Independence of the Farmer.

Everybody in America wants to be inde-We have lawyers, physicians, mechanics, ministers and larmers; all striving to obtain or secure independence; and all feel sure in getting it. We glory in our political and religious freedom; all of us. Here, we are all equal, from the President down to the pauper; if indeed, the down hill slopes in that direction, which, is a question fairly debateable. But after all, with the great coal field of Pennsylvania.

Auburn is to be the point where the Rea pendent as the farmer.

Look at the ministers! Does he dare give utterance to sentiments that he knows will living? Or do the merchant and mechanic feel perfectly free, at the commencement of their business, when the good will of the community may be considered as a portion of their capital, to take decided positions on the unpopular side? There are many of these classes, to be sure, that feel as independent as the farmer; because, by success in business they do not feel the necessity of employing this windy capital, the breath of popular applause. So long as men see that their daily bread in good measure, depends on the esteem of their fellows, they must be desirous of securing it. The mechanic depends in part, and principally, on his skill; and so of all professions. But they all depend also, in some degree, on the good will of others.

The farmer also, relies on his skill; but the opinion of his neighbor is not worth a great to him, so far as his ability to live is concerned. He plants his fields, and the good Lord, who "sends his rain on the just and the unjust," makes no distinction. He waters the fields of the Whig, the Democrat, the Abolitionist, the Infidel, and the pious man, alike. The wildest fanatic in the country, by suitable tillage, may raise as good a crop, as any one and sell it as well. But let him attempt to live by preaching, as a mechanic, how would he prosper? He would certainly be driven from the pulpit, and most likely starved from his shop. Professional men must study social laws. The farmer depends on the laws of nature. The former are always changing; the latter never. Consequently, the professional man is to do, for fear he shall offend the popular taste or broach an idea not in fashion .- The farmer says just what he pleases; for it cattle or rotted his potatoes. And the farmer has more leisure time than most mechanics or professional men. Or if he has not it is his own fault. No farmer needs be a drudge. His flocks in the pasture and his crops in the field are growing while he closes his shop, the income from his business is suspended. But the farmers income is always increasing. He relies on nature, who labors for him continually, and

If a young man wants to engage in busigreatest amount of leisure time, there is nothing more sure than farming. If he has an independent turn of mind, let him be a farmer. If he wants to engage in a healthy occupation, let him till the soil. In short, if he would be indeperdent, let him get a spot of earth; ke within his means, to shun the lawyer be temperate to avoid the doctor; be honest, that he may have a clear conscience improve the soil so as to leave the world better than he found it then if there is no hope for him.

nature's God who never slumbers.

Marriage in Australia.

It appears that the male and female convicts obtain certain privileges which wonderfully promote matrimony. A correspondent writes to the Alta California from Van Dieman's Land: "The only care of the Government seems to be to get these people off there hands as fast as posible and another method has been hit upon in finding a ready market for thousands of convicts and thereby relieving the Exchequer of the expense of maintaining them, and I presume the man that first devised it was made a baronet by the British Government. It is neither more nor less than encouraging, between the convicts and the free portion of the inhabitants, "matrimonial alliances." In these young ladies affiance themselves.to old men and young men marry old women. I will explain. A female convict, by becoming the spouse of a free man, is entitled to all the rights and privileges of a free wo-As long as she keeps with her husband the bonds of matrimony are the only bonds to which she is subject. The same with the male convict. By marrying a free women he becomes, by virtue of his office as "husband," as free as the Governor himself as long as he conducts himself to the satisfaction of his better half.

The consequence of this clever stroke of policy is that marriages of this description are continually coming off with wonderful rapidity. Any old man can get in this accommodating country, as young a lady for his wife as he pleases; that is, if he is not overscrupulous to her past character which is never in Van Dieman's Land, by-the-by, taken into consideration. He has many hundreds to chose from, not one of whom wil spurn his offer. So anxious are they to escape from Government, that I question wether one of them could be found who would refuse her hand to Old Nick himself. And on the other hand any Australian lady verging upon fifty can be supplied if she requires it, with as youthful a husband as her heart can desire. There are before her men of every age and condition to select a partner from—parsons, doctors, clerks, tradesmen and laborers; few will hesitate a moment when she broaches the subject. The vast majority, to get out of Government power, would marry the Witch of Endor herself, if that would accomplish it.

The President elect, paid a visit on Thursrealizating with him a quarter of an hour. I sition of the matter.

Railroad Connection.

The Jersey Central Railroad which ex-tends from Elizabethtown-point to Easton, a distance of 68 miles, 40 miles further up the Lehigh river, it forms an important connection. From thence, a road 15 miles long, is contemplated to extend to Port Clinton or Auburn, through which the Reading Ralroad passes, which will bring the Jersey Central road into immediately connection

Auburn is to be the point where the Reading Railroad will be joined by the Dauphin and Susquehanna Company's Railroad, which is a short road of only 30 miles, to be be generally distasteful to his society?- | finished by contract, for running on the 4th Does the lawyer-want-to-his-displense-his-of-July-next,-four-months-hence; which townsmen on whom he may depend for a leads to Rausch's Gap, the centre, as well as principal mining station of the Dauphin Coal Company, which will thus obtain a direct connection with Elizabethtown-point and New York, by a railroad line of 164 miles, whereas its present distance, via Philadelphia, is 231 miles; thus saving

nearly 100 miles. When the Central Jersey Railroad is thus extended to Auhurn, and the Dauphin Company's road is finished to the same point, a line of railroad travel, the shortest and the most direct will be opened up between New York and Harrisburgh, Pittsburg, and thence westward; namely Elizabethtown to Auburn, by the Central Jersey road; Auburn to Harrisburg, the capital of Pennsylvania by the Dauphin railroad, which is now finished and in running order from Rausch's Gap to Dauphin, thence by the great Pennsylvania Central Railroad to Pittsburg, whence commences the great Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad, and a host of western railroad connections .- N. York Evening Post.

Witchcrast in Pennsylvania. The Chambersburg Whig of the 17th nstant says a correspondent, writing from Fulton county, informs us of a singular case of supposed witchcraft that occured near Sideling Hill. There is a certain religious sect in that neighborhood, calling themselves the Christian Church. A lady, one of the members, was taken sick and lay for some time, until she finally imagined herself bewitched, and a sister in the Church was often in a dilemma and hardly knows what the session was called in due season, at an ingenious plan for the manufacture of of witchcraft was formally preferred against we give below, it appears it will only anthe lady. Being a new case, and we prenever was yet discovered that it killed his sume, not provided for in the disipline, the that a witch could not do so; but the accused got over it without apparent difficulty.— After a consultation it was then agreed that When the merchant or mechanic she should be tried in a pair of weigh-scales make a large quantity of ice .- There are with a bible to balance her, and if she was a witch the bible would be too heavy for her. Accordingly she was taken to a mill and the experiment tried, but she proved too heavy for the bible. It was then intimated that probably her clothing prevented ness that will insure him in middle age the a fair test, and half a bushel of corn was put on the scales with the bible, to balance the clothing; but still the lady was too heavy, and the charge was formally dismissed.

From California in 18 Days.

Additional telegraphic news from California, by the way of New Orleans, is published this morning in another column. The sensation created in this city on Tuesday, in commercial circles, by the extraordinary arrival of the Steamer Albatross, with Cal he cannot live happily and die contented fornia intelligence, in the short time of eighteen days, was very great. The company do not seem to be satisfied with the performance in this number of days. They say the time must hereafter be gently reduced, and speak confident of reducing it.

Let us, for one moment, examine their

calculations. Allowing eight days from San Francisco to Acapulco, it is confidently asserted that it only requires four days to cross Mexico to Vera Cruz-thence to New Orleans, three days are ample room and verge enough. This would make in all fifteen days. This is getting far down in the teens, which have ust been entered by this trial trip. But they now go further and assert that the time from San Francisco down to Acapulco can be made direct in six days, and across Mexico in three days, and thence in three more to New Orleans; and thus they will take Young Time out of and below her teens, by accomplishing the trip in twelve days. Such, now are their calculations, and we hope they may be realized.

Had it not been for the breaking down of the Belize telegraph, which extends from the mouth of the Mississippi to New Orleans, the news would have been in town twelve hours sooner, which would have materially changed the style of the letters sent by the steamer bound from this port for the Isthmus. The sudden change in the California markets would have produced a material change in the orders sent forward to San Francisco. We only advert to these fects to show the vast importance of early Intelligence from the metropolis of the Pacific. -N. Y. Times

Marrying in Fun. The oft-repeated drama of marrying in sport to repeat in earnest, was re-enacted to an interested audience in Hawkinsville N. Y., a few evenings since. At a social party the conversation turned on matrimony when a young gentleman said he would get married if any one would have him. A young lady present accepted his proposition n same spirit of jesting, and after some preliminaries, they stood up and a justice united them in the usual manner. They separated when the party broke up, and the next day the lady was 'brought to' by receiving from the justice a certificate of marriage, duly executed. The young gentleman, on learning how things was workin.' said in a monly way, he had no thoughts of such a termination, yet if she was willing, he would abide by bargain made in sport and make her as good a husband as New York city on Saturday last, en route day, to the President of the United States possible. At last accounts this was the po-

Triennual Valuation of Lehigh County, for the Year 1853.

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LEHIGH COUNTY, SS.

In pursuance of the provisions of the 8th section of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, passed the 18th day of May, 1841, and the supplements concurrent therewith, WE, the undersigned, Commissioneres of the county of Lehigh, publish the forogoing Statement or Valuation of all property assessed for State and County purposes, and for Special State Tax, the amount of real estate, personal property, trades, occupations and professions, salaries and emoluments of office, made taxable by the laws of this Commonwealth, as the same has been returned to this office, by the several assessors of the said county.

PETER ENGELMAN, DANIEL HAUSMAN, Commissioners of Lehigh County. JOSEPH MILLER,

ATTEST-JESSE M. LINE, Clerk. Commissioner's Office, Allentown, March 2, 1853

Making Ice by Machinery.

The Burlington (N. Y.) papers are congratulating themselves on their delivery from a reliance on the lakes and ponds of the North for their supply of ice. They state settled upon as the witch. A meeting of that Mr. Mitchell, of that place, has devised which the minister presided, and the charge artificial ice, but from the description, which swer in cold weather.

He has prepared a building in which to session was puzzled as to the proper man- develope his plans more fully. He ascerner to proceed in the case. She was made ained some time since, that by leading a to step over a broomstick, as it had been said small stream of water down a piece of twine in ordinary cold weather, ice would make more rapidly and he has arranged part of his large ice house in such a manner as to large openings at either end and in the roof, to admit of a free circulation of cold air .-Along the rafters are leaden water pipes, piered in small holes, so as to throw on a considerable quantity of water in minute streams or spray. At the level of the per-pendicular portion of the building are rods. from which an innumerable number of small strings drop to the ground some twenty feet below. The small streams play up on these strings, and if there is any ordinary freezing weather the ice will form very rapidly.

The greater the freezing surface is, the more rapidly will the ice make, and it may reasonable be expected that this building will be filled with columns of ice in a very short time.

Production of Fish. The French Government is continuing to act on the admirable discovery of Gehin and Renny, fishermen of the Vosges, for artificially fecundating the eggs of fish. It has, imparticular, caused it to be practiced on a grand scale at Huninton; and the fish produced by it there are, on arriving at a certain degree of maturity, to be sent into differ. ent rivers and canals. In the southern Departments, also the same system has been practiced with extraordinary success. It consists in collecting the spawn of the female fish, instead of allowing them to deposit it in the beds of rivers and in applying it to the milt of mates, instead of leaving the males to do it themselves. The eggs thus prepared are preserved until they become hatched. The consequence, is that many thousand fish are thus produced from each female's spawn, whereas only very few indeed are obtained when the fish are left to effect the fecundation themselves, owing to the eggs being devoured by other fish, washed away, or injured by dirt. Rivers, streams. canals, lakes and ponds, can thus be made to teem with fish; and a new branch of commerce is thereby created, while and abundant supply of wholesome food is obtained. The expense of applying the system of Renny and Gehin is very triffing indeed .-These men have been recompensed by the Government for the great services they have been the means of rendering to the public. Their plan is applicable to all sorts of fish that spawn is rivers.

LARGE YIELD OF CORN .- We copy the following paragraph from the Baltimore Sun. Andrew Lyson, Esquire, of this county, raised this season, 230 bushels of Corn on

two acres, or 115 bushels per acre. The Hagerstown (Md,) Herald, says that Mr. John Welty, of the Leitersburg District, raised 124 bushels of Corn on one acre of

We were presented, says the Baltimore Clipper, by the hands of Nathaniel F. Williams, Esq., with a sample of white corn, raised by Geo. Vickers, Esq., of Kent Co. Md .- The grain is large and fine, and the product is stated at one hundred and three and a third of a bushel per acre. This is an enormous yield, and shows good farming. The land was limed with one hundred bushels per acre, and moderately broadcast with manure.

Mrs. FRANKLIN PIERCE, arrived in for Washington. She is accompanied by the Hon. Charles G. Alherton.

A Prosperous Household.

The London Atlas hints that another interesting event will in all human probability take place in April next, in the royal household. The Eighth. There are now seven, three princes and four princesses. The oldest is eleven years of age. Suys the Washington Globe.

"Her Majesty is in her thirty-third year has been married between twelve and thir teen years, and seems patriotically resolved to do what is in her power to save her country, when she shall cease to reign over it from that worst of national calamities-a disputed succession; which is worse than pestilence, worse than famine, and worse than ten foreign wars. May success attend her very laudable endeavors.'

RE-OPENING OF THE SILVER MINES IN South America. - We see it stated that in consequence of the great scarcity of silver coin in the United States and England, arrangement on an extensive scale have been made to re-commence work on the silvermines of South America with the latest improved machinery; and the Boston Courier, says from the richness and inexhaustibility of these sources of the precious metal, it would not be at all surprising if in a year form the public, that their Planing Mill, or two if not during the coming season silver in bars and coin should begin to be sent Turning Laths, Circular and Whip Saws, here in quantities or amount hardly inferior and other machinery are now complete, and to the vast monthly receipts of gold now in successful operation, and are prepared to flowing from California and Australia into the United States

ANOTHER SCIENTIFIC WONDER.—Pepsin? boards on either one or both sides, to resaw an artificial Digestive Fluid Gastric Juice. sawed lumber to any size required, from A great Dyspepsia Curer, prepared from six inches to one-fourth of an inch in thick-Rennet, or the fourth stomach of the Ox, ness, to furnish the lumber, and make all after directions of Baron Liebig, the great kinds and sizes of Physiological Chemist, by J. S. Houghton, M. D., No. 11, North Eight Street, Philadelphia, Pa. This is a truly wonderful remedy for Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Liver Complaint, Constipation, and Debility, curing after Nature's own method by Nature's own agent, the Gastric Juice, See advertisement in another column.

MARRIED.

On the 24th of February, by the Rev. Edwin W. Hutter, Mr. Samuel A. Wertz, formerly of Allentown, to Miss Henrietta S. Orr, both of Philadelphia.

On the 8th of February, by the Rev. Jacob Vogelbach, Mr. Joel Kcck, to Miss Susanna Hottel, both of Salisbury. On the 22d of February, by the Rev.

Richard Walker, Mr. J. W. Grubb, to Miss Henrietta Marx, both of Allentown. On the same day, by the same, Mr. Jo-

senh C. Howard, to Miss Sophia Nagel, both of Allentown. On the 20th of February by the Rev. Ja cob Vogelbach, Jonas Raubl, to Miss Eli-

za Remmel, both of Allentown. On the sume day, by the Rev. Joseph Dubbs, Mr. Nathan Miller, of South Whitehall, to Miss Carolina Goebel, of Allentown.

On the 1st of February, by the Rev. Joshua Yeager, Mr. Peter Reichert, to Miss Lovina Brong, both of Salisburg. On the 30th of February, by the same, Mr.

William DeLong, of Upper Milford, to Miss Maria Kehm, of Lower Macungy. On the 22d of February, by the same, Mr. John Dech, to Miss Henrietta, Egner,

both of Hanover. On the 20th of February, by the same, Mr. Henry Wolf, of Philadelphia, to Miss Isabella Fegely, of Longswamp.

On the 21st of February, by the Rov. J. K. Brobst., Mr. Sylvester Ræder, to Miss Julian Henke, both of Lehigh township.

On the 27th of February, by the Rev. Jac. Vogelbach, Mr. Bishop Kline, of Bucks County, to Miss Sarah Weber, of Lehigh On the 24th of Feb. by the Rev. Joshua

Yeager, Mr. Stephen Keichel, to Miss Anna Julina Leibensperger, both of Salisburg. On the 27th of February, by the same, Mr. Thomas Diekm, of Hanover, to Miss Maria Sterner, of Allentown.

DIED.

In Allentown, on Sunday afternoon, February 13, of malignant soar throat, after an iliness of 48 hours, Anna Levina, only daughter of J. S. P. and E. H. Foust, aged 2 years and 6 months.

On the 5th of February, in Upper Mil ford, Peter Schell, aged 74 years.

On the 9th of February, in Williams tsp., Northampton county, Susanna Scheimer, in the 32d year of her age. On the 28th of February, in Philadelphia,

Hannah, daughter of David and Mary Stem, aged 4 years. The funeral will take place from the residence of Mr. Joseph Hanse, in Allentown, to-day at 10 o'clock. On the 21st of February in Upper Sau-

con, of intermittent lever, John Blank, aged 50 years. On the 22nd of February, in Lower Ma-

cungy, Israel Schmoyer, son of Henry Schmoyer, aged 20 years.

Builders, Carpenters, Cabinet Makers and Others.

The subscribers take this method to in-Slitting Mill, Sash Machine, Stave Machine,

Plane, Plow and Groove,

floor boards, and plane weather and side

Window Sash, Shutters, Blinds, doors and mouldings; they also have constantly on hand and for sale, all kinds of Bed Posts, Tablelegs, Wagon Hubs, Bent Fillies, Shafts and Spanish Cedar Segar Boxes, and are also prepared to do all kinds of turning, and to saw pine, cherry, walnut, or any other kind of wood to any shape required and also to cut staves and heading for flour

barrels, or any other light casks. They hope that by strict attention to their business, and low prices, to receive a liberal support from a generous public.

Apply at their works adjoining Pretz & Weinshimer, formerly Romig's Mill, in East Allentown.

BALLIET, SAEGER & Co.

Feb. 23, 1853.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad COMPANY.

The stockholders are requested to meet at the President's office in Easton, on the 19th day of March next, at 1 o'clock, P. M., to decide upon the propriety of increasing the amount of the proposed mortgage loan and such other matters as may be laid before them.

J. M. Ponten, President. February 23, 1853.

300 Dozen Corn Brooms.

The undersigned have just received Three Hundred Dozen Corn Brooms, bound with Tin and Wire, which they will sell Wholesale and Retail, at very low prices PRETZ, GUTH & Co. Allentown, February 23,

Co-Partnership Notice.

The subscribers have entered into Copartnership on the 3d instant, in the Livery Business, under the firm of Hoffman and SIEGERIED. Their establishment is found in William street, a few doors below Pretz, Guth & Co's. store. They are prepared with handsome vehicles of every description, and sale horses, and will be prepared at all times to attend and accommodate those who may favor them with their custom.

Jesse Siegfried. Allentown, January 12.

THOMAS P. HOFFMAN.

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Great Hat, Cap and Fur Store IN ALLENTOWN Wm. Keck,

Truly thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, by his friends. and a generous public, requests a continuance of that patronage from them and that they should now call, and examine the most extensive stock of

HATS, CAPS AND FURS. that has ever been brought to the public, at his established and lately refitted Hat Emporium, No. 14, Wilson's Row. East Hamilton street.

He has just returned from the City of Philadelphia with the new spring style of Hats and Caps of all kinds and varieties.

The people of this neighborhood, have found it expensive to go to the great neighboring cities. Hereaster, to think themselves in either of them, will be very cheap. They will merely have to call into the above mentioned Hat store, observe the late improvements, and hear of the uncommonly low price, when at once, their imagination will impress them with the belief that they stand in one of the best and cheapest Hat stores of New York or Philadelphia.

Call, see, examine, judge, inspect, choose, price, and buy for yourselves.
'TO HUNTERS.—Highest cash prices

paid for all kind of furs. Dec. 1, 1852.

Exchange Office.

The undersigned respectfully inform the public, that they have on the 1st day of January, 1853, entered into partnership, under the firm of William H. Blumer & Co., and opened an Office at the Odd Fellows' Hall, in the Borough of Allentown, where they are prepared to attend to all manner of Bank business between Allentown and Easton, and will transmit money, in the shape of Drafts, to all parts of the United States securely, with the utmost speed and promptness. Having also made arrangements with Foreign business houses, of the same kind, they are enabled to make payments in every part of Europe, and draw money from the same source, by means of Power of Attorney, the writing of which will be attended to at their office.

For monies deposited with them for a special time, they will pay interest. WM. H. BLUMER. JESSE M. LINE.

WILLIAM KERN.

Allentown, February 9, 1853. ¶-3m

Ornhans Court Sale.

By virtue and in pursuance of an order ssued out of the Orphans Court of the county of Lehigh, there will be exposed to public Sale, on Saturday the 12th day of March next, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, upon the pramises,

Certain Messuage or Lot of Land, with the appertenances, situated in Hanover ownship, in the county of Lehigh, bounded by lands of Leonard Laubach, John Stuber, Paul Gangewer, and the Lehigh Canal, containing about one acre, more or less.

Thereon is erected a one and a half

Story Frame House, and other outbuildings, a splendid garden, with an excellent pale fence around it, and the residue is in a high state of cultivation.

Being the real estate of William Nagel; deceased, late of the township and county Terms will be made known on the day

of sale, and due attendance given by Joseph Wendel, Administrator. By the Court,

NATHAN METZGER, Clerk.

PROPOSALS.

Proposals will be received at the House of Daniel Cooper, in Coopersburg, on Tues-day the 8th day of March next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the Materials of a New Stone Bridge, at said place, to wit : For the delivery of Stone by the perch ; for Lime by the bushel, and for Sand by the

PETER ENGELMAN, Com'ers. JOSEPH MILLER. Auest-Jesse M. Line, Clerk.

Allentown, February 1, 4-8w Ready-made Clothing.

The undersigned keep all kinds of Ready made Clothing, on hand, and will make to order, at the lowest possible prices.
GETZ & GILBERT.

September 16, 1862.