber, on the estate of Samuel K. Savidge, late of Rush township, Northumberland county, dec'd. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for

LEMUEL CAMPBELL, Adm'r. Rush tp., July 11, 1857 .- 6t

HUSSEY'S AMERICAN REAPER, FOR CUTTING BOTH GRAIN AND GRASS

GREAT improvements for 1857.—This Machine was put in successful operation in 1833 and continued to be the only Reaping and Mowing Machine in the World, of any practical value up to 1845—twelve years after its introduction. Other Respers are now offered with glowing advertisements, Certificates, Diptomas, Gold and Silver Medals, &c. But the Farmer in search of the best Reaper, and not posted in the mafter,

had better see a little further.

If there is any value in 24 years experience in building Respers, and using them in the harvest field, and in the improvements made during that long period, OBED HUSSEY, the Father of Respers, can claim it. All who are satisfied with the Best Reaper and Mower, ann be supplied by sending their orders early in the season as the crops indicate a large demand, and we can not have over 200 Ready for the vast harvest of 1857. We guarantee that this Resper and Mower can not be besten on fair trial by any other Reaper that may be brought into the harvest fields in 1857, and we also insure it to be the strongest and most durable machine in use. We would respectfully invite Parmers to examine the machine thoroughly before purchasing, and

satisfy themselves of its superiority over all During the last four years, the sub-cribers have sold between 500 and 600 of these Machines, to the best and most successful Farmers in Montour, Union and the neighboring counties. (whose names are too numerous to insert) to whom we

respectfully refer.

The subscribers have the exclusive right in the following counties: Montour, Union, Snyder, Northumberland, Columbia, Luzerne, Perry, Mifflin, Centre, Clinton and Lycoming. All orders thankfully received and promptly attended to. GEDDES, MARSH & CO.,

July 11, 1857.

G. Leisenring

NOTICE.

Lewisburg, Union county, Pa.

IS herely given that Jones I obner committee of Jucob Litzel has filed his account in the Prothonotary's office and that the same will be presented to the Court for confirmation at next

JAMES BEARD, Proth'y. Prothonotary's Office, Sunbury, July 4, 1857. LIST OF CAUSES.

FOR trial in the Court of Common Pleas of Northumberland County, to be held at Sunbury, on Monday, the 3d day of August, 1857. J H Vincent, vs George Haas' Adm'r, John L. Ross & wife vs Geo. Pex, Ira T. Clement va A C Noves, ve Wm Filman et al Ann Divers

va G. Morris

Samuel Hilener vs Michael Wortman The Presbyterian Church vs W G Kase the Presbyterian of Shamokin township, vs Hegins & Donnel vs Hegins & Hegins et al. J B Smith's ex're. vs C. W. Hegins et al va C W Hegins same vs same Jacob Hower &c vs John P Summers

Geo. Christian et al vs Isane Walter. Abott for Justice vs S R Wood Sunbury Canal & Water Bowen & Masser, va Power Company. Wm Heitzman, va Jacob Hitbish. Jacob Hower & Co., vs J. P. Summers E M Irland, vs Thos Dornan, et al Wm L Dewart vs Wm and R Fegely Samuel Hunter's ex'rs vs same
Ab aham Bener vs John Bartholomew,

vs John Simpsen vs J B Masser R. D Saxton Wm K Marts Eckel Raiguel & Co va H Masser's Ex're. John Bower et al vs Joseph Hogendobler Philip Paust vs F Mutchler vs D Stewart and wife same

Raguel & Co vs Catharine Pollock. vs H B Masser John Hess S Haupt vs E C Kester vs Jacob Guss E Helfenstein Hang & Brown vs Wm L. Dewart vs Frymire and Stout C Yarger Ira T. Clement ve Wm Sheaffer,

vs Henry Vangaskin F. Fryer and wife ve P Sulsback et al Sarah Sweney va Samuel Tear John Fry vs Co ioners of Northumb'd Co. Philip Sarvis ve Issac Brown va Thomas Stadden Geo. Shell & Co

vs M. Hetrick Henry Latsha George Harner vs Mary Harner. JAMES BEARD Prota'y.

Sunbury, July 4, 1857.

Prothonotary's Office,