Prom Denter City.

Destitution among the Miners-Deaths from Starvation-Departure of Horace Greeley. LEAVENWORTH, May 16.

Letters from Denver City, dated April 18th, state that there is great scarcity of provisions among the miners, and several deaths have occurred from starvation. Emigrants were arriving in a destitute condition. There is an abundance of provisions on the way however, from here and other points. Con-tradictory reports prevailed regarding the mining prospects, but the general tenor of intelligence is not encouraging, but the unfavorable accounts are ascribed to the destitute and discontented emigrants. No remittaners of dust or rich discoveries are appounced. Measures have been initiated to form a new State Constitution. Delegates are to meet in Denver City, in June, to form a State Constitution. The Overland Express, with two weeks later news from the mines, will be due here on Wednerday, and arrangements are making for a public demonstration on its arrival. Horaco Greeley, of the New York Tribune, left with the Lawrence delegation, yesterday, for the Opawattomic Convention.

KANSAS POLITICS-PROPOSED ANNEXATION OF SOUTHERN NEBRASKA TO KANSAS.-Leavenworth, May 16 .- The people of the Southero Nebraska are agitating the subject of the annexation of so much of that Territory as lies south of the Platte river Kansas, thus securing the admission of the latter Territory into the Union as a State at the next session of Congress. The popular sentiment in that section of the Territory strongly favors the proposed annexation, and it was recently resolved, at a mass meeting beld at Nebraska City, to nominate delegates to the Kansas Constitutional Convention, which assembles

at Wyandotte in July.

The Nebraska delegation will undoubtedly be admitted to the Convention, and it is prob-able that in defining the boundary of the State of Kansas the Platte river will be desiguated as the Nothern line.

SERIOUS FIRES IN HARRISBURG -THE STATE LUNATIC ASYLUM AND DAUPHIN COUNTY POOR HOUSE ENDANGERED-FREAKS OF A MADMAN. -Harrisburg, May 13 - Last night, the barn attached to the State Lucatic Asylum was burnt, together with all its contents, consisting of four horses, wagons, reapers, mowers, and a large quantity of agricultural implements. The flames communicated to two tenant houses, which were considerable damaged.

The loss by this fire is estimated at \$4000. At 2 o'clock this morning, the barn attached to the Dauphin county Poor-house, was destroyed by fire. Four mules, five horses. and sixteen horned cattle perished in the flames. Twenty-five tons of hay, one hundred bushels of oats, fifty bush is of rye, and forty bushels of potatoes were destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$4200. It is supposed that both of the buildings were fired by a man named Martin Henry Wolf, who was formerly an inmate of the Asylum. He has recently been an inmate of the Poor house and effected his escape from that institution yesterday af-He was arrested this morning and committed to prison.

OUR NAVY-EVERY AVAILABLE VESSEL TO BR IN ACTIVE SERVICE - Washington, May 16 .- All the new naval steamers will be placed in commission as soon as they shall be successfully finished, and before the close of this year, every available vessel will probably be in active service.

This design is not, however, with reference to the European war, as no damage to our commerce is apprehended from that cause. Vera Cruz is considered, in official quarters, to be one of the most important points where a large fleet is required, and hence additional vessels will be despatched to the Gulf of Mex-

The facilities in the neighborhood of Central America afforded by our squadrons either for sea or land operations, are considered sufficient for all emergencies.

Sr. Louis. May 16 .- By the arrival of the Overland Mail, advices from San Francisco to the 22d ult., have been received, two days later than the dates furnished by the mail

steamers. A land slide had occurred at the Mining town of Monte Christo, by which four persons were killed. The accident had caused a suspension of the mining operations, besides considerable damage to the improvements.

The State Legislature has failed to provide for the \$200,000 outstanding in old bonds, notwithstanding the expressed desire of the people to pay every dollar of the State indebtedness,
Business at San Francisco was brisk,

though the quotations received by the last advices are unchanged. Gold dust was arriving freely from the

mines, and money is, consequently, plenty. The wheat harvest throughout the State promises an abundant yield. Returned Pike's Penkers at St. Joseph, Mo.

Sr. Louis, May 18 .- The St. Joseph (Mo) correspondent of the Democrat, of this city, notices the arrival at that place of a bundred returned Pike's Peakers, who bring most deplorable accounts of the mining prospects, and f the sufferings of the disappointed gold hunters on the plains.
It is estimated that 20,000 men are now on

their way back, all, or most of whom are destitute of money and the necessaries of life, and are consequently perfectly reckless and desperate. Threats have been made, by some of the

most desperate, to burn Omaha, St. Joseph, Leavenworth, and other towns, in cousepaence of the deception used in those places induce the emigration.

Two thousand men are reported to be fifty lles west of Omaha, in a starving condition Some of the residents of Platemouth have used their business places and fled, fearing blence at the hands of the enraged emi

"ue FERRY across the river has been suspeded. The post to which the wire was atsched, on the south side of the river, was cut dows on last Friday morning, by the son of the tweer of the land, on which it was placed The friends of the Ferry aver, that he had no ight to do so, in as much as they had leased he ground, which, we believe, is denied by he former. We have no means nor disposi ion to ascertain, who is right or wrong, and s the matter will probably be adjusted in a 'gal manner, must decline to interfere either he way or the other. The people of Rush waship are in a state of great excitement, ad many of them take their produce to the was in the coal region, being unwilling to ces the bridge. We much regret this state things, and hope that the matter will soon satisfactorily arranged for the mutual bent of both Rush township and Danville. P. S .- The friends of the Ferry replaced post and put up the wire again yesterday ernoon - Danville Democrat.

POWDER MILL BURNED AND ONE MAN KILL - Some days ago a fire broke out in Ray-& Co.'s Powder Mills, in Luckwanna.fire originated in an old pross mill, which ng to the quantity of powder dust in and ime, and was burnt to ashes. Another is lying in a dangerous condition.

Benre, a well to do farmer of Glandford , became suddenly insans the other day

THE AMERICAN.



SUNBURY, PA. SATURDAY, MAY 21, 1859.

H. B. MASSER, Editor and Proprietor To ADVERTISERS .- The circulation of the Sunbar American among the different towns on the Sarquehar is not exceeded if equalled by any paper published in North

BE RELIGIOUS NOTICE.-The Rev. Dr DICKEY of Oxford, Pa., will preach in the old school Presbyterian church of Northum berland, on next sabbath morning at 104 o'clock, and in the Presbyterian church of Sunbury on sabbath evening at 74 o'clock.

Cooper's variety store. They are beautiful,

Perry Hileman and Charles Waters formerly from this place, died at Trinity, La., during last April. Hileman died of apoplexy,

George C. Welker, Abraham Shipman and Francis Bucher have been appoint. foreign population, mostly Germans and ed by the Court to run the division lines, to other Europeans who keep Sunday in New form a new township out of parts of Jordan | York, as it is kept on the continent of Europe and Lower Mahonoy townships. These ger, as a holiday. The German theatrical entertlemen will meet on Monday next, at the taiaments, were in full blast, and in some house of Elias Shaffer, in Jordan township, to places a transparent sign hung out, announ. attend to the duties of their appointment.

SODA OR MINERAL WATER.- We call the attention of those who would like a cheap that the poor or laboring class, have no time but excellent Soda Water Fountain, to the for amusoment and recreation, except on that advertisement of Van Allen's Fountain, in day-those, with the lager beer saloons, segar another column. These Fountains can be shops, drug stores, groceries and hotels, gave procured through the agency of the editor of to the street as much of a business air, as any this paper, who can testify to their excellence | day in the week.

FIRE.- We learn that a fire broke out n Milton on Friday night of last week, consaming five stables and a cooper shop.

On Monday night last a fire broke out in Williamsport, consuming the First Presbyterian Church, the Masons and Odd-Fellows' Hall, and some five or six houses and stables. The loss is estimated at \$25,000,-partly covered by insurance. It is believed to have been the work of an incendiary.

A blacksmith shop, owned by Mr. Banuar n Chilisquaque township, was also burned on Monday night last,

A MILITARY ELECTION will be held by the several companies attached to the first Brigade, Eighth Division, Pennsylvania Uniformed Militia, on Monday the 6th of June next, for the purpose of electing a Brigadier General, Brigade Inspector and Major of the first Battalion, and Captain, first and second Licutements for each Company in the Brigade. The captains of companies will superintend the election.

THE Mahanoy Battalion will come off at the public house of Galen Smith, on Friwith the different staff officers will be in attendance, besides a small army of office-huntheir country. A lively time is expected.

LOOK OUT FOR COUNTERREITS .- Peternote of the denomination of five dollars, having for a vignette, a 'man feeding hogs.' A portrait of Henry Clay on the upper left corner, and a N in medallion work on the lower man." Well, did you not admit that he was man." Well, did you not admit that he was out the country.

steamship Canada intercepted off Cape Race | tion there to give them something to think brings Liverpool dates to the 7th inst -The Austrians were repulsed while attempting to cross the river Po, but no serious collision had occurred. All the Austrian merchant ships lying in the harbor of Genca had been seized by the Sardinian Government .- "will ever be President who spells negro with It was expected that Napoleon would leave | two g's." (Great laughter.) Such men as Paris on the 12th, to take command of the these, indeed, could never be seperated from French army in person. The Emperor of mate a part. Any one these may sit in Austria was also about to take command of the Senate, but his place is the kennel. No election returns in England, for members of the House of Commons show a ministerial gain of 25.

FIREMEN'S PARADE.

Bultimore their new Suction, Reel and Hose. mittee of Baltimore Firemen, among whom public debts. were the Presidents of the Columbian and Deptford Companies.

ing order :

Chief Burgess and Council, Committee of Columbian and Deftford, Grant's Cornet Band, Washington Engine, 64 Members, Good Intent Section,
" Hose,
" Engine.

The procession then moved through the principal streets and returned to Market the route, from the hands of fair ladies.

A trial of the different engines then follow-Suction is a beautiful piece of machinery; expense of her army and navy is \$73,500,000. light and graceful, yet strong and powerful. France is in a similar predicament.

Her side panels ere ultra-marine blue, and the premises, was speedily burned to covered by gilded moulding elaborately agricultural products will add greatly to our ground. A man was in the building at carved. She is built in the new style, without wealth. a gallery; and has a suction screw, two receiving screws and one discharging screw up- Spain may be induced by France to part with

on each side. in the most unpropitions weather he reliswards of fifty acres of wheat, so that
rop will be destroyed. He carried a
ver on his person, but without commitany overt act of violence upon his neigh
lie was taken in charge by the polic.

In the evening Grants' Cornet Band serenaded our Baltimore friends, who were highly
delighted with the music. Indeed few if any
of the omateur bands in the country can'equal
them. of the amateur bands in the country can'equal bave formed themselves into a "Northumber.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

NEW YORK, May 17, 1859. While the whole temporal world, or at least this portion of it, is progressing with an unabridged edition of Sir Walter Scott's not to be supposed that the religious community would remain in a quiescent state-and to arouse the slumbering and indifferent to a sense of duty, by striking out some new path, or the adoption of some novelty to attract the attention of the multitude. This has been accomplished by holding religious meetings, in public places, without regard to sect or doctrine, where the sermons are sententious, short and practical, sometimes by laymen as well as the clergy. Such meetings are now held regularly in New York, in various places. On Sanday evening last, 1 concluded to attend the meeting held every Sabbath evening at the Academy of Music, where some four thousand persons, can be comfortably accommodated. Taking a seat in a Fourth Avenue passenger car, I was Call and see the fine oil-paintings at surprised, while going up the Bowery, a street parallel with Broadway, at the number of places of business open and as brilliant as gas light could make them. Perhaps every other house, for three or four squares, was thrown open-some of them crowded. I observed that those were the quarters of a cing the usual Sunday evening entertainment. Most of those are opened only, for this purpose, on Sunday evening. The excuse is-

On arriving at the Academy of Music, I found that immense, but beautiful Hall, already crowded with visitors, and with hondreds of others, took a standing position .-The sermon was a good and practical one and was distinctly beard in any part of the building.

The past week was one of great excitement being the week of the usual appiversaries beld by the Anti-Slavery Society, Bible Society, Womans Rights, and other conventions .-Wm. Lloyd Garrison, and Wendell Philips, of Beston were as usual the leading spirits of the Anti-Slavery Society. Dr. Cheever, and Henry Ward Beecher, deeming them too radical, have set up a new society. This brought down a terrent of abuse from Philips Pellisbury, and others. These noted abolitionist individuals, though men of superior abilities are practically insane on the subject of slavery, as was evident from Mr. Philips speech, in which he actually invokes a service insurrection, Mr Philips, said :

"The Anti-Slavery Society began at the root. They said that the peyro was a man -and being a man, if he cut his master's throat be would be a Tell, he would be a Washington a hundred fold. (Sensation.) day the 27th inst. Four military companies. They said that, first because it was the truth, and next because it was the method of educating a people. He had no doubt that he could easily get any New York gentleman ters and politicians who are anxious to serve to admit that the negro was a man, but the American heart shrank from language like this; it would go home to day and tell its wife that it beard a bloody fanatical speech, and would repeat the substance of it. son's Detector, May 11, says, "Refuse any the little boy who was present would be readcorners. A man carrying a basket of corn a man? "Yes, but I didn't mean it." Did on the lower right, and a figure 5 in upper you ever stand, said the speaker, in a black-corner. A doe lying down between the significant sheep and see a restive horse shed? corner. A doe lying down between the sig- When he has kicked down the box of tools natures, and purporting to be engraved by and the blacksmith, the smith takes a piece Wellstood, Hay & Whiting, N. Y." This of cord and ties up his nostrils until the plate was engraved for a begus Indiana bank, blood almost starts. If you ask him why he and is being altered to various banks through- something to think of. Now, I think that does so, he will tell you that it is to give him the South, baving kicked through the constitution, and the whig party, and the demo-LATEST NEWS FROM EUROPE. The cratic party, I would like to see as insurrec-

> "We stand here to day not merely animum liberars meum, but to free the souls of other men, and their bodies, too. W. H. Seward, in reply to some remarks on a speech of Stephen A. Donglas, recently made use of the witty remark-"No man," said Seward, the foul system of which they formed so inti-

taken place in the French Cabinet. The line a Senate of slaveholding conspirators election returns in England for members of whom people wrongly called a government. The present war in Enrope is of course the eral and there is no telling what the effect pound. On Friday afternoon of last week, THE may be upon this country. That a vast GOOD INTENT Fire Company received from amount of foreign capital will be invested

> Louis Napoleon asks for a loan of 500,. 000,000 francs (\$100,000,000) to carry on the market by Russia, is \$60,000,000. The loan for Austria of \$30,000,000, which she has been unable to sell, but has seized instead the gold and silver of the Austrian banks ; a loan

Square, with the apparatus covered with ket is \$290,000,000. The effect of the war wreaths, garlands and boquets, which had may be to make them all bankrupt. The been thrown to them at various points on annual interest of the debt of England annual interest of the debt of England the fire from the mills. The mill of William alone is \$120,000,000. The annual expense H. Cline, and also that of Mr. Carter, were of her army and navy is \$157,500,000 .ed, which consumed the rest of the afternoon. Her whole annual expense is \$440,000,000.— The trials were perfectly satisfactory. The Russia owes \$980,000,000, and the arnual

A failure to pay the interest would with maroon borders. The end panels are shake all Europe. The great demand for our

It is also hinted, that in this complication Cuba, in order to raise funds for Napoleon In the evening Grants' Cornet Band sere- who holds a controlling influence over Spain.

TER physicians of Milton and vicinity land County Medical Association."

THE WAVERLY NOVELS .- The enterprising firm of Peterson & Brother, of Philadelphia, are engaged in furnishing to the public

rapid strides in the arts of civilization in Novels, to be completed in 26 numbers, at 25 commerce and improvements generally, it was | cents each; or, the entire set for \$5,00 .-They are now issued at the rate of one a week. The "Abbot," is now before us, printed on that some new ideas would not be put forth good white paper and in clear type. Send your order to Peterson & Brother, Philadelphia, and get a work for \$5,00 which costs in England \$72.

The Bady's Book for June, is already on our table. The embellishments, as usual, are rich and rare consisting of a domestic engraving of "Home and the Homeless," and fashion plates, colored and plain, patterns for Needle Work, and Netting, plates of all kinds nery that is presented to an individual, riding of ladies' and childrens' wear &c., &c. The engravings number some fifty, and are all executed in the best style. The reading matter is various and entertaining, and no lady, it seems to us, can afford to do without the "Book."

THE ARMIES OF EUROPE.

The prospect of war in Europe renders a glance at the extent of military preparations there interesting at this time. It appears from official statements, recently made, that the military forces of Europe embrace more than four millions of soldiers under arms, without counting sailors, gardes, civil, national, or militia of all kinds, of which the number reaches a much larger figure.

The effective force of France on the 1st June, 1858, was 672,400 men, 165 batteries de campagne; marine, 417 vessels of war, 300 sailing, 117 steamers, 27,000 marines, The Austrian army consists of 670,477 men f which 520,400 were infantry, 70,500 Caval-

ry, 59,292 artillery, 11,115 engineers, 9,217 pontoneers; marine 104 vessels of war. The Pressian army consists of 525,000, of which 510,000 are of the active force, and Landwebr of 1st con ; marine, 50 vessels of war, 3500 mariners.

England has an army of 229,000 men, including those dispersed in the colonies; marine 600 vessels of war, 309 sailing, 251 steam, 40 vessels of the line, carrying 17,292 guns and 69,500 sailors. The Russian army consists of 1,067,600 men, including the reserve and 226,000 irregulars marice, 177 vessels, 62,000 marines

and gunners. Spain has a peace establishment of 75,000

troops.
The Sardinian army consists of 50,600 men : marine, 40 vessels, and 2560 sailors, Two Sicilies-The army is 100,000, of which 10,0000 are Swiss; marine, 60 vessels, 12 sailing, 25 steamers, 100 cannoniers, 5362 sailors.

Rome maintains an army of 16,000 infantry and 1315 cavalry. Tuscany has an army of 16.000 men The German States have a federal army of 250,000 men. The German Confederation have an army of 525,000 men. 49,500 cavalry,

Gleanings-Editorial and Selected.

including the Austrian and Prussian contin

gents .- Boston Journal.

Coming out-Candidates for office. LARGE FAILURE .- Jacob Little, the well known broker of New York, bas failed to the

amount of two millions of dollars. ANOTHER VICTIM .- Jacob Woerner, of Williamsport, was recently found dead in his bed. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of death from intemperance.

SIX MURDERERS SENTENCED,-In New York, on Saturday, Judge Davis of the Supreme Court passed sentence upon aix murlerers, as follows :-

The young Chinaman, Quimbo Appo, who nurdered Mrs. Fletcher, was sentenced to be hung ; Jean Bosquet, the Italian who murdered a fellow countryman, to the penitentary for life; Michael Flynn, who killed Freeman Jutting, ten years' imprisonment; John Glass, ex-policeman, for the murder of Wil-James Higgins, an accomplice in the same crime, twenty years; John Peromer, who er with a detachment for the new steam coryears' imprisonment. The Court also senpon a policeman while in the discharge of

GREAT MORTALITY OF HOGS IN TLUNGS -Mr. Wiley Crafton, a farmer of Pleasant lains, Sangamon county, writes to the State legister, under date of May 5th, as follows : seemed to be feeding and doing well on pasture. I went to the pasture this morning

The fatal disease is carrying away large numbers of hogs in the vicinity of Decatur. It is said Sangamon-river is covered with their

dead bodies. GREAT HAIL STORN AT MADISONVILLE, KY -On the 29th ultimo an extraordinany hail storm passed over Madisonville, and the adjacent country of Kentucky. The Mercury his army. Beveral important changes had -he corrected himself-his proper place was says: Three of the stones were 74 84 and 104 inches. Others, apparently of greater dimensions, were broken to pieces by falling. Upon close examination these stones were found to be porous in texture about the centre, and all absorbing topic of conversation. The in some instances bollow. The weight of one probability is that this war will become gen- some time after the storm, was equal to one

The descending of these extraordinary masses of ice is said to have presented a spectacle truely magnificient-one of terific splenhere, is, most likely. The various gover. dor. Tin roofs were indented, ninety panes The apparatus was accompanied by a Com- ments are now groaning under their heavy of glass were broken out of the windows of one of the hotels, and a cow killed outright in the street. The cloud was from the northwest. Thunder, lightning, and but little wind accompanied the first shower, which lasted At 4 o'clock P. M., the line of procession campaign in Italy, in which he is to take the nearly balf an hour. In less than an hour was formed on Market Square in the follow- command in person. The loan put in the this shower was followed by another, with some wind.

FIRE - During the past week fire has been raging on the mountains surrounding Cogar Valley, and great destruction of property has been the consequence. The fire burned rapfor Sardinia of \$25,000,000, which she has idly on the mountain, and at some points it succeeded in obtaining ; a loan for Prussia of came down into the valley doing considerable \$45,000,000, and a loan for Eogland in be
J. Perkins lost a fine lot of logs, valued at least at \$25,000. A pile of lumber, containleast at \$25,000. A pile of lumber, containleast at \$25,000. The least at \$25,000. They are unquestionably the best was also consumed. A large lot of staves, in market for Family use. owned by Mr. Carter, were burned. In ma ny places it was almost impossible to keep in eminent danger, the fire being very close. We have not learned the total damage, but a great destruction of timber has been occasioned and the loss is very heavy .- Jersey

Shore Republican. Suicide.-We regret to learn that John Holter, residing in Turbut township, near this Borough committed suicide on Wednesday evening last, by hanging himself in a stable, near his residence. He was a quiet, inoffensive man, and no reasons can be assigned for his rash act except that he was under the influence of liquor. Formerly he was addicted to intemperance, but has been leading a sober life for some time, and became a member of the Lutheran Church, at this place. For the last few days he has been in town and getting in company with some of his former associates, was induced to drink again, and thus ended his career in this world. He was about 65 years of age.—Miltenian.

Correspondence.

SELINSOROVE, May 18, 1859.

I regret exceedingly, that my time will not permit me to go into a regular deplace. I shall, however, hereafter endeavor to set apart a few hours in collecting matters. the most important, those of general interest,

for an insertion in your valuable paper.

I have often in the short ride from Sunbury to this Grove in the cars, been highly de-lighted with the beauty of the scenery, the rapid changes which are brought to view as you glide swiftly along, but I must say, in my in a buggy along the eastern banks of the river to this place. In fact there is scarcely an object in the whole distance, but what has some intrinsic source of beauty and in addition to the various associations, creates decided emotions of pleasure.

I am forced to acknowledge that I have, like many others, been laboring under quite erronous notions in reference to the character of the people here and also of the place, and would here state, for the benefit of those who think as I once did, that before judgment is passed finally they should make it a point to become acquainted with the people, sufficiently so, at least as to be able to judge of merit and demerit, and not as is too often the case, be governed by the miserable prejudices.

I find them a kind, sociable and moral people, just what every other town should have, and always willing to receive those who are actuated by proper motives and act consistent with principles of right. But they need no defence from my hands, particularly at this time, and I will therefore pass over.

The principal topic among the corner groups, seems to be, the foreign war and the consequences resulting. The most important one, which attracts the attention of the farmer more particularly, is the ascending scale, or the going up in the price of grain; and, as the fight has now fully commenced, it will not be long, I presume, before we will be able to see what correctness there is in the present impression.

By the way, I may say that all kinds of grain, have now, the oppearance of yielding most abundantly, and I am informed, will be harvested some three weeks sooner than last

I shall close, hoping to be able hereafter to communicate something more important. Yours, &c.

(For the Sessour AMERICAN] PROBLEM.

Supposing the mammeth tree, "Beauty of the Forest," in California, was to bend over in a violent storm, in a regular semi-circle, and the top would be found to strike the ground 210 feet from the stump, and then break off at such a point, that the top would strike 180 feet from the stump and the trunk still resting on the stump. How high would the tree be and where would it break off?

Answer to last week's Problem, 165.

Pictorial. Dictionary.—A new and pictorial edition of Webster's great American Dictionary is now in press, and will soon be issued by the enterprising publishers, G. & C. Merriam of Springfield. It is evidently their purpose that no expense or labor shall be wanting to keep up the superiority and high reputation of this standard work, over every other of the kind. Many thousands of new beautiful pictorial illustrations have been in execution and to be sold as the property of troduced into the work, which will add much | Samuel Clement to its value. We have seen and examined specimen sheets of these illustrations, and can hardly see how they could be improved in beauty and accuracy.

Not in Commission .- The steam sloop 'Lancaster" was not put in commission yesof the weather. Her Marine Guard, togethshove Sixth, where they procured for them Furman & Barton. selves new outfits

A SMALL INSTRUMENT OF TORTURE .- Have that so small an instrument as a sewing about eight o'clock, and found seventy hogs every where attests, and our only wonder is, dead, and many that were dying. At 10 | that parents will permit their daughters to hundred and nine. The averge length of time | VER & BAKER Sewing Machines will do betthat they would live after taking it, would be | ter and more beautiful sewing than can be from fifteen to thirty minutes. All efforts to done by hand. The time is coming when administer relief were in vain. ters continue hand-sewing, will be regarded as wanting in affection for them.

FARREL, HERRING & CO'S PATENT CHAMPION SAFE.

LATE FIRE AT DUBUQUE, IOWA. Descore, Jan. 7, 1850 Mr. T. A. C. Cochrane. Gents: I am requested by Mr. T. A. C. Cochrane, this place, to say to you that on the morning of the 4 instant, about 3 o'clock, his store took fire, and the entir stock of goods was destroyed. The least become so say denly intense that none of the goods could possibly saved; but fortunately his books and papers, which we in one of your Champion Sofes, were all preserved pe feetly. And well they may be called Champion, for during the whole conflagration there was one incessant pouris of farme directly upon the safe which contained them. And still, upon opening it, the inside was found to be scarcely warm, while the outside was most severe scorched, Yours Italy.

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muship and finish, for plate, &c.
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Religious Notices. Divine service will be held every Sabbath in this Bo-

Feb. 5, '59,-1ywx

rough as follows: PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—North west corner of Blackberry and Decreatreets, Rev. J. D. Ruannos, Pantor. Divine service, every Sabbath at 10; AsiM. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening. At Northumberland, in Old School Prechyterian Church, at 3 o'clock, P. M., every Sabbath.

GERMAN REFORMED CHURCH.-North west RETZ, Paster. Divine service, alternately, every Subbath at 10 A. M. and 7 P. M. Prayer meeting on Friday

EVANGELICAL, LUTHERAN CHURCH.—Deer street below S V & P. Rafi Rend, Rev. P. Bonn, Pastor, Divine service, alternately, every Sabbath at 10 A. M. and 7 P. M. Player meeting on Wednesday evening METHODIST EFISCOPAL CHURCH — Dewberry street west of S. A. E. Rail Road, Rev. G. WARRIN and F. B. RIDDLE, Fastors. Divine service, silternately, every Sub-bath at 10 j. A. M. and 7 P. M. Prayer meeting on Thurs. day evening.

day evening.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Fawn street, below S. V. & P.
Railroad, Rev. A. J. Hav, Pastor. Preaching every alternate Sabbath at 3 o'clock, P. M. During the present
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MARRIAGES.

On the 15th inst., by the Rev. Geo. War-ren. Mr. FERDINAND RHOADS of Coal township, to Miss LUGRETIA CHAMBERLAIN, of Shamekin township. every Saturday.

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day the 11th day of June, 1859, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following property, to wit: A certain Lot or piece of ground, situate in the borough of Sanbury, Northumberland county, bounded on the north by Whortleberry street, on the south by an alley, on the east by a lot of William McCarty, and on the west by an alley, containing in front on Whortleberry street 60 feet, width 230 feet, words have been added to its vocabulary, and whereon are erected a two story frame dwelmuch new matter in the illustration and dis. ling house and kitchen, and a carpenter shop. crimination of synonyms. Some 1500 or more a stable, out-buildings, &c. Seized taken is

A certain tract or piece of land, situate in Shamokin township, Northumberland county, Torpedoes. bounded by land of George Keller and Al-Double Headers. exander Yocum on the north, Jacob Leisen-

ing on the east the Slabtown road on the south, and land of David Adams liam Decker, twenty years' imprisonment; terday, in consequence of the unfavorableness on the west, containing one hundred and four killed Charles P. Sturgis in a restaurant, four vette "Hartford," preparing for sea at Boston frame dwelling house, a new bank barn, or arrived here yesterday from Washington.— chard, &c. Seized taken in execution and to made as early in the season as possible, to The officers lost no time in proceeding to the ba sold as the property of H G. Taggart.

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All that certain tract or piece of land, sitour lady readers ever reflected upon the fact | unte in Shamokin township, Northumberland county, bounded on the north by land of John Last night I fed my hogs as usual, they all needle has destroyed more lives, and caused Klase and George Wetzel, south by the turnmore suffering, than the sword It is true, pike, east by Jacob Treibly and west by land however, as the motality among seamstresses of George Wetzel, containing 117 acres, about 90 acres of which are cleared and whereon is erected at 14 story frame dwelling house clock there were ninety dead, and at 12 one grow up slaves to the needle, while the GRO. bank barn, well of water, orchard, &c. Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John Leffler.

ALSO: Allethat house, and lot whereon the same erected, situate in the town of Treverton, in Market street, and anmbered in the general plan of said town No. 3, in block No. 78 in be county of Northamberland. Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property

of William Phillips. At the Public House of Alexander Blair, in the borough of Milton, on Monday, the 18th day of June 1859, at one c'clock i'. M., the following described property to wit : All that certain half acre lot or piece of not incurred, and a lew moments only are reground, situate in the borough of Milton, quired to prepare the water. But little ice is Northumberland county, bounded on the west by Locust alley, on the north by Samuel Hepburn, Esq., on the east by the Sunbary and Erie Railroad, and on the north by lot of Wm. F. Nagle, whereon are erected a two story Frame Dwelling House, Kitchen, frame

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