Daily Telegraph

HARRISBURG, PA.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 28 1864.

TOWN AND COUNTRY.

WANTED—A substitute for one, two, or three years. Apply immediately at this office.
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DAVID MUMMA, Esq., offers several valuable building lots for sale.

THE Third Ward of this city is paying local bounty for volunteers. The other wards should be at the same work.

SHERIFF'S SALES.—Several pieces of ground, some of which contain buildings, will be sold by the Sheriff, on Thursday, the 12th of January, at the Court House in this city.

A PROTRACTED MEETING will be held in the Fourth Street Bethel, commencing on Sunday evening next. Prayer meetings are being held nightly during the present week.

STILL PERSIST.—Certain people still persist, at our places of public amusement, to arise and start for the doors before the performance is concluded. These people, says an exchange, can be safely put down as *up-starts*.

JOHNSON'S FAMILY ATLAS.—This is a work that should find a place in every family. In point of correctness, and as a book of reference, it has no equal. The agent, Mr. Lieper, has met with great success in obtaining subscriptions in our city—many of our citizens having subscribed.

THE U. S. Christian Commission acknowledges the receipt of the following sums from this vicinity: Citizens of Millersburg, $23,45; citizens of Halifax, $24,05; citizens of Berrysburg, $15,70; Free Baptist Church, Harrisburg, $13,25; Ladies' Christian Commission of First Lutheran Church, Harrisburg, $109 90.

SAYS the Erie *Gazette:* "The Harrisburg TELEGRAPH will present a full synopsis of the proceedings of the two Houses of the Legislature during the coming session. It is a valuable paper and we commend it to our friends who desire to receive early and correct intelligence from the seat of State Government."

ELECTIONS.—An election for officers of the Harrisburg Car Company, will be held on Monday next, at the office of the Company.

The annual election for officers of the Peters' Mountain Turnpike Company, will be held on the 9th of January, at the house of John Umberger, in Middle Paxton township.

PATENTS.—Among the patents recently issued from the U. S. Patent Office, we find the the following, for Dauphin county:

Theos. Weaver, of Harrisburg, Pa., for improved school desk and seat.

Theos. Weaver, of Harrisburg, Pa., for improved school table and seat.

Jacob Doerksen, of Derry Church, Pa., for affixing knives to straw cutters.

EXCHANGED.—Capt. William A. Sands, of the First Pennsylvania Cavalry, who was captured by the rebels several months ago, has been exchanged. The Captain is well known here, he having been commanding officer at Camp Curtin about a year ago. He was reported dead since his capture, but we are pleased to learn that he is still alive.

WE regret to learn that on last Friday night, the dwelling house of Mrs. Charlotte Yanger, in Chest township, was entirely destroyed by fire. A boy only three years old was consumed in the flames. The rest of the family, consisting of four persons, had barely time to make their escape in their night clothes, and without their shoes. Our informant states that about four hundred bushels of grain were consumed; indeed nothing was saved. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective stove pipe.—*Ebensburg Democrat.*

DEATH OF COL. MAY.—Col. Charles A. May, a prominent officer, who was for a number of years stationed at Carlisle, and who was known by every man, woman and child in the town, on account of his immensely lengthy hair and beard, died in New York, on Saturday last. He was appointed a Cadet by President Jackson, and served in the army until 1860. His exploits during the Mexican war, particularly at Resaca de la Palma and Monterey, made his name famous. Since the outbreak of the war he has been engaged in civic pursuits in New York city, where he had married a daughter of George Law, Esq. He was a native of Baltimore, and was forty-six years of age.

A SURPRISE.—On Friday evening last, as Rev. D. A. L. Laverty, of the Bethel, was comfortably seated at home, reading the news, he was surprised to receive a call from the members of his congregation, who took temporary possession of the house. In due course of time a purse well filled with greenbacks, and a large number of acceptable articles useful in a family, were presented to Rev. L. Rev. C. H. Forney tendered them, in a few very appropriate and eloquent remarks, on behalf of the donors. Upon recovering from his surprise, Mr. Laverty accepted the gifts, returning thanks for the same, and in a neat address acknowledged the kindness of the congregation in thus remembering their pastor.

Mr. Laverty has proven himself a faithful laborer in the cause of his Master, and his efforts to promote the interests of the Church have been crowned with abundant success.

TERRIFIC EXPLOSION OF AN OIL WELL.—The *Pittsburg Gazette* gives the following account of a tremendous flow of oil and a subsequent explosion, which occurred at a well upon a farm of Mr. Jacob Crow, on George's Creek, in Fayette county:

When the augur had descended to the depth of about three hundred and twenty-five feet, large quantities of gas and oil began to issue from the mouth of the well, which increased so rapidly that the surroundings of the well were soon drenched and covered with the greasy fluid. The flow increased in force, throwing up the oil higher and higher. Mr. Crow, who was present, fearing an accident from the vicinity of a stove to the derrick, hurried every one away who gathered to see the sight, and not one minute too soon, for the gas and oil igniting by the fire in the stove, exploded with a most terrific noise, throwing the flames over sixty feet high and scattering the flaming oil in every direction, and setting fire to the derrick, engine house, &c. Mr. Crow had a narrow escape, being yet in the engine house when the explosion took place. So the question of oil in large quantities in that section has been definitely settled by the most wonderful strike. Mr. Crow, who is now in the city, has verified the above facts over his own signature. The well above mentioned is variously estimated at from three to five hundred barrels per day. A number of other wells are being bored on the creek with the finest show of oil. Fayette county promises to be one of the most productive oil counties in the State.

HON. JACOB S. HALDEMAN was elected today, unanimously, President of the Harrisburg National Bank, in place of Wm. M. Kerr. Esq., deceased.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—Mrs. H. A. Weir, Treasurer of the Union Benevolent Society of Harrisburg, acknowledges the receipt of the following donations: $5 from Mrs. P., $10 from Mrs. H. and $10 from A. J. J.

A NEW RAILROAD THROUGH YORK COUNTY.—We learn from the *True Democrat* that there was considerable excitement created in the lower townships of York county, a few days ago, in consequence of the appearance of a party of engineers, &c., in their midst, surveying, or running out, a route for a railroad from the city of New York to Washington city, as direct, or as near an air line as the surface of the country will admit. The route enters York county at Wrightsville, and proceeds in a southerly direction, passing through Windsor, York and Hopewell townships, immediately through Winterstown, in Hopewell, thence through Shrewsberry township to the Maryland line, entering that State between the villages of New Market and New Freedom.

PENNSYLVANIA, SS.:

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA,

ANDREW G. CURTIN,

Governor of the Said Commonwealth.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, In and by an act of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, passed the second day of July, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, entitled An act relating to the elections of this Commonwealth, it is made the duty of the Governor, on the receipt of the returns of the election of the Members of the House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of the Commonwealth, to declare by proclamation the names of the persons returned as elected in their respective districts; *And whereas,* The returns of the general election held on Tuesday, the eleventh day of October, last, in and for the several districts for Members of the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States for the term of two years, from and after the fourth day of March next, have been received in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, agreeably to the provisions of the above recited act, whereby it appears that in the First district, composed of the Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, and Eleventh wards in the city of Philadelphia, Samuel J. Randall has been duly elected; in the Second district, composed of the First, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, and Tenth wards in the city of Philadelphia, Charles O'Neill has been duly elected; in the Third district, composed of the Twelfth, Thirteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, and Nineteenth wards in the city of Philadelphia, Leonard Myers has been duly elected; in the Fourth district, composed of the Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, and Twenty-fourth wards in the city of Pniladelphia, William D. Kelley has been duly elected; in the Fifth district, composed of the Twenty-second, Twenty-third and Twenty-fifth wards in the city of Philadelphia, and the county of Bucks, M. Russell Thayer has been duly elected; in the Sixth district, composed of the counties of Montgomery and Lehigh, B. Markley Boyer has been duly elected; in the Seventh district, composed of the counties of Chester and Delaware, John M. Broomall has been duly elected; in the Eighth district, composed of the county of Berks, Sydenham E. Ancona has been duly elected; in the Ninth district, composed of the county of Lancaster, Thaddeus Stevens has been duly elected; in the Tenth district, composed of the counties of Schuylkill and Lebanon, Myer Strouse has been duly elected; in the Eleventh district, composed of the counties of Northampton, Carbon, Monroe, Pike and Wayne, Philip Johnson has been duly elected; in the Twelfth district, composed of the counties of Luzerne and Susquehanna, Charles Denison has been duly elected; in the Thirteenth district, composed of the counties of Bradford, Wyoming, Sullivan, Columbia and Montour, Ulysses Mercur has been duly elected; in the Fourteenth district, composed of the counties of Northumberland, Union, Snyder, Juniata and Dauphin, George F. Miller has been duly elected; in the Fifteenth district, composed of the counties of Cumberland, York and Perry, Adam J. Glossbrenner have been duly elected; and I do further declare that no such returns of the election in the Sixteenth Congressional district have been sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, as would, under the act of Assembly of 2d July, 1839, authorize me to proclaim the name of any person as having been duly elected a Member of the House of Representatives of the United States, for that District; in the Seventeenth district, composed of the counties of Cambria, Blair, Huntingdon and Mifflin, Abraham A. Barker has been duly elected; in the Eighteenth district, composed of the counties of Centre, Clinton, Lycoming, Tioga and Potter, Stephen F. Wilson has been duly elected; in the Nineteenth district composed of the counties of Erie, Warren, McKean, Forest, Elk, Cameron, Jefferson and Clearfield, Glenni W. Scofield has been duly elected; in the Twentieth District, composed of the counties of Crawford, Venango, Mercer and Clarion, Chas. V. Culver has been duly elected; in the Twenty-first District, composed of the counties of Indiana, Westmoreland and Fayette, Jno. L. Dawson has been duly elected; in the Twenty-second District, composed of that part of Allegheny county south of the Ohio and Allegheny rivers, including Nevil Island, J. K. Morehead has been duly elected; in the Twenty-third District, composed of that part of Allegheny county, north of the Ohio and Allegheny rivers, and of the counties of Butler and Armstrong, Thomas Williams has been duly elected; in the Twenty-fourth District, composed of the counties of Lawrence, Beaver, Washington and Greene, George V. Lawrence has been duly elected.

Now, therefore, I, Andrew G. Curtin, Governor as aforesaid, have issued this, my Proclamation, hereby publishing and declaring that Samuel J. Randall, Charles O'Neill, Leonard Myers, William D. Kelley, M. Russell Thayer, B. Markley Boyer, John M. Broomall, Sydenham E. Ancona, Thaddeus Stevens, Myer Strouse, Philip Johnson, Charles Denison, Ulysses Mercur, George F. Miller, Adam J. Glossbrenner, Abraham A. Barker, Stephen F. Wilson. Glenni W. Scofield, Chas. V. Culver. John L. Dawson, J. K. Morehead, Thomas Williams and George V. Lawrence have been returned as duly elected in their several Districts, before mentioned, as Representatives in the Congress of the United States, for the term of two years, to commence from and after the fourth day of March next.

[L. S.] Given under my hand and the great seal of the State, at Harrisburg, this, Twenty-sixth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and of the Commonwealth the eighty-ninth.

By the Governor: ELI SLIFER,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

Military Business

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CALL ON, OR ADDRESS BY MAIL,

EUGENE SNYDER, *Attorney at Law,*

dec28ly Third street, Harrisburg, Pa.

THE OLD LADY IS IN THE CITY.—The old lady, Mrs. Prudence, from the upper end of Dauphin county, has been in the city, for the last week, but owing to the excitement and great rush attendant upon Christmas, she has deferred making her general winter purchases, and has been content to look around and determine upon the best place to obtain such dry goods as she wants. After careful examination, her decision is to make up her bundle at the cheap dry goods store of C. L. Bowman, No. 1, southeast corner of Front and Market streets.

POSITIVELY

SELLING OUT!

The undersigned being desirous of closing out his stock on account of taking an inventory, will sell the following articles until January 1st, 1865, at lower than Philadelphia and New York wholesale prices:

Ladies' bonnets and hats.
Misses hats.
Hair nets.
Head-dresses.
Ladies' cloaks and circulars.
Fur capes and muffs.
Ladies' and Misses' woolen hoods and nubias.
Sontags and riding hoods.
CORSETTS, plain, embroidered and hemstitched handkerchiefs.
Embroidered and morning collars.
Ladies' scarfs.
Ribbons, bonnet silks, velvets, flowers, rushes, laces, bonnet ornaments, feathers, &c.

Dealers would do well to call and examine my stock, as they can buy their goods lower than city wholesale prices. Call one and all and judge for yourselves. M. MAYER'S Bonnet and cloak store, 13 Market street, between River alley and Front street.
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SULLIVAN S. CHILD, CLAIM AGENT, has removed his office from the DAILY TELEGRAPH Building to WALNUT STREET, 3D DOOR BELOW THIRD, OPPOSITE STATE CAPITOL HOTEL. All claims for Premiums, Bounties and Back Pay promptly attended to. d8-tf

Selling off our Whole Stock of Dry Goods

Among the goods we are selling off, we have
25 dozen of hemstitched ladies' pocket handkerchiefs.
30 dozen of gentlemen's linen pocket handkerchiefs.
25 dozen of small woolen stockings, at 15 cents per pair.
200 yards of remnants of paramattas, at half price.
50 black cloth cloaks and circulars, at 8, 10 and 12 dollars.
Furs! furs! at very low prices, to close out.
200 gentlemen's neck ties at 25, 35 and 45 cents.
Broche shawls, in double and single.
200 pieces of calicos and muslins.
50 pieces of black alpaccas, bombazines and merinos.
500 dozen of woolen and cotton stockings.
45 dozen of gentlemen's woolen and cotton socks.

I would call particular attention to some bleached muslin we have at 35 cents per yard.

50 pieces of red, white and yellow wool flannel, all to be sold cheap, in order to close out our stock.

Persons in want of dry goods, would do well to call before purchasing.

N. B.—15 pieces of black silks at great bargains. S. LEWY.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.—A large assortment of ladies' skating caps and ladies' fur trimmed Asiatic hoods, mens' and boys' fur caps and mufflers. Also, a large stock of cassimere hats. A great variety of cloth caps just received and for sale cheap at H. H. LONG'S, Jones Row. nov23-1w

DR. M'BRIDE'S King of Pain should be kept in every family. Will cure Headache, Toothache, Earache in three minutes. Diarrhœa, Bloody Flux, pain in the Back and Side, Inflammation of the Kidneys and Liver Complaint and Palpitation of the Heart. Sole agent for the State, S. A. KUNKEL & BRO., 118 Market street, Harrisburg.

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Yours truly, T. H. ROBINSON,
Pastor of N. S. Presbyterian Church.

☞ I agree with Mr. Robinson as to the value of Bannvart's Troches.

W. C. CATTELL,
Late Pastor of O. S. Presbyterian Church.

HARRISBURG, Jan., 1864.

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,
HARRISBURG, Feb, 29, 1864.

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No 5—One-twelfth of two leases on the Clapp Farm, near the Great Williams and Stanton 1 0-barrel wells. On this property is "Sherman Well, No. 2," now down five hundred feet. Engine &c., &c Rooms for more wells.

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J G Martin, Banker and Broker, Boston
Steuart & Co., Bankers, Washington, D C.

S. D. INGRAM, 15 Market St.,

Subscription Agent at Harrisburg.

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WILLOW and REED ROCKING CHAIRS for Children,
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WILLOW HIGH CHAIRS,
NURSERY CHAIRS,
CAMP CHAIRS,
MATTRESSES,
FEATHER PILLOWS and BOLSTERS,
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PATENT SPRING BEDS,
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Market street, near Fifth, Harrisburg.

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WM. BRADY,

No. 62 Market St., Harrisburg,

HAS just returned from New York and Philadelphia, and is prepared to offer to the citizens of Harrisburg and vicinity the choicest and most carefully selected

STOCK OF GOODS

In his line ever offered in this city, consisting in part of the following articles:

Fine Gold Hunting-cased

ENGLISH, AMERICAN AND SWISS WATCHES,

OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.

Fine Solid Silver and Plated Ware,

SUITABLE FOR

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

SUCH AS

Tea Setts,
Castors,
Berry Dishes,
Cake Baskets,
Butter Dishes,
Ice Pitchers,
Fine Table,
Tea, Fish,
Butter & Fruit Knives,
Soup Ladles,
Napkin Rings,
Card-receivers,
Call Bells,
Nut-picks,
&c., &c., &c.

FINE JEWELRY OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,

SUCH AS

White and Black Onyx,
Coral,
Amethyst,
Carbuncle,
Runy and Pearl Setts,
Initial Sleeve Buttons and Studs,
Gold and Jet Crosses,
Necklaces for ladies and children,
Gold and Silver Thimbles,
Gold Guard, Chatelain, Vest and Fob Chains,
Lockets,
Charms,
Tooth Picks.

Dawson, Warren and Hyde's and John Foley's celebrated Gold Pens, in gold, silver and gutta percha holders
Seth Thomas' "celebrated Calender Regulators," and an endless variety of everything in his line.

We reverse the old maxim, and invite ladies and gentlemen to call at *other places first,* then give us a call and see the difference in *stock and prices.* We defy competition. W. BRADY,
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Christmas Presents!

AT

C. A. BOAS'.

NO. 7 MARKET SQUARE.

MR. BOAS respectfully calls the attention of citizens and strangers to his large and well selected

STOCK OF JEWELRY.

Fine Gold American and Swiss Watches,
Ladies' Chadlain and Gentlemen's Vest Chains,
Small Swiss Watches for Boys,
Fine sets of Jewelry, such as Coral, white and black Onyx, Pearl, Amethyst and Gold sets.
Gutta Percha Chains, Pen holders, Pencils,
Gold Lockets, Sleeve Buttons,
Finger Rings, Tooth-picks and Studs.

FINE SILVER WARE.

Ice Cream sets,
Oyster, Gravy and Cream Ladles,
Tea-spoons, plain and twisted handles,
Cake Lifters,
Berry Scoops,
Preserve Spoons, in pair or single,
Individual Salt-sellers,
Butter Knives.
Plain and Fancy Salt-spoons,
Fruit Knives.

PLATED WARE.

Tea Setts,
Round and Oval Waiters,
Breakfast and Dinner Castors,
Cake and Fruit Baskets,
Sugar Bowls,
Magic Butter Dishes,
Pickle Stands,
Ice Pitchers,
Tea Knives,
Nut Crackers and Picks,
Tea, Table and Dessert Spoons,
Dinner Forks,
Children's sets,
Knives, Forks and Spoons.

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Wm. M. Gray & Co.

DON'T fail to stop and examine our new stock of fine family groceries just received for the

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS,

Consisting of the following articles:

Fresh canned peaches,
Blackberries,
Strawberries,
Tomatoes,
Corn,
Peas,
Beans,
Also, new layer and bunch raisins, in whole boxes, ½, ¼ and ⅛,
Currants,
Citron,
Seedless raisins,
Figs in large and small boxes,
Figs paste in cakes or boxes,
Fine catawba grapes,
Assorted jellies, consisting of Currants, Blackberries, Raspberries, Lemon, Pineapple, Peach, Apple, Orange, Pear and Quince jelly.

New mince meat always on hand, and new sweet cider; also, a new stock of queensware, gilt China cups, and parlor ornaments, China toy tea setts for children, and willow ware, &c., just received at

WM. M. GRAY & Co.,
(Houser & Lochman's old stand, Market Square.)
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SELLING AT VERY LOW PRICES

DURING THE HOLIDAYS,

TO REDUCE STOCK,

At No. 52 Market Street

THE subscriber returns his sincere thanks to his friends and the public generally, for their very liberal patronage during the past four years, and begs leave to inform them that he has a very elegant assorted stock of fine Watches, Chains, Rings, Pins, Sleeve Buttons, Scarf Pins, Charms, Gold Pens, Gold and Silver Thimbles, Silver Spoons, Butter Knives, Salt, Sugar Cream and Preserve Spoons; Silver-Plated Cups, Goblets, Cake Baskets, Berry Dishes, Syrup Pitchers, Breakfast Tea, and Dinner Castors, &c., which will make very elegant and durable Christmas Presents. Call and examine for yourselves. Make selections while the assortment is full. No pains spared to show goods.

All the above sold at very small profit.

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GOOD NEWS.

WALNUT STREET IN A GREAT BLAZE.

I TAKE this method of informing my numerous friends and the public in general, that I have opened my new Clothing Store, corner of Walnut and Sixth streets, where I am willing to sell fifty per cent. cheaper than any other store in the city. Coats worth $30, for $20. Pants worth $9, for $6, and vests worth $5, for $3, and everything in proportion.

All goods leaving my establishment I will warrant, for they are all made under my care, and with every modern improvement, and the latest style. Don't fail to come and convince yourself of the truth.

dec12-1m* R. BERNHARD.

NEW PRODUCE & FEED STORE.

U. HAMMOND

HAS OPENED A

PRODUCE & FEED STORE

IN

No. 18 MARKET STREET,

Opposite Gross & Co's Drug Store,

HARRISBURG,

Where he will keep always on hand Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Flour, Corn Meal, Buckwheat Meal, Oats, Corn, Hay, and all kinds of Produce, which he will sell at prices lower than they may be bought at market

dec22-1m FRANK A. MURRAY, Agent.

HORSES! HORSES! HORSES!

QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE,
FIRST DIVISION, WASHINGTON, Dec. 1, 1864.

HORSES, suitable for Cavalry and Artillery service, will be purchased at Giesboro Depot, in open market, till DECEMBER 31, 1864.

Horses will be delivered to Captain L. Lowry Moore, A. Q. M., and be subjected to the usual Government inspection before being accepted.

Price of Cavalry Horses, $175 each.
Price of Artillery Horses, $180 each.
Payment will be made for six (6) and more.

JAMES A. EKIN.
Colonel in Charge First Division,
dec3-tdec31 Quartermaster General's Office.

JACOB F. HAEHNLEN'S

STEAM

CRACKER AND BISCUIT BAKERY

CORNER OF CHERRY AND RIVER ALLEYS,

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UNITED STATES

Seven-Thirty Treasury Notes,

Of the various denominations,

For sale at the

HARRISBURG NATIONAL BANK.

dec2-dtf J. W. WEIR, Cashier.

BRIDGE ELECTION.

OFFICE OF THE HARRISBURG BRIDGE COMPANY,
HARRISBURG, PA., Dec. 19, 1864.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Harrisburg Bridge Company will be held at their eastern Toll House, in the city of Harrisburg, on Monday, January 2, 1865, between the hours of 10 and 2 o'clock, when an election will be held for a President, a Secretary and Treasurer, and 12 Directors, to serve for the ensuing year.

WILLIAM BUEHLER,
de19-2tawte* Secretary and Treasurer.

FOR RENT,

A LARGE and Commodious Store Room in a good location, and a good business now doing. Possession given on the 1st of April next. Enquire at
dec20-2taw3w* THIS OFFICE.

TURNPIKE ELECTION.

THE stockholders of the Middletown and Harrisburg Turnpike Road Company, are hereby notified that the annual election for President and six managers of said company, will be held at the office of the Secretary, No 5 South Front street, Harrisburg, on Monday, January 2, 1865, between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock A M. RUDOLPH F. KELKER,
dec15-d3tawtjan2 Secretary.

SWEET CIDER.—A few bbls. of an excellent quality of pure sweet cider, just received at
dec17 BOYER & KERPER'S.

PURE SWEET CIDER received to-day at
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