missioner by the people for the term of hereto annexed.

derived from the public works ought to be very greatly increased. These improvebeen widely different.

The defects appear to srise from insuffipersons, in sufficient numbers to supply the demand for their services, can not be had, unless some practical plan is adopted create professional teachers. The ability to impart knowledge to others, particularly to young minds, is to be obtained only after long and patient study, assisted by all the facilities which science and learning can afford. The future greatness : n | happiness of the country depend so much upon the enlightenment of the public mind, that the statesman and patriot can not devote his time, energies, and talents, to a more worthy object, than its attainment.

The recent agricultural exhibition was so numerously attended and so creditable to our people, in the display of works of skill and home industry, as well as of agricultural implements and stick, that I am convinced great public good must result from it. The urgent requests of a former Message, believed to be of value and importance to this great interest, it is hoped will meet favorable action at your hands. These exhibitions should be repeated in other parts of the State, and cherished as the best means of diffusing practical and scientific knowledge of agriculture. The establishment of a State Society for Western Pennsylvania, would be highly advantageous to the people of that portion, deprived as they are by the difficulty of transportation, of full part cipation in the benefits of the present Society.

Contracts have been made for the publication of the Colonial Records, and of the maps and other documents connected with the Goological Survey of the State An interesting report from the gentleman charged with the arrangement for publication of the Pennsylvania Archives, accompanies this Message. I invite to it and to these important and interesting papers your favorable action. The supervision of the publication of these papers should be entrusted to the gentleman who has arranged them. The labor performed was greatly exceeded the amount contemplated by the Legislature, and hence demands

additional compensation. The Insane Asylum, as well as the other charitable institutions in which the State is directly interested, are in a prosperous condition. The kindly regards of the Assembly are solicited for these institutions. It is a pleasant reflection now, and will

be a grateful reminiscence hereefter, that to the promotion of all these interests, the administration of public affairs, while under my control, has faithfully and to some extent efficiently directed its labors. It is to be regretted that more was not accomplished, but it is still encouraging to know that so much of practical good has been done.

In the enactment of the revenue laws of all must earnestly desire. I have on furnishes no excuse for an omission again which should apply to them. acknowledged patriotism, has a right to assurances of my highest esteem and redemand for her industry that kindly legis- gard. lation which it deserves and should receive. It is not the part of a high minded Harrisburg, January 5, 1852. people to make bargains for the security of their rights, and it is equally unbecoming tamely to submit to oppression and wrong. A firm and manly demand for the change in our markets, from the labor of foreign last Legislature. be faithful to Pennsylvania.

To the existing an icontemplated internal improvements of the State, or rather to the of the Western Penitentiary has been laid the clearest sense of duty and of official laws thus expressly declared and known in Legislature to make such change as will recommendations of the worthy Inspectors, they may be operative. The section pro- United States Judge, and where the fugiauthorize the election of one Canal Com. I desire to call early attention to their letter posed to be repealed is in these words, tive is committed by a mere Commissioner

missioner by the people for the term of three years, to whom shall be entrusted My attention has been directed, by the or prison of this Commonwealth for the right; and that which the friends of this three years, to whom shall be entrusted the whole supervision of the system, and the selection by the Legislature of an Engineer, to serve for a similer term, to gineer, to serve for a similer term, to whom shall be committed the duty of making the necessary examinations and estimates of the properties of the specific buildings in crowded communities.

My attention has been directed, by the or prison of this Commonwealth for the detention of any person claimed as a fugitive from servitude or labor, except in cases where jurisdiction may lawfully be subject of the construction of private and king the necessary examinations and estimates of the properties of the properties of the supervision of this Commonwealth for the detention of any person claimed as a fugitive from servitude or labor, except in cases where jurisdiction may lawfully be taken by any judge, under the provisions of this sure time from servitude or labor, except in cases where jurisdiction may lawfully be taken by any judge, under the provisions of this act; and any judge, under the provisions of this act; and that which the friends of this repeal have claimed as a great boon to the claimed as a great boon to detention of any person claimed as a fugitive from servitude or labor, except in cases where jurisdiction may lawfully be subject of the construction of private and the claimed as a fugitive from servitude or labor, except in cases where jurisdiction may lawfully be subject of the claim he now has on the Mary and Country Rechants, Manufacturers, the claimed as a fugitive from servitude or labor, except in cases where jurisdiction may lawfully be subject of the claimed as a fugitive from servitude or labor, except in cases where jurisdiction may lawfully be subject of the claim he now has on the Mary and Country Rechants, Manufacturers, the claim date of the claim he now has on the Claimants, would be worse than a mock-detention, the claim he now has on the claimants, would be worse than a mock-dependent of the claimants, would be worse than annually appropriated to these purposes.

Officers thus selected, owing their appointment to different powers in the government, would from that fact and the nature of the sense of impending danger until some their duties, act as checks upon each other, frightful casualty, involving the loss of bring responsibility directly to each deinnocent human life, startles it from false the Executive Administration of my predofficers.

issued by banks of other States, have use of our prisons as places of detention and pronounced in the decision to which Lectures, on Tuesday evening next, by the South, he was introduced into the Hall cellency, John Ross, Principal Chief of ments should now bring a clear revenue to failed to realize the results intended by for fugitives from labor. If the logislation reference has been made. Its whole tenor the Treasury. In other states, cana's and the Legislature. In many counties they proposed authorizes the use of the prisons, shows this, and more than one of its derailways have rarely failed to become are entirely disregarded. In a former it is in repugnance to the Constitution of tailed provisions confirm it. The custody sources of such revenue within twenty message reference was made to the evil the United States as expounded by the of the fugitive by State authority, is almost years from the period of their construction; consequences likely to result to the morals Supreme Court. By a decision made in forbidden. while with us, from causes heretofore sug- of a community from open disobedience to derogation of the local statutes of Penn- The Marshal and his sureties are made mony, in the meeting house of the Ger. gested for Legislative action, and still law. It is clear that the present law is sylvania, the Supreme Court of the United subject to a pecuniary liability, for an es- Ref. Church, Lewisburg. within Legislative control, the result has not, and will not be executed. The circu. States, held in so many words that all cape, which, as the Supreme Court of the Our system of public education is far not be permitted to exist among us, in its reclamation of fugitives from labor, whether analogous case, is defeated the instant the from that perfection which is desirable. present condition. Authority to the banks to obstruct, or to aid it, to hinder or pro- prisoner is transferred to a local jail. of the Commonwealth to issue this denom- mote it, is absolutely and entirely prohib- In counties where there is no Marshal, ciency of funds, and the want of proper ination of money, would speedily drive ited. The legislation of Congress super- the agent of the Commissioner is charged teachers. It is manifest that competent from circulation this depreciated currency, sedes all State legislation on the fubject, with the exclusive custody of the fugitive, here. as part of the common school system, to well as to a system of free banking, based very language. If, therefore, an act of ring his detention.

The following estimates of receipts and expenditures for the current year are duly

epartments during the same period. Estimated Receipts. Auction commissions Auction duties Tax on dividends Tax on dividents

cooperation stocks

real and personal estate
Licences, Tavern

Retailers'
Podlers'
Briskers'
Theaton, circus, and menager

but liery and brewery
Bullard rooms, &c.
Patent medicine
Pamphlie laws
Mitta fines
Foreign insurance companies
Tax ou write, Ac.
Collateral inheritance
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Estimated Expenditures. ublic works—supervision and repair spenses of government one and gratuitles thic in thut, as a schools isstances of sinking fund-ation public debt itled interest ings on public works into Library utdie grounds and buildings

An act, entitled "An Act to graduate lands on which money is due and unpaid to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania." passed the 10th day of December last. Its the National Government, much injury re-enactment would secure to many the has resulted to many of the industrial in- advantage of its provisions, who from pecuterests of this State. Their alteration in niary inability, or other causes, have been of the United States was ratified, to su- left Liverpool on the 28th of November. &c. such manner as will protect those interests, unable to avail themselves of its provisions. It will devolve upon the present Assemformer occasions most fully expressed my bly to make an apportionment of the State, views on this subject, and have urged upon for the election of members of the House the Legislature the propriety of such of Representatives of the United States. action as would influence favorably the I feel confident the greatest cars will be National Congress. The great manufact observed, to give to every portion of the turing, mining, and agricultural interests | Commonwealth its just claims, and to of Pennsylvania require and demand a make the arrangement of the Congressional change of the present system of tariff laws. Districts strictly conformable to those The ill success attending former efforts, considerations of population and locality

to call attention to the subject. In the And now, gentlemen of the General confederacy of States, we hold an impor- Assembly, as this is the last occasion upon tant position. Pennsylvania, from the which I shall formally, by message, address numbers of her population, and their you, I beg to present to you, at parting, WM. F. JOHNSTON.

Executive Chamber,

To the Senators of Pennsylvania : Senators: An act entitled " An Act to of policy which is rapidly impoverishing repeal the Sixth Section of an act, entitled a portion of our citizens, retarding the an act to prevent kidnapping and preserve growth of the State, and preventing the the public peace, prohibit the exercise of the United States determines the law, for development of its mineral resources, would certain powers heretofore exercised by my guidance, and for yours, whatever have the effect of securing from our Na. Judges, Justices of the Peace, and Jailors may be our individual convictions upon tional Government such modification of of this Commonwealth, and to repeal cer- the subject. If then a prison can not be its laws as would protect American labor tain Slave Laws," has been held under built, under State laws, for the detention against the ruinous competition it meets, advisement since the adjournment of the of fugitives-if a prison already built, and

countries. It is most sincerely to be | In obedience to the provisions of the respecting its inmates, can not be used; hoped, that the present Assembly will Constitution, I return this bill to the and if, in short, all State legislation, of committee in Washington on Wednesday, determine, in its action on this subject, to Sanate, where it originated, without my whatever kind, is prohibited by a solemn shall be held in Baltimore on the third approval, and with my reasons for with- decree of sue cupreme Courses a new Tenadavin Many Bext.

It is part whole vexed and vexatious subject be left partment of the system, and secure a more active and energetic discharge of duty.

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> were as to a system of free banking, based upon public securities, the recommendations of a former message are respectfully referred to your careful consideration.
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> I would refer you to the Report of the Canal Commissioners for a detailed state
> Canal Commissioners for a detailed s operations and condition of their several tween the special construction of such United States authorities. places of detention regulated and controlled laws the Supreme Court of the United candid and careful consideration. States have pronounced unconstitutional. It is not the legislation of Pennsylvania Executive Chamber, Harrisburg, Jan. 1852. that has closed our jails against the reception of such fugitives but a formal decision of the Supreme Court, declaring our former statute on this subject unconstitutional; a decision, which until reversed, is binding

on every department of this government. Nor were the certain consequences of this doctrine, thus solemnly adjudicated, unfor-These are his words, and not arise in the case. It is answered, that the Judges of the Court, in their several decisions, declared otherwise. The Chief Justice, who was present and

took part in the hearing, and whose dissenting opinion furnishes his views of what was decided, says : "But as I understand the opinion of the Court, it goes further, and decides that the power to provide a remedy for this right is exclusively on the subject by a State, since the adoption of the Constitution, are null and void." Justice Wayne says, "In that opinion

Justice McLean makes the inquiry, does the provision in regard to the reclamation of fugitive slaves, vest the power exclusively in Congress?" and answers, "the nature of the power shows that it the power to execute it, rests with the States. The law was designed to protect the rights of the slave holder against the States opposed to those rights, and yet the hands of those on whom it is to operate" "It is essential therefore to the uniform efficacy of this Constitutional provision, that it should be considered exclusively a federal power."

This judgment of the Supreme Court of subject to State regulations and rules,

mode of their administration, I invite special before me. Its statements show that the attention. There are in it some radical number of finished cells is inadequate to defects which need reformation. It is the convicts. To secure punishment by wanting in proper checks and the enforcement, it is proposed to ment of proper responsibility; to secure finish another tier of cells already combined by ment of proper responsibility; to secure finish another tier of cells already combined by the passage of this act, has an opportunity offered to confer with those to whom my have to decide the question. The State within the year, and \$1.50 cash in advance, \$1.75 in three months, \$2 paid the end of the year.

Agents in Philadelphia—V B Palmer and E W Carr. which it is respectfully urged upon the menced. Whilst concurring fully in the reasons may be important, and with whom Judges, in counties where there is no

mates of the propriety and cost of construction and repair of the public works. this matter. It is idle to say that a sense against the provisions of this section, shall, county jailor, whose first duty would be That a commissioner or agent for payments of individual self-interest is a sufficient on conviction thereof, pay a fine of five to discharge a prisoner thus held if he potry nor wit. The writer can be claimed his liberty. Not so was the law change by calling at the office.

"H. M." next week. the disbursement of the public fands where ground is very valuable, space re- half to the person who prosecutes; and all State legislation on the subject is pro-

The laws in relation to small notes the repeal of the section prohibiting the the same views entertained by Judge Story,

lating medium it proposes to banish should State legislation on the subject of the United States have decided, in a precise

by the substitution of notes issued by and by necessary implication prohibits it. and is allowed, by the 8th section, his exinstitutions under the control of the Leg-

ment of the proceedings on the public prescribe, for the reception and safe keep- lation of a State to transfer this custoly works during the past year; and to the ing of the inmates, such a law would be is prohibited. Is it not then most condureports of the Auditor General, State unconstitutional, consequently void, and cive to peace and good order, and the har-Freasurez, Surveyor General, Superinten- any single discontented citizen of a county monious administration of the law, that dent of Common Schools, and Adjutant might have it so declared. I am unable this whole subject be left where the Con-General, for information in relation to the to see any difference in this respect, be- stitution places it, in the hands of the Esq., Perry township.

I have thus frankly stated to the Senate by State authority, and State agents, and my reasons for withholding my approval the permission to use those already erected of this bill. I have limited them strictly, and regulated by general laws. It is the guarding myself against any expression

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vertisement appeared in Philad. Ledger, Guest at Harrisburg. informing that young men could find employment, and would receive good wages, upon applying at Tenth and Parrish streets. polishing metals. The contract was that

they conclusively show in what light he understood the judgment thus pronounced. I am aware it has been alleged that the paper of the same character, inviting young ged that the men is want of employment to call at Tenth and Filbert streets. Some of the victims did call, and not being satisfied with the affair as far as it had gone, had the agent arrested, in the absence of the principal. He wastaken before the Mayor, and held to bail for a further hearing, at Easton on the 8th inst., it was unani-Yesterday morning the principal called at mously the Mayor's office to inquire after the agent, when he was taken into custody. He was held in \$800 for a further hearing vested in Congress, and that all laws up- of the principal is Chrs. C. Broadwell, of to take place on Tuesday next. The name the agent, Edward T. Harris.

The news of the safe arrival of the preme law of the land, excludes all State diffused a general joy among our citizens. egislation upon the same subject; and The great length of time, that the vessel that no State can pass any law or regula- had been out, and no tidings having been tion, or interpose such as may have been received of her, doubts of her safety were law or regulation when the Constitution shared in by most of our citizens. She peradd, to the delivery of fugitive slaves," with a fine cargo and minety five passen hen adds, after a learned argument sus- gers; but when three days out she lost taining this view, "I consider the point her propeller during a heavy gale, and her have been maintaining more important machinery became useless. It was then than any other in the opinion of the determined to proceed on the voyage alleging, as confirmation, that without the aid of steam, and the noble this was a point decided, that only three ship has proved herself worthy of the of the nine Judges composing the Court, confidence reposed in her sailing powers.

Baltimore, Jan. 10 .- The mail, as late as due, from all points south of this city, has arrived. The schooner Susan arrived at New Orleans, brought dates from the Brazos, to the 27th of December. The must be exclusive.' 'It is contended that Picayune states that the revolutionary party under Caravajal, has been completely droken up and dispersed, and that Caravaial had been arrested by the American General Harney, for violating the neutralby this argument, the effective power is in ity laws of the United States, in attempting to organize an expedition against Mexico. Caravajal was a prisoner at Fort Brown.

Washington, Jan. 10 .- Kossuth accompanied by Gen. Cass, visited Henry Clay vesterday. The interview lasted more than an hour, and is described, by those who were present, as a very affecting one. fame extends over the civilized world, are tariff. said to have been deeply moved, even to the shedding of tears.

The Democratic National Convention, it was determined at a meeting of the

Lewisburg, Pa.

Sleighing-superb; weather, very

Tavern Licences to be applied for at

Feb. Court, should be advertised next week. Telegraph Stations have been opened on the Susq. Line at Beach Creek (above

Prof. Anderson. Subject-"Economy."

Ber Rev. Mr. Philips, of York, is delivering a Course of Lectures on Matri-

weeks past, with much interest and appa- es were made to and by him.

Mar-If any of our readers wish to open He was to reach Harrisburg yesterday; islature. In relation to this subject, as provisions on the subject. This is the providing him with food and lodgment dutheir eyes as wide as saucers, and at the and to-day is to be honored by a Banquet.

Appointments by the Commissioners of Union county for the year 1852: Attorney-Charles Merrill, Esq., New

Clerk-Andrew J. Peters, New Berlin.

Kunkel, and passed both branches of our wonder-waiters and to sell a few penny State law intefering in the question of the liable to misconstruction to considerations State Legislature, unanimously. Gov. John- papers extra. alleged fugitive and his claimants, and such of constitutional law. I ask for them a ston despatched the Secretary of Comw'th to Washington with the joint resoluton and a hearty letter of welcome from the Governor himself. Tuesday (yesterday) was the Swindle .- A few days since an ad- day fixed for the reception of the Nation's

H. W. Crotzer of Lewisburg is Ser- Europe. geant at Arms in the House; and we ven-Several did apply and were induced to ture the opinion that no one more capable enter into a contract to sell a powder for or obliging could have been selected. His 15,000 1,000 United States, an eminent jurist, and a they were to take six dollars worth of the bitter of the State of Maryland, in dissenting from the opinion of the Court, 10,000 20,000 expressed his belief that these very effects would be produced, and forefold the time, 20,000 when State agency being repudiated, and 20,000 State agency being repudiated agency being repudiated.

20,000 State agency being repudiated, and 20,000 State agency bei Mifflin, and Maj. Sharon to Juniata, in the House, the Union County Representative, Mr. Crotzer, will be expected to see to it that her interests are not neglected.

> At a meeting of the Philadelphia & Wilkes-Barre Telegraph Company held

"Resolved that the rates of charges more read and approved. between Hazleton and Philad, and between Wilkes-Barre and Philad. on messages from the Susquehanna Telegraph Company, be increased five cents on each message."

From the above official announcement, it will be observed that on all messages it is decided: 3, That the legislation by steamship "City of Pittsburg" which sent beyond Hazleton, operators on the Congress upon the provision, as the su- reached Philadelphia on Saturday morning. Susquehanna line must charge five cents addition to the former rates. It will therefore be 30 ets. instead of 25 for a 10 word message to Philad., 50 instead of 45 to Harrisburg, 55 instead of 50 to New York, elected Clerk; Wm. Picking, Assistant; day, picked from the stalk of a second

> The following is an extract from a speech made by Hon. Robert J. Walker, Transcribing Clerks. at a complimentary dinner given to him by the merchants of Manchester, England. on the 9th of December last. "The first gentleman that was ever

distinguished in my country as an eminent advocate of free trade was a distinguished Englishman, the friend of Franklin and Jefferson, eminent as a scholar, a philosofrom the vicinity of the neighboring city of Birmingham, and his name was Joseph Priestley. ["Hear," and applause.] He settled, he lived, and died in my own native town of Northumberland, in the State of Pennsylvania, and, so far as my knowledge extends, the first essays that were ever written in my own country in favor of the doctrine of free trade emanated from his

The present generation of Dr. Priestlev's descendants have diverged widely, in this respect, from the political faith of their great ancestor. We believe they are, to a Both the distinguished statesmen, whose man, strenuous advocates of a protective

Mca. A dwelling house belonging to Wm Fritcher, was burned in Athens Borough, Bradford Co., one morning last week. It wrs not discovered until too late to be saved, but fortunately was isolated from any other building.

That " fugitive slave bill," upon the signing of which by Gov. Johnston, "the Union's safety" was so much pending last fall, is V-toed at last-and the Union survives, as far as we have heard! We have carried some unpaid bills in pocket six months, and if Bill Johnson's " fugi-

tive bill," which he carried about for nine

months, looked half as bad, it was a very

exceptionable document, and deserved to be footed .- Read the following : Harrisburg, Jan 8-In Senate : the Secretary of the Commonwealth being introduced, presented a message from the Governor, vetoing the bill of the last session repealing the law prohibiting the seventy-nine years ago on the 16th ult, use of the Jails of this Commonwealth for the one is still living, as we learn from the on its final passage, was lost--year 13, nays 14 --a two-thirds vote being necessary to its passage

The following was the vote: Yess-Messrs. Bailey Buckalew, Crabb, Darlington, Fernon, Forsyth, Frailey, Fulton, Gurnsy, Habittos, Hamlin, Hoge Jones, M. Caslin, Maths, Muhlenburg, Packer, Sanderson, Shimer-19. Nays-Messrs, Barnes, Carothers, Carson, Evans, Haslett, Kinzer, Kunkel, M. Farland, M'Murtrie, Malone, Meyers, Robertson, Slifer and Walker (Speaker)-14.
(Whigs in Roman; Native in swall care.)

The House (at Washington) having finally passed the Kossuth resolution by a by a Committee, and welcomed by the Speaker. He made a short reply, when the House adjourned to give the Members an opportunity of personal introductions.

On Wednesday, the Congressional Banquet was held, and attended by the most The M. E. Church, Lewisburg, has distinguished Senators, Representatives and been engaged in evening meetings for two Members of Cabinet. Enthusiastic speech-

rent profit. We hope its good influences On Thursday the 8th, the Jackson may be extended to all the other churches Association gave him an entertainment, at which he spoke.

same time get some little insight into the To-morrow, Kossuth is to leave Harrisoperations of our Lewisburg Californians, burg for Pittsburg, where he will be enterlet them read an article on our first page tained on Friday. Thence on to Cincinnati-and then to such of the Legislatures and Cities which have invited him, as he may think proper.

Gov. Kossuth has left Washington, and it is hoped that Congress will now Mercantile Appraiser-Jacob Martin, commence business. Anything they may do, or propose of general interest, we shall Chronicle-but not their Buncombe An invitation for Gov. Kossuth to speeches, nor the thousand-and-one "revisit Harrisburg, was proposed by Senator ports" got up to make excitoment for

> The most important Foreign News, is the resignation of the head of the British Ministry, Lord Palmerston. This and two hundred and fifty five passengers. is said to be caused by his liberal senti- The reports from the mines are favorable. ments rendering him obnoxious to the ments rendering him obnoxious to the representatives of the absolute Powers of in the city of San Francisco. Louis the Despot's nominal majority

will be from 5 to 7,000,000.

Hon. Ephraim Banks, an orthodox

late Member of Congress from Beaver county, is appointed Marshal for the restern District of Penn's, in place of Mr. Irwin, resigned.

The Guardian' for Jan. (Vol. III.) has an engraving of the First German Reformed Church, Baltimore.

Gov. Johnston's Message is commendably short, and will on that account be

Dennenlvania Legislature. In the House, Jan. 5, 96 Members were present, who proceeded to vote for Speaker as follows :

John S. Rhey, Dem. 56 John Acker, Whig Scattering

So Mr. Rhey was elected, and conducted o the chair by Messrs. Acker and Bonham. Tuesday, Jan. 6, William Jack was re- that he had green corn for dinner that and Wm.L. Gray of Philad. county, Cha's crop this season. Stockwell of Bradford, John Cummings of Favette, and Richard H. Adams of Dauphin,

Henry W. Crotzer, of Union county, Sergeant-at-Arms ; Jos. Eslinger, of York, Messenger; and Jacob Coleman, of Berks. Doorkeeper-

In Senate, Jan. 5, all the Members were present, and after three ineffectual ballots for Speaker, adjourned. (In a full vote in the present state of parties, a candidate the next Whig candidate for Canal Compher, a historian, and a divine. He came can not have an absolute majority of all missioner. the votes without voting for himself, and this the candidates declined doing.) On Tuesday the 6th, the eighth ballot

resulted as follows: John H. Walker, Whig, 16

H.A.Muhlenburg, Dem. 13 Scattering Mesers. Packer and Guernsy did not vote.

So Mr. Walker was elected and conducted to his seat as Speaker of the Senate. On the 10th, the remaining officers of the Senate were elected by a party vote as follows:

Clerk-John M. Sullivan : Assistant . C. Bomberger; Transcribing-Messrs. Benedict, Snyder, and Raymond

Sergeant-at-Arms-Wm. P. Thomas ssistants-John Essig, Wm. P. Brady. Doorkeeper-Thomas R. Wareham : Assistants-Jn R. Reigle, Jas M'llvaine. Messenger-Andrew Young ; Assistant -Edward D. Evans.

For the Lawish Axswan to Enigma in last Chr. Nicholas, Emperor of Russia.

News and Notions.

Of the famous band of patriots who destroyed the tea in Boston Harbor on the memorable 15th of December, 1773, one is still living, as we learn from the detention of fugitive slaves. The Message was last number of Harper's Magazine. When read, and the bill coming again before the Senate the present century dawned, he had almost reached the goal of three score years and ten! And now, at the age of one hundred and fifteen years, David Kinnison, of Chicago, Illinois, holds the eminent position of the last survivor of the "Boston Tea Party."

Gen. Waddy Thompson, of South Carolina, is on a visit to the Cherokee nation, collecting fees due him as an attorney : and the Advocate, published at Talequah, says : "Quite a feat came off in this place on Tuesday last. A jumping match between the Hon. Gen. Waddy Fourth of the Lewisburg Course of vote of the North, West, and East against Thompson of South Carolina, and his Exthe Cherokee Nation. The Principal Chief had the better of the contest by a few inches."

In our columns may be found the advertisement of that excellent medicine, known as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Its success in curing the various diseases of the Lungs is attracting universal attention, not only of the learned and philanthropic, but of the whole public. The article undoubtedly is what it pretends to be, a remedy for Lung Complaints, and the remarkable cures which are becoming known everywhere can not be overlooked by the people.-[Lowell Courier.

The Census printing at Washington, is laimed by the public printer as his due ; John C. Rives has filed a caveat for the next chance; the Secretary of the Interior claims the right to make the contract, and the committee on Printing in the Senate have reported a resolution awarding it to the proprietors of the Washington Union. The profits which will accrue from the ob are estimated at \$450,000.

Washington, Jan 9th .- It is reported n good authority, that a sailor was recently executed on board the U.S. sloop-of-war Aleany, of the West India Squadron, for drawing a knife upon the Captain. Whether the execution was summarily, or after a trial by Court Marshal, is not

The steamship Daniel Webster arrived on Sunday at New York from California. bringing over half a million in gold dust. The most gratifying intelligence however,

Baltimore, Jan. 10. - A tremendous storm of wind occurred at Baton Rouge on the 30th ult. Several houses in the neighborhood were prostrated. The sugar house

The Boonsboro' (Md.) Old Fellow states that an effort is making in the part of colony to migrate and settle in Texas. An agent has been sent out to view the country.

The annual meeting of the Pennsylvanian State Agricultural Society will be held at Harrisburg on Tuesday, the 20th of January, at which time the officers of the society for the ensuing year will be elected.

On Thursday, the Indian delegation now in Washington waited on M. Kossuth, at his rooms at Brown's hotel, at his special invitation. He received them with a great deal of cordiality. An applicant for a custom house office

in urging his claim, said his grandfather didn't fight in the Revolutionary war, but he guessed he would have liked to, if he had been in the country. The editor of a California paper announces in his issue of the I1th of Nov.

The cost of the prosecution to the United States in the Christiana riots, up to the time of Hanaway's acquital, is said to exceed the sum of \$70,000.

The cause of the burning of the Library of Congress has been discovered to be a careless construction of the floor of the gallery.

Gen. Cyrus P. Markle is suggested by the Whigs of Westmoreland county as

On the 4th ult. there were 29 comm schools in Lancaster city, Pa., with 2,900 pupils, or about one sixth of the entire

On Tuesday, 140 pews in the Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, rented for \$7,500; more than 100 brought premiums.

The Democrats of Montour county have nominated James C. Sproal as Delegate to

their State Convention, uninstructed. Col. Thomas H. Benton arrived at Dayton Ohio, on Wednesday of last week, on his way to the city of New York.

The editor of the Hull Times is so shortsighted that he frequently rubs out with his nose what he writes with his pen-The fool has one advantage over an

educated man-he is always contented with himself.

The Bridge at Lock Haven is pass able. Court in Sunbury, concludes this weak.