TO ADVERTISERS. THE "LEHIGH REGISTER" HAS A LARGER CIRCULATION BY SEVERAL HUNDRED

THE COUNTY.

PEOPLE'S STATE CONVENTION. The Citizens of Penn Ivania, who are oppose to the principles and measures of the present National Administration, and to the election of men to office who sustain those principles and measures, are requested to meet in their respective Counties, and to Elect Delegates equal in number to their Reprecontatives in the General Assembly, to a PEOPLE'S

STATH CONVENTION, to be held at HARRIS-

THAN ANY OTHER ENGLISH PAPER IN

Wednesday, February 22d. 1860. at 12 M., to indicate their choice for the next Presi dency, meminate a candidate for Governor, form an Risctoral Ticket, appoint Senatorial, and to designate the time and mode of electing District Delegates to the Mational Convention, and to transact such other business as may be deemed accessary to ensure success at the General Election. LEVI KLINE, Chairman People's Executive Con

The Reasons for not Organizing the House The New York Herald, the most prominer of the Newspaper supporters of the Democra ic Administration, in a late number urges a a number of reasons, why the Democrats of the

Presidential election. They are as follows: 1. If the House does not organize, the Democratic party will not be compelled to oppose a protectective tariff, and will not thus incur

House of Representatives should oppose an or-

the hatred and opposition of Pennsylvania. 2. The Democratic party will not be com pelled to bear the odium in the Free States of

8. The opposition will have no opportunity of investigating the frauds, and extravagance of the officials of the present Administration, and cannot thus make capital against the Democratic nominee for the Presidency.

Administration party paymore regard to their ington Constitution, the Pennsylvanian and success next fall, than to the pressing wants of others, and if so whether the expenses for pulthe country and of the country's creditors .-The interests of the country should be uppermost in the mind of every Legislator. The first object of the members of Congress should Gen, Bowman, Printer of the Senate, by Dembe an organization. If it be ascertained, that no candidate can command a majority of votes, as every person must be satisfied by this time is the case, the next step would be to allow a forty Southern Democrats had signed a paper majority of the members to adopt the plurality to resist by all possible means the adoption rule. It appears, however, that forty Southern Democrats have conspired by all parliamentary means to resist a cole on the plurality rule. These men will factiously resist the preventing a vote on the plurality rule. As will of the majority, even if that majority be in favor of the plurality rule." We submit to all honest and fair-minded men, whether such a course is honest and fair. We submit whether execrations, deep and loud, should not be heaped upon the heads of a despicable minority, who, because they cannot have their way, will not listen to a fair expression of the will of others.

TARIFF.

On the election of Speaker depends to a great extent the success in the House of measures in favor of a better tariff. The Speaker appoints the committee of Ways and Means, to which all resolutions, and bills on the subject of tariff are referred, and if a majority of this committee are not in favor of a protective tariff, no such bill will be reported for the action of the House Hence the importance of selecting a Speaker, favorable to protection. The Republicans have shown their sincerity by constantly adhering to Sherman, a man, well known to be a warm friend of a protective tariff. A number of Opposition Congressmen from Pennsylvania have even gone further, and have voted for Gilmer a Southern American, although they do not approve of his views on the subject of slavery. They voted for him because he again is an advocate of a protective tariff. The Democracy commenced the session by voting for Bocock, a notorious free-trader. A great majority have shown their willingness to unite on a Southern American, excepting, however, from the number Gilmer. The Democrats and Southern Americans, assisted by the tariff opposition of Pennsylvania, could have readily elected Gil mer. But the Southern Fire-enters, who con trol the party, have determined that they will allow the election of no one for Speaker, who is not an Administration, Lecompton, Freetrade, Pro-slavery man. Such seems to be their purpose, and thus far they have faithfully carried out that purpose, and Northern Democrats

are bound to submit. oileast IN THE HARNESS.

Mifflin Hannum Esq., late Editor of the Allentown Democrat, has taken charge of the Luterne Union, a Democratic Journal published at Wilkesbarre. We need not assure the people of this section of the State, among whom Mr. Hannum served in an editorial capacity so long and well, that the "Union" will be a well conducted paper. Wm. P. Miner, Esq., Editor of the Record of the Times and and Wilkebarre Advocate, a Republican Journal also published at Wilkesbarre, welcomes following well-timed and well-tempered ore-

marks: Col. Hannum has taken charge of the Luserne Union, and we welcome him cordially. In business and personal relations we hope for most kindly intercourse with our new neighbor. In politics we expect hard knocks and ask no favors, feeling sure that gross per-sonalities, which have heretofore disfigured the Union at times, will henceforth be avoided.

THE APRICAN SLAVE TRADE.—The Sea-Coast (Miss.) Democrat learns, from "good authority," that a cargo of African slaves is expected in Ship Island harbor about the latter end of this month. If they arrive safely, they will be landed without any attempt at secrecy, the consignees trusting to the sentiment of Mississippi in regard to the necessity of an increase of slave labor in the event of a Government prosecution.

at Halifax, on the 15th inst., of the steamship Europa, we learn the death of Lord Macauley, the eminent British historian and statesman. A few years ago he was raised to the Peerage and consequently his title becomes extinct.

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plurality rule. The motion was opposed by ty from all the assaults of its enemies. The the Democrats. Mr, Hickman (Anti Lecompt speech is plain, clear and conclusive, and if the Democrats. Mr, Hickman (Anti Lecompt the Democrats Mr, Hickman (Anti Lecompt the Democrats) of Points Variable in the course of his replaced the plurality rule, stating in the course of his remarks, that the Northern Democrats were under the control of a Southern minority. Mr. Pryor (Dem.) of Virginia three times reiters. ted, that the charge was false. Mr. Pryor is noted duellist, and his remarks were doubt ed with his speech, and he himself possibly less intended to lead to a personal difficulty.— treated to a coat of tar and feathers. The Mr. Hickman manfully replied, that he would past history of the man has made the public

(Dem.) of Mississippi offered a resolution, aftion of the South. firming that the territories are the common property of the Union, that Slavery exists in them by virtue of the Constitution, and is entitled to protection, either at the hands of Congress or of the Territorial Legislature, and instructing the committee on territories in drawing up bills organizing territories, to insert a provision, requiring such protection.

permit himself to be led into a personal encoun-

In the House Mr. McRae (Dem.) of Alabama made a disunion speech. Etheridge, (Southern American) of Tennessee, asserted that he would never vote for an act of Congress, legislating slavery into the territories. Messrs. ganization of Congresss, until after the next Covode and Moorehead (Reps.) of Penrsylvania, called Mr. Montgomery (Anti Lecompton Democrat) of Pennsylvania to task for violating pledges under which he had induced Republicans to withdraw their candidate and upport him.

JANUARY 19th .- In the Senate a debate arose, as to whether the Senate had power to opposing the admission of Kansas into the legislate until duly notified of the organization of the House. Several hills were finally referred to their appropriate committees. Mr. King (Rep.) of New York offered a resolution, calling for a committee to investigate whether any of the means realized from the printing appropriations had been paid to cer-It will be thus seen that the leaders of the tain prominent Democratic Journals, the Washlic printing can be lessened. The resolution was suggested by charges of corruption, preferred in the Senate a few days since against ocratic Senators.

In the House Mr. Colfax (Rep.) of Indiana in the course of a speech elicited the fact, that of the plurality rule; that is they will resort to speeches to waste time, to motions to adjourn. and other dilatory motions for the purpose o long as they persist in this resolution, and no single candidate can secure a majority of votes, an organization would almost seem to be im-

JANUARY 20th .- The Senate not in session. In the House Mr. Sherman in a reply to a remark of Mr. Clarke (Dem.) of Missouri, the author of the resolusion pending on Helper's Impending Crisis, made a lengthy speech statsis, and the views it contains. Mr. Clarke refused to withdraw the resolution. Mr. Sherman's speech was manly, and dignified, and was much applauded,

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE. JANUARY 17 .- In the Senate Messrs Thomp son, Yardley, Schindel, Gregg, Rutherford, and Perry presented petitions for an alteration in the license laws relative to restaurants and eating saloons. Mr. Bell's (Dem.) resolutions, asserting the right of Congress to elect a temorary Speaker, were negatived by a vote of

In the House the judiciary committee reported a bill, providing for the reduction of the State Tax. A bill to change the name of the Pennsylvania and Lehigh Zinc Company and educe the capital stock, passed finally. Mr. Kistler read in place a bill to incorporate the Dime Savings Bank of Lehigh county. The resolutions of the senate, relative to the organization of Congress were passed without amend-

JANUARY 18. A number of local bills co idered in the Senate and House. January 19th.—In the Senate a number

ocal bills read, reported and referred. In the House a bill was read, reducing the alaries of members of the Legislature. Mr. Dope of Northampton read a bill, incorporating the Easton and Nazareth Railroad Company. Dr. Wily, (Opp.) was declared entitled to the seat held by Thomas Duffield, (Dem.) of Philadelphia. It would appear that a mistake had been made in counting the votes. Mr. Duffield disclaimed all knowledge of any fraud being committed. The House went into the consideration of certain resolutions, relating

to the tariff. JANUARY 20 .- Senate not in session.

sidered. A resolution, calling for a monthly forthwith. statement by the State Treasurer, was twice read and passed.

E. H. RAUCH, Esq., the Chief Clerk of Mr. Hannum to his new field of labor in the the Pennsylvania House of Representatives, writes to the Mauch Chunk Gazette, as follows :-- " My first official duties were the appointment of the pages, pasters, folders, and hall scrubbers.' The pages receive each \$1 per day; the pasters and folders, each \$1, and the 'scrubbers' 50 cents. For pages there were some twenty-five applicants, and six appointed; for pasters and folders, about thirtyfive applicants, and eleven appointed; and for scrubbers (women) about seventy-five applicants, and thirty-three appointed. These apwith the plea of destitution. I was compelled to disappoint many, some of whom, no doubt

The Court of Snyder county has decided in the property of the misrepresentation and falsehood of a portion of the public press which represents township because a majority of them decided to the public press which represents the public press wh not to open free schools according to law .-That was a very proper action of the Court. When men, elected under the law to carry out and the Constitution. the design of the law for the diffusion of knowby Queen Victoria. He was in the 60th year | ledge, are guilty of thwarting that design, of his age. Lord Macauley was never married, they ought to be removed as unworthy of the trust .- Sunbury Gazette.

JANUARY 17th In the Senate a lengthy discussion arose among the Democrats upon the confirmation of Boyman editor of the Constitution, the organ of the Admin faction Senate principles of the Republican factors in the organ of the Admin faction Senate Printer; Mr. Brown Manual Democrats upon the perinted to make a time capitalleging corrupted in Boyman was all of the State. The use of the State House finally confirmations Senate Printer by a vote grashot allowed allow but its Clay delivered in the House Mr. Hutefins (Rep.) of Ohio to a large audience, a speech of three hours in its an able speech advocated the adoption of the length, clearly defending the Republican Parapiuse
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se his, and after living away for the partners to the milk business. Villian married Mary Deitsche vous double wome of his, and after living awith his room time, the handwriting which Kaufhalt dropped from his pocket while in his company, being at the time intoxicated. Williams then produced the partners pistol leave the product of the p in an able speech advocated the adoption of the length, clearly defending the Republican Par

that the hand of violence would have interferleave the queston of his veracity to be decided know his metal, and hence he delivered his by the people of the country, and would not permit himself to be led into a personal encountry.

We believe the queston of his versions without molestation. We believe the needs but a similar show of courage to enable a person in time to yindi-JANUARY 18th.—In the Senate Mr. Brown cate the principles of our party in every por-

> STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY .- The Penn sylvania State Agricultural Society met in Harisburg last Tuesday for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. The statement of the Treasurer shows that there is a cash balance of \$7,623, in the Treasury, upon which exhibit it was resolved to appropriate \$1,500 towards the Farmer's High School,-Hon. David Taggart having declined a re-election, the following new board was chosen: President-Jacob S. Haldeman, of Dauphin

Vici Presidents-1st district, George W Vivi Presidents—1st district, George W. Woodward; 2d, George Cadwalader; 3d, James Gowen; 4th, Robert Hare Powell; 5th, Thomas P. Knox; 6th, George Thomas; 7th Adrian Cornell; 8th, George M. Lauman; 9th, Coleman Henderson; 10th, B. G. Peters; 11th, Amos E. Kapp; 12th, E. W. Sturdevant; 13th, Henry D. Maxwell; 14th, Henry Drinker; 15th, John B. Beck; 16th, Christian Eberly; 17th, William Heyser; 18th, Elias Baker; 19th, William A. Stokes, 20th, Joshua Wright; 21st, John Murdoch, Jr.; 22d, John Young, 18th, Lany Jr.; 23d, Thomas J. Power; 24th, Henry Souther; 25th, James Milcs.

Corresponding Sec.—A. Boyd Hamilton.

Chemist and Geologist-S. S. Haldeman. Librarian-Henry Gilbert.

Popular Sovereignty. The Legislature of Nebraska territory r ently passed a law, abolishing slavery. Col amuel Black, formerly of Pennsylvania, who was appointed Governor of the territory by President Buchanan, vetoed the bill, and there were not a sufficient number of persons in the Legislature favorably disposed to pass the bill sociation has been directed to open a correspondence on the subject with the various regatta associations throughout the United States,

on the subject of popular sovereignty. In 1856 it was argued, that not to Congress, but to the cople of the territories should be submitted the decision of the question of the existence of slavery, whilst now Democratic leaders boldly slavery, whilst now Democratic leaders holdly advocate the doctrine, that the people have no died by hundreds. I have seen as many as power to abolish slavery. The next step in forty sheep dead in one pen all of which died power to abousn slavery. The next step in the downward career will be to decide, that the downward career will be to decide, that the same in a single night. In several places pork there is no powerin our own State to prohibit cially when in floored dens. Some few horses the existence of slavery.

Outrages in the South upon Northern Cit-

We understand that upon the organization of the House, the Republicans propose an investigation into the outrages recently commiting that if the offensive and insulting resolutions were withdrawn, he would be willing to and an inquiry, as to whether under that proanswer all questions as to the Impending Cri vision of the Constitution, which entitles the citizens of each State to all the rights and im munities of citizens of the several States, any legislation be necessary to protect this right. We think this would be a very proper and legitimate subject of inquiry. If every person fore Judge Reber, this morning. It will be from the North, sojourning in the South, is to gitimate subject of inquiry. If every person be kicked and cuffed, and beaten, tarred and returned a verdict for the full amount claim feathered, as suits the wishes and cuprices of Southern bullies, we should like to learn the why and wherefore of the right of such barbarous proceedings.

It will be recollected with what evident gusto papers announced, after the last election, that in Manheim township, York county, the "Democratic" State ticket had one hundred and fifty-one votes, and the People's none! The report of the County Superintendent of Common Schools of that county is as follows:-"The township of Manheim is now the only one in this county in which the common school system is not in operation!"-State Journal.

THE HARPER'S FERRY INVESTIGATING COM-MITTEE.—The Committee appointed by the Senate to investigate the Harper's Ferry Insurrection have been conducting their examinations thus far without eliciting anything new. No Republican has been in plicated as connected with the lamentable transaction.

HELPER'S BOOK .- It is said that the pub lishers of this book find it almost impossible pagne, is counterfeit—an amount equal to the to supply orders coming in from all sections of the country, so great is the demand since the advertisement of the book by Democratic Congressmen.

of an extensive lead mine at Shullsburg, was a candidate for the Legislature at the last elec-The Petersburg (Va.) Press is working itself into a fever over Mr. Caldwell, the Re. publican member of the Virginia State Senate, who signs the call for the Chicago Convention. In the House bills of a local character con- It demands that he be expelled from his seat

> In one of the counties of Georgia, says the Atlanta (Ga.) Patriot, they have inflicted as high as two hundred and seventy-five lashes upon the bare backs of certain persons appre hended as Abolitionists.

The Opposition members of the Tennes see Legislature have nominated the Hon. John Bell as the Union Candidate for the Presidency

CONVENTION OF MANUFACTURERS AT MERI-DEN, CONNECTICUT .- Meriden, Conn., Jan. 18. -The Convention of manufacturers of the State of Connectiont, held for the purpose of taking into consideration the state of the Union at the present crisis in the national affairs, have adopted resolutions condemning the spirit nents are extremely annoying. Nearly every which impelled a sovereign State, in 1832, to applicant presents strong recommendations threaten civil war for no greater grievance than its opposition to a law of Congress es-tablishing duties on imports; condemning the spirit of disupion, if this, or that candidate were very poor and needy, who would be great-ly benefitted by the pitiful sum of fifty cents ing the spirit which drove Mr. Howe from Charleston; condemning the spirit which over run Kansas, and the spirit which invaded Vir any considerable number of the people of the free States as Abolitionists; and, finally, renewing the professions of fidelity to the Union

about one hundred delegates present—a minority, numbering about fifty, having left, after a fruitless effort to defeat the majority. Ad-

A SICKLES AFFAIR IN CHICAGO.—At Chicago

large horse pistol, loaded it heavly, sough

out a word exchanged on either side. Williams then gave himself up, as already stated

He says he took the precaution to leave that

letter with his brother, a druggist on State street, near Twelfth, which is "all he wants

MURDER AND SELF-MUTILATION .- An old wo

man 80 years of age, residing near Auburn the county seat of DeKall county, Indiana,

heat her husband, who was as old as herself

with an axe and club till he died. This was

now getting well.

The reason she assigned for the act was tha

The whole amount required to be raised is

The SEVERE COLD IN EAST TEXAS.—A letter

"Two ice-houses at Waco, in lat 49°, were

have been found frozen, and the chickens gen-

erally are shedding their toes.
"We learn from The Houston Telegraph

that, during the late cold weather, there were

frozen to death in that State. In that region

THE GREAT BREACH OF PROMISE CASE.—The

a new trial in the Court of Common Pleas, be-

and in bulk would fill an ordinary champagne

CHAMPAGNE.-The United Stats are repre-

thousand acres, and the amount of wine man-

ufactured for exportation is ten million bottles

A SHREWD POLITICIAN .- A Democrat living

in a closely contested District in one of the counties of Wisconsin, and who is the owner

tion. On election day, he hired 53 Republi-

cans to work in his mine; after he had them all 130 feet below the surface, the ladder was

was almost as delightful as that of

back to Asia dead Chinamen and live rats.

an organization.

\$29,420.

basket .- St. Louis Democrat, January 9

On the present trial an enormou

is terribly severe there."

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was in a very critical condition.

is now getting well.

other places.

The wounded man, Kaufholz

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D. Smith as co-editor and publisher, with imself, of the Phillipsburg Standard. We have received Peterson's Magazine

We are informed that Mr. Abraham

BANK STOCK .- Pour shares of stock of the Farmer's and Mechanic's Bank of Easton were recently sold in Easton at \$53,00 per

FARMER'S AND MECHANIC'S INSTI-TUTE OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY.— Two shares of the stock of this association were recently sold at \$11,50 per share. The par value of a share is \$25,00.

with an axe and club till he died. This was six weeks ago. She was lodged in jail, and on the following Sunday she procured a common case knife and sharpened it on the stove-pipe in her cell; with the intention, she said, of cutseems well pleased with the performance of his duties at Harrisburg. ting her throat; but fearing that the knife was not sharp enough for the operation, cut or saw-ed a hole through into the cavity of the abdomen—tore out a portion of the caul, and then seized the large intestine—divided that and cut

into the stove, but it was secured hefore Lectures on the Pilgrims Progress in the it was burnt too much for identification. She Presbyterian Church.—The next lecture will e delivered on next Sabbath evening, January 29th at 61 o'clock by the Pastor. Subject, the giants, Pope and Pagan. All are cordially she wanted to go where her old man was. No surgical aid was rendered, as it was thought she would die, but the inflammation has subsided-the stomach end of the intestine pro-

truding about two inches out of the wound, through which the secretions pass. She tells fortunes, and calls herself a witch. THE CHAMPION BOAT RACE BETWEEN ENG-LAND AND THE UNITED STATES.—Joshua Ward.

the American champion carsman, has signified his readiness to the Newburgh Regatta Association to accept the challenge of Robert Chambers, the champion carsman of England, to row him a race for \$2,500. nim a race for \$2,000.

The Newburgh Regatta Association agrees to defray Mr. Chamber's expenses, which will amount to \$500, provided that the race is rowed in Newburgh bay. lieli language.

\$3,000—\$500 to defray expenses, and \$2,500 as the amount to be rowed for. It is more than probable the committee will take \$500 in oor does not come in contact with the flame of their lamp. A merchant in Philadelphia, re-cently, was seriously injured by the explosion of a gas meter, caused by a want of proper pre-caution in this respect. the stock, in addition to the \$500 for expenses, leaving \$2,000 to be taken in New York and The secretary of the Newburgh Regatta As

> the Pikes Peak Gold Mines held the position District Attorney of Carbon county, has recently been chosen Attorney General of Jefferson, a new Territory proposed to be carved out of Kansas. A NEW COUNTERFEIT CIRCULATED.

GOING TO NEW YORK .- We learn from the Easton Express, that Max Gospp, Esq., from fifty to sixty persons frozen to death in Texas, at least forty of whom were under the

influence of liquor when frozen. There were also many thousands of hogs, cattle, and sheep the people are so unaccustomed to the cold that what would not be considered much here bar in that city. LAUER'S ARTESIAN WELL,-Lauer' ion Wall of Reading has reached a dept of 1560 feet. The borings show a black slate now celebrated \$100,000 breach of promise case, entitled "Carztang vs. Shaw," is set for

TRIAL OF HARDEN.-We see it stated -\$100,000-and it is this, together with the high-standing and wealth of the defendant that n an exchange, that it will almost be impossi ble to empanel a Jury in Warren county, N ders the case so interesting. The verdict is the largest ever given in the world in a sim-J., for the trial of Rev. Harden, now imprismed in the Belvidere Jail for the murder amount of new testimony, principally the de-positions taken abroad, will be introduced. It comprises the evidence of over fifty witnesses esiding in Brooklyn, New York; Charleston, Cincinnati, Baltimore and elsewhere

MAD DOGS IN HAMBURG .- The neighsented to be the largest consumers of Cham-pagne in the world, and the consumption per annum is estimated to be one million baskets. The whole champagne district is about twenty cows, hogs, &c. or about eight hundred thousand baskets. Of

this, Russia consumes 160,000, Great Britain and her possessions 165,000, France 162,000, Germany 146,000, and the United States 220, 000. The custom house in this city, through which passes a large amount of the cham-pagne imported into this country, reports only 175,028 baskets per annum. Seven hundred and eight thousand baskets, therefore, of the wine drunk in this country for imported chamformerly Principal of the Allentown Seminar but is now engaged in the duties of Pastor. whole supply of the champagne district for the world.—New York Courier.

CURE FOR CORNS .- If "a poor cripple" will take a leman, cut a piece of it off, then nick it so as to let in the toe with the corn, the pulp next the corn, tie this on at night so that in cannot move, he will find the next morning that, with a blunt knife, the corn will con away to a great extent. Two or three applications of this will make "a poor cripple" happy for life; and we shall be glad to hear the rehappy

drawn up to have some new rounds put in it, and he neglected to return it till the polls were COAL AND IRON.—The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company brought down for the week ending Saturday, the 14th inst., 13,500 tons of osed, which resulted in the election by 52 majority. The fellow deserves to be sent to Congress. Genius, such as he displayed in the above instance, would soon bring about A CELESTIAL CARGO.-A ship recently sailed from San Francisco for Hong Kong, with an odoriferous cargo, consisting of the dead bodies of some hundreds of Chinamen, bound for the tomb of their ancestors. The perfume

their comrades eat. This kind of trade still thrives in the Pacific. Ships take live Chinamen and dead rats to California, and carry AMERICAN TRACT SOCIETY .- The present annual circulation of the Society is one million nual circulation of the Society is one million of books, nine millions of tracts, and six millions of papers. It has issued 430 different volumes, and 2,000 different tracts. Its total issue since its organization has been 15,000,000 volumes and 200,000,000 tracts. Its gratuious circulation is annually about 75,000,000.

THE AGED MEN OF SAUCON TOWN-

THE AGED MEN OF SAUCON TOWN-SHIP.—From a correspondent we learn, that the following is a correct list of all the persons living in Upper Saucon township, Lehigh county, above the age of 90 years. ginia by a body of armed men; disapproving of the misrepresentation and falsehood of a portion of the public press which represents any considerable number of the people of the recognition of the public press which represents any considerable number of the people of the free States as Abolitionists; and, finally, rewing the professions of fidelity to the Union at the Constitution.

The resolutions were adopted. There were about one hundred delegates present—a minor-ty, numbering about 6th and a pig with, and had been to Bridgeport, and bought a pair of ladies' skates, and was skating on a pond-near the house.

nount of Iron made at the Lehigh Crane from Works for the month ending, January 14 is \$163 tons

The Sinking Spring Insurance Compa-y of Berks county, has insurance on dieven illigns of thoperty. Mr. Peter Kelchner has associated Mr.

for February. It has some splendid engrav-ing and is now one of the heat Magazines in the

Gangewere has rented the basment of Messrs. Neligh & Breinig's building, and intends to take possession in March next.

IN TOWN .- Samuel J. Kistler, Esq., our representative at Harrisburg, was in town on Saturday last, Mr. Kistler looks well. and

Rev. Lightner delivered a lecture be foro the Schuylkill Haven Literary Society on the topic forming the subject of his recent lec ture in Allentown. "The Strength and Sacredture in Allentown. off a piece about five inches long, throwing the ness of the Union.

THE READING RIFLES.—The Reading Rifles have received from the U. S. Arsenal at Harper's Ferry sixty Sharp's Rifles, mounted with sword bayonets. We presume the Rifles are of the same description as those lately received by the Allen Rifles of our Borough.

SERMON TO YOUNG MEN .- At the re uest of the Young Men's Christian Association, Rev. Joshua Derr has kindly consented o deliver a Sermon to Young Men in the German Reformed church on Sabbath evening next, Services at the usual hour in the Eng-

GAS METERS.—People, when filling gas neters at night, should be careful that the va-

PROMOTED .- Samuel McLane, Esq., for merly member of the Carbon county bar and who at the time of leaving Mauch Chunk for

A new counterfeit five dollar bill, purporting be an issue of the Wamsutta Bank, of Fall River, Mass., has been put in circulation in Philadelphia lately. The principal vignettes are representations of Cupids, Indian woman and hunter, and dollar gold pieces. The word five is in blue letters of large size.

one of the most talented and promising young nembers of the Northampton county Bar, and who for several years past regularly attended the Courts of Lehigh county, proposes to move to New York in the spring to practice at the

mixed with an oily substance, resembling pot ter's clay. It is the purpose of Mr. Lau bore forty feet deeper and then suspend op-erations. When the times improve Mr. Lauer will continue the work until water is reached

his wife by poisoning, as almost all persons in the county have expressed an opinion as to the guilt or innocense of the accused. It is supposed that a change of venue will be ne

porhood of Hamburg, in Borks County, was isited by several mad dogs, last week, and the Schnellpost, informs us that two children of Mr. Hollenbach were bitten, as also several Care should be taken, in winto give the dogs water, which in a 'cold spell' they are unable to obtain. It is aid to be owing to this want of water that the logs are attacked with hydrophobia.

DONATION VISIT .- Rev. Mr. Phillips and Lady of Easton on New Year's Eve received a lonation visit from the members of the German donation visit from the members of the county. Reformed Church of Tinicum, Bucks county. Among the very many gifts Mrs. Phillips received a heautiful Sewing Machine. A purse of \$15 was also presented by the vounger portion of the congregation. Rev. Phillips was inary,

coal, against 7294 tons for correspondending week last year, making for the season, com-mencing December 1, 81,700 tons, against 57,547 tons to corresponding period last year, being an increase, thus far for the season, of 24,242 tons of coal; 1025 tons of pig iron were also carried over the road for the week ending the rats same date.

AMERICAN STOCK JOURNAL .-- W have the first Number for 1860. Its contents commend it to the attention of every farmer and stock-grower, as it is devoted to the improvement of domestic animals. It is published monthly at 25 Park Row, New York, at one

We doubt, whether any township in the county can furnish a similar list of aged persons. If so, we should please to see it.

THE WEATHER. The weather for the NOT DEAD. The Carasangus ast few days has been most delightful, alst equal to spring.

THE SLATE DAM ICE COMPANY The Slate Dam Ice Company have erected an Ice House at Laury's Station on the line of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, measuring 100 in feet length, and 28 feet in brendth. The Ice House is being rapidly filled, and its contents are intended for Southern Markets. The company is composed of persons from Allentown Mauch Chunk, and the vicinity of the works

510,93

\$2091,17

1014,43

\$1076,74

Amount of Freight received forwarded. Tickets sold,

Cor'g month the previous year, Increase.

ACCIDENT.—Two locomotives came into collision on the Lehigh Valley Rail Road on Thursday morning last, near Schreibers Station. The engineer in jumping from the locomotive had the misfortune of breaking his leg. Nine cars were smashed. Mr. David Thomas,

jr., of Catasauqua in attempting to remove some of the damaged cars with the locomotive belonging to the Crane Iron Company, met with a slight injury to one of his legs, which we are glad to learn, was not serious in its na- same.

the Allentown Iron Works. No persons were injured, but the locomotives and cars badly smashed and injured, and the loss is supposed to amount to thousands of dollars. A col courred but a few miles off on Thursday last between two coal trains running at the same hour. There must be some negligence somewhere in not properly minding the time, when

DEATH FROM ACCIDENT.—Edwin Newhard of Hockendauqua recently fell from the cars of a coal train on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, and eleven of the cars passed over his foot. He likewise sustained other injuries in the fall. The accident occurred in the fore-noon, and amputation of the leg became necesany in the afternoon. The operation was performed by Dr. Martin of Catasauqua. The injuried man died yesterday forenoon of internal injuries sustained in the fall. Deceased leaves a wife and three children to mourn his untimely end.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—Mr. Haven, the proprietor, is bound to keep up with the times

proprietor, is bound to keep up with the times, and we must say his present performers beat everything we have ever seen. Persons could not go to Philadeiphia or New York, to see such a performance for that nimble dime. such a performance for that nimble dime.—
On Friday evening Miss Fannie Gillmore made her first appearance; she is an excellent singer, and we must say in taking a Negro character she has no equals; she is now the only Jig dancer in America, and the best one we have ever seen. She is greeted nightly with shouts of applause. Mad'lle Isabelle, since the re-opening of the Opera is quite a favorite in our midst; she sings and dances hetter every night and we think in the character of the Sailor Boy, she surpasses all we have vet seen. To see her and Miss Gillmore alone is worth double the price of admission. We are informed, that Miss Mary Vincent will again appear next week.

DISTRIBUTION OF THE MILITARY FUND.—The Board of Officers, auditing the claims on the military fund of the county, met at the Allen House, on Saturday afternoon last, and after allowing all claims on the military fund, to be paid in full, made the followa distribution among the uniformed

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We understand, that Capt. Yeager of the Allen Infantry is dissatisfied with the amount allowed the company he commands, and has applied to Major General Brown to review the ion of the Board.

"YANKEE LAND."-Need we remind our itizens of John G. Saxe's lecture next Friday We trust that none who know how Evening. ciate so complete and brilliant an efto appreciate so complete and brilliant an el-fort of the muse will fail to hear "Yanked

The lecture will be given in the Court House commencing at 8 o'clock. Tickets 25 cents. Can be obtained at the regular ticket offices of the association—the bookstores of Blumer, Lei senring & Co., and Edwin Sæger. We append

several notices of the press:—
"The largest audience that has been collect ed in the Market Hall since Mr. Greeley's lecure, assembled last evening to hear the ture, assembled has evening to hear the face-tous Vermont poet, Saxe; and they were not disappointed in their expectations. Mr. Saxe's poem "Yankee Land," was well written, well delivered, full of fun and yet full of good sense.

Chicago Journal.

"John G. Saxe, Esq., was then introduced and proceeded to deliver a poem on "Yunkee Land." It was one continued scintillation of wit, mucic, good sense, felicitous imagery and happy hits. Every word sparkled with much and fell like drops of diamonds into the cars of the audience. It gave the utmost satisfaction, and was greeted with thunders of applause.— Mr. Saxe is a clear speaker, has a full, round and flexible voice, and is able to give the best effect to his utterances.—Boston Record.

POST OFFICES OF LEHIGH COUNTY. The following is a list of the Post Offices of Lehigh county, with the names of the Postnasters and Postmistresses: Mrs. M. E. Hornbeck.

Allentown, - -

Wescosville, --Whitehall Station,

Broinigsville, -	-	Mrs. Manida Cope.
Catasanqua, -	-	Solomon Beiry.
Centre Valley, -	-	Jacob Jacoby.
Claussville, -	-	Joseph Slough.
Coopersburg	-	Brwin Burkhalter.
Dillingersville, -	-	D. J. Dillinger.
Emans,	-	Sylvester Gering.
Fogelsville, -	_ '	Edwin J. Fogel.
Friedensville, -	-	A. A. Freyman.
Germansville, -	-	David Ross.
Hensingersville,	-	John S. Saul.
Hosonsack, -	-	Solomon L. Holder.
Jacksonville, -	•	Henry Croitz.
Laury Station, -		David Laury.
Lehigh Valley,	-	Solomon Boyer.
Lowhill, -		Peter Lentz.
Lynnville, -	-	John Seiberling.
Lyon Valley, -	-	J. E. Zimmerman.
Maoungie, -	_ `	Aaron Erdman.
New Tripoli, -		Silas Camp.
North Whitehall,	_	Stephen Balliet.
Orefield,		Samuel Sieger.
Rittersville, -		Charles Ritter.
Ruchsville, -		Martin A. Seiple.
Ruppsville, -		Benjamin Rupp.
Saucon Valley, -		Charles Witman.
Schnecksville,	-	Peter Gross.
Seiberlingville,	٠	J. F. Seiherling.
Shimoraville, -	-	Charles B. Shimer.
Shoenersville, -	-	Samuel Saylor.
Slatington, -	-	Robert McDowell.
South Whitehall,	-	William Walbert.
Stinesville, -		Jonas R. Brobst.
Trexlertown, -	٠.	John R. Schall.
Weisenburg	-	Samuel Fritz.

Jacob Schunkweiler.

last week stated, that Mr. Nathan Frederick of our Borough had died of the injuries sustained on Sunday a week last in unloading lumber near the grounds of the Miller of the property

near the grounds of the Allentown Rolling Mill. We are glad to state that Mr. Frederick is still-living and rapidly recovering from his injuries. Apprehensions were entertained at the time of the accident, that Mr. Frederick might have sustained serious internal injuries, but they have since been found to be ground-

PRESENTATION TO FIREMEN.-The THE COURT OF DEATH.—Mr. A. J. Schulte of our Borough is prepared to supply our citizens at the extremely low price of \$1.00 a fine colored ingraving of Rembrandt Peale's celebrated original painting of the Court of Death. The picture is a justly celebrated one, and the price, at which it is furnished, is extremely low. We wish the agent success in our midst.

NORTH PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—The earnings of the Quakertown station for December, 1869, were:

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| PRESENTATION TO FIREMEN.—The ladies of Allentown, as was stated in our last issue, presented to the Columbia Fire Company at fine Bible and cushion. The gift was highly appreciated by the members and as a bighly appreciated by the fairer sex, the Columbia Fire Company have resolved to assign the gifts a conspictious place in their Hall. At a special meeting of the Company held Tuesday evening, January 17th, Messrs. Morris Stemler, Edwin Young and A. G. Weikel were appointed a committee to draft a series of resolutions returning thanks for the landsome presents. The following resolutions were reported and unanilowing resolutions were reported and unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That the thanks of Columbia Fire Company, are cordially tendered to the La-dies for their elegant presents, and as a token of appreciation of the gifts, they are assigned a icious position in our Hall. Resolved, That the interest always manifest

ed in the success of their company by the fair sex is entitled to, our highest considerations, and our endeavors will be to still further gain the smiles and kind wishes of the Ladies o Resolved. That, as heretofore, the efforts of

our organization shall be to merit the good will and confidence of our fellow citizens.

Resolved, That these proceedings be entered ny, met on the minutes of the company, and the papers which of the Borough be requested to publish the

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.—At a special COLLISION.—A collision occurred on Saturday marning last between two coal trains on the Lehigh Valley Railroad immediately above on the 19th of January 1860, the following

resolutions were adopted:
WHEREAS, It has pleased an All Wise Providence, after a short but severe illnes to remove from this life Fraklin Peter Siegfried, a pupil of this Sabbath School. Therefore Resolved, That we teachers and pupils recognize in his death the loss of one,

ing his attendance, has endeared himself to us by his diligence and piety.

Resolved, That we cherish his memory as a noble example of diligence, piety and moral integrity, worthy to be observed by all pupils

and teachers.

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with his parents, mourning relatives and a large cir-cle of friends in this dispensation of Providence; he having been so suddenly and at such

high respect for him.

Resolved, That these resolutions be communicated to the parents of Franklin Poter Sieg-fried, deceased, through the Committee, and the same be caused to be published in the Lehigh Register, Allentown Democrat and Alentown Friedensbote.

RAILROAD MEETING.—A large and respectable meeting of the landholders and others interested in the Allentown Railroad, was held at the House of Charles Kutz, in Kutztown, on the 17th inst. The meeting was organized by appointing C. Pretz, Esq., as President. Judge Reity, David Foster, David Kutz and Isaac D. Funk, as Vice Presieents, and Daniel Bie-

ber and C. W. Esser, as Secretaries.

The object of the meeting was stated by the chairman, whereupon several able and interesting addresses were delivered. Mr. Rosebery. of Pottsville dwelt at length upon the advangement tages of the said Road, to the citizens of Schuylkill county, and the interest they take in the

speedy completion of the same, &c., &c.
Mr. Roberts, the Chief Engineer, was pres ent, and gave a detailed statement of the expenses and supposed income of the Road, which was highly appreciated by the stockholders.

Judge Reily mede very interesting remarks in respect to the Company.

The President, by direction of the company offered very liberal and encouraging inducements to the landholders for the speedy completion of the Road, free from bonded debt, and that the work would be resumed before the first day of June next, whereupon the following resolutions were offered and unanimous-

Resolved, that the offers made by the Chairman meet our hearty co-operation, and that a committee of five he appointed, with power to appoint such sub-committees, as they think proper to confer with the landholders.

Resolved, that Col. D. C. Kutz, Daniel Bielen, Berild Kutz, Lanier K. Heitzersting and

er, David Kutz, Lewis K. Hottenstine and David Reidnour, constitute said committee.

Resolved, that the proceedings of this meeting be published in the Geist der Zeit, Hamburg Schnell Post, and Schuylkill and Lehigh ounty papers.

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.—The Stockholders of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, held their annual meeting on Monday in Philadelphia. The annual report was presented and read. The report states that 741 percent. of the entire receipts of the road have been for of the entire receipts of the road have been for anthracite coal; the amount transported over the road for the year was 577,651 tons, against 471,025 tons in 1858, being an increase of 106,622 tons. Of this amount there was distributed to the control of the samount there was distributed to the control of the samount there was distributed to the control of the cont ted over the Belvidere Delaware Railroad 131,-152 tons; Central Railroad of New Jersey, 192 tons; Central mairond of New Jersey, 182,292 tons, and lesser amounts over the North Pennsylvania, East Pennsylvania, Catasauqua, F. Railroad and Morris Canal; along the line 175,883 tons were delivered.

The increase of business has been entirely The receipts and expenditures were as fol-

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\$217,518 26 \$96,375 72 Leaving credit balance Of this credit balance \$62,793 06 has been used in new constructions during the year, and the balance applied to liquidating the debts of the Company.

Of the \$1,500,000 authorized to be issued under the first and only mortgage of the Company \$83,000 still remain unsold, and is kept as a reserve in case of any extraordinary demand on the Company.

The report of the Superintendent is an in-

teresting one.

After the reading of the reports the old officers of the Company were re-elected as fol-J. Gillingham Fell, President. Asa Packer, Wm. H. Gratzmer, John T. Johnston, Robert F. Stockton, Elisha A Packer, David Barnett, Managers.
John N. Hutchinson, Trea Treasurer and Secre-

A bill has been introduced into the Olrio Senate, to punish all citizens convicted of

went to a fancy ball as "The Evening News," her dress being made entirely of newspapers. Willis says "he would like to subscribe to her !

tary .- Easton Sentinel. raising military expeditions' for the purpose of creating servile insurrections in other States.