Much interest was excited by the discourses and statements which he made in regard to the great destitution of the Scriptures in the western part of the State, and subscriptions were obtained to aid patches to Saltillo, addressed to General the County Society to supply the destitute within its bounds. While all, or nearly all, of the neighboring counties have been thoroughly supplied, comparatively little has been done in our own county towards supplying the many destitutions that doubtless exist. The subject, however, has now received a new impulse, and we hope, before the close of the summer, that no family in Clear- 5 h Infantry, to Gen. Taylor, then on his field county is destitute of a copy of the Bible.

Meeting of the Clearfield county Bible Society.

Pursuant to notice given last evening (Sabbath) a meeting of the Clearfield county Bible Society all night, and proceeded on their route to was held in the Methodist church this day at 11 o'clock, A. M. The meeting was called to order wards dusk Ritchie reached the Villa by the Bresident, A. B. REED, Esq., and opened Grande, distant twenty-three miles from with prayer by the Rev. J. J. AIKEN.

The Reverend gentleman then occupied the at tention of the meeting with some interesting statements in regard to the thorough supply of the county, and urged upon the Society the expediency of employing a Bible distributor to go through the county, and see that every family has a copy of the Scriptures; showing that to be the best and most economical way of accomplishing the work. He also presented us with an order, from the Pitts- beyond the town, to a small creek in the 24th day of February, A. D. 1847. burg Bible Society, on the Parent Society in New York, for one hundred and fifty Bibles, being a do ter mutilating him in a horrible manner, nation obtained by him for our county. He also made off with the despatches. These are stated that he would have us credited on the books | said to be of great consequence, containof the Pennsylvania Bible Society, for the amount ing a sketch of the plan of the forthcom of Fifty Dollars, towards liquidating our debt, provided we entered into the plan of a thorough supply of our county by employing a Bible distributor. Whereupon it was

Resolved, That we employ a Bible distributor, at as early a period as possible, to go through the whole county, and see that every family, willing to receive it, be supplied with a copy of the Sacred Scriptures, either by sale or gift; and that the Rev Mr. Aiken be requested to furnish us a suitable person for this purpose.

. The Corresponding Secretary was directed to communicate to the Pittsburg Bible Society the thanks of this Society for their generous donation of one hundred and fifty Bibles.

The meeting then elected five persons as a board of Managers, viz: Messre I. Goodfellow, H Lorain, Win. C. Welch. Wm. P Hills and Jeseph Ir-

No minutes or proceedings of former meetings of the Society being in possession of the Secretary, given by Nantucket. The Governor and and it not being known in whose hands they are at Council of Massachusetts contributed present, a committee consisting of Messrs. Wm. L. Moore, A. M. Hills, and John Moore, was appointed to endeavor to find them, and also to find the Constitution, or, if it cannot be tound, report a new about \$12,000.

one for the action of the Society at its next meeting. introduction of the Bible, without note or com- curred on Wednesday last, at about 11. ment, into our Academy and Common Schools, as our youth better acquainted with the Scriptures, Bergen, New York, the particulars of but also conduce to metall into their minds the prin- which will be found annexed. The engiciples of piety, virtue and pure morality-the only neer, it appears, discovered that the axle etability of a free government. Therefore,

throughout the county, be requested to adopt the | senger car, nearly filled with passengers, Bible into their Schools as a regular reading book Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting

he published in the "Banner." Adjourned to meet in the Methodist church on

A. B REED, Prot

8. N. Howell, Rec. Sec'y.

Wednesday evening the 10th inst.

informs us that the civil authorities at Ve. every thing in their way. No life was him a trial as such ; but the military auth. miraculous. Several were slightly hurt, orities had taken a different view of his and none wholly escaped from bruises .case, and opposed any such proceedings. The passengers, after the utmost confu taliate, and that they would only be putting their own necks in jeopardy. The facts of the case are simply these : - Both Rogers and Dr. Wright, who made the rewho accompanied them was also in the usual dress of a sailor, armed with a sword,
and in addition had a pistol. Spies do not
often wear uniforms nor carry arms, and
starvation, all within ten days, and these
often wear uniforms nor carry arms, and
often wear uniforms nor carry arms, and often wear uniforms of the w dity to consider a party of three men, ac. house from actual exhaustion, relief hav coutred as they were, in that light, more ing reached them too late. particularly when one of them showed every disposition to fight on the occasion .-Some of the officers in the squadron have the name of Richley, committed suicide at had opportunity of corresponding with Ashbury, Warrenton county, N. J., on Rogers since his imprisonment. He writes Saturday week. It appears that she was in fine spirits, and says that, although he engaged to be married to a gentleman, but feated by the Senate. is restricted to the flag-room of the bar- afterwards kept company with another .-racks, with the use of a small court, he is For this her intended husband refused to still treated with great kindness and con have any thing farther to do with her, sideration. Gen. Landero, the comman- which so worried her that she hurried herdante of Vera Cruz, called on him every self into eternity by jumping into a mill- ly have verbally. day while he was in town, and, as we have pond. The sad fate of this young lady already stated, La Vega visited him on his return to Mexico, and promised to procure for him his liberty. We look for his speedy release. The Mexicans can have no motive for detaining him unless it be to prevent his giving the squadron any incomplete the said fate of this young lady should be a warning for others not to triffer mounts and many other unpleasant symplements the squadron and many other unpleasant symplements. The Mouth, and many other unpleasant symplements the stomach of height properly dissolved, remains in the stomach until it becomes in a manner putrified, a deleterious fluid, called Septic Acid, is generated in the stomach, which, mixing with the fluid of the prevent his giving the squadron any in- Congress, that in Mexico there is a most mouth, is certain not only to give a bad breath, but i tormation he may have of the defences of odious form of slavery, including all col-vers Cruz; but even this is idle, as our ors of the poor. It is called Peonage, of tartar, and decayed teeth. Wright's Indian Veg. thing he may know.

Small profits are not to be despised.

MURDER OF LIEUT. RITCHIE.

The following detailed account of the melancholy fate of a young officer, belonging, we believe, to General Scott's staff,

"On General Scott's arrival at the mouth of the Rio Grande, and assuming the chief command, he forthwith sent des-Taylor, or the commanding officer there, When the bearer reached that city, Gen. Butler, the officer in command opened the despatches, the result of which was the immediate departure of General Worth and his division for the Rio Grande.

"The despatches were then resealed and sent off in charge of Lieut. Ritchie, retrogade movement to Monterey from Victoria. Ten men, belonging to Kearney's company, of the 5th; accompanied Lieut. Ritchie as an escort. They arrived at Monterey in safety, stopped there meet General Taylor the next day. To-Monterey. Meeting, just after his arrival, with an Englishman established in bu sincss there, he availed himself of his ser vices to procure refreshments for himself and command. As the two were crossing the plaza of Villa Grande, in furtherance of that object, a Mexican on horseback came whisking by them, when suddenly vicinity. Here he murdered him, and af ing campaign, with other important partic ulars. It seems as if the movements of Ritchio and his party were narrowly watched by the enemy, for during the night they passed at Monterey, the arms A Literary Negro -At a recent Presbyof five of his men were stolen from them, master for a fresh supp'y. Lieut. Ritchie, we understand, is a nephew of the vener able editor of the Washington Union."

Correspondence of the Spirit of the Times

Aston House, New York,
Wednesday, 4 o'clock, March 3, 47
The Roman Catholics, in their churches, on Sunday, raised from \$12,0 0 to \$15, 000 for the Irish fund, The whole amount of private remittances sent from Buston during the month of Erbruary is certainly \$216,000 -a sum distinct from that sent by Bishop Fitzpatrick, which was over \$22,000. Two thousand dollars was three hundred and eight dollars.

The Quebec relief fund for I: eland and Scotland amounted on the 19th instant to

Whereas, It is believed by this Society, that the accident old most alarming character, no A. M., to the downward train of cars on a general reading book, will not only tend to make, the Tonawanda railroad, about a mile from of the tender was broken, and immediate-Resolved, That the Trustees of the Academy, If endeavoted to arrest the engine. The and the Directors and Trustees of Common Schools train consisted of a baggage car, one pasand louteen heavy freight cars, loaded ion Bill, &c. &c. with wheat in bulk The immense weight and impetus of the freight care, the train being at its greatest speed, rendered unavailing all efforts to stop the train; and on first ballot—he having one hun-lat the following places: the passenger car, together with eight of dred and six votes. the freight cars, was thrown off the track, March 1st, 1847

| and precipitated some litteen feet down the embankment. The passenger train field.

| Midshipman Rogers.—The N. O. Pic. | Items | Property | Prope avune says :- 'A letter we have received freight cars burst through the bottom, M. Clay, together with two Majors, from Anton Lizardo, dated the 13th ult., breaking the passenger seats, and crushing three Captains, one Lieutenant, ra Cruz had a strong disposition to try lost, nor was any one dangerously injuryoung Rogers as a spy, and had adjudged ed-a result which seems little short of They probably thought that we might re- sion and alarm, aucceeded in extricating under Gen. Minon. The rumor was themselves.

A TOUGHING PICTURE. - The Cork Reporter pathetically describes the condition connoisance, were in their proper uniform, of Bantry, where mothers are to be seen armed with swords as well as pistols in clasping their dead children, whilst they their belts, at the time they were intercep. themselves are eating grass. This respected by the Maxican horsemen. The man table paper then goes on to state that, out who accompanied them was also in the us- of forty-two persons whom the Reverend of course it would be the height of absur- did not include the deaths in the work-

Peon, or debtor, seldam escapes from the blood, but they also restore the digestive organs to

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Comm'rs.

WE, the undersigned, Commissioners of Clearfield county, in accordance with the provisions of the 11th Section of the act he threw a lasso over Ritchie, put spurs to entitled " An act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Government, payment of the interest of the State debt." &c., aphis animal, and succeeded in dragging him proved the 27th day of July, 1842, publish the foregoing statement. Given under our hands, at our office in Clearfield, this

Attest - 11. P. Thompson Clerk

given, the debts generally increasing by the wants of the servant, such as food, teath clothing, medicines, &c., which the mas ter supplies and charges to the servant.

terian Synod, held at Wetumpke, Ala, necessitating a demand upon the quarter- la negro named Ellis, was admitted to the ministry. He is to be sent as a missiona y to Liberia. The Eufaula Shield says his wife and children have been purchased by the Presbyterian church at a cost of 82 500. He has acquired his education by his own exertions, and upon examina tion proved himself a good Latin, Greck and Hebrew scholar, but better versed it Isaac Lewis-aged about 28 years. Greek. His examination in theology was highly satisfactory.

> The Andre Papers - Mrs. Sarah Un. derwood, of New York, is now in Washington city, having in her possession, and! intending to make a public exhibition of them, the original papers found upon the person of Major Andre, when arrested a spy during the Revolutionary War.



Confirmation of the capture of a giment, Second Brigade, Tenth 1)1. as above ment of Santa Anna towards Mon-

that Gov. Shunk was re-nominated at the following places:

The companies will hold their elections of Country Merchants and Dealors visiting the attention of Country Merchants and Dealors visiting the

confirmed.

They were surprised at a watersomewhat credited that Santa Anna had marched towards Monterey, and that Gen. Minon was in command of his advanced guard.

The bill appropriating Three Brig. Inspector's office, Watk ? Million of dollars, to be placed at the disposal of the President, for stricken out in the Senate, on the sale, at the court house, in the borough of stricken out in the Senate, on the sale, at the court nouse, in the oblowing of the 3d ay of May night of the 3d inst. We regret, however, that the bill granting the President the power of appointing Suicide from Love.—A young lady by President the power of appointing Curwensville, and known as No.—, and Wheeler, late of Jay township, Elk couna Lieuts General of the Army of bounded on the north by the Brie turn

> The above news is all authentic, except that relating to the nomination of Gov. Shunk, which we on

officers are already in receipt of every which is in effect to doom to perpetual ctable Pills not only cleanse the stomach and bowels servitude the debtor to the creditor. The from all bilious and putrid humore, and purify the creditor, or master, to whom his Jabor is healthy tone; and are therefore cortain to remove

bad breath, and provent a premature decay of the Meeting of County Commits.

THE ONLY ORIGINAL AND GENUINE INDIAN VEGE TABLE PILLS HAVE THE FIGNATURE OF WM. WRIGHT should be SHUNNED AS POISON. Offices devoted exclusively to the sale of Wright's

Indian Vegetable Pills, wholesale and retail, 169 Race Street, Philadelphia; 288 Greenwich Street! New York; and 198 Tremont Street, Boston. Agent for Clearfield, R. Shaw. For

other agencies in Clearfield & other coun ties, see advertisement in another column For Rendering Boots, Shoes, &c., DIED--In Goshen township, on Mon

day morning last, Mrs. PHEBE, consort of processes exercessed

DR. JAMES LOCKE, SURGEON DENTIST. ILL visit Clearfield and Curwensville regularly hereafter &

several times a year. All operations upon the TEETH Warranted to answer the full expectations of the patient in every case,

otherwise there will be no charge. Teeth made on trial, it desired. EP His next visit will be at the Seprember court. mar. 6-6m.

detachment of American soldiers vision, P. M., will take notice that an Ebeyond Saltillo-rumored move. lection, by companies, will be he'd un Saturday the 27th day of March, next, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. terey—passage of the Three Mill- and 6 o'clock, P M, for the purpose of Wholesale Druggists; electing one LIEUTENANT COLO No. 40 Market Street, (South side NEL, for said Regiment, in the room of By this morning's mail we learn Lieut. Col. Howe, resigned.

Curwensville. Dates from Tampico to the 13th 2d company at the public house of Thom

4th company at the house of Abraham

Pearce. three sergeants and 60 privates, is 5th company at the house of Capt. Barrett, Luthersburg.

6th company at the house of Jas. McGirk. Pailipsburg. ing place by a force 2,000 strong 7th company at New Washington school (made of cast iron.) which has been re-

JOHN BURKET, Beig. Losp. 2d B, 10th Div. P. M.

erville, Centre co. Feb. 27, } SHERIFF'S SALES.

me directed, will be exposed to public

ALSO, Y virtue of a similar writ to me di-rected, will be sold at the same time and place, the following property: -A certain lot of ground situate in the town of Curwensville, known as No. -, with a Tavern House and Stable thereon, with the appurtenances. Seized and taken in execution, and to be sold as the property

of John Draucker, by JOHN STITES, Sh'ff. Sherift's office, Clear ? field, March 6, '47. \$

SPANISH SOLE LEATH- Bloce, in exchange for goods, R SHAW.

ERSONS having business to transact with the board of Commissioners of WRITTEN WITH A PEN ON THE TOP LABEL OF EACH Clearfield county, will take notice that To counterfeit this is forgeny, and all others said board will be in session on Monday the 3d day of May next.

SAMUEL JOHNSON.

ABRAHAM KYLAR,

JAMES A: REED.

ATTESTED, H. P. THOMPSON, CPk. March 6, 1847.

COMPOSITION

Water-proof. The subscriber hereby makes known to the public that he has for sale a Composition, without the use of India Rubber or Gum, which will render Boots and Shoes and Leather of every description Water Proof-permanently Water Proof, against

wet or damp, by propor application, besides sofening and improving it. This composition is patented both in this country and in Europe, and is one of the great and tru-

ly beneficial discoveries of the age. Price per dozen boxes, \$2, single box 25 cents As a guarantee of the character and genuineness of the composition the subscriber will refund the mb nev should it not give entire satisfaction. He is also prepared to render cloths of every de-

scription, Awning, Sailcloth and Cotton Duck completely water proof and secure against mildews and Apply at the United States Water Proofing com-

pany. No 11 Walnut street, Philadelphia, to STEPHEN B. RICHARDSON. Philadelphia, Feb. 17, 1847.

TOur Agent in each of the t

DRUGS! DRUGS!! DRUGS!!!

THOMPSON & CRAWFORD. below Second,) PHILADA.

Couch, Cabinet, Japan, Black, and other Varnishes of a superior quality. Also, White and Red Lead, Window Glass, Paints and Oils—cheaper than ever window. as Hemphell, in the borough of Clear ctable Balsain, celebrated throughout their own and the bassam, cerebrated throughout their even and their borning States, as the best preparation for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, &c. Money refunded in every instance where no benefit is received.

Philadelphia, Jan. 30, 1847. 3 m.

> TO MILL OWNERS. ILE attention of mill owners and others is respectfully invited to Bryce's Patent Water-wheel,

cently introduced into this county. The The commanding officers of the above subscriber feels confident that they are named companies will superintend said superior to any other wheel now in use in this country, and he desires all persons interested to see them in operation and judge for themselves. He would refeeth the following gentlemen who have them in their mills, viz :- James Shafter, John Miller, Jacob Cofeman, and James Mix, ion the Sinnemahoning : E. & W. F. Ir-

Clearfield, Jan. 16, 1847.

Wheeler, late of Jay township, Elk counoperations against Mexico, was de- pike. Seized and taken in execution, ty, dec'd-therefore, all persons knowing and to be sold as the property of John themselves indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment to the subscribers, and those having demands will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN M'CRACKEN ISAAC D. PASCO.

Administrators, Caledonia, Jan. 16, 1847.

WANTED. 10,000 bushels of Oats, Wheat, 5,000 i do 3,000 Rye, do 2,000 do ---Corn, Or any less quantity, wanted at the cheap

KRATZER & BARRETISM Nov. 27, 1846 eday's joined to a