H. B. MASSER, Editors.

SUNBURY, JULY 31, 1874.

Republican County Convention. The Republican voters of Northumberland county are requested to meet ir each election district at such places at which delegate elections and The proceedings are to be a such places. have heretofore been held, on Saturday, the 19th day of September next, between the hours of 1 and 7 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican County Convention, to be held at the Court House, in the borough of Sunbury, on Tuesday, September 22, 1874, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating a ticket to be presented to the voters of the county at the ensuing election. Each district polling two hundred Republican votes, or less, at the last general election for State officers, will be entitled to two delegates; each district polling three hundred, three delegates; and each district polling over three hundred votes shall be entitled to four delegates.

EM'L WILVERT, Chairman. L. M. MORTON, Secretary.

## Republican State Convention.

this Convention will be based on the appointment of Senators and Representatives made by the present Legislature, each Senatorial and Representative district being entitled to delegates equal | the church Mr. Beecher. We utterly rein number to its representation in the Legislature

EERA LUKENS, JOHN M'CULLOUGH, Secretaries.

coming apparent in every township and as in every one else, and anybody who can borough. Already a large number of can- find occasion in this "scandal" to sneer at didates are announced, who are willing to virtue or piety, is greatly to be pitied and serve their country in a lucrative office. dispised. Many of these aspirants are -well known The last phase of the case is the arrest of office seekers, who have been before the Tilton for libel which will now bring the people, but were cajoled, flattered, promised | case before the court, its proper place. It and then quietly set aside by the Ring that | will there be disposed of as any other crihas ruled the party and dictated the nomi- minal offence, and the real character of the nations for years, simply because they did charge will be illicited. Nothing reliable not suit these men, who feared they could can be obtained through an irresponsible not be moulded in such a way as to carry and perhaps partial committee. out their veiws and work to their own interests. As is well known for years, the ruin." and it was almost an impossibility for an honest Democrat to get a nomination, as they were invariably slaughtered before going into convention if they appeared obnoxious to the rulers. We cite these instances to remind honest men to guard against the corruption, chicanery and positive political dishonesty, which exists in the Democratic party of Northumberland county, and show the people by a few bold unscrupulous men, who will sacrifice everything to keep control of the possession, and refuse te surrender them to ranks and punished by its own hand. ed. The people of Northumberland county have at last experienced the difference beand Republicans, who have held office with- which takes place August 4th. in a few years past, from Congress down to County Auditor. All will admit that this district has never been as ably represented as it is by our present representative, the Hon, J. B. Packer. Not alone has he represented us honestly, but he has by his sult of the incendiary appeals of the retalent, labor and industry, gained a national reputation as well as local, which every freeman of old Northumberland county

The President Judge, Hon, W. M. Rockefeller, as a jurist, ranks among the highest, and since he presides over the courts in this county, there has been such a change that our neighbors refer to him as an exam- siana and Mississippi the matter has come sicken at the recital of its infamy as per- sons were lost. ple worthy of imitation. The District At- to a head, and will soon be settled, we petrated in localities where it has gained an torney, Jno. Kay Clement, has stood by trust, by the strong arm of the National ascendency. his work until his name has become a ter- power." ror to the offenders of the law. The Sheriff, S. H. Rothermel, is already looked upon as the model Sheriff of this county. Not THE GREAT CASE OF TURNBULL VS. PARharsh or severe, but punctual to a point, and the business in his office will bear the

are found all the good qualities necessary to make an excellent officer, and his books and the office show that he has not disappointed the expectation of his friends. The Commissioners who now control the board, ed to bring about a reform in our county had to be paid annually, while from \$30,-000 to \$60,000 remaining in the hands of col-The Democrat in the board is probably the made the gainer. As the nominations for county offices will again be made soon, we look for the best men to be selected for the different offices. It is the duty of the Republican party every where, to chose their claims of any aspirant to party favor. arrived in Philadelphia early in 1872. Personal considerations should also in all cases be cast aside, and the strongest and hest men only put forward to carry the was shipwrecked. With eight companions party's banner. This done, we will be he floated for nine days on the ocean in an kept from misrule, and continue in good

A statement of the gross earnings of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company during the first six months of the present year has just been published. The receipts on all the lines east of Pittsburg have been \$18,-073, and the net earnings \$6,204,793. The gross earnings have fallen off, as compared with 1873, over a million and a half, owing to the dull times; but the expenses have the net earnings show an increase of \$1,the year present as favorable a showing, plosion, in which over a hundred were killthe increase for 1874 will amount to up-

that bank to the department of destruction. granted there.

THE TILTON AND BEECHER SCANDAL "Look upon this picture, and this." is still going on in Brooklyn, and the developments, as the investigation gradually progresses, as published in the New York papers, seem to furnish popular reading. The scandal is being hashed and re-bashed until it has become disgusting to sound morals : it would have been far better for morality had the proceedings of the invesed. The proceedings are too lengthy for publication in detail, and if they were condensed we doubt the propriety of laying them before our readers, particularly the younger portion of them, as they are not calcu'ated to improve their standard of not too highly colored. The artist may be morality, nor in any wise preserve that degree of chastity which it is the duty of parents to teach their sons and daughters. Besides, as this scandal is against the most pictures as he draws them: prominent expounder of the gospel in Amerien, it is natural for persons to draw inferences derogatory to the ministry in gene-

"It is pitable to mark the maniacal ray- next ten years, the United States east of ings of that miserable, disjointed, and hopelessly abandoned political organization ral which has its effect upon the unthinkknown as the Democracy. Exhibiting as ing. The vile seize upon it to dishonor re-The Republicans of Pennsylvania will hold a ligion, and the church to a great extent many shades of complexion, and broken up would lose its prestige. It cannot be con- into a greater number of crazy factions than nominating candidates for Lieutenant Governor, cealed that the conviction of Mr. Beecher ever cursed the arena of Freach politics, blackened by every crime in the political The representation of the several counties in downfall, will give skeptics and faultfinders calendar, and cast out as an incorrigible political reprobate, it still has the brazen | 900. effrontery to assume the attitude of a cring-But Mr. Beecher is not the church nor is ing suppliant and plead for a restoration of pudiate the idea that the principles of religion or the cause of christianity is bound course of corruption, rascality and abuse up with him or any other living man. of power, it forfeited more than fourteen years ago. We should be disposed to treat Should be be convicted the cause of true THE SCHAMBLES for office in the Demo- religion will not thereby suffer, since this its impudence with some degree of tolercratic ranks in this county, are again be- very religion condemns sin in him as well ation if it did not descend to the contemptible meanness of attempting to cover up its own infamy by the grossest misrepresentations of the party disputing its claims.

animation for a warfare on the church.

FORTY MILLION LAWSUIT.

Republican party that its administrations have been absolutely spotless and pure, or that its record for the past fourteen years shows no single instance of official malfeasance or abuse of trust. What we do claim is that the history of the world furnishes no such example of honest determination to hunt out and punish with unsparing severize ty the evildoers within its own ranks, as

bellious temper of the south in various traced to his door.

We challenge the Democracy to pre-State militia, have the State arms in their a criminal been exposed within its own

offices whereby their aims can be subserv- the authorities. It was this peril that in- When Republican journals have dragged President for United States troops to pre- air of defiance and gloried in its shame. fect torrents. The water from the hills The cause of this inundation was from tween the misrule of Democratic officers | vent riot and bloodshed at the election | And when its plunder and notorious peculations could no longer he borne, and an city, carrying away houses and everything The rain poured down in torrents and soon "A similar organization in Louisiana outraged people have demanded the exhas taken the same steps, and in both posure punishment of its crimes, with the States the intention of the League is to take aid of its press, bribed and steeped to the possession of the governmental machinery ears in corruption, it has done its best to coming from hills down the narrow hollow water began to pour into the houses, and

actionary journals of the south, most of clamoring for another lease of power and which have left nothing undone to influence promises all sorts of reform and blessing to and excite the confederates, and to gener. the nation when its claims shall be once two have escaped. ate a state of feeling that might lead to more conceded. We have shown by resome possibble usurpation of the State peated exposures of its utter lack of congovernments. All the misrepresentations sitency, honor or truthfulness, what the four children, and another family of six an aunt in another part of the city at the country is to expect if the Democracy

In New Hamshire and Connecticut, power is shamelessly prostituted to partisan ends, regard of order, precedent and law. A despatch from Mauch Chunk under

date of July 21st says: The great \$40,- races, and threatens to deluge with carnage 000,000 coal land lawsuit of Turnbull vs. and desolation a large section of the coun-

The question at stake was the title to Wherever we look, the Democracy pre- two cities last night, and carried over a several thousand acres of land in lower sents the same ghastly spectacle of rapacity. hundred of men, women and children, in held by the defendants, and claimed by misdeeds gives fair warning of what it will of their Sunday evening homes to the dread John Gorman and two children, two chil-James Turnbull, as the heir of Alexander do, if again entrusted with the reins of uncertainties of eternity. and James Tyrnbull, deceased. The land power. In Indiana it foreshadows dishon- God pity the victims to this fearful disis in the heart of the coal fields and was or and ruin to the nation by an increase of aster, and comfort the stricken wrecks of

was known to contain coal. The last In Connecticut the cloven-foot of Tam- mother and children, with all their house-James Turnbull, deceased, father of the in Louisiana and other States of the South, not take in the fearful stroke. You who claimant. He neglected to keep the taxes a reign of terror is threatened which will are reading the accounts of it in your quiet sale. The property subsequently came violence and blood. The time has hardly Only those who have this morning visited tion. great capitalists. The father of the plain- to such a party as this, and the time is far stricken by the details of death and des-

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

lieving that her sou was the rightful owner Six persons were killed by one flash of to the land in Luzerne county, made efforts to have the claim substantiated. She found a friend and adviser in O. H. Wheeler,

Acting United States Attorney-General ners have power to remove only such Ter- despairing husband bereft of all. In Alle- The heavy iron sewer plate in front of The body of one Mrs. Bray was recoverritorial officials as are appointed to hold

The Democracy propose, with all their behind of their family existence. they commenced a search for him. For twenty years they sought and waited anxi- old spirit, to bark away at the same hole where they have been yelping for the last

A Bellefonte man keeps a pet rattlesnake tied in his front yard, to keep away light-His career had been one of constant dan- ning-rod men, sewing machine agents and buildings of every character, and over- and the water filled the cellar of Druit's is still threatening.

The Lebanon Courier has ber now: An old widow of the war of 1812, eighty-three open boat. It was picked up near the years of age, residing in East Hanover parts. The heavens were lighted so that times by economy and honesty in our coun- Island of St. Thomas, with all its inmates township, did the work of a full hand in the dead but Turnbull. Recovering from this harvest field, in raking and binding, last glare of lurid flame preceded and unbroken voyage, he went to Central America, and week. It being proposed to her to take a peal of thunder that shook our most solid in 1849, to California. He remained there dance, she at once consented, remarking and substantial buildings. a year or two, and made considerable mo- that the girls of our day don't know how to

Gen. Harry White has been nominated for Congress in the district composed of Indiana, Armstrong. Clearfield, Forest and Jefferson counties. It took 111 ballots he was robbed several times, and was once to doit.

> to erect a grand lodge, which it is intimated, is to surpass the Masonic Temple in

home and prove his claim to immense hay is selling at \$16 a ton.

The Lieutenant Governor of Mississippi

FIRE ON LONG ISLAND, -The woods on

Long Island between Deer Park and Farm-As we shall have to meet our ancient fee, ingdale caught fire last evening and are that on O'Hara street. On this street, in river the water was some fifteen or eighteen He replied that he had a full force, and did been unknown till now in America. Is it the Democracy, in battle once more in the still burning. Ten miles of woods are al- a single frame building, one family consist- feet in depth, and where the two runs meet not need their services. They then drew to be made a regular business? It seems campaign now about opening, it may not ready burned. It is not known whether any ing of a mother and nine children, were all there was about one acre of debris, consist- their revolvers, and fired nine shots at him, to be safer than house-breaking or forgery. residences have been destroyed or not. Commodore Thompson Darrab Shaw, a sewing machies and rubbish all lie huddled everything mentionable. retired officer of the United States Navy, together in one immense mass. Just below The iron bridge across Main street was pistols attracted the attention of Robt. niary success of the venture, and get off died at his residence in Germantown on Sunday. He was a native of Pennsylvania, come together, and houses are piled pro- ried down the stream some six hundred to his assistance. entered the navy in May, 1820, was com- miscuously together, also wagons, horses, feet, missioned a lieutenant in May, 1828, and barrel staves and rubbish, presenting a The gas tank is upset and lying on its Pierce defended them with his revolver and Vork Times some years years ago inaugu-Commander in July, 1862. He was seven. spectacle which is almost sickening to look side, which cannot be brought into use for shot one of the strangers through the head, rated a system of excursions for the poor ty-five years of age at the time of his death. | upon.

Everywhere steam canal transportation is coming in vogue, and the dejected Rosmante of the towpath will soon be known only to recollection. Mr. Little, a leading lumber merchant in Montreal, says that in the course of the

the Rocky Mountains will be stripped of the last stick of merchantable timber. Yet with a timber famine impending so near, as a nation, we are taking no measures to avert it in a near or remote future. Another fire in Chicago occurred on Wed-

the Carlists are in strong force.

The French Committed of Thirty has preserve order, but the excitement was so also six stables. agreed to the Electoral bill, fixing the age great that the crowd ran to and fro, in al- The Pan Handle railroad bridge over of voters at 25, providing for elections by most a maddened condition.

fifty thousand inhabitants. best pain destroyer that can be used.

HIGH WATER

HOUSES SWEET AWAY-MANY PERSONS DROWNED.

most disastrous storm ever known here and every one seems to be in sympathy

Run District, in Allegheny City. Water carrying destruction before it. Soon the formed a gulf and swallowed up houses and in a few moment later happy families were And this is the party that to-day is unfortunate inmates before they could ushered into eternity. escape. Houses were affoat or hurled to pieces, and in some families only one or Mr. Randolph Artz occupied a frame

Another man at Mansfield lost his wife and | children. His oldest daughter was visiting

## THE GREAT FLOOD.

trol the ballot-box, and the predominance flood which wrought such terrible destruction which they express their thankfulness. of the oppressor is maintained in utter dis- tion of life and property in that city and Allegheny on Sunday night. In the South it is inaugurating a war of [From the Evening Telegraph yesterthy 5.15 P. M.]

Allegheny City and Pittsburg were last

some cases there are no homes left. Father, for the others who are reported lost. A SAN FRANCISCO, July 25.—A despatch bodies of men, women and children, or re- the damage was quite as extensive as in in ten minutes by a fearful rush of water, alized the physical force of the flood in the Pittsburg, but in the intense excitement which was constantly increasing in viowrecked and splintered dwellings-lately prevailing at the scene of the terrible casu- lence, depth and impetuosity. The people the happy Sunday homes of the dead lying alty it is impossible to obtain definite in- in that portion of the town were hemmed around-can conceive the Almighty power formation in this regard. that has forced this culmination of horrors. Whole families have been swept out of avenue and Beuna Vista, Fremont and with their occupants. Ropes were procurlightning in Woodford county, Kentucky, existence. In ore case a weak babe is all Irwin avenues, Robinson and many other ed. and a line formed of brave men thus that remains of the household-in others a streets, and thousands of dollars will be protected dashed into the forrent and saved gray-haired father or mother-or again a required to repair them. Large quantities many lives. Only a few women and child-

> PARTICULARS. down the streams in the upper part of Alwhelming and drowning a number of per- drug store, extinguished the gas and reu- Another despatch states as follows :- "A sons. There was a succession of flashes of dering worthless goods valued at two hun-water-spout burst near Carson City, Nevathey were as clear as day, and a continuous

The entire flat, from Mason avenue to

ALLEGHENY.

Allegheny is all excitement on account The storm last night, which has proven of the great flood of last night. Thousands so disastrous to both life and property in are flocking to the scenes of the disaster; this immediate vicinity, appeared to rule men are laboring to extricate the dead The Philadelphia Odd Fellows are going | bodies, and up to one o'clock to-day sixtywith unabated sway from one end to the other of Sawmill Run, and both life and protwo had been found, one hundred are reported missing, and the search is being perty has suffered so disastrously that the continued, amid the wildest excitement. O'HARA STREET.

LOSS OF LIFE. The scene on this street beggars descripseen. Whole blocks of building are jammed swept away by the torrent, and not a sintogether in one mass of destruction. Here gle one left to tell the tale. And many famigerous counterfeit having appeared on the but takes his great defeat philosophically. has sent to the President a full statement many lives are supposed to have been lost, lies are to-day mourning the loss of a faof the condition of affairs at Vicksburg, and and the work of extricating the bodies ther, sister or brother who have not yet superintendent of a coal mine, started to whereabouts. They cannot even get any with the appurtenances, consisting of one three Bank of Chicago, the Treasury Department offers one-half per cent, premium for the offers of the off return of the genuine five dollar notes of the 1st to the 20th of July, thirteen were ing two companies of troops from Jackson this place at an early hour this morning, that the majority of those not found have was his regular custom before the miners to pay an enormous ransom. Such things been washed into the Ohio river. and the utmost excitement prevailed.

DEPTH OF THE WATER.

left of it but the foundation.

rifically and piled a lot of wagons and been completed, and, it said, cost upwards horses all in one heap. Buildings were of \$30,000, were entirely swept away, the swept from their foundations and destruc- foundation itself not even being left to tell where they stood.

Intelligence from Mansfield, Pa., gives bodies of the missing. Women were pre- an account of the sweeping away of the

> Campbell's Run was washed away, and The Try street sewer broke, in conse-

a stationary engine and part of the round house of the Connellsville railroad was In addition to the above damages, the

The damage on the Cleveland and Pitts-The principal loss will be in the district burg railroad is very extensive, and we is heavy; but the contrast being so great, learn from those who came up this morning, that no trains are running between PITTSBURG, July 27.—Probably the destruction of life is the all absorbed toxic, | Smith's Ferry and Pittsburg. From Industry to Rogers' Ferry, a distance of three visited our city last night. It had rained with those who have barely escaped with miles, the track is covered with solid rock, at intervals all day, but no danger was ap- their own lives only to learn that their and for three hundred yards below Steubenprehended until about eight o'clock in the families have perished in the maddened ville the road bed is washed from under the

The tracks of the various passenger railway companies being covered in many places, travel was seriously obstructed and the sewer filled to its utmost capacity, and continues to-day. The Pleasant Valley and Birmingham are not running any ears precisely the woman that a bad spiritual living in hopes. The month of September

> AT CASTLE SHANNON. The loss at Castle Shaunon will be very considerable. The bridge at Wheeler's Station was party washed away. At Fairhaven the loss is much greater, S. Provost & Bros. estimate their loss at between two and three thousand dollars.

Mr. Rogerson's blacksmith shop was carried off the foundation and totally wrecked. The Baptist church at Wheeler's ed, and the whole valley presents a terribly forlorn appearance. Hav and wheat stacks, conceivable kind of property were carried

ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS. The New York Herald correspondent

The extent of territory damaged by the Nine lives were lost at Wood's Run. flood is from twenty to twenty-five miles. The following are the names of the miss- The theory that the disaster was caused by ing, five of whom have been recovered : the bursting of a water spout, as was the

number of narrow escapes were made in from Eureka, Nevada, gives the particulars this quarter. Luke Dillion and family, of the storm yesterday. It had been rainconsisting of three girls and two boys, ing with great violence from early in the barely escaped with their lives. The less morning until noon, when a cloud burst on as to have run on to the end. Alas! for ward, and a vast volume of water rushed

in, and every moment houses were torn Large holes have been washed in Beaver from their foundations and swept away

gheny we hear of a father, mother and nine the Friendship engine house, at the corner ed. Roger Robonett, reporter of the Scachildren that have gone, leaving not a trace of Arch and Jackson streets, was carried at tinel, is among the drowned. The Scatinel least a square up the former street. The office was swept away, and all that part of office of the Kountz line of street horse cars the town in which were situated dance The torrents of water rushed furiously in Manchester was struck by lightning, but houses and other places of amusement, is the damage resulting therefrom was slight. gone. The flood lasted only half an hour. legheny, notably in Butcher's Run, sweep- At the corner of Federal street and Mont- The total loss of life, it is believed, will ing in its course houses and temporary gomers avenue the sewers were obstructed, reach twenty-five or thirty. The weather

> da, to-day, causing great destruction property. No lives were lost."

Private despatches from Eureka say that fourteen dead bodies have been recovered. The following additional names of victims have been received :- James Galvin, J. W. Talbot, J. Darnly, John Rauft, W. J. Me-Troy Hill, as far out as Gerst's brewery, was swept away like a chip and has not been Geary and William Smith. The loss by the flood is \$100,000.

> Wells, July 25 .- About thirty feet of the Central Pacific railway track was washed out by the bursting of a rain cloud, twenty-eight miles east of this place, yesterday. The eastern bound express train is detained. A train with workmen has passed to repair damages, and anxious passengers are waiting their progress. The western bound train is expected here

At a distance of two miles from the Ohio | three strangers who asked him for work. | the lives of children of the rich, but it has

killing him instantly. The other two ran, children which was grandly successful. The Sawmill Run railroad bridge, about One of them was wounded before he got They chartered boats and loaded them

## Correspondence.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

Long before this scrawl reaches you the

NEW YORK, July 28, 1874. DEECHER-TILTON.

telegraph will have brought you the full text of Theodore Tilton's statement of the trouble between himself and Henry Ward Beecher, with Mr. Beecher's reply thereto. All I can give you is the effect of these Newport, Brown in the White Mountains, publications upon the public of New York Thompson in Europe, and where the rest and Brooklyn, where both parties are well are the Lord only knows. One thing is known. The statement of Tilton is more certain, they are not at home, or if they direct and damaging than those closest to are they keep the front shutters closed and him supposed it would be. It was expect- are in the back parlors, to make believe ed that he would undertake to show that they are out of town, for no woman of fash-Beecher had made an attempt upon Mrs. ion, though she has the coolest and most Tilton, and that he had invaded other delightful house on the Island, would conhomes, all of which he would endeavor to sent to live in the city during the months substantiate by circumstantial evidence. of July and August. No matter though But his sworn statement that the great she has to take a room at a watering place preacher had actually seduced Mrs. Theo- scarcely larger than the Saratoga trunk dore Tilton, struck the community like a that contains her thirty dresses, no matter thunderbolt from a clear sky. And so if she is compelled to endure heat, dust, skillfully is the statement made, so care- worry and discomfort of all kinds, when fully are all the loop-holes closed up, that she might be entirely comfortable in her Mr. Beecher's best friends are compelled own home, fashion decrees a residence out to admit that it has an ugly look and that of town during the summer, and she bows Tilton had cause to do as he had done. Of to this as she does to all its other decrees. course, the question is asked, "Why did | She comes back in the fall worn and jaded he not right himself before? Why did he to a degree, but she has been "out of town" not east off this unfaithful wife and drag and her duty is done. down the seducer at the time he made the discovery ?" If askers of these questions is a little duller than last week, if any difknow Tilton and his wife the questions ference. Which is to say there was nothwould not be asked at all. Mrs. Tilton is ing doing last week, and this week the busia woman of a most intense religious nature, ness men have stopped talking about the of a singularity sensitive nature-a wo-dullness. But they all expect a heavy man, in short, who lives in a morbid, un- fall trade. They say the people have used imagination with all sorts of angels and begin to buy this fall. They are right. demons. A sweet, spirituelte woman is The enormous crops now being harvested Elizabeth Tilton, but her nature is so in- will get us money, and the wheels of trade tense, so morbidly religious, that she is will begin to revolve again. We are all

was her idea of a perfect man-to her he of their fresh prosperty. So mote it be. was more than a man, he was a demi-god. With her nature she could be made wax

in the hands of a man like Beecher. And knowing this -- appreciating the poculiar nature of his wife, Tilton believed he had been outraged, but had that pity upon his wife that kept the secret in his own bosom till he was compelled in selfdefence to make part of it public. It will be remembered that in his first statement he only hinted at the matter, without go- D. 1874, and will be confirmed by the Court on ing into detail. This was intended as his Tuesday, the 4th day of August next, unless warning to Mr. Beecher's friends to keep away from him. Had they done so the quarrel would have stopped there. But La Creme de la Creme. No. 4. Price, 50 e these friends believed they could get possession of Mrs. Tilton in such a way as to discredit any statement he could make, on Sandusky street, twenty-four bodies gives the number of houses destroyed as and they defied him. Mrs. Tilton left his house and sided with his enemies, where-Pardee and others, which has been pend- try now burdened with debt and taxation might visited by the most fearful disaster Henry Leipold and four children; Freder- that this "will probably turn out to be an made desperate, made the statement which

is now before the world. Beecher, of course, denies everything, and Mrs. Tilton has followed suit. But the public do and will believe Tilton, for missing parties are continually coming in. there have been rumors affecting the character of Mr. Beecher in-circulation for years, and the opionion is that these rumors have a foundation in fact. Then the case has been pettifogged in all sorts of ways by his friends. The Committee of Investigation was selected by himself, and the Committee have, from the beginning, Peters' Musical Monthly, No acted more as his attorneys than as his judges. It is safe to say that Henry Ward Beecher's sun is sinking and in a few months it will go down forever. It is a pity that a brain so large, and a soul so allembracing, could not have been so balanced

> poor humanity. KIDNAPPING. An incident occurring in Philadelphia may not seem to be exactly the thing for a New York letter, but in this case of kidnapping in the City of Brotherly Love is so Some weeks ago, little Charlie, the son of a Ross, was missed from his home. The way to find the missing child. The police were employed, but all to no purpose. The child was nowhere to be found. As a last resort, the newspapers were used, and advertisements were inserted offering a reward for the recovery of the boy, and these road; as the property of THE NORTHUMBERbrought responses. A few days after the

appearance of the first advertisement, a

notice appeared in the Ledger as follows:

Ross-"We be ready to negotiate." Further advertisements drew out answers until a correspondence was effected which revealed a horror scarcely to be credited in this day and age of the world. | westwardly by Oak street, containing in width The child had been entired into a wagon by two men who had driven it off and had two story frame dwelling house; as the property it safely hidden. The ransom demanded was \$20,000! The kidnappers informed Mr. Ross that they knew he could not of borough of Turbutville, Pennsylvania, bounded his own means raise \$20,000, but they knew northward by Main street, eastward by land of he had wealthy friends who would advance | westward by lot of Mary Christman, containing that amount rather than have the child one-fourth of an acre, more or less, with the apcome to harm, and that unless their conditions were complied with the boy would Also, All that certain lot or piece of ground be destroyed. The father and mother, in situate in the borough of Turbutville, Pennsyltheir terror, consented to the terms, and by Washingtonville road or street, southward by the negotiations for the pavement of the Broad street, and westward by lot of Elizabeth money are now in progress.

Mr. Ross, the father, is a member of a enormous sum will ruin him, but love for as the property of MILTON TROXELL.

WILKESBARRE, July 29. - This morning and spirited away; and so securely hidden | West Branch of the river Susqueharna, contain

He was accosted, while on his way, by parts of Italy, and Gypsies have traded in and side. His cries and the reports of the to do, the kidnappers will make a pecu-

The ruffians turned upon them, but are not altogether neglected. The New with children and took a long sail, a halfdangerous, but not necessarily fatal. The beautiful grove, and disembarking gave buildings on this Centre street, and it is structure, which was lately erected, was all who viewed his corpse. A rumer was better for them, a plentiful lunch of astonishing that the houses in this locality hit by the water, and by those who saw it, reached here this evening that the man good things. These excursions take place state in three minutes there was nothing who was wounded had been captured, and twice a week, and no one can estimate the that the exasperated miners and citizens good they have accomplished. A proposition has been made to give regular excursions to the sea, of the working women of the city. They labor year in and year out in factories or in their garrets for the merest possible pittance, just enough to BEECHER-TILTON -- KIDNAPPING - THE keep soul and body together, and such a POOR AND WHAT IS BEING DONE FOR thing as a day on the water or in the green THEM-THE CITY IN SUMMER-BUSI- fields is something beyond their means. To this class, excursions, such as the poor children have been enjoying for three years. would prove an inestimable boon. It will

> be done, for New York is charitable city THE CITY IN SUMMER. New York is all away from home just now. Jones is at Long Branch, Smith at

flew Adbertisements.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Northumberland County.

Notice is hereby given that the account of atic, was filed on the 23d day of March, A.

Contains On the Seu, Barcarolle, by Kuhe; The Break of Day, Reverle, by Arditt; La Ballerina, Polka, by Lichner; When the Swal-

Contains MUSIC the

atos the Mailed col ng music. Price.
Two songs by Hays, two by Danks, one by
Maywood, a Sacred Quartet by Thomas,

two Polkas, a part Waltz, and a March, 1

On Receipt of the Marked Rrice. ddress, J. L. PETERS, P. O. Box, 5429, 509 Broadway,

peculiar that I went to investigate it, exposed to public sale or outery, at the Court Saturday, 1st day of August, 1874, parents in their agony tried every possible ty feet wide, and three hundred and thirty feet were put on the track and special detective umberland county, and State of Pennsylvania,

> A certain lot or piece of ground situate in the northwardly by lot number four, eastwardly by Apple street, southwardly by lot number six, and fifty feet, with the appurtenances consisting of a of ALEXANDER McKIM

A certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Anderson Denius, southward by an alley, and purtenances consisting of a two-story frame dwelling house and other outbuildings.

Also, All that certain lot or piece of ground

situate in the borough of Turbutville, Pennsyllarge wholesale dry goods house in Phila- vania, bounded northward by an altey, castward delphia, who lost in the panic last fall the by lot of William Savidge, southward by Broad street, and westward by lot of Anderson Denius, containing one-fourth of an acre, more or less;

his child is paramount, and he will do it. A certain lot or piece of ground situate in the The question that comes up is, whose borough of Milton, county of Northumberland, children are safe? Here is a little four-Lawson, eastwardly by Front Street, southward year old boy taken up on the public street by lot of Geo. A. Piper, and westward by the

ty affairs.

State Convention at Harrisburg, at noon, on Wednesday, August 19, 1874, for the purpose of Auditor General, Secretary of Internal Affairs of the offence charged against him, and his and Judge of the Supreme Court.

under said apportionment. RUSSELL ERRETT, Chairman.

can point to with pride.

closest scrutiny. In the Prothonotary, L. T. Rohrbach, Messrs. Vastine and Durham, were select- and by treasurer's sale for arrears of would back into order chaos, and re-estable compared with the fearful sweep of the nized.

finances, which every tax payer in the county will readily discover, has already been performed. Since they are in office, Luzerne county, rich in deposits of coal, oppressi on and wrong, and by its persistent an instant almost, from the happy scenes the county debt which usually ranged from \$20,000 to \$40,000, in which the interest lectors, has been paid. The county is out the property of the Turnbull family, once paper money and repudiation of the nation- homes they leave behind. But alas! in of debt, and no jurors or others holding county orders are compelled to sell them at a discount, still the county taxes have Turnbull in whom the title rested was many has been prominently displayed, while hold goods, swept away. The mind canbeen greatly reduced. These are acts that speak loud in praise of those officers. Besides, we find them economical in everyon it paid, and it was sold at Treasurer's outstrip all that has preceded it, in deeds of homes, have no conception of its horrors. of property will reach \$50,000 in this secthe lofty range of mountains to the eastthing that is done for the county, and the interests of the tax payers are constantly into the hands of Oris Pardee and other come to entrust the interests of the nation the scenes of the flood and shrunk back the payers are constantly into the hands of Oris Pardee and other come to entrust the interests of the nation the scenes of the flood and shrunk back the payers are constantly into the hands of Oris Pardee and other come to entrust the interests of the nation the scenes of the n looked after, and money is daily saved for the county. Even in their own salaries tiff died in Philadelphia about forty years distant when such a mistake will be com- truction that met their eyes in the dead economy is visible, as the bills for both were but a trifle above that of the retiring known. He left a divorced wife and the Democratic Commissioner. The board of plaintiff, then a mere child. Sometime Auditors is composed of the most compeafter the death of his father, young Turntent men that could have been selected.

best mathematician in the Democratic ranks, who admits that no fairer exhibit was ever given to the tax payers, than the last published. With such work of reform, Esq., then a lawyer in this place. He the promises of the Republican party has shared her belief in the justice of her son's been fully vindicated, and all have been claim, and recommended an ejectment suit to recover. It being necessary to find the missing heir before anything could be done, ously to hear of his whereabouts. Finally, best men as standard bearers. The sucin 1871, they heard of him in Mazatlan, cess of the party is far above the special Mexico. He was summoned home, and

ney, adhering to a resolution made when he left home to touch no intoxicating drink 031,866, the expenses have been \$11,809, and never gamble. Leaving California, he went to Mexico, engaging in the construction of a canal at Mazatlan. While there left for dead, with twelve daggers sticking been reduced nearly three millions, so that in him, by a gang of Mexicans, who robbed him. On the way from California to Mexi-380,422. Should the unexpired portion of co he was the victim of a steamboat exed, he being one of a very few who escaped.

A DANGEROUS COUNTERFEIT. - A dan- wealth. He worked faithfully in his cause,

The Two Parties Contrasted.

be amiss to look upon the picture of the thing we shall have to combat. Its very hideousness may nerve us for the conflict, by impressing upon us the necessity of ridding the world of a monster; or to narrow the expression, saving our country from the curse of its ascendency and government. We present a crayon sketch of the Republican party and a life-like portrait of the Democracy, the latter strongly but perhaps partial, but the pride of art keeps him within the bounds of truth and prevents him from indulging in caricature. The Buffalo

Express is the painter, and here are the

It is not assumed in vindication of the

A NEW OUTBREAK .- The following has been shown by the party in power durmotto of the "Ring" has been "rule or paragraph from the North American, a ing the last few years. No rank, however shrewd and cautious journal, deserves seri- exalted, and no influence, however great, ous consideration, and bears out what we could stand between the culprit and the have said on various occasions as to the re- severity of justice when guilt was once

"The reactionaries in some of the Gulf sent a single parallel instance during the States, not satisfied with their failure and whole history of its supremacy. That humiliation in the Kuklux organization, party has been the nest in which every have raised a new concern called "The species of political rascality has been White League,' and these lodges are now hatched. The most gigantic schemes of the importance of throwing off the yoke so nearly in a state of rebellion that they frauds and misrule have been planned and that has been held on their necks for years have in Mississippi got possession of the perpetrated within its lines, in no case has

by force of arms. This is the natural re- conceal and defend them. in reference to the southern Republicans seem to have this purpose alone. In Loui-

lish slavery on the overthrow of freedom. Storm King that devastated portions of our

prominent in Philadelphia, long before it al debt.

ago, before the great value of the land was mitted by the people.

A vein of coal oil was struck at a depth of eight feet at New Haven, Ind., on Fribull went to sea. His mother, in 1852, be- day.

office under gubernatorial pleasure.

ger and hardship. On his first voyage he book peddlers.

enjoy that exercise.

Hay seems to be among the dearest of wards of two and three-quarter millions of He was several times shipwrecked, but of farm products in the West. A correspondent from Terre Haute, Ia., says new tion, and can only be realized by being lived to answer the the summons to come

The scene here is only a repetition of lost. Wagons, horses, household goods, ing of shanties, lumber, carts, wagons and two of which took effect in his left shoulder For all the police have done or seem likely this street Butcher's run and Soft Soap run | washed away, and the entire structure car- | Pierce and Edward McCracken, who came | scott free.

SPRING GARDEN AVENUE. The destruction in this avenue was not one mile up the stream, where it crosses it, out of range, so great, only a few houses being destroyed, was carried away for a distance of about Mr. Green's worlds are pronounced day sail up, the River or Sound to some but a number of lives are reported lost. six hundred feet. The water reached the second story of the Ziegler's store, a new, two story brick assailant, who was killed, was unknown to the children games and sports, and what

escaped with such slight injury. MADISON AVENUE. The water came down at this point ter- Taylor's salt works, which have lately of Jermyn had lyuched him.

tion is visable on every hand. nesday morning. Total loss estimated at Searching for the dead bodies began at The oil refinery was also demolished, and \$250,000; insurance probably about \$70, an early hour this morning, and workmen the run is strewed with the rion tanks. poured in from every quarter. Buildings | One of them was carried about six hundred Eight battalions of troops have been sent were torn to pieces, rubbish removed, feet off. from Mardrid to reinforce the Republican bricks thrown into the street, and everythat confidence which, by an unexampled army in the province of Cuenca, near which thing possible done in order to recover the Algerian papers speak of impending trou- sent in great numbers, anxiously looking | dwelling of Mrs. Thorn, and the drowning ble with the natives. Large quantities of on, while friends stood near at hand to of that woman. The body had not been powder and numbers of muskets are con- witness the exhumation of their departed recovered at last accounts. Another dwellstoutly sent across the Tunisian frontier. friends. The police force was ready to ing on Campbell' run was carried off, and

> arrondissements, instead of departments, The bodies as soon as they were recover- also another bridge called "No. 6," about and giving an additional member to every ed were immediately put into wagons and a mile further west. The track two miles taken to the places designated in the city, east of Mansfield has taken a slide of thirty We have often wondered whether there viz: Fairman & Vogt's, Sandusky street, feet to one side, the right hand track being is a person in the country who does not Messrs. Herman & Ley's, on Ohio street, some distance past where the left hand one know and appreciate the value of Johnson's and Vogh & Co.'s, on North street. After was originally. Anodyne Liniment as a family medicine? arriving with the remains at the above It is adapted to most all purposes, and is the | named places they were washed and placed | quence of the heavy pressure of water, and in a row, side by side, to await recognition. Farmers and stock raisers have frequent- Friends and strangers crowded around : ly told us that they have seen very good re- get a sight at the remains of the dead, but swallowed up. The new sewer afterwards sults from giving Sheridan's Cavalry Con. are prevented from obtaining entrance by broke and fell upon the old one. dition Powders to cows and swine before a determined doorkeeper. Many bodies and after they drop their young. The pow- are in such a shape as to be difficult to re- track of the Connellsville railroad, as alders put them in good condition, and give cognize, being badly bruised, while others ready stated, suffered considerable damage them strength to care and provide for the are fast turning decomposition having set at the gas works, at Soho, and at several in. Upon the whole, however, they are in different places between Birmingham and as good a condition as could be expected. Saho.

> > above given, but outside of this the damage the minor losses are hardly noticed.

The greatest damage was in Butcher's the pressure being too great, it gave way HAIR-BREADTH ESCAPE.

building on the south side of O'Hara street, One man lost his wife and two children, and a family consisting of a wife and six persons- father, mother and six children- time of the dreadful catastrophe. Mr. should once more come into power. We were all lost. It is believed that 150 per- Artz was in an upper room playing with station was also swept away and destroyhis children, when all at once the building swung from its foundation, and the screams of his children are described as heart-rend. | wagon wheels, parts of bridges, and every ing. The building lodged against a brick The Pittsburg Evening Telegraph far- editice standing near by, when a ladder along with the torrent, and lies to-day election districts are gerrymandred to con- nishes additional particulars of the great | was hoisted and the entire family rescued,

THE RECOGNIZED BODIES. On visiting Messrs. Fairman & Vogt's were found to be in their possession, far as accertained at 147; number of bodies Among those identified were the following: recovered, 118; missing, 49; and adds ing in the courts of this State for two years, -the fruits of its own infamous misrule. that has ever occurred to them. All others ick Ayler (cooper), Rosa Metzler, Sophia under estimate." The Pittsburg Eccaning has been decided in favor of the defendants, If its policy in the South means anything, pale into insignificance—the great fire— Metzler, Conrad Greinzer, Sophia Grein- Chronicle, in its yesterday's five o'clock under the provisions of the law of Penn- it means the undoing of all that has been the Arsenal calamity—the flood of '32—all zer, Mary Conley, one of Mr. Shaffer's edition, places the loss of lives at one hunsylvania governing the gaining of title to accomplished in the last fifteen years; it lose the grandeur of their terribleness when children. The balance were yet unrecog- dred and forty-two, and says the names of

> dren belonging to James Forden. Mr. adopted. search is being made to ascertain his whereabouts. Diligent search is also being made

Phillips has decided that Territorial Gover- stricken wife with a helpless family, or a of lumber were washed into the river.

lightning seldom, if ever witnessed in these | dred dollars. STRUCK BY LIGHTNING. The house of Mrs. Robb, on Monterey street, was struck by lightning and Mrs. Robb rendered insensible from the shock. An engine weighing 3,500 pounds, standing near the glue factory on O'Hara street,

SAWMILL RUN.

night of the 26th of July will ever be remembered in that vicinity. In some cases whole families have been

Distardly Attempt at Murder.

entered for the day's work.

when called upon.

ealthy world, which is peopled by her up the stocks on hand, and that they mus guide could do anything with he chose to will show a revival, and by October men do. She believed in Henry Ward Beecher will forget the terrible year they have passshe idolized and worshiped him. He ed through in the pleasurable excitement

In re of the account of Henry Lahr, committee

se be shown to the contrary.

L. L. ROHRBACH, Prothonotary.

WHISKY & MIDNIGHT Send

BY virtue of sandry Writs of Fieri Facias,

LAND CAR AND MANUFACTURING COM

Taken in execution and to be sold by SAMUEL H. ROTHERMEL, She'ff.

were done years ago in the semi-barbarous | Seriff's Office, Sunberv. July 17, 1874.