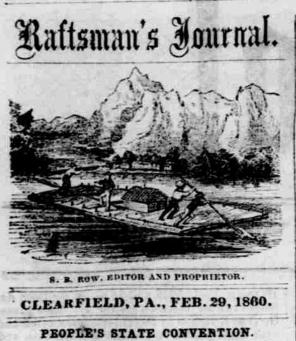
THE RAFTSMAN'S JOURNAL,



HARRISBURG, FEBRUARY 24, 1860. On Tuesday, nearly all the delegates to the People's State Convention reached here. The meeting of this Convention had also the effect of collecting the largest number of perperhaps, ever came together here on any occasion of a similar nature. Deep interest and much excitement prevailed. On Wednesday at 12 M. the Convention assembled, and selected Hon. Francis Jordan, of Bedford, as temporary President. A committee of nine was then appointed on credentials, and a committee of 33 on permanent organization. The latter reported Hon. James Pollock as permanent President, thirty-three Vice Presidents and ten Secretaries. On taking the chair Mr. Pollock made a neat, appropriate and patriotic speech. After the organization was completed, a motion was made that Hon. Simon Cameron be declared the choice of Pennsylvania as the candidate of the party for Presi. dent in the coming contest. On this resolution an exciting discussion sprung up, which continued from 5 o'clock to 10 o'clock, P. M., the spoils, in which personal decency and pubwhen it was carried by a vote of 88 yeas to 39 | lic morality shall be overthrown. nays.

A resolution was submitted authorizing the appointment of a committee of one from each - Congressional district to report an address and resolutions expressive of the views of the Convention, and to report the names of eight Delegates at large, and four from each Congressional district, to the Chicago Convention, Territory, no matter under what pretexts, as and instructing the Delegates to vote for Simon Cameron.

An amendment was then offered, allowing tha people of the Districts to select the four Representative Delegates to the Chicago Convention, instead of being chosen by the State Convention. Upon this, another fierce discussion sprung up and continued till the ad- the land, among all the inhabitants thereof. journment, which took place at 11 P. M. On the re-assembling of the Convention the next morning at 9 o'clock, the discussion was resumed until 111 o'clock, when Judge Hale offered the following substitute, which was accepted and the original resolution and amendment withdrawn : Resolved, That a committee of seven be appointed by the chair to prepare an address and resolutions, and also to report the names of eight Senatorial Delegates to the National Convention to be held in Chicago in June next, and the names of two persons for Senatorial electors, and that the Delegates from the Convention the names of four persons from each Congressional district, who shall be the Representative Delegates to the National Convention, and one person from each district as Presidential Elector. The Delegates from this State to the National Convention, appointed by this Convention, are hereby instructed tricts where the delegates are already elected, such delegates be accepted by this Convention : Provided further, That where the Congressional districts represented in this Convention decline to present the name of any delegates to the Chicago National Convention in those districts, the election of delegates to the National Convention at Chicago shall be referred to the people.

istration, by disregarding the just claims of the industrial interests of the whole country, by fostering sectional excitements and antagonisms, by conniving at schemes of land piracies, and by the rankest corruption diffused throughout all the Departments, has forfeited the confidence and respect of the people, has disgraced Republican institutions in the eyes of all observers, whether at home or abroad, and deserves a signal rebuke from the friends of constitutional order and of political justice. Resolved, That corruption in the Adminis-

tration of the General Government, combined with federal usurpation, both of the delegated rights of the States, and the reserved right of the people, have become so flagrant and audacious as justly to excite the most serious apprehensions in the breasts of the intellectual and thoughtful of our citizens for the stability of free institutions, and especially for the maintenance of personal liberty and State sovereignty.

Resolved, That believing slavery to be an element of political weakness, and of social infelicity, we are unutterably opposed to its extension into free Territories.

Resolved, That the dogma that the Constitution, of its own force, carries slavery into all or any of the Territories of the United States, is a new and dangerous political heresy, at variance with the explicit provisions of the instrument Itself, with contemporaneous exposisons from various sections of the State that, tion, and with legislative and judicial precedent, that it is revolutionary in its tendency, and subversive of the peace and harmony of the people.

Resolved, That the African slave trade is a relic of barbarism, condemned alike by the civilization, the humanity, the laws, and the unity the majority yielded their own preferreligion of the age, and that the attempt to reopen it is an effort of the powers of darkness to bring again the reign of "chaos and old right," which patriots, philanthropists and the choice of Pennsylvania for the Presidency. Christians are under the most weighty and | Twelve of the districts named their Delegates solemn obligations to oppose.

Resolved, That we view with just apprehension and alarm, the reckless extravagance in expenditure which pervades every department of the Federal Government, and the steady and persistent departure from the principles that the restoration of a system of rigid economy and accountability is indispensible to restrain the plunderers who feast upon the Treasury, and to prevent our politics from degenerating into a wild and shameful scramble for

Resolved, That to maintain inviolate the rights of the States, and especially the right of each State to order and control its own domestic institutions according to its own judgment exclusively, is essential to that balance of power on which the perfection and endurance of our political fabric depends, and we denounce, now as heretofore, the lawless invasion by armed force of the soil of any State or amongst the gravest of crimes.

Resolved, That it does not enter into the scheme of the Opposition party to seek the abolition of slavery in the States where it now exists, but to leave the amelioration and ultimate abandonment of the system to the moral, religious and economic forces which pertain to the slave-holding communities, assured of the final prevalence of justice throughout all out of mind. Resolved, That to the union of the States this

Twelfth District, Thomas R. Hall. Thirteenth District, Francis B. Penniman. Fourteenth District, Ulysses Mercut. Fifteenth District, George Brissle. Sixteenth District, A. B. Sharpe. Seventeenth District, Daniel O. Gahr. Eighteenth District, Samuel Calvin. Nineteenth District, Edgar Cowan. Twentieth District, William M'Kerman. Twenty-first District, John M. Kirkpatrick. Twenty-second District, James Kerr. Twenty-third District, Richard P. Roberts. Twenty-fourth District, Henry Souther. Twenty-fifth District, John Grier.

After transacting some other business, the Convention adjourned. Yours, Row.

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

HARRISBURG, FEBRUARY 25, 1860.

MR. EDITOR : The State Convention of the People's Party has met and adjourned amid a storm of applause and enthusiasm. For the period of two days friendly and able discussions were had relative to the true policy which should guide and control its action in the campaign. All the predictions made by its enemies relative to disruption and disunion among the various elements of independent thinkers, of which, in the aggregate, it is composed, were unfulfilled. The greatest harmony and the most generous enthusiasm marked the debates and closed its deliberations.

The proposition to elect Delegates to Chicago by the Convention was not consistent with the views of policy entertained by large numbers of the Delegates, and for the sake of ences, and yielded gracefully. The consequence was that by an almost unanimous vote the Convention endorsed General Cameron as in the Convention. The thirteen which have elected, or will by the people, will in a large majority of instances, elect delegates for Cameron. The truth is, by this timely concession General Cameron is stronger to-day than if his friends had forced the appointment of all the and policy of the founders of our institutions; delegates. Generous forbearance is always an evidence of conscious strength and begets spmpathy and support.

Curtin has a reputation as a stump orator, which is second to that of no man in the State. His tried ability in the management of public affairs, his unblemished private character, his geniality of manners, will warrant him a strength which no other man could command. His promise to carry the standard from the Lakes to the Delaware will be literally fuldlled. He opens the campaign to an immense mass meeting in Pittsburgh to-night, and my word for it, the people will give him a thundering | called upon to state whether Peru had futfillreception.

To-night a ratification meeting is to be held at this point. I suppose it will be a "rouser." There is something in the combination of the names : CAMERON AND CURTIN !

Convention are beginning to assemble here. There will be large numbers of them in town by Monday. The two Houses will adjourn for two days to permit the Democratic members to attend. This is a courtesy extended to all parties happening to be in the minority time

The race will start off at first in their Convention with Witte in the lead, Fry following olution which cansed much excitement, givnation owes its unprecedented increase in pop- close and threatening to take the inside track ing the assent of Congress to the action of the

THIRTY-SIXTH CONGRESS.

FEB. 20.-In the Senate, the Committee on Advertisements set up with farge type or out of usual Printing submitted a resolution to withhold style will be charged double price for space occupied. the work of binding the Senate documents until it was ascertained whether the contract for the same was in accordance with the law. A resolution was adopted to inquire into the expediency of a revision of the Postal laws. Mr. Brown's, Dem. Miss., resolution relative to Territorial Governments was then taken up, and Mr. Clark, Rep. N. H., addressed the Senate. When he had concluded, a message was received from the President, covering a memorial from the citizens of Nebraska and the western slope of the Rocky Mountains, which was referred to be printed. In the Honse, Messrs. Vallandigham, Dem. Ohio, Kellogg, Rep. Ill., Burnett, Dem. Ky., Adams, S. Am. Ky., Stokes, S. Am. Tenn., were an-nounced by the Speaker as the Select Committee on the Senate bill to abolish the franking privilege. Mr. Lovejoy, Rep. Ill., asked leave to introduce a preamble and resolution for the appointment of a Committee of five to inquire into the recent outrages upon citizens of the Northern States visiting or doing business in the Southern States, and report whether any further legislation is necessary to afford the protection guaranteed by the Constitution. Objections were made, and a call of the House moved, when Mr. Sherman, Rep. Ohio, reported from the Committee on Ways and Means. bills for the support of the Indian Department; for fulfilling treaty stipulations with certain Indians in Oregon and Washington Territories; and for the construction of certain fortifications. Mr. Pryor, Dem. Va. then announced the death of William O. Goode, his predecessor. The customary resolutions were adopted. FEB. 21.-In the Senate, Mr. Seward, Rep. N. Y., introduced a bill for the admission of Kansas into the Union, and it was made the special order for Wednesday. Mr. Doolittle, Rep. Wis., presented a memorial from the Wisconsin Legislature, complaining of the Crans, Esq., Attorney, Clearfield, Pa. impositions practiced upon the Menemonee Feb. 29 1860. MARTIN O. STIRK, Adm'r. Indians, and asking for a law to protect them. On motion of Mr. Haun, Dem. Cal., an inquiry was ordered as to the expediency of making a survey of the silver and other mines on the eastern slope of the Nevada Mountains. Also, as to granting the proceeds of the New Almaden quicksilver mines to California, toward building a railroad from the Pacific, which was laid over. Mr. H. also introduced a bill to ap-

point an agent to take care of the these mines. Mr. Mason, Dem. Va., from the Harper's Ferry Committee, reported a resolution to bring Thaddeus Hyatt before the par of the Senate, to answer for contempt for refusing to appear and testify before the Committee. After debate, the resolution was adopted. On motion of Mr. Hale, Rep. N. H., the President was ed her treaty obligations. Mr. Bigler moved an inquiry into the expediency of having the Senate confirm the appointment of Captains in the Navy, and increasing the pay. Adopted. The Senate then took up the bill to au-The Democratic Delegates to the Reading | thorize the sale of public armories to the several States and Territories, and to regulate the appointment of Superintendents of Armories. After debate, the subject was postponed. The District of Columbia Bank-Note act was then taken up, and after a short debate was laid

aside. Adjourned till Thursday. In the House, Mr. Morris, Dem. 111., from the Committee on Roads and Canal, introduced a res-

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

RAFTING STOVES AND FIXTURES, for sale at the store of WM. IRVIN, Curwensy BACON.-Hams, Sides and Shoulders, for sale at the corner store of WM. IRVIN. Fobruary 29, 1860. Curwensville FISH, BACON AND SALT, just received and for sale at moderate prices at the store of eb. 29. GRAHAM, BOYNTON & CO. Feb. 29.

DAFTING ROPES, for sale as cheap as they can be had at any other store in town, by Feb. 29. GRAHAM, BOYNTON & CO. Feb. 29 NAILS, GLASS, Oils, Paints, &c., to be had at the most reasonable prices, at the store of

GRAHAM, BOYNTON & CO. Feb. 20. DRUNES AND CURRANTS, a good, fresh ar-

ticle just received and for sale cheap, by WM. F. IRWIN, Clearfield. February 29. NOR RENT .- The undersigned has for rent a

house and lot, and blacksmith shop, in the Borough of Luthersburg. This is a good location for a blacksmith. For further information apply Luthersburg, Feb. 29. To JAMES 1RVIN.

H. WARD, Manufacturer and Dealer in Straw Goods, Nos. 103, 105 and 107, North Second Street, Philadelphia .- Having just received our Spring Stock, which comprises a large and desira-ble assortment of all kinds of Straw and Lace Goods. Our stock of Flowers and Ruches is unu sually large this season, and we would invite your special attention to that department Please call and examine them before making your pur-chases. [Feb. 29-4t.] H. WARD. chases. [Feb. 29-4t.]

A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.- Letters of Administration on the Estate of Jacob W. Sensenig, late of Knox township, Clearfield county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in New Millport, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same, will present them, duly authenticated for settlement, to the undersigned, or to L. J.

ICENSE NOTICE .- The following named A persons have filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County, their Petitions for License at MARCH Session next, agreeably to Act of Assembly of March 28, 1856, entitled "An Act to regulate the Sale of

Intoxicating Liquors," &c. Henry Goodlander, Brady township, Tavern. R. W. Moore, Brady township, Tavern. William Reed, Brady township, Tavern. David Johnston, Clearfield Borough, Tavern. George D. Lanich. Clearfield Borough, Tavern. Valentine Hoffman, Covington town'p, Tavern. Lawrence Flood. Covington township. Tavern. Benjamin Snider. Covington township, Tavern. Nicholas Verbeck, Covington township, Tavern. Wm. A. Mason, Curwensville Borough, Tavern. Isaac Bloom, Curwensville Borough, Tavern. Dan. M. Weaver, Curwensville Boro', Tavern. James Haines. Beccaria township, Tavern. Peter Bloom, Jordan township, Tavern. Robert J. Haynes, Karthaus township, Tavern. Joseph L. Curby, Lumber-city Borough, Tavern. Branson Davis. Lumber-city Borough, Tavern. Wm. L. Merrell, Morris township, Tavern Wm. W. Anderson, Penn township, Tavern. Henry Post, Decatur township, Tavern. Wm. L. Starritt, Boggs township, Tavern. Richard Mossop, Clearfield Boro', Mercantile, Howard Merrell, Bradford township, Tavern. Adam Knarr, Brady township, Tavern, John Jordan, Guelich township, Tavern. Benjamin Bloom, jr., Curwensville Bor', Tavern JOHN L. CUTTLE, Clerk. Prot'y's Office, Clearfield, Feb. 29, 1860.

COURT PROCLAMATION.-WHEREAS, U the Honorable SAMUEL LINN, Esquire, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of

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

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

YOAL ! COAL !! COAL !!!-The undersign ed informs the citizens of Clearfield and vi cinity, that he is prepared to furnish the best quality of Coal from Moore's bank, for smithing or stores, free from subbur, 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 MICHAEL CONNELLY.

COMETHING 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, 1880. D. J. DENMARK.

EGAL NOTICE .- In the matter of the Es. tate of Abram Hess, deceased, late of Boggs township, 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, nt 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 D containing 124 acres-85 cleared and under good fence. A log house 22 by 26, plank house 16 by 18. log barn, smithy and all necessary out-buildings 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 a. cres-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, name-ly. Bibles and Testaments, are deposited in the office of James Wrigley. Register and Recorder at Clearfield. The books are of various sizes and a-dapted 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 in-vited 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 Committee. ALEX. MeLEOD, President.

BELLEFONTE MARBLE WORKS !torming the public and the patrons of the late firm of S. A. Gibson & Co., rying on the MARBLE BUSINESS in Bellefonte, in all its various branches, and will hold himself always in readiness to furnish those who call upon him. with all kinds of Cemetery Work, of the latest classical designs, and superior workmanship, such as Monaments, Box Tumbs, Cradle Tombs, Spires, Ohelisks, Grerian Tombs, Ta-ble Tombs, Hend Stones, Carved, Sculptured or 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. GAHAGAN. Bellefonte, Pa., March 23, 1859-tf.

Amidst the greatest excitement and confusion, the yeas and nays were demanded, and upon being taken, the resolution passed by a vote of 127 yeas to 4 nays.

The Committee on Resolutions was appoint. ed by the Chair :- Messrs. Lowry, Hale, Purviance, Booth, Palmer, Ketchum, Penniman and Geo. V. Lawrence, after which the Convention proceeded to nominate candidates for Governor.

Mr. Davis nominated Thos. M. Howe. Mr. Coffey nominated John Covode. Mr. Scofield nominated A. G. Curtin. Mr. Fuller nominated S. Calvin. Mr. Darlington nominated T. Haines. Mr. Booth nominated D. Taggart. Mr. Fi-ber nominated Levi Kline. Mr. Fraily nominated H. K. Strong. Mr. Haines nominated Lem. Todd. Mr. Ketchum nominated G. W. Scranton. The list of delegates was then called and the first ballot resulted as follows :

Curtin 56 Covode 22 Howe 13 Calvin 5 Haines 5 Taggart 16 Kline 12 Scranton 4 Neither candidate having a majority of all the votes cast, a second ballot was ordered, and resulted as follows:

Covode. 27 Curtin 74 Howe 10 Calvin 1 Haines 4 Taggart 11 Kline 7

The nomination was then made unanimous, amidst the greatest enthusiasm.

Hon. David Taggart, Hon. A. G. Curtin, Thos. Marshall, Hon. John Covode, Hon. T. M. Howe, Hon. Samuel Calvin, respectively made speeches, amidst the greatest applause, and having the effect of restoring good feeling and harmony, and give assurance of a certain victory next fall.

The Committee on Resolutions made the following report :

Resolved, That the following gentlemen be the Delegates at large, viz : David Wilmot, Henry D. Moore, Samuel A. Purviance, And. Reeder, Thaddeus Stevens, Titian J. Coffee, John H. Ewing, Morrow B. Lowry.

Resolved, That Governor James Pollock and

ulation, its surprising developement of mate- from him. Dawson will thunder hard after rial resources, its rapid augmentation of wealth, its happiness at home and its honor abroad, and that consequently, we hold in abborrence all machinations for dissention, come from whatever source they may.

Resolved, That the threat of disunion in case the Republicans and their affiliants shall elect the next President, repeatedly made in both Houses of Congress, by Democratic members, not simply without rebuke, but with uniform applause from their political associates, is a denial of that vital principle of popular government, free election, and a bold avowal and the different Congressional Districts report to countenance of contemplated treason, which it is the imperative duty of the people to sternly confront and forever silence.

Resolved, That while we are now opposed, as we ever have been, to the extension of slavery, we hail the people of the South as brethren, in whose prosperity we rejoice, and whose constitutional rights and privileges we are to cast the vote of the State as a unit and to prepared to sustain and defend. That in the After that period adjournments will meet with the action of the Maryland Legislature revote for Gen. Cameron while his name remains spirit of good neighborhood, whenever the before that body : Provided, That in the dis- passions of different sections of our common country come in conflict, we stand on the ground of mutual forbearance, believing that a fraternity of feeling is a chief element of our national strength.

Resolved, That in the eractment of revenue laws by the general government, fair and adequate protection should be systematically aforded to the industry of all classes of our citizens. That we maintain a devoted attachment to the policy of National exchanges, which secures to the workingmen liberal wages, to farmers and planters remunerating prices for their products, to mechanics and manufacturers for their skill, labor and enterprise, and to the nation commercial prosperity and ndependence.

Resolved, That we approve the policy of a donation by the General Government of a homestead to every actual settler upon the public domain, and we hereby request our and severing three fingers from one of his Representatives to urge the passage of such a law witbout delay.

Resolved, That the purity and safety of the ballot-box must be preserved, and that frauds upon the naturalization laws, continually resorted to by our opponents, ought to be counteracted by proper and wholesome legislation. Resolved, That the influx upon us of foreign criminals is an evil of serious magnitude, which demands the interposition of a proper and efficient remedy.

Resolved, That this Convention most cheerfully recommend to the people of Pennsylvania, Colonel ANDREW G. CURTIN, the nominee of this Convention as a candidate for Governor, and mutually pledge themselves to his support ; that on account of his long and proved devotion to the protection of American industry, involving the dearest and most material welfare of the people of this Common-wealth, and his earnest fidelity to the inferests of the white man, and opposition to the extension of slavery over our territories, and as a representative of the principle of reform, retrenchment, and integrity in the administration of government affairs, he was well qualified to receive the suffrages of the people of this central conservative Commonwealth, which is unalterably and inalienably planted to the maintenance of the Union and the perpetua-tion of the Constitution of the United States

in its entire integrity, and according to its examino interpretation, and the real sense of its terms and language.

The resolutions were adopted by acclamation.

The following electoral ticket was agreed upon, having been selected by the Delegates

from the several Congressional districts : First District, Edward C. Knight. Second District, Robert P. King. Third District, Henry Bumm. Fourth District. Robert M. Foust. Fifth District, Nathan Hills. Sixth District, John M. Broomail. Seventh District, James W. Fuller. Eighth District, Levi B. Smith.

both. What will be the ultimate result I can ative to the removal of the Red River raft by scarcely tell. Democratic politics are a very imposing tonnage duties. The resolution was tangled web and very hard to unravel. None but a Democratic politician can do it.

Witte's chances upon the whole seem the Delegates to the Charleston Convention unin. Dem, S. C., submitted a minority report. The structed but with the understanding that they will cast their votes for Breckenridge for President and Bigler for Vice President. They want to perpetuate the dynasty of the B's. er attempts to influence legislation in the against him next winter, and loth to relinquish | ecutive Departments. Objection being made, office, he would rather be Vice President than Mr. H. withdrew his resolution for the present. nothing.

character transacted by the Legislature this day. The House then went into Committee week. The business has been altogether of a of the Whole on the State of the Union. Mr. local or private character. After the first of Lamer, Dem. Miss., addressed the House rela-March the business of general public import- tive to the politics of the day. He was followance will be reached and rapidly transacted. little or no favor. They will be out of order. specting his vote for Speaker Pennington. Truly yours, ANON.

MIFFLIN COUNTY .- A little daughter of A. W. and Margaret Thomas, about four years old, residing at Gibbony's factory, near Belleville, Union township. was burnt to death on the morning of the 20th inst., under the following circumstances. The child's mother had left home for a few moments on an errand to the factory, and on her return to the house | Peru in carrying out treaty stipulations, was found her child with its clothes entirely con- adopted. Mr. Brown, Dem. Miss., introduced sumed, and its body from its head to its feet a bill to punish offenses against slave property burnt to a crisp. The poor child, after endu- in Kansas. Mr. Chandler, Rep., Mich., made ring the most intense agony from nine in the | an ineffectual effort to have the St. Clair Flats morning until two in the afternoon, was released from its sufferings by death.

BUTLER COUNTY .- Reuben Haslett, of Winfield township, whilst chopping on the 14th, stumbled and fell, his uplifted ax coming down hands. . . . The house of Robt. Brown on Penn township, was burned on the 17th, with its contents. The family were arrested with great difficulty. . . . A child of Dr. Shanor, of Centre township, was burned to death on the 15th, by its clothes taking fire at the grate. ... M. Cypher, jr., of Jefferson township, was killed on the 18th by the falling of a tree, which fractured his skull.

SOMERSET COUNTY .- Heary Pritts, indicted for the murder of Eli Weimer, was tried week before last, and found guilty of murder in the first degree, being the second case of the kind that ever occurred in the county. Pritts is sixty-four years old, and has resided in the county all his life. The two went out hunting for deer together; deep in the woods Pritts got the gun and shot his neighbor, and returned to his house. The body was subsequently found and Pritts arrested.

INDIANA COUNTY .- A Mr. Hileman, living near Mechanicsbirg, cut his foot nearly off, whilst engaged in felling timber, some ten days since. . . . On the 14th inst., a son of Mr. regret that the President and Committee of John Anthony, of Shelocta, on his way home Arrangements for the statue finauguration from school, broke through the ice on his father's mill dam and was drowned. . . . On the 15th, some vicious scoundrel entered A. T. Moorhead's stable, in Indiana, and cut his harness in such a manner as to render them | putation upon the Committee which might or useless.

WRECK OF THE HUNGARIAN .- On Sunday evening the 19th inst., the steamship Hungarian went ashore on Cape Ledge, west side of Cape Sable. The vessel is a total wreck, and it is thought that all on board perished, num- Carter's resolutions were unfounded in fact. bering about one hundred, cabin and steerage The House then went into Committee on the passengers, besides the crew. Nothing definite has, as yet, however, been ascertained as to the number of persons who were lost.

States of Louisiana, Texas, and Arkansas relfinally recommitted to the Committee on Roads

and Canals. Mr. Washburne, Rep. 111., submitted a majority report in favor restoring the best. There will be an attempt to send the old seats and desks in the House. Mr. Miles, question being taken on the reports, that of the majority was adopted. Mr. Hoard, Rep. N. Y., moved an inquiry whether any improp-Bigler thinks that the Legislature will be House have been made by persons in the Ex-On motion of Mr. Washburn, Rep. Me., the There has been no business of a general election of printer was postponed till Thursed by H. W. Davis, S. A., Md., in response to Adjourned to Thursday.

FEB. 23 .- Mr. Summer, Rep. Mass., moved an inquiry from the President in regard to the occupation of one of the islands in the West Indies by American citizens. Adopted. Mr. Pugh, Dem. Ohio, reported a bill preventing assigness locating lands under bounty land warrants, which was passed. Mr. Hale's, Rep. N. H., resolution in relation to the conduct of improving bid taken up. The bill relative to arms and Superintendents of Armories, was taken up, debated, and postponed. The Dis-

trict of Columbia Bank Note bill was then taken up, debated, and amended somewhat. In the House, a Message was received from the President, including memorial from Kansas and Nebraska on the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains, asking for legislation in their behalf. On motion of John Cochrane, Dem. N. Y., accommodations in the galleries were provided for the New York Seventh Regiment, and other regiments visiting Washington. After some opposition, the House proceeded to vote for a Printer. Two votes were had, but without an election.

FEB. 24 .- Mr. Wigfall, Dem. Tex., introduced a joint resolution requesting the President to call out the Regiment of Texas Volunteers, authorized by the act of 1858, to protect the frontiers of Texas from the ravages of Cortina. Laid over. Mr. Fitzpatrick, Dem., Ala., reported a biH making provision for carrying the mail between the UnitedStates and certain parts of Mexico. Mr. Johnston, Dem. Tenn., reported the Homestead bill. Adjourned till Monday. In the House, on motion of Mr. Peyton, Dem. Ky., an inquiry was directed into the expediency of issuing duplicate landwarrants when the originals had been lost. Mr. Carter, Rep. N. Y., moved resolution of ceremonies failed to extend to the New York Seventh Regiment the hospitality and respect which were so eminently its due. Objection were made on the ground that they cast an immight not be true. The House then proceeded to vote for a Printer. Three votes were had, but no election. On motion of Mr. Vallandigham, Dem. Ohio, an inquiry was ordered into the causes for the delay in issuing land patents, and the adoption of such remedy as may be necessary. Mr. Keitt stated that Mr. State of the Union, and the West Point and Pension Appropriation bills were laid aside to

BFA man in Vermont has four sons who

be reported lo the House.

the twenty-fifth Judicial District, composed of the counties of Clearfield, Centre and Clinton-and the Honorable William L. Moore and Benjamin Bonsall, Associate Judges of Clearfield county, have issued their precept, to me directed, for the hold-ing of a Court of Common Pleas, Orphan's Court, Court of Quarter Sessions. Court of Over & Termi ner. and Court of General Jail Delivery, at Clearfield, in and for Clearfield co., on the Thurd Mon-

day, the 19th day of MARCH next. NOTICE IS, therefore, hereby given, to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, and Constables, in and for said county of Clearfield, to appear in their own proper persons with their Bolls, Records, Inquisitions, Examinations, and other Remembrances, to do those things which to their offices, and in their behalf, pertain to be done, and Jurors and Witnes ses are requested to be then and there attending, and not to depart without leave, at their peril. GIVEN under my hand at Clearfield, this 29th day

of Feb. in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty and the eighty-second year of American Independence. FREDERICK G. MILLER, Sheriff.

TAKE NOTICE-As no Jurors have been summoned, no trials by Jury will take place at the approaching March term. F. G. M.

SHERIFF'S SALES .- By virtue of sundry S writs of Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Clearfield county, and to medirected, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House in the Borough of Clearfield, on MONDAY THE 19TH DAY OF MARCH, 1850. the following described Real Estate, to wit :

A certain lot of land, situate in Luthersburg, Clearfield county, Penn'a, one known as No. 22 the other immediately in the rear and known as dwelling and store house, with stable and other buildings thereon erected. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of P. Welton Barrett.

'ALSO-a certain tract of land situate in Woodward township, Clearfield county, Pa., bounded by Samuel Emlen tract on the west, and on the south by John Alexander and Whitesides, and on the n. by John Wolf and Moore & Wilson, containing about one hundred acres. Seized, taken in execu-tion, and to be sold as the property of John Me-Farland.

ALSO-a certain tract of land, situate in Chest township, Clearfield county, Pa., containing one hundred and seventy acres, about fifty acres cleared, with log house, log barn thereon ; bounded by Thomas Woods, John Taggart and Wm. Tozer. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Thomas Tozer and Lewis Hagan. ALSO-a certain tract of land, situate in Graham

township, Clearfield county, Pa., bounded by lands of Joseph Thompson, Bratton, Rickets, Moses Denning, and others, containing one hundred and fifty acres, one hundred cleared with log house and oarn thereon erected. Scized, taken in execution. and to be sold as the property of E. M. Jones.

ALSO-a certain tract of land, situate in Decatur township, Clearfild county, Pa., containing one hundred acres, bounded by John Shaw, Elijah Reese, and others, with log house and barn and fifty acres cleared, with small orchard. Seized. taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Abraham Green.

ALSO-a certain tract of land, containing sixtytwo acres, bounded by Watts, Greenwood M'Cracken. Owens, and others, with fifty acres cleared, and log house and barn thereon. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of John McCracken.

ALSO-By virtue of sundry writs of Levari Fa-cias, the following described Real Estate, to wit : All that certain tract of land situate in Burnside township, Clearfield county, Pa., bounded and lescribed as follows : Beginning at a dogwood thence south 881 d. east 160 perches more or less to a post, thence by John King's land north 11 d. east 182 perches more or less to a post, thence by lands of John Penticoff north 883 d. west 1591 perches more or less to a chestnut, thence by lands under contract to John Patchin south 11 d. west 162 perthes more or less to place of beginning, coataining 152 acres and 100 perches more or less and the usual allowance, being part of two larger tracts surveyed on two several warrants, one to Peter Gratz, the other to Paul Zantzinger, being the same premises conveyed to a fendant by deed da-ted 21st Sept., 1854. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of John Yingling. ALSO-all that certain steam saw mill or building, situate in Jordan township, about two miles north of the village of Glen Hope, said mill being

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> VEW FIRM AND NEW GOODS .- The undersigned, 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 as-sortment of SPRING & SUMMER GOODS, which he will dispose of at the lowest prices.

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

Curwensville, Pa., May 18, 1859.

ATEST NEWS FROM HARPER'S FERRY.-Brown, the leader of the Insur-rection, found guilty of Murder and Treason in the First degree.-The above named insurrection enused 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 Mazzinni or Garibaldi, the Press of this country, with but one exception, would call meetings and pass reso-lutions 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

Great excitement prevailed among the A-mericans at Havanna. A Spanish-born Amer-can having been claimed by the authorities for military service. The American Consul de-manded his release, but it was refused. Show are fused. Show and the property of R. Q. Gibbon. Multical in vermiont has four sons who solution of the village of Glen Hope, said mill being about 30 feet by 49 feet, and the lot or piece of ground and cartilage appurtenant to the said buil-to say that there is not another family in Ver-mont that presents such a deplorable example of wholesale depravity." ne Hon. Thomas M. Howe, be the E ectors at i Ninth District, Francis W. Chaist. Tenth District, David Mumma, Jr. large. Resolved, That the present National Admin-Eleventh District, David Taggart, ANTICASTRA CAL