THE RAFTSMAN'S JOURNAL.

Raftsman's Journal. S. B. ROW, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

CLEARFIELD, PA., FEB. 8, 1860.

A SPEAKER ELECTED .- After a protracted struggle of more than eight weeks, William Pennington, of New Jersey, was on Wednesday last elected Speaker of the House of Representatives at Washington-within two days of as much time having been consumed as in 1856 when Banks was elected Speaker. Mr. Pennington was formerly a Whig, was elected by that party Governor and held the position of Chancellor of the State, and is now attached to the People's Party, by whom he was elected to Congress. He is represented as moderate, though firm in his views, possessed of a strong mind, good judgment, and superior business capacity. By his urbanity, impartiality, and weight of character, he will challenge the respect of the body over which he is called to preside. With the exception, we believe, of Mr. Muhlenberg, the Speaker of the First Congress, and of Mr. Clay, who however had served as U. S. Senator and as presiding officer of the Kentucky Legislature, he is the first gentleman that has been called to the chair on his first appearance in the House.

We congratulate our friends upon this most satisfactory result. It ends the disorder that the Disunion Democrats were keeping up in Congress, and stops the whining of factionists and demagogues outside. It shuts down on the twattle of Democratic editors, who were charging the Republicans with the non-organization of the House, because they did not vote for Mr. Smith, of N. C., on Friday a-week, at which time the Representatives of the great National Democratic party, after some had declared they would not vote for Mr. Smith because he was an American, a member of the "dark lantern" party, as they but lately called it, got down on their marrow-bones, before the sound of their voices had fairly died away, and changed their votes from Bocock and other Democrats to this same "bloody Know-Nothing." Such a humiliating sight was never before witnessed, and we can scarcely fault the Democratic editors for trying to throw the blame of non-organization upon the Republicans, who however did organize the House before the ink on some of their dirty sheets had, become entirely dry. The election of Mr. Pennington is a severe blow to the Lecompton Democracy ; but the election, last Friday, of John W. Forney as Clerk, is the sorest blow that "old Buck" and his faithful followers could possibly have received. No man do they hate more, and, to tell the truth plainly, we know no one whom they have greater cause for hating. As a matter of course, he will be roundly abused, and denounced as a Black Republican, by the Lecompton editors generally. Well, we shan't complain if they pitch into their old political confederate ever so rough-shod. Mr. Bigelow, of the New York Evening Post, writes from Paris, January 4th, that there will be no European Congress. None of the parties seem ready for it; no results promise to be reached by it, and it-will be abandoned or postponed by general consent. The Napoleonic pamphlet against the temporal power of the Pope has had much to do with developing this feeling, and breaking up the meeting. Affairs will drift on, therefore, as for the last few months, everything favoring the strengthening of the Italian people in their independence. Mr. Bigelow believes that Napoleon never was in as much danger as now, of falling by the hand of an assassin. The circle interested to be rid of him is greatly widened by the results of the Italian war, and to political or personal enmity is now added the fanaticism of religion, as represented in the Romish Cnurch, and in the continuance of its supremacy. KILLED .- We learn by a citizen of our town who was at Lock Haven, Clinton county, that Wm. Housler, who is well known here, met with a sudden death in that place one day last week. He had just returned, it seems, from Philadelphia to Lock Haven in company with two other men. The three were out to a late hour at night. When they returned to their hotel, Housler's "friends" allege that he accidentally fell down the basement steps and was so seriously injured about the head that he died the next day. One of the men left the next morning; the other remained till after the death of his "friend." Housler, it is said, had with him two or three hundred dollars that day, but the morning after the accident only a few dollars were found on his person. This circumstance, taken in connection with some others, have given rise to the suspicion that he was foully dealt with. Eighteen citizens of Mason and Bracken counties, Kentucky, were expelled from the State on account of their opinions on slavery, in the beginning of last week. We wonder if this is considered by the law-abiding citizens of the border Slave States a safe and proper method of abating agitation, or restoring tranquility to the slaveholding communities ? It seems to us that, of all things calculated to create and perpetuate uneasiness and ill-feeling, such transactions as these uncondemned than fifty different dialects have been reduced by the authorities, are among the most efficient. to writing, and the Gospel is thought to have

FROM THE STATE CAPITAL. Correspondence of the "Raftsman's Journal."

HARRISBURG, FEBRUARY 4, 1860. MR. EDITOR :- On Monday the 30th, Mr.Gordon presented a petition from citizens of Shippen township, McKean county, for the erection of a new county out of parts of McKean, Elk, Potter and Clinton counties.

On Tuesday 31st, an act relating to the Borough of Clearfield passed the House on third reading. This act provides for the election of two councilmen each year, who are to serve for three years, instead of six to serve for one ear as heretofore.

Also, an act supplemental to an act to esablish an Academy in Brookville.

Also, an act supplemental to an act to incorporate the M'Kean County Railroad Co. Feb. 2d, in the Senate, Mr. Blood read in place a bill declaring Laurel Run, in the counies of Clearfield and Elk a public highway. During the last week, a bill was read in place to incorporate the Cream Hill Turnpike-road Company, in the county of Clearfield. This take charge of so much of the old Susquehanna and Waterford turnpike as lies in Clearfield county.

This I believe, constitutes a summary of all the business done in either house in which your county or legislative district is interested. There have not been any questions of general interest before either house during the week. Hence there have been no spirited or exciting discussions, with the single exception of one in the Senate relative to a bill introduced by Miller of Washington, intended to stay the collection of all taxes to pay the interest upon the county bonds given to the Hempfield Railroad company. The bill was violently opposed by Mr. Smith of Philadelphia, and Mr. Hall of your district, as giving encouragement to repudiation, and therefore to dishonesty. This view of it seemed to be favored by a mathe consideration of the bill for the present. When it again comes up, there will be an exciting struggle in the Senate. I think it will

never pass that body. Although legislation is at comparatively a dead stand, politics are not in a monotonous condition. The fierce struggle which will take place in the People's State Convention which meets on the 22d, is already beginning to attract attention here. The point of collision between the two parties will be first upon the permanent chairman, and next upon the order in which the business will be transacted. One party desires to proceed at once to nominate a candidate for Governor, the other to put the motion to appoint the congressional delegates to the National Convention by the State Convention. It always has been customary heretofore to cers first and any attempt to change the programme will meet with determined opposition. Such an attempt, as a matter of policy, should not be made, as it will only embitter the main battle. It is to be fought upon the ground of appointment of the delegates to the National convention by the members of the State convention. The party opposing this, desire to see the delegates to that Congressional, Convention appointed by the people of the several districts. From present appearances the latter sentiment will prevail in the convention. Its victory will be won, however, only after a hardly contested battle. The proposition for the State convention to designate the delegates will seriously injure friends are urging it injudiciously in the face of popular sentiment. There will be little doubt that a large majority of the convention concede the designation of his name as the preference of the party in Pennsylvania for the Presidency, should this proposition be withdrawn, otherwise even this proposition will be so fought as to destroy the small prestige of such a designation of preference. From present appearances-that is from information gathered from persons coming from all parts of the State-there can be little doubt that A. G. Curtin will be the nominee for Governor on part of the People's Party. It may not take place the first, second or third ballot. It will, however, eventually take place. On this you may depend. John L. Dawson, of Fayette county, has suddenly become'a formidable pretender for the Democratic nomination. He has just come hither from Washington, and it is given out that he is the favorite of the President. This intimation comes from semi-official sources. The President then has gotten rid of Witte, of Philadelphia, heretofore his favorite nag. Jacob Fry, Jr., will be nominated if the real voice of the Democratic masses is listened to. but their Convention will be so crowded with federal officials that Dawson may beat him. . If Dawson and Curtin are nominated and take the stump, there will be a brilliant campaign. Both are men of decided ability. I think, however, Andy would be too ready, too facile, for Dawson, before the masses. Both are men of striking presence and imposing appearance. Yours. ANON.

THIRTY-SIXTH CONGRESS.

Jan. 30 .- In the Senate, Mr. Grimes, Rep. Iowa, corrected the statement made the other day by Mr. Toombs, to the effect that Iowa had passed unconstitutional laws. Mr. Brown's, Dem., Miss., resolutions relative to the organization of Territories were taken up. Mr. Wilkinson, Rep., Minn., moved an amendment that Territories are the common property of the people ; that Congress has power to legis. late for the interests of free labor in them ; and that a clause be inserted in the bills organizing Territories prohibiting slavery therein. Mr. Nicholson, Dem., Tenn., took the floor and addressed the Senate on the subject of the "Irrepressible Conflict." The galleries of the House were overflowed with specta. tors, and large numbers sought places on the floor of the Chamber. Members finding themselves crowded upon, demanded that the floor should be cleared. Quite a number of ladies had taken seats appropriated to the diplomat. ic corps, and after some discussion, in which t was insisted upon that they should vacate their seats, they left, and the floor was finally cleared. An ineffectual attempt was then made to procure a pair for Mr. C. B. Cochranet Rep., N.Y. The House then prepared to vote for Speaker, when Mr. Sherman rose, and in a few manly remarks, withdrew his name as a candibill is intended to incorporate a company to date. Three ballots were then had, the last one standing : For Mr. Pennington 115; for Mr. Smith 113; scattering, 5. Necessary to a choice, 117.

JAN. 31 .- In the Senate Mr. Iverson, Dem. of Ga., introduced a bill to carry out the provisions of the fifteenth article of the treaty with Mexico. Mr. Grimes, Rep., of Iowa, was excused from serving on the Committee on Private Land Claims, when Mr. Douglas' resolution, relative to inner-State invasion, was taken up. Mr. Hunter, Dem., of Va., addres. sed the Senate at length, occupying the entire session. In the House, Mr. Sherman moved a Mechanicsburg, was destroyed by fire, togethhis name from the canvass. Mr. Reagan nomnated Mr. McClernaud, Dem., of Ill. Mr. Millson seconded this nomination, and, after various explanations, the vote was proceeded with, resulting as follows : For Mr. Pennington, 116; for Mr. McClernand, 91; for Mr. Gilmer, 5; for Mr. McQueen, 6; necessary to a choice, 117. An adjournment was then moved by Mr. Winslow, which was resisted by the Republicans. The Democrats, however, jority of the Senate, for that body postponed | promised that a vote should be had promptly on re-assembling the next morning, and the House adjourned.

FEB. 1 .- In the Senate, Mr. Hale, Rep., of N. H., moved an inquiry into the expediency of paying the officers of the Army a gross sum per annum instead of allowances. Or motion of Mr. Grimes, Rep., of Iowa, marines were included, and the resolution adopted. Mr. Gwin, Defn., of Cal., introduced a bill granting the right of way to a company for a line of telegraph to the Pacific. Mr. Rice, Dem., of Minn., moved instructions to the committee on Territories, to report a bill organizing the | the body to take home to the distressed moth-Territory of Dacotah. Mr. Greene, Dem., of Mo , moved to amend, so as to have so much of Minnesota as was not included in the boundaries of that State annexed to Nebraska. The resolution was laid over. In the House, owing to the absence of several Democrats, members of that party sought to delay the vote for Speaker, which, it had been agreed upon, was

PENNSYLVANIAITEMS.

PREPARED FOR THE "RAFTSMAN'S JOURNAL." AAMSTRONG COUNTY .- On Tuesday, January 24th, Elias Deemer and his wife, (colored) while attempting to cross the Kiskiminetas river, near Saltsburg, upon the ice, broke through and were drowned. Another person who was with them narrowly escaped About ten days ago, Miss Amanda King of Cowanshannoc township, whilst going on an errand to a neighbors, accidentally fell in such a position as to break her thigh. She was about a mile from home. There alone, in her disabled condition, she lay suffering the most excrutia. ting pains for an hour and a half, when a neighbor passing near the spot was altracted by her cries for succor. Not being able to convey

her home himself, he placed her in as comfortable a position as possible, and hastened to her friends, who soon came to her relief, conveyed her home, and called in physicians who set the broken limb, and she is now recovering as fast as nature will permit Several nights since, a man named Stewart who had missed his way on the Worthington road, near Mr. David Beatty's, in North Buffalo township, fell over a high bluff, of over a hundred feet, landing at the edge of the creek. Having sustained but few injuries, none of a serious nature, he hallooed lustily for help, when Mr. Beatty went to his assistance, and had considerable difficulty, owing to the darkness, in finding him. Had he lodged a little further out from the foot of the bluff, he would, in all probability, have been drowned, as he would have got into the deep water of the dam. ... George Hanes and W. S. Boardman es.

caped from the Kittanning jail on the night of the 25th January.

INDIANA COUNTY .- A large she-bear, that had for some time been committing depredations in Canoe township, was shot recently by Mr. Sabins The stable of Dr. M'Mullin in morning, Jan. 24th Mrs. Catharine Duncan, wife of John Duncan of Brushvalley tp.,

died suddenly on the evening of the 24th January, at the house of her son-in-law, James Hazlet, in Montgomery township, whilst on a visit there. She was 53 years of age On the 7th January, a daughter of Levi Fry, of Cherryhill township, aged 5 years, died of an anomalous disease, and was buried next day in the grave-yard on Adam Helman's farm, in White township. The second night after the this State as it now stands, is a dead letter. funeral, the mother had a remarkable dream about the body being removed from the grave. Becoming distressed and almost distracted, Hempfield Railroad are now anxious to shirk the father, assisted by some neighbors, week before last, agreed to examine the grave to to that effect was before the Senate, and gave satisfy the mother that all was right, but to their utter astonishment the presentiment of the mother proved to be too true-the child

was gone_the grave robbed of its dead. Mr. teiling and effective. Fry then went to Indiana borough and made information before Esquire Reed, against Dr. St. Clair, remarking that he would rather have er than to prosecute any man or set of men .-The body was, therefore, delivered up, but slightly mutilated, and that, it is alleged, simply for the purpose of ascertaining the disease | stairs. of which the child died.

LETTER FROM HARRISBURG.

Correspondence of the "Raftsman's Journal." HARRISBURG, FEBRUARY 4, 1860. Row :- Although the Pine county

DEAR roject appears to be abandoned, I am told that a new effort will be made to dismember Clearfield of some of its territory. Some of the residents of Tyrone city, and its immediate vicinity, want a new county, to be called Logan, and the City to be the county seat. A tew townships are to be taken off Clearfield, a tew off Huntingdon and Centre, one from Cambria, and the remainder from Blair. A very nice arrangement-but, sir, that cock won't fight, and I'll teil you why-it can't be carved out to meet the requirements of the new Constitution.

There continues quite a sprinkling of military men about the capital-Generals, Colo nels, Majors, and Captains. If I am rightly informed they want the militia law of the State modified

Talking about military affairs, the Report of he Adjutant General has been published, and according to its statements, the military of the State are in a very flourishing conditionbarring that they require 22,000 muskets, and the Adjutant General has only about 1,000 of the quota of 1860 to deal out. In filling requisitions for arms, this officer has shown a partially which has made him not a few enemies. He talks feelingly of the small salary received by the Adjutant General, but I doubt whether the present Legislature will increase it.

Quite a number of College Presidents have visited the Capitol this week, and on Wednesday held a meeting, the object of which transpired in the Senate yesterday, where a petition was presented from them praying for an

annual appropriation to the Colleges of this Commonwealth. This is as cool as a Polar sea iceberg. Colleges are only supposed to be reached by those who are able to stand the charges. An appropriation, therefore, would vote for Speaker, when Mr. Smith withdrew | er with a quantity of hay and oats, on Tuesday | virtually be taking from the poor and giving to the rich.

A supplement to the law prohibiting the passing of small notes of other States has been introduced in the Senate, and I consider it altogether a good thing. It requires that all dealers who take out license to make oath before the Treasurer of the county not to take or pass any note of a less denomination than five dollars. This is the law in Virginia, where it is said to work well. Certainly the law in The citizens of Washington county, who in

an evil moment subscribed \$200,000 to the the payment of the interest. Yesterday a bill rise to some spicy debate, which was participated in by your Senator, Col. Hall, who made his first decided "splurge," which was at once

The bill to prevent recovery for the sale of poisonous and adulterated liquors will come up next week. It is a wise and wholesome law, but I do not see that it will materially lessen the consumption of strychnine whisky. Both Houses are tinkering away at small bills, and the Revenue Board is in session up Yours, SPECES.

CENTRE COUNTY .- Week before last, Dr. M'KEAN COUNTY .- On the 18th January Mr. James Gregg, of Clintonville, was called in to Dwight Coleman was drawing a saw-log to see a child of Mr. Archibald Bathurst, of Coleman's log-slide, near Port Allegheny, M'. to be taken promptly on meeting this morning. The Republicans insisted upon the vote, which The Republicans insisted upon the vote, which of Potash. Shortly afterwards the child was when the log slid around and struck the foot of manship, such as Monuments, Box Tombs, Craproceed to nominate candidates for State offi-ington, 117; for Mr. McClernand, 85; neces-for the sudden death of the child, sent for Drs. heck and shoulders of Mr. Coleman, breaking ble Tombs, Head Stones, Carved, Sculptured or for the sudden death of the child, sent for Drs. neck and shoulders of Mr. Coleman, breaking sary to a choice, 116. Mr. Pennington was Potter and Mitchell, who analyzed the mediseveral of the bones. He called a young man cine, and found it to be Oxalate of Potassa, a | who was with him to his assistance, and gave poison, ten grains of which will produce insome directions as others came to the spot ;stant death. Dr. Gregg is not to blame in the when some one spoke of sending for a doctor matter, as he procured the medicine from a he said it was useless to do so, as he had relarge Drug establishment in Philadelphia, ceived his death blow. He died within half which had it labelled "Citrate of Potash." an hour of the accident. He was a son of the The two articles greatly resemble each other. | late Dr. Coleman of Port Allegheny, and was ... On the 25th Jan., Mrs. Catharine Gill, in about 35 years of age. He leaves a wife and returning home from Lutheran meeting in two children. Bellefonte, stepped down an embankment, POTTER COUNTY .-- A young man, named Aland broke a leg. . . . On Sunday the 29th ult., meron Lyman, son of John Lyman, Esq., of a house occupied by Mr. David Seibert, near Roulet township, was seriously injured one day week before last by a saw-log rolling upon Bellefonte, was burned to the ground. CAMBRIA COUNTY .- Adam Kemerer, the mishim, while unloading at a landing on the Al sing constable of Millville Borough, has been legheny Portage in this county. He is, howheard from. Some two or three weeks ago he ever, getting better at last accounts. returned to the home of his parents in West-NORTHAMPTON COUNTY .- A little girl, aged moreland county, and immediately wrote to about two years, daughter of Owen Reich of his wife, who resides in Johnstown, to meet Easton, died lately after an illness of a few him there, stating that he was the victim of days caused by eating several luciter matches. misplaced confidence. His story is to the effect that, while serving a warrant in Blair co., A nest of colored thieves was discovered rehe met with several Englishmen, who induced cently, in Honeybrook township, by the police him to occompany them on a pleasure excurofficers of Chester county. A large quantity sion to Canada. After their arrival in that roof store goods and other articles were found mantic region, they further prevailed on him at their residence, showing that it was the to take a hand at a game of cards. Not being head-quarters for depositing stolen goods. an expert in the mysteries of "enchre," "all fours" or "poker," in a very short time he The party consisted of four persons, all of whom were committed to prison. succeeded in transferring all the money he had with him, into the pockets of his whilome friends, leaving himself scarcely enough to NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. pay his way home. Truly, a sad picture of the heartlessness of man! Advertisements set up with large type or out of usua style will be charged double price for space occupied MIFELIN COUNTY .-- A black fellow, named Nelson Scofield went on Monday evening, Jan. DRIED APPLES-for sale at the Store of Wm. F. Irwin, Market street, Clearfield, Pa. 30th, into a room in Lewistown, where a colored band were practicing on musical instruments, and used insulting and other outrage-CLEARFIELD RIFLE COMPANY-You ous language which resulted in some sparring W will meet for parade drill, at the Mt Joy between John Lee and him. He next attack-School house in Lawrence township, on Wednesed and got into a scuffle with David Walker, day, Feb. 22d, at 10 o'clock, A. M., with your arms during which the former cut Walker with a and equipments in good order, and ammunition razor and stabbed him in the side. Scofield sufficient for 10 rounds. By order of the Captain. S. ALEX. FULTON, 1st Serg't. Feb. 8. was arrested and in default of \$500 bail, committed to jail by Esq. Hoover. Wasson, how-**LOST**-on Monday last, between Philipsburg and Curwensville, on the old pike-a Black ever, had a regular chase before he was captured, having led him first down the canal, Carpet Sack, containing a Silk dress pattern, and and then up towards the ridge near the Water other articles. The finder will be liberally re-Company's lands. warded on leaving the same at the "Raftsman's Journal" Office, Clearfield, Pa. PERRY COUNTY .- Mr. William Peal, of DAVID II. HENDERSON. Bloomfield, whilst attending to the engine in Bald Eagle, Centre co., February 8, 1860. his steam tannery, in that place, was caught by DHIL1PSBURG AND SUSQUEHANNA the shaft, which whirled him around about 150 times, mangling his body in a horrible manner. TURNPIKE ROAD COMPANY .- Notice hereby given to the stockholders in this read, that His breast was crushed in, his collar-bone broan election will be held at the house of J. Shadken, his left arm broken in three places, his man, in Philipsburg, on the 1st Monday of March toe nails and some of his Inger nails torn off, next, between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock, P. M. and his clothes stripped from his body. He to elect Managers for the ensuing year. E. F. LLOYD, Secretarywas immediately carried to his house and died in about an hour after the accident. He was Philipsburg, February 8, 1860-p. one of the most wealthy and influential citi-EXECUTORS' NOTICE.-Letters Testazens of the place, and a kind and affectionate mentary on the Estate of James Henry, late husband and father. He leaves a wife and four of Pike township, Clearfield county, Pa, deceaschildren to mourn his untimely end. ed, having been granted to the undersigned re-JEFFERSON COUNTY .- Samuel Shinefelt was siding in Union township, all persons indebted to so much injured recently, near Troy, by a stick said estate are required to make immediate payof Timber, which he was hauling, rolling over | ment, and those having claims against the same him, in consequence of a chain breaking, that he died two days after . . . On the 25th ult., a son of Mr. Robert Spears of Winslow town-WILLIAM F. JOHNSTON, with open eyes, and with becoming fearless- a son of Mr. Robert Spears of Winslow town-February 8, 1860. Executor ship, fell from the second floor of the spring house and fractured both bones in the fore ORPHANS' COURT SALE .- By virtue of an order, issued out of the Orphans' court of arm. He was bruised on the head and receiminutes, and returned with a verdict of guilty "Behold and see the signs of the coming of ved other injuries Mr. E. B. Irwin, of Clearfield county, dated the 14th day of January, the Son of Man ! Look, and see the beginning | Warsow township, cut one of his wrists half | 1860, there will be offered for sale at Public Outcry, on Saturday the 3d day of March, 1860, in the Borough of Curwensville, in said county, all off, by the glancing of an axe with which he was splitting a stick of wood that he was holdthe interest of decedent in that certain tract or ing in his hand. parcel of land, late the estate of John S. Curry, LEHIGH COUNTY .- A child of Tilghman Dordeceased, situated in Pike township, said county, ney, living near Wescoesville, Whitehall tp., and bounded by land of Riehard Curry's heirs on met with an accident, on the 24th of January, the south, by lands of Levi Bloom on the west, by which resulted in death. During the absence lands of Frederick Bloom on the north, and by lands of Fitch & Boynton on the east, containing originally made, are beginning to see that it is of the mother at the barn, the child, a girl beabout Seventy-five Acres. more or less, having thereon a two story plank house, stable, a young orchard of grafted fruit trees, and water convetween one and two years of age, got out of the cradie, procured a piece of paper and lighting it at the stove, accidentally set fire to her cloth-

THE Head of the Susquehanna Shear Boom i now opposite Samuel Carothers' house, a dis-tance of about eighty rods below the Railroad Bridge at Lynden. Jan. 18, 1860-pd. Jan. 18, 1860-pd.

A MBROTYPES .- The undersigned has o-A. pened out an Ambrotype Gallery up-stairs in Shaw's row, where he will be pleased to take Likenesses for all who may favor him with a call, on short notice and reasonable terms. February 1, 1860-4t. CHARLES HOLES

COAL ! COAL !! COAL !!!-The undersign-ed informs the citizens of Clearfield and vieinity, that he is prepared to farnish the best quality of Coal from Moore's bank, for smithing or stoves, free from sulphur, at 6 cents if delivered, or 4 cents at the bank. Orders will begiven at A. C. Flanigan's Saloon for the Cash. Buckwheat or Corn will be taken in exchange for coal. Dec. 21, 1859 MARTIN CONNELLY

SOMETHING NEW IN THE PEACE. FUL VILLAGE OF CURWENSVILLE

The undersigned having entered into partnership in the Foundry Business, under the name and style of Robison & Denmark, respectfully announce to the public that they have constantly on hand, or will make to order, Stoves, Plows, and all other Castings commonly used in the country, which they will sell at the lowest rates for cash. or exchange on the most advantageous terms for

old metal, or approved country produce. JACKSON ROBISON, February 1, 1860. D. J. DENMARK.

EGAL NOTICE .-- In the matter of the Estate of Abram Hess, deceased, late of Boggs ownship, Clearfield county .-- Upon application being made to the Orphans' court of Clearfield county, at January term 1860, to wit : on the 16th day of January, 1860, the Court appointed the undersigned an Auditor to ascertain the respective shares of the heirs in the above estate.

All persons interested will take notice that I have appointed Friday the 9th day of March next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of Larimer & Test, in the Borough of Clearfield, to hear the claimants and execute the duties of my appointment. Feb. 1 1860-4t. J. H. LARRIMER, And

BOGGS TP. FARMS FOR SALE .- One-containing 124 acres-S5 cleared and under good fence. A log house 22 by 26, plank house 15 by 18, log barn, smithy and all necessary out-buil. dings thereon. Large spring and spring-house con-venient to house. The land is well watered and has sufficient wood and fencing timber. There is an orchard of large grafted trees, and a young orchard on place, all choice fruit. It is convenient for pasturing droves. ALSO, one containing 90 acres-10 cleared and under fence-balance well timbered. This land has a log house and stable thereon. For terms apply to October 13. L. J. CRANS, Clearfield.

BIBLES .- The Bible Society of Clearfield co., hereby gives notice that their books, namely, Bibles and Testaments, are deposited in the office of James Wrigley, Register and Recorder at Clearfield. The books are of various sizes and adapted to supply either private individuals or Sunday Schools at very cheap rates. Very substan tial bibles can be had as low as 25 cents apiece, and testaments as low as 61 cents apiece.

The people of the county generally are also invited to leave with Mr. Wrigley any donation they may be pleased to make in aid of the funds of the Society. Signed by order of the Executive Com-mittee. ALEX. McLEOD, President.

BELLEFONTE MARBLE WORKS !-The undersigned adopts this method of in-torming the public and the patrons of the late firm of S. A. Gibson & Co., that he designs carrying on the MARBLE BUSINESS in Bellefonte, in all its various branches, and will hold Plain, as cheap, if not cheaper, than they can be had at any other establishment in the country. Thankful for past favors, the undersigned solicits an increase of patronage. WM. G. Bellefonte, Pa., March 23, 1859-tf. WM. GAHAGAN. OUR MUSICAL FRIEND .- "Our Musical riend." a Rare Companion for the Winter Months .- Every Pianist, every Singer, every Teacher, every Pupil. every Ameteur, should procure this weekly Publication of Vocal and Plano Forte Music, costing but 10 Cents a number, and pronounced by the entire Press of the country, to be "The Best and Cheapest Work of the kind in the World." Twelve full-sized Pages of Vocal and Piana Forte Music for 10 ets. Yearly, \$5; Halfyearly. \$2.50; Quarterly, \$1.25. Subscribe to Our Musical Friend," or order it from the nearest Newsdealer, and you will have Music enough for your entire family and at insignificant cost; and if you want Music for the Flute, Violin. Cor net. Clarionet. Accordion, etc., etc., subscribe to the "Solo Melodist," containing 12 pages, costing only 10 cents a namber ; Yearly, S2 50 ; Half-yearly, \$1 25. All the back numbers at 10 cents, and Bound Volumes, containing 17 Numbers, at \$250 each, constantly on hand. C. B. SEYMOUR & CO. 107 Nassau St., New-York Feb. 1, 1869 TOSHUA S. JOHNSON, CABINET MAKER having fitted up a shop a few doors east of the "Old Jew Store," on Market street, desires to inform the community at large, that he keeps on hand a variety of CABLNET WORK, at his shop, and that he manufactures to order, (of superior finish.) every description of Household and Kitchen farniture, among which are Centre, and Dining Tables: Mahogony and Common Bureaus; Common and Faney Bedsteads, Stands, Safes, Cupboards. Sofas. Lounges. &c., which he is determined to dispose of at as cheap rates, for cash, as they can be purchased at any other establishment of the sort in the county. Persons wishing to buy furniture are invited to come to his shop and examine his articles, and judge for themselves of its quality and finish, before purchasing elsewhere, as he feels confident that he can suit them in price and quality. Country produce will be taken in payment for furniture. November 10, 1858 N- B. He is also prepared to make COFFINS to order on the shortest notice, and attend funerals with a hearse, when called upon. J. S. J.

The trial of Stevens, at Charlestown, Va., was concluded last Saturday. The speeches of counsel were mostly of a political character-Mr. Sennot, counsel for the prisoner, going into a history of the rise and progress of the Republican party. The Jury was out fifteen on all the counts. The prisoner was unaffected by the announcement.

Africa, from the Senegal to the Gaboon. These | fects of the 7th vial, which began to be poured include over one thousand organized churches, and fitteen thousand hopeful converts; nearly two hundred schools with sixteen thousand pupils, receiving a Christian education. More en brought within the reach of

was after explanations by members, proceeded declared elected, and was then sworn in; after which the members took the oath of office in the usual manner and then adjourned.

FEB. 2.-In the Senate, Mr. Gwin, Dem., of Cal., gave notice that he would move to take up the Pacific Railroad Bill on Monday next. Mr. Sumner, Rep., of Mass., moved an inquiry into the expediency of abolishing the hospital tax on seamen, and also the system of marine hospitals, which was adopted. Mr. Wigfall, Dem., of Texas, noticed a bill for a Railroad and Telegraph from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Mr. Lane, Dem., of Oregon, moved an inquiry into the expediency of establishing a naval station on Puget's sound. Adopted. Mr. Davis, Dem., of Miss., offered a series of resolutions relating to the obligations imposed on the States by the Constitution, the rights of the people in the Territories, &c. They were made the special order for 1 P. M. Wednesday Gen. Cameron if it is not withdrawn. His next. Mr. Wilson, Rep., of Mass., introduced a bill appropriating a million of acres of public lands for the benefit of free schools in the District of Columbia. Mr. Foster, Rep., of Conn. moved an inquiry whether the appropriation for the new Post Office at New York is now in force, and whether further legislation is necessary. Adopted. Mr. Brown's resolutions, relative to Territorial Governments, were then taken up, and Mr. Fitch, Dem., of Ind., ad. dressed the Senate at length. The House was not in session.

FEB. 8.-The Senate was not in session. Af ter some opposition on the part of the Democrats in the House, Mr. Fenton's, Rep., of N. Y., resolution to notify the Senate of the organization of the House was adopted. Also, similar motion by Mr. Grow, Rep., of Pa., to notify the President, was carried. Mr. Grow gave notice of a Homestead bill. Mr. Washburne, Rep., of Ill., gave notice of a bill amendatory of the Steamboat Law, and also a River and Harbor bill. On motion of Mr. Sherman, the House proceeded to the election of Clerk and Sergeant-at-Arms. John W. Forney, of Pennsylvania was elected Clerk, and H. A. Hoffman, of Maryland, Sergeant-at-Arms. The Speaker was authorized to appoint the usual Standing Committees. Mr. Covode, Rep., of Pa., gave notice of a bill for the purpose of raising revenue to meet the current expenses of Government, for the prevention of frauds on revenue, and for the protection of iron, coal, and other articles, to which several Democrats objected. Mr. Phelps, Dem., of Mo., introduced a bill, making appropriations for the Post-Office Department, for the last fiscal and part of the present year.

"THE GREAT TRIBULATION."- He must be a very careless reader of the signs of the times who does not see that we live in a most remarkable period of the world's history. Every day, and on every hand, some great event is turning up, that, in any former age, would have filled the world with wonder. So frequent have these startling events become that they have almost ceased to excite surprise .--It is well, therefore, that there is found at least one sentinel on the watch-tower, who slumbers not or sleeps; who stands always ness is ever ready to give the alarm. We refer to Dr. Cumming of London. In that great metropolis of the world he stands and cries, of the end !" In his last work, The Great Tribulation, Dr. Cumming speaks out plainly and Missions exist all along the western coast of tells us that we are suffering the blighting efout in 1848, and will continue to be felt until 1867. He says, too, that some of those who scoffed and sneered at his announcement, when probably true. Among his converts he num. bers Lord Carlisle .- Due West, S. C., Telescope.

TEW FIRM AND NEW GOODS .- The un dersigned, having become sole owner of the store of Eliza Irvin & Sons, in Curwensville, Pa., would respectfully inform the public, and the old customers of the establishment, that he has just received frem the East. a large and extensive assortment of SPRING & SUMMER GOODS, which he will dispose of at the lowest prices.

He desires to call particular attention to the reat variety of LADIES' DRESS GOODS, which have been selected with an express view to meet the wants of the community. He has also Cloths and Cassimeres of the latest styles, and a large stock of Ready-made Clothing. Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Ladies' Bonnets of the latest fashion ; Mackerel and Herring ; Sugar, Ten and Molasses ; Hardware, Queensware, &c., &c., all of which he will sell at prices to suit the times. Lumber and country produce of all kinds, ta-

ken in exchange for Goods.

He invites purchasers to give him a call before upplying themselves elsewhere. JOHN IRVIN.

Curwensville, Pa., May 18, 1859.

ATEST NEWS FROM HARPER'S

FERRY .- Brown, the leader of the Insurrection, found guilty of Murder and Treason in the First degree.- The above named 'insurrection caused a great deal of gas to be let off by leading politicians and the political press of this great country, and in fact, the majority of the people of all parties, were more or less excited on reading the first account of the insurrection-some of the papers trying to make political capital out of the affair and others making light of the matter. But if it had been an Italian strike for Freedom against their lawful sovereign, led on by Maszinni or Garibaldi, the Press of this country, with but one exception, would call meetings and pass resolutions and solicit subscriptions to aid them in their so called patriotic work ; but amidst all this inconsistency there is one man that is not the least interested in the fate of Brown or his companions. and that one is Frank Short of the Short Shoe Shop on Second street, where he will be found at all times ready and willing to wait upon persons

The Branch of the Bank of Tennessee, loca-	millions of Africans.	The imports of dry goods at New York,	ing. When the mother returned, she found a fite	air state of cultivation. Sale to commence at	Gaiter line. Thankful for past favors he only asks
	Killed-Geo. Atchison, at Xenia, Ohio.	of one millon dollars than the aggregate for any	the child with one of its arms burned to a crisp 2 o and its body so badly injured that it died about	'clock, P. M. TERMS-Cash. WILLIAM A. BLOOM.	a continuance of the same, and will sell as cheap
the 2d Feb. of \$18,000, mostly in gold.	by the bursting of a grindstone, lately.	previous January in the history of the trade.	three hours after the accident.	eb. 8, 1860. Adm'r of John S. Curry, dec'd.	November 9, 1859. FRANK SHORT.