Parting Interview with Emmet.

The reader probably knows that Mr. Emmet was a celebrated lawyer and statesman in Ire- records the following : land, and that he was unfortunately betrayed by his enemies, in an attempt to emancipate I dent which took place on one of the praries his countrymen from tyranny and oppression -He was therefore convicted of the crime treason, and sentenced to be executed. His speech before his judges and accusers is considered most pointed and eloquent.

whom he so fondly loved, and who had now appalling spectacle presented to their view. come to bid him farewell, eternal tarewell. He king of his chains smote dismally on her heart. The interview was bitterly affecting and mel-Emmet himself, he wept and spoke little; but they were removing." as he pressed his beloved in silence to his bosom, his countenance betrayed his emotions. In a low voice, half choaked with anguish, he besought her not to forget him; he reminded her of their former happiness, of the long-past days of their childhood, and concluded by requesting her sometimes to visit the scenes where their infancy was spent, and though the world might repeat his name with scorn, to cling to his memory with affection. At this very instant, the evening bell pealed from the neighboring church. Emmet started at the sound; and as he felt that this was the last time he should ever hear its dismal echoes, he folded his beloved still closer to his heart, and bent over her sinking form with eyes streaming with affection. The turnkey entered at the moment; ashamed of his weakness, he dashed the rising drop from his eye, and a frown again lowered on his countenance. The man meanwhile approached to tear the lady from his embraces. Overpowered by his feel ings, he could make no resistance; but as he gloomily released her from his hold, gave her a little miniature of himself, and with this parting token of attachment, imprinted the last kisses of a dying man upon her lips. On gaining the door, she turned round as if to goze once more on the object of her widowed love. He caught her eye as she refired; it was but for a moment; the dungeon door swung back again upon its hinges, and as it closed after her inforlast time upon this earth.

Long Reign of a King .-- George III reigned longer than any other monarch who has ever been on the throne of Britain. He was crowned in 1760, & reigned 60 acars. He died 1820. He suffered occasionally from mental derangement. For the last nine years of his life he was unfit to perform any public duties. About the last time he appeared in public was on the completion of the fiftieth year of his reign .-He was then blind, but as he rode through the assembled thousands he was made to feel that he was loved and honored by his subjects. After he lost his reason entirely, the soverighty was represented by his son, afterwards George IV. as Prince Regent. The reign of George III, is interesting to Americans, for while he was on the throne, the Revolutionary war took place, and the independence of the United States was acknowledged. This monarch was heard to say soon after the war was over, that he was the last to consent to the separation of the American colonies from the mother country, but the separation having become inevitable, he would be the first to meet the triendship of the United States as an independent power.

Core for Consumption .- The following is said to be a valuable and efficacious remedy in

Three quarts of pure water, One quart of wheat bran,

One pint of tar. Half pint of honey.

Let it simmer over a slow fire for three hours, in a new stone vessel; when cool, add half pint of brewer's yeast; let stand thirty-six hours. and it is fit fur use; it must be kept in a cool place. Take a wine glass full before each meal,

The Roman Catholics are preparing to build a very large Monastery and College within two miles of South Bend, la. It is to be brick three stories high, 200 feet by 40, and will cost about \$15,000. The Roman Catholic Church own a large quantity of real estate in St. Joseph county, which property is to be used towards defraying the expenses of building this large Monas- Liberty. tery. There are seven Monks and two Priests there now.

INTERESTING FAMILY .- A meeting of six brothers recently took place at Eaton, Madison county, New York, which is perhaps without a parallel in the country. Dr. Silas Clark, of Herkimer county, aged 75, and his brothers, Nathaniel, 79, James, 71, John, 69, Samuel, 67, and Joseph, 64, all vigorous and healthy, averaging 70 years of age, formed the circle.

Lusus NATURE .- A hen, belonging to Benj Gallaway, Esq., of Weakley county, Tennesee, was some time ago bitten by a rattle enake but by proper attention, the wound was cured. However, strange to tell, we are informed that every egg laid since that time by this hen has a picture of a rattle snake represented upon the shell. Mr. Gallaway, who is afraid to me these eggs in the family, has kept them, and will with pleasure exhibit them to the inspection of the incredulous .- Mills Pt. Herald

then-leak out.

. Melancholy Indeed.

The Pekin, Ill. Palladium of the 27th ult.

We are just informed of a melancholy acciin the western part of the State. A family of emigrants, eleven in number, while on their way to Iowa, were frozen to death in their wagen. The horses stopped at a house, when the inmates, not seeing any one alight from the The evening before his death, while the work- wagon, were induced by mere curiosity to men were busy with the scaffold, a young lady make a closer examination. Upon looking inwas ushered into the dungeon. It was the girl to the wagon they were horror-struck at the

"The father and nine children were lying was leaning in a melancholy mood, against the dead in the bottom of the wagon, the mother, window frame of his prison, and the heavy clan- probably the last survivor, was sitting up and holding the reins as if driving.

"We did not learn the name of this unfortuted even the callous soul of the goaler. As for nate family, or from what part of the country

> A Monsten .- A Paris paper states, that an immense wild boar was recently killed in the forest of Raulaing, in the Vosges. It weighed selling at 90 to 95 cents, six hundred and fifteen pounds. One of the hunters had a narrow escape. The animal rushed upon him and would infallibly have destroyed him; but knceling down, he took deliberate aim at its head, and was fortunate enough to put a bullet in its brain when its tusks were within a few feet of him. The creature had been hunted in vain for ten years, and had, it was calculated, received 1,290 shots, and killed upwards of 50 dogs. Two pounds of bullets were taken out of the breast's hide.

> Some years ago, there was a shoe-maker boy in the lower part of Cumberland county, New Jersey, who was remarkable for his love of reading. All his leisure hours were emploved with a book, while his companions were passing theirs in idleness-they will continue appropriation to be made. to reap the bitter fruits of misspent youth, until welcome grave closes over them. While John Henderson, their fellow apprentice, with the same chances, but a higher aim, is one of Mississippi's Representatives in the Senate of the United States. We say, follow his example, persevere in it, your triumph is certain.

GIRLS ! LOOK OUT .- Girls are much wanted in lowa. They are dying for wives, and are by no means choice as to figure, face or feature. med him too surely, that they had met for the They say, that "when a boat arrives at any of the landings in Iowa, having young ladies on board, the bachelors crowd and hover about, after the manner of New York or Charleston cabmen, and sing out, 'Have a husband, Miss !have a husband !"

> Gen. John C. Bennet, the seceder from the Mormon faith, is now in Plymouth, Mass., at Norfolk Beacon.

Could be find a poorer half, if he were to search the wide world over !- St. Louis De-

nough; but the counsel for the prisoner worm- ing the Susquehanna and Muncy Hill, being the embankments, which prevented the water working ed out of the witness, that the article stolen was not a ham but a shoulder, and the District Attorney was obliged to dismiss the case and begin de noro again. He remarked that in his next indictment, he intended to go the whole hog-which the prisoner observed he thought was a very great bore.

MESMERIC SYMPATHY .- The editor of the Columbus Enquirer says that in one of the experiments recently performed in that city, the mesmerizer, after having produced somnambulism, exhibited his trembling hands, stating, "I never was so nervous in my life; I'd give a shilling for a glass of brandy and water." To which the sleeper in sympathy responded, "I should like to have some of the same myself."

A Mystery Solved .- The N. Y. Aufora states that a lady, the other day, thinking she heard mysterious noises in the room-nay, about her very person-instituted a strict inquiry, and at length discovered the cause of her annoyance to be seven young mice, who were occupying a comfortable pest in her bustle .--

LIBERTY .- It was a saying of a Jewish Rabbi, that if the sea were ink, the trees pens, and the earth parchment, it would not be sufficient to write down all the praises due to God, for

Let not the grandeur of any man's station render him proud and wilful; but let him remember, when he is surrounded with a crowd of suppliants, death shall level him with the meanest of mankind.

A poor spirit is poorer than a poor purse, A scandal of avarice.

'Tisas disagreeable to a prodigal to keepan account of his expenses, as it is for a sinner to examine his conscience; the deeper they search the worse they find themselves.

Interest speaks all manner of languages, and all sorts of parts; virtues are lost in interest as rivers in the sea.

There is no man so contemptible but in distress requires pity. It is inhuman to be altogeter insensible of another's misery.

Nature bids me love myselt, and hate all that hurt me; reason bids me love my friend and When a pretty lady is looking out for you, hate those that envy me; religion bids me love residents. The British have not yet half conquered all, and hate none, and overcome evil with good. China.



THE AMERICAN.

Saturday, April 22, 1843.

We have on hand sixty teams of printing paper, similar in size and quality to the sheet per Royal 21 by 28 inches, which will be sold at cost and catriage, for cash.

On our first page, our readers will find the speeches of Gov. Vroom and Gen, Wall, on the trial of Mercer. They will be read with deep in-

The price of wheat has advanced slightly at Baltimore. On the 15th inst., good Penna was further damage need be apprehended. Had the

this week, on account of the freshets. Mr. McKinby a majority of twenty votes. The whigs almost ununimously gave in their support to Mr. McKinley. Mr. Crispin having resigned, Mr. Bigler was elected Speaker of the Senate, having received 23 received but 5 votes.

The legislature adjourned on Tuesday last The Governor sent in his veto of the last Canal Commissioners' bill, which was sustained by the House. The bill suspending the appropriations to scademics, we are informed passed both Houses, with an amendment, that the appropriation be reduced to one half the present year, after which no further

To Some of the wiscacres of the legislature, during the discussion of the resolution to expel McGowan, launched out most bitterly against the Press. If these fellows would study the distinction between the abuse and the liberty of the Press, they might avoid exposing their own ignorance upon a subject that has occupied the attention of the most enlightened statesmen of the age, and of all countries. An honest and bonorable man has but little to fear from the licentiousness of the Press, Without the Press, the world would soon sink into ignorance, anarchy and despotism.

Mr. Knabb of the Reading Gazette, has retired from the establishment. The Gazette will hereafter be conducted by Mes-rs. Bover and Getz. We wish them all the success they so well deserve.

Old Turbut.

The old empire township of this county, has at ast pern service, divided and conquered-sporn that four of five breaks have occurred in the canal of its glory, and cut up into three townships. Its between this place and Selinsgrove. The extent fate reminds us of Old Northumberland county, of the breaks he could not at present tell, but thinks which was also cut up to form three new counties. probably that the whole may be repaired in a few Although we have no interest in the matter, we weeks. The Guard Lock, opposite this place was felt some regret at seeing Old Turbut thus "clipped in imminent danger of being washed away, and A fellow by the name of Gibbs, was tried in of its fair proportions." The court decreed that was only saved by the indefstigable exertions of Mr. Washington last week, for stealing 'a ham of the division adjoining Milton and Chilisquaque Leisenring, who with a number of hands, worked oncon.' The stealing was proved clearly e- townships, be called Turbut; the division adjoinwestern division, be called Delaware, and the di- around. The lock was three feet under water, but vision adjoining the Columbia county line and is now safe. If the guard bank was raised, as it sustaining our manufactures. Goods are much the Muncy Hill, be called Lewis,

Money Matters.

Some of the demand notes of country have fallen off a little since our last. Relief notes are nearly the same. The following me the rates as quoted by Bicknell's Reporter of Tuesday last :

Relief Notes of Penn Township, Movamensing, Manufacturers and Mechanics, Lewistown, Berks county, Erie, Northampton, Towanda, Wilkesbarre and West Branch banks.

Pittsburgh banks, Columbia Bridge Co., Farmers bank of Lancaster, Bank of Pennsylvania.

Mechanics bank of Philadelphia, Northern Liberties, Delaware county, Chester county, Germantown, and Farmers bank of Bucks county, par

a 7 Government stock, which the British capitalists refused at par, is now selling in New York, address themselves to the canal Board as follows: at \$1 10, and some of it bought at that by the agents of British capitalists.

Tresons should keep a look out for one dollar otes of the Bank of Northumberland altered to fixes. They can be easily detected, it is said, by holding them to the light. Counterfeit frees on the Western Bank of Philadelpeta, are also in cir-

A new emission of counterfeit 2 dollar Reitef Notes on the Exchange Bank, Pittsburg, have lately made their appearance, and are pretty extensively circulated. We give below a description of the same from Bicknell's Reporter :

2's relief issues, letter A, [which is smaller than in the genuine and has no period after it. 1 May 15, 1841. J. B Murray, Clerk. The genuine have a flourish at the end of the word demand, which with few pounds a year would case a man of the the comma after it, is omitted in the counterfeit. Engraving poor. Paper thin and greasy,

2's relief issue, letter A, pay bearer May 15, 1841. The word 'bearer' in the counterfeit, commences the 8d line-in the true bills it ends the 2d line. This is sufficient to detect them,

In the case of McKenzie, the members of the Court Martial stood 5 for and 7 against him. It after recreation : buy low; sell fair, and take required two thirds to find him guilty.

The two suspected Irishmen, for the murder of Mr. Parthemar and wife, near Harrieburg, were arrested and examined, but for want of proof were discharged.

There have been some great riots at Canton, and much property destroyed, belonging to English Extraordinary Freshet.

The Susquehanna on Tuesday last was higher at this place, by nine or ten inches, than at the great freshet of 1833. The embankment at the lower end of town, fully answered all that was expected, in keeping out the water. At the upper end, however, the embankment unfortunately gave away, at an early stage of the freshet, by which considerable damage was done in carrying away the fences, of the out lots back of the town. The turnpike bridge was carried away. The Rail Road bridge endangered by the undermining of the eastern abutment. The western abutment of the county bridge. immediately below, was also destroyed. No further upon which this is printed. Also 36 reams of su- damage was, however, sustained. The break in the embankment, was immediately at the upper side of the lock of the Sunbury Canal, which was completed late in the sesson. The filling up was unfortunately of carth that had been frozen, which after thawing, by the action of the water, was not sufficiently compact to resist the force of water pressing against it. On Tuesday night the water commenced falling, and still continues to fall. No embankment been well secured at the lock, and the embankment made above the Northumberland We have heard but little from Harrisburg bridge, which could all very easily have been done, yard the night before. So it would appear the little or no damage would have been sustained. ley of the Keystone has been elected State Printer, Four or five hundred dollars, properly expended, would render all secure. And this amount could be saved to the county and Turnpike company alone, every two years, by the erection of the embackment above referred to. The water, we undervotes; Mr. McLanahan, his competitor, having stand, had reached to the planks of the Danville bridge, on Tuesday last.

> The Delaware and Schuvlkill rivers have been almost as high as the Su-quebanna. In the Potomac the flood has been unusually high : and throughout the whole country there seems to have been extraordinary freshets.

Melancholy Occurrence.

On Monday afternoon last, while the river was bank full. a child of Mr. John Shipe of this place. fell into the stream, nearly opposite the house of its father. Mr. Shipe saw the child falling in, from his window, but before he could reach it, the child had sunk to rise no more, although Mr. Shipe had nearly lost his life in the effort to r scue it from its watery grave. As the current was very rapid, it is probable that the body has been carried some considerable distance down the stream. The child was a boy, 4 years and 3 months old, and had on at the time a red and blue-barred flannel frock and petticoat, shoes and stockings.

Any person that can give any information in relation to the discovery of the body, will confer a lasting favor on a distressed family.

The Canal.

We learn from Mr. Gideon Leisenring, the Supervisor of the Susquehanna division of the canal, would be rendered secure.

CT CAST INON RAILS .- Mr. Trego, of the House of Representatives, made a very able report on the subject of renewing the rails upon our rail tonds with rails made of Pennsylvania Cast Iron. This is an important matter to Pennsylvania not only so far as their own roads are concerned; but if the cast Iron rails should prove successful, and Pennsylvania will become the work shop of the whole Union, in the production of this article. In Wales, we are informed, that cast iron rails are used at the very works which produce the miserable rolled rails that are sent to this country. What stronger proof is necessary of their adaptation to our own rail roads. In conclusion, the committee

"To that Board then, they respectfully and earnestly recommend a thorough and impartial investigation of the subject, and an attentive consideration of the arguments and facts stated in this report; believing that they will perceive the expediency of renewing, with rails of Pennsylvania with cast iron, at least so much of the State railways as may serve fair to test, by actual use, the comparative merits of cast and of rolled rails, when subject to equal circumstarces of trial.

How to make Moncy.

The advice contained in the following article should be read, and not only read, but put into practice by many who are idling away their time without benefit to themselves or friends. Employment generally affords contentment, and contentment, in nine cases out of ten, constitutes the sumum bonum of all earthly happiness;

"Let the business of every body else alone, and attend to your own; don't buy what you don't want; use every hour to advantage, and study to make even leisure hours useful; think twice before you throw away a shilling, remember you will have another to make for it; find recreation in looking after your business, and so your business will not be neglected in looking care of the profits; look over your books regularly, and if you find an error, trace it out should a stroke of misfortune come upon you in trade, retrench, work harder; "never fly the track;" confront difficulties with unflinching perseverence, and they will disappear at last; though you should even fail in the struggle, you will be honored; but shrink from the task, and you will be despised. By following these rules, however, you never need say 'tail;' pay debts promptly, and so exact your dues; keep

MURDER.

The papers give an account of a most horrible murder at Harri-burg, on Saturday last. Two ston', badly clubed Irishmen, who were prowling about, were suspected. A reward of \$500 is offered by the son, John Parthemer, jr. The following is the account of the particulars ;

"A most horrid murder was perpetrated in this neighborhood, about three miles distant from Harrisburg, at an early hour this morning, upon two very aged and respectable citizens, a man and a woman. The facts seem to be these ;-the son and road. al the younger memiers of the family came to absent the murder was committed. The object \$1,200, and the whole expense of the affair was was money, of which the nearderer or murderers, \$15,000. How scarce money is ! got not more than twenty or thirty dollars-not all even that was in the drawer was robbed, and a considerable amount and a watch up stairs, was not taken. It seems the return of the son interrupted the robbers, as the old man was not entirely dead when he arrived, but was able to speak. His scull was all beaten in, and the old woman's was entirely broken to pieces, and the brains lay on the carpet. The instrument of death was found lying on the floor-a stick of wood, brought in from the murder was not premediated, and if more than one was concerned, they must have been on the lok out to give notice of interruption. The names of the aged couple is Parthemer. No clue to the murderer vet discovered. A coroner's inque-t was held this afternoon-verdict as above,"

CONSTABLES .- As these important personages, during the present hard times, occupy a prominent position in the eyes of many, who have hitherto avoided the cultivation of their acquaintance. we have concluded to publish the following list, for the benefit of those who may feel themselves interested :

List of Constables for Northumberland county, sworn in at April Term, 1843.

Sunbury, Thomas A. Billington. Augusta, Jacob R. Clark. Chilisquaque, William E. Irvine, Mi'ton, James Covert. Turbut, Samuel Guffy, Northumberland, George Painter. Point, Henry Earlston. Lower Mahony, David Seiler. Little Mahonov, Frederick Raker, Coal, Joseph Snyder. Jackson, Benjamin Treon. Upper Mahonoy, Michael Hoch. Shamokin, Samuel Hales. Rush, William Johnson.

Chunenes .- There are now 13 new churches in progress of erection in Baltimore, viz :

- 1 Protestant Episcopal Church.
- 1 Lutheran Church. 1 Pre-byterion Church.
- 3 Methodist Episcopal Churches.
- 3 Methodist Protestant Churches.
- 1 German Catholic Church. I Catholic Church.
- 1 German Reformed Church.

1 Church for a colored congregation. The whole number of churches in Baltimore at the beginning of the present year, exclusive of the

The By the following article we can see how much we are indebted to the protective policy in should have been long since, the most of these cheaper now, under the tariff, than before. Yet breaks could not have occurred, while the lock our free trade, horizontal tariff friends were willing to see all our manufactures fall, in order to carry

out their principles : "The Massachusetts manufactures have so improved their machinery and their skill, and the prices of wool are so moderate, that they can now make excellent mousslines de laine-that is woollen muslin-at a cost of only eight cents per yard. It is also said that the Lowell mills are making fine clots and cassimeres, equal to the imported and at a cost as favorable. Importhere is strong reason to believe that they will, tant improvements which enable our manufacturers to compete successfully with those of Eu-

> BOTER, the colored President of the Repubtic of St. Domingo, has been compelled to abdicate. President Boyer was originally from the United States, and is well educated. He was elected President for life, at the death of Petion. He is accused of having been somewhat tyrannical over his dark subjects, who revolted, and with an army of 15,-000 men took po-session of the capital.

> The New Orleans Boe of the 5th instant, contains the proclamation of President Boyer, abdicating the Chief Magistracy of St. Domingo, It is

PORT AU PRINCE, March 13, 1843,

Gentlemen of the Council :- Twenty-five years have elapsed since I was called upon to fill the post of President, then made vacant by the death of Petion, the founder of the Republic. Since then I have endeavored to carry out his views, which I had of all others the best opportunity of knowing.

I have endeavored, during my administration, to conduct the affairs of Government with a strict attention to an economical management of its finances. In proof of my labors on this subject, there are now one million of dollars in reserve, besides other funds deposited in Paris to the credit of the Government.

Recent events, which I do not desire to characize, have brought upon me calamities which I did not foresee, nor am prepared to meet. In this emergency I deem it due to my dignity and honor to make a personal abnegation of the powers with which I have been clothed.

During my Presidency I have adopted the policy of quelling the discords and divisions that made Havti a distracted and feeble Government. I have lived to see the independence of the nation acknowledged and its territory united; and now, in voluntarily ostracising myself, I give another proof of my desire to remove all cause of discontent and division.

In conclusion, I may add that I wish Hayti to be as happy as I strove to render her. Botss.

MISCELLANY.

Editorial, Condensed and Selected. The Bank of Pennsylvania resumed specie payments on Monday last.

Snow 4 to 6 feet in depth on the Carskill mounain, on the 11th inst.

Mr. Webster has resigned the office of Secretary of State, to take effect on the 1st of May,

At the late slide of the Reading Rail Road, 10,-000 tons of rock and earth were deposited on the

Hard Times .- At a recent Boston wedding the market early in the morning, and while they were bride wore jewels worth \$10,000, a lace veil worth

The New York Tatler says it has been discovered that the knots in the trunks of trees, are or gans denoting the character of the tree.

A writer on swearing, says that an oath from a woman's lips, is unnatural and incredible; he would as soon expect a bullet from a rose-bud,

A sturdy beggar was taken up in New Haven. on a charge of vagrancy. A belt was found strapped around him containing upwards of \$35 in small

Bragging .- When you hear a man brag of his courage, you may, if you choo e, pull his nose with impunity; of his wealth, button up your pocket. But if he brags of himself, you may be certain that no one else thinks well of him.

A Scotchman's advice to a public speaker .-'Ne'er speak till ye ha' something to say, and sit down as soon as ye ha' done.'

Arrived at New York from Havana, thirty-three baskets of tomatoes. This is early for that excels

An Enormous Snuke .- A large Serpent, 20 feet long and of proportionate thickness, arrived lately in New York from Laguira -It has eaten nothing since it devoured a young bullock fifteen months ago. It died a few days after its arrival.

Stenling Fruit is not always "Fun."-At Northampton, Mass.,, last week, four men were each sentenced to firty days' imprisonment in the county jail for stealing watermelons in August

Every enlisted man of the Garrison of Fort Ontario, Oswego, N. Y. commanded by Capt. E. K. Barnum, second Regiment of Infantry, is a member of the Total Abstinence Society.

It is reported in Petersburg, Va , that a father, in the county of Luenburg, was last week shot dead by his son. The particulars of the horrid affair have not yet transpired.

The St. Louis Reporter says that a family, consisting of ten persons, were recently drowned in attempting to cross the river at Quincy, Ill.

A St. Louis paper "gives warning, that, if the Missouri slaves continue to be carried off by the Illinois Abolitionists, the citizens of Missouri will revenge themselves by burning the houses of their Illinois neighbors."

A correspondent informs us, says the New Orleans Picayone, that the celebrated Dr. Olbers of Bremen, so far back as 1804, predicted the very comet, which is now visible in the heavens.

On the afternoon of the 13 h ult, between 2 and 3 o'clok. Col. Elworth performed the feat of walk ing round the Common, at Boston, outside the railing, a distance of one mile and an eigth, in 7 minutes 58 seconds, for a purse of \$100. Time allowed 81 minutes.

By an accurate measurement kept by Professor Cleaveland, of Brunswick, Maine, the snow is ascertained to have fallen fifteen feet since the commencement of cold weather.

The Indianapolis Journal of the 24 ult. states that the Court House in Pero, Miama co., was burned on the 16th ult. The loss is more serious, as all the papers of the Clerk and Recorder were consumed; it is believed that the evidence of right to large portions of the real estate of that section was thus lost.

Specie.

The amount of specie which has arrived in this country from England during the last few monthsis estimated at \$6,500,000. There are said to be lying at the Bank of England, deposited by the London Bankers, \$25,000,000, for which there is no employ. This is a most curious phenomenon in the economical world, and one worthy of the attention of the curious in such matters. In addition to the raw material for the payment of which we are now drawing specie so largely from England, a shipment of 4 0 tons of manufactured cotton goods was made from Boston to that country a few days since. If this voyage should prove profitable, others will rapidly follow the example. It is certainly carrying coals to New Castle in a style no one would have dreamed of ten years since - Phil. Gez.

CHENESE CURRENCY .- The current coin of this country is a small copper piece with a hole in the middle, and a string is passed through such numbers of them as represent given sums. The dollars most in circulation are the Spanish, and every possessor puts his stamp upon them until they are literally beaten to pieces, and, in dealing, these, as a security, are weighed out to the party taking

THE RUSSIAN MINISTER .- Mr. Bodisco, the representative of the Russian Government at Washington, is about to visit his home. He has married a lady of Georgetown, and desires to present her to his Emperor, after which he will return to America, and re-ume his functions. Meanwhile, he offers his house and furniture for sale.

DEATHS AND "SINCERELY REGRETTED" DEATHS. -It appears that the London Times charges 7s for publishing an advertisement of a death, in its simplest form, and that the addition of the words "sincerely regretted" raises the charge to 10s.

What would people in this country who expect obstuaries half a column long inserted gratuitously, think of these prices !- Phil. Gas.