age of this week's issue. WATTED .- Any of our subscribers having opis of the Observer of May 28th, 1865 will confer a special favor and be liberally re arded by sending them to the office.

NEW MONTHLY .- Messrs. Beadle & Co., of Tork city, have commenced the publica of a new periodical entitled "Beadle's non or Angazine of To-day." It is ex gonius, liberated and contains much en reasing reading, among which we do not rising the article on reconstruction, in the less The past success of the publishers is igurance enough that they will make this ceeriment prosper.

PROPERTY OWNERS, ATTENTION.—As this is he season of the year when people usually nes their leases, and a great deal of prokets changes hands, we remind our readers kris complete stock of blanks for almost ery purpose is kept for sale at the Observer try Pur sesortment of Deeds, Mortgages, leneman for the Sale of Land, Leases, &c., green be surpassed anywhere. We have hat Tight and Common Leases on hand, so it parties can take their choice.

Gepty's Lady's Book.—The January numof this favorite publication reached us week in advance of all the other monthlies. es splendid copy, and gives token of increas interest in the volume for 1866. We would mied our friends that now is the best time commence taking the Lady's Book. By egioning at the first number of the year, errhing in the volume is obtained complete, ithe disappointment of missing parts of eries, &c , is not experienced. We will proarea year's subscription for any of our patcat upon their remitting us two dollars and

DEATH OF HON. MADISON BURNELL.-Hon Malison Burnell, of Jamestown, Chautaugur contr. N. Y. died suddenly in the streets of st village, at seven o'clock in the evening He had been suffering from a este of the kidneys of long standing, which minsted his life. We have not the data for systable obituary of Mr Burnell. He was a er of more than ordinary grasp and vigor mind, and one of the ablest and purest to in Western New York. Of late years he wen little in public life; but he comanded the confidence and respect of all who new him, and his loss will be deenly felt in community where he lived .- Buffalo Cou-

Mr. Burnell was intimately known to nearly ery citizen of our county residing in the min eastern portion. He was formerly a hig, but on the organization of the Aboli n party joined the Democracy, and has been active laborer in its ranks ever since. For e past three years, he has visited our coun in each successive campaign, and delivered eeches at various points. He was a com te master of sarcasm, and exceeded in that rect any person we have ever heard Al agh an ultra partisan, his frankness of 2108 and fearlessness of expression gave the general reputation of a thoroughly es: man, and there will be many, even ong his fiercest political foes, who will erely regret to hear of his loss.

FIRMS FOR SALE.—We call special attention the advertisements of farms for sale in

Mr John Martin offers, to sell a first class of fifty-two mores, in Harbor Creek ashin, on easy terms. Mr. Arnold Jordan wishes to dispose of his

of fifty-six acres, in Harbor Creek town-

of Thos. Cavanagh has a splendid propersell, situated at a convenient distance the city, and having superior improve-

r particulars in regard to each of these terties, we refer to the advertisements. file on this subject, we will mention that BSERVER is every week becoming more more of a favorite as a medium for the articement of real estate and nublic sales nost every issue of the paper presents rered proofs of this assertion. We would remind persons in the country who have perty to sell of the advantages of notifythe public of the same through the columns thewapsper. Whatever the article may that it is desired to sell, whether it is real ate, live stock, agricultural implements or schold furniture, in nine cases out of ten beral advertisement of the same will ene them to be disposed of at a better price of they are not advertised.

Permit of Stove Pipes -This is the sea n of the year, remarks a cotemporary, that ties men's souls "-family men, we mean. particularly. A hundred and one things the attended to "immediately" or there suble in the household We can stand it Lighting up the stoves. Profanity is rehensible-it is disgusting-it shows il' ting—it is evidence of a bad disposition; "s man is ever excusable for using exrespithets it is at the time when he tet the confounded stovepipe to fit. We to besitation in giving our testimony the person who holds at arm's length a Thore of stovepipe, and after two dozen Pressful attempts to make a connection, limiting his fingers six or eight times, ming soot all over the parlor carpet by having the whole thing fall down We the contents of the centre table. While down the pet boy of the family ut line with tears in her eyes and filir diploted on her countenance; we say Til a case, if a man won't awear a blue and deserves to have a certificate for outside public. thrilcharacter, framed in guilt, and

TIVIHE OIL REGIONS .- The Titusville titells this story: On Tuesday last a Into of the Baltimore Conference was "Ita horseback from Pithole to Titusville. isinearly reached Pleasantville, and was of quietly along humming a psalm tune. I man stepped into his path and seizing ine's bridle, presented a revolver at the 3.2 and demanded his money. Nothing decented, the traveler remarked that he Tys poor Methodist preacher and had " money, but would give up all he The robber made no reply, but mainthis threatening position, and patiently for the conference man to disgorge .minie eyed the freebooter pretty earntol remarked with great solemnity. is can have my money, friend, but for he's sake, and for your own soul's sake, ap the husiness of highway robbery."freebooter dropped his pistol at his side in a voice trembling with deep emotion umed, "You can pass on!"

of the information of those of our readers have business with our Bepresents at Washington, we state that Mr Sco-

Items of Local Interest At Austin's store is the place to buy jewelry

select. the faults of your friends. Be sure they will and capable of accommodating from four to United States mails at a cost to the wri be just as ready to tell others of the faults five hundred inmates. Mr. Watson, another ters of \$13,986,350 87. The average is 20 you noncess.

wealthy and philanthropic citizen of Mercer letters for every inhabitant. YOR DOSSEST.

lecture of the course, on Thursday evening. December 21st. The place to buy dry goods cheap is at Bell & Warner's. They are receiving an enormous s'ook of new goods, which were bought at a favorable period, and can therefore be sold at

many admirers here, will deliver the next

great reduction from old prices. There are five theatres in the oil region, located at Meadville, Corry, Oil City, Pithole and Franklin. Two of them have adopted the pretentious and meaningless title "Academy of Music "

In boring the side of a mountain near Shel field, Warren county, an exchange says, a coal hed was penetrated eleven feet thick. This is thirty miles nearer Lake Erie than so work. able a bed has yet been found.

We are gratified to find that our views of President Johnson's policy are thoroughly con curred in by all the Democrats whom we have conversed with. The Democrate of Brie county know too well what real Democracy is, to be gulled by a sham article, like that which Andrew Johnson offers to peddle.

A well known laborer named Charles Love, attempted to cross the Front strest canal bridge, on Saturday night, while in a state of intexication, and by some accident fell brough. He was found dead on Sunday morning, and a Coronor's inquest held upon the body. About \$40 were in his pocket.

Mr. Couldock, the eminent actor, who delighted our people by his fine rendering of sev. his stamp. eral popular parts, two winters ago, is now. with his daughter, pe forming in Corry for a limited season. We hope they will be induced to visit Erie before long.

Mr. Nick, the druggist at the corner of State and Seventh streets, is expecting to receive some live aligators from New Orleans, which he intends keeping in his store as a curiosity. Mr. N. has at present a fine aquarium in operation, which being on exhibition in his show window attracts considerable attention.

Navigation on the lake has almost ceased, and at this port business has come mearly to a close for the season. No arrivals or departures of vessels have taken place for several days. The canal boats have all or nearly all stopped running.

We are indebted to Messrs. J. A. Howell & Co, of Jefferson, Ohio, the publishers, for the following piece of new music: "The Battle in the Clouds, song and chorus, inscribed to D Howells, U. S. consul at Venice, and composed by Mr. Keller."

The Siamese Twins, Chang and Eng, after having been absent from "public life" for thirteen years, have commenced giving exhi. bitions again, and are to be at Corry on Saturday We presume they will not neglect to | publications issued in this country is Harper's visit Erie.

A man named Andrew Agnew, in the employ of Wilson Moore, Esq., of Waterford. was driving a team from the latter place to sum driving a team from the latter place to springfield, on Tuesday of last week, and when near McK-an, by some accident was should touch it. We have respect for a manly, thrown under the wagon, the wheels of which out spoken, honest Republican paper, but the nassed over his chest, killing him almost in stantly. He had no family, his wife having died some time ago.

An accident occurred on Sunday morning about four o'clock, ten miles west of Sunbury. Pa., to the express train on the Philadelphia & Erie railroad, which left this city on Sa turday afternoon. By some manner, as yet unexplained, the baggage car caught fire and haggage of the passengers. The amount of loss is unknown. The mail train going west. on the same road, on Saturday, came in collision with a freight train, near Williamsport. One man had his leg broken, and some damage was done to the cars.

The new fifty cent counterfeits, says an exchange, can be distinguished by the absence of the "E" from the name of Gen. F. B gpinner. People who may have wondered what the queer looking scrawl at the bottom hereafter that it stands for that gentleman's signature. It must be acknowledged, though, that it looks more like a chicken's tracks patronage. than a man's writing.

We learn from the Pithele daily Record that the Post Office in that "city" "was broken into on Sunday evening and three bags, containing the mail for New York, the Eastern and Northern States, and Eastern Pennsylvania, taken. The entrance was effected through one of the rooms in the new wing of the Chase House, in which is a win dow connected with the post office. The sum of \$56,000 was in the mail bags, the property of three men alone, and the full amount lost was probably between \$75,000 and \$100,000 A liberal reward is offered for the detection words" in all portions of the Northwest. He of the guilty parties "

The building of the new Reed House, weere informed, will cost about \$180,000. Gen. | million to two million dollars. An exchange Reed, it is said, intends furnishing the building himself, so that no difficulty will be likely his career: to be experienced in securing a landlord. The furniture, &c., is expected to cost about \$30,000 more, making the entire cost \$210,000

The regular term of the court for civil busi ness (which does not mean that the parties engaged are always civil) has been in session during the week. Judge Derickson presiding A large number of persons have been in at endance, but the cases tried have not been of it is the most amiable chap in the a chiracter to make them interesting to the

The Titusville Herald proposes a "Publish-"ter the head of his bed during his ers' Convention, to include representatives of the press throughout Northwestern Pennsyl vania-say the counties of Erie, Crawford Mercer, Venango and Warren-to be held at Meadville, (which is the most central point) on the 17th of January, the birthday of Benismin Franklin." We heartily endorse the suggestion of a convention, but matters of an important personal nature would prevent us from attending on the date mentioned. Say some day in February and we will be with

Our young lady readers may be surprised large as we expected from the reputation of to hear that the present style of wearing the the Buchanans. On Friday evening the hair in nets was practised by the wild Karens. in Burmab, more than thirty years ago. In a Buchanan taking the part of "Shylock," and letter which Mr. Judson wrote, thirty-four on Saturday evening the popular performance years age, he said : "On one Karen lady I of "Pixerro," with Mr. B. as "Bolla." The counted between twelve and fifteen necklaces | company will close their season here on Satof all colors, sizes and materials. Three was urday. the average. Brass belts above the ankles; rings of all sorts on the fingers; bracelets on the wrists and arms; long instruments of cently gave birth to an infantile male quarsome metal perforating the lower part of the ear by an immense aperture, and reaching nearly to the shoulder: fancifully constructed bags enclosing the hair, and suspended from the back part of the head, not to speak of the stag. itis residence in that city is at the Avenue mental parts of their clothing, constituted the fashions and the ton of the fair Karenesses."

Dr. A. C. Egbert, one of the extremely fortunate oil men, has recently donated a tract and fancy articles for the holidays. Capt. A. of 200 acres of land in Mercer county, worth has a large variety on hand from which to \$20,000, for the purpose of establishing a Home for Friendless Children. He intends Beware of people who come telling you of arrecting upon it buildings worth \$100,000, wealthy and philanthropic citizen of Mercer county, will add a contribution of \$50,000 to Bishop Clark, of Rhode Island, who has that furnished by Dr. Egbert. The ground for the edifice is to be broken early in the be under the joint auspices of the Northern Nassau street. Home of Philadelphia, and a board of officers is designed to be a great Western institution, although open to friendless children from all parts of the State. The generosity of Dr. red and fifty seven thousand. Egbert and Mr. Watson cannot be too warmly wealthy men who know how to make a sensi-

ble use of their money. the Union & Titusville railroad has been sold ler, United States Volunteers, November out by parties in this city who owned the 30, 1865. controlling interest, to a company of speculators " who do not propose to extend the road to Erie." It gives the sum paid, and names some of the persons alleged to be concerned in the bargain and sale. We shall await further developments with interest.

We regret to learn that Mr. W. J. Winfield has resigned the foremanship of Perry Fire company, which position he has occupied from the erganization of the company, to the entire satisfaction of the members and the public. Mr. W. is a practised and vigilant fireman, who has few superiors. Under his lead Perry company has grown up to be one of our most be found difficult to supply. Our young fire department cannot well afford to lose men of

Another smuggling dodge upon the Canadian border has just been detected. An unu sual number of comins have been brought across the line of late for interment on the corpse," after the coffin was landed, against the earnest protests of the stricken relatives, when, instead of a defunct body, the coffin was found filled with costly silks.

To aid and support his local press, a cotemporary says, should be the aim of every true Democrat. By many faithful men it is considered a sacred duty. The Democratic press of this State has an arduous work to perform. Many scarcely manage to live, because the Democrats are lukewarm and refuse to toe the mark like houest men; while the few that are prosperous are only made so by unceasing labor on the part of their publishers. There is no doubt of the fact, that the fate of the Democratic party rests with its local presses. the Army of the Cumberland; written by Wm. If supported, they are given life and strength -if uncared for, they die. We appeal to all true Democrats, who have the interests of their country at heart, to strengthen their lo-

> The Easton Argus says, with truth : "Without exception, the meanest of all Weekly Pictorial, which is thrust under the eyes of every man who travels fifty miles on a railroad train. Pretending to be a literary paper, it is filled every week with the most enseless, illiberal, unjust and untruthful atmen who, like the Harpers, sail under false colors, are no better than common swindlers."

is that widely quoted individual, "They Say." 'They Say " does more mischief than all the other trouble makers combined. "They Say" is at the bottom of almost every quarrel, of every scandal and of almost every case of un happiness. Let each and every one of our was totally consumed, together with all the readers beware of having anything to do with Elmore, late a Colonel in the Confederate 'They Say."

The Sunbury Democrat says it is useless to make any more experiments in two trains trying to pass each other on the same track .-The last trial was made just above that town and proved a complete failure, both engines being smashed up.

Mr. A. M. Folger, who has been principal of the East Ward school for about three years, has resigned that position, and intends to establish a select school for young ladies and of the national money means, will remember gentlemen. Mr. F. has been pre eminerily successful as a teacher, and will unquestionably receive, as he richly deserves, a liberal

The ladies of the Presbyterian church of Waterford will hold a Fair, in Washington Hall, commencing Tuesday, Dec. 18, and to continue two days. The proceeds are to be used in procuring a bell for the church.

How. C. VERNON CULTER.—This gentleman, who now represents the Crawford district in Congress has recently become one of the famous men of this part of the State. His residence is at Meadville. His extensive business transactions in the oil regions render his name as "familiar as household is one of the wealthiest men in this section, his fortune being estimated at from half a thus pithily sketches the leading incidents of

He was a Buckeye boy, son of Dr. Culver, f Logan-ambitious for college education, but parental finances more limited than the number of the boys prevented his graduating. He became a Banker, came to Mead-ville, took charge of the Crawford county Bank, in 1859, a depleted and consumptive corporation, set it upon its legs and conducted it out of the woods and placed it on a solid hasis, with a large profit to himself and his associates in Meadville. Since then he has established the Third National Bank in New York and has been largely instrumental in furnishing banking facilities at several points. in and near the Oil Regions. A gentleman n Meadville informed me that Culver once remarked that if his efforts should be successful at that place, he should take pleasure in expending every dellar he made in that city, within its bounds. The remark was forgotten hy others until he had, besides giving away \$35,000 to other objects, made Allegheny College a magnificent gift of a hundred thous and dollars! To this financial ability and almost unequalled generosity, are added a culivated mind, fine taste, unquestionable in-

THEATEN. -The Theatre in Farrar Hall has had good audiences each night, though not so "Merchant of Venice" will be played, Mr.

tegrity and a capacity for great enterpris s.

THANKSGIVING AT UNION .- We learn that an enterprising lady residing at Union, re-

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--- Mews-of the Week.

It is stated that the ex-Confederate Sec retary of the Navy, Mallory, is soon to be

tried before a civil tribunal. During the year ending the 30th of June last, 465,000,000 letters passed through the

Roger A. Pryor, well known as a generil in the rebel army, and member of the federal and rebel Congress, has retired from public life, and is now practicing law apring. The control of the institution is to in New York, having opened an office in The number of rebel prisoners captured

to be chosen from Western Pennsylvania. It and paroled by us during the war amount ed to 329,000. The number of Union prisoners captured by the rebels during the war is stated to have been one hund-

The resignations of the following named praised. They are among the few enormously officers have been accepted by the President, to take effect from the dates annexed to each name: Major General John A. Dix. United States Volunteers, Nov. The Dispatch charges that the charter of 30, 1865; Major General Benjamin F. But-Gen. Logan, says a Washington special,

will only go as Minister to Mexico if assur ed by the President that the policy of this Government is to be decided. Controller Clark of the Currency Bureau has decided that ladies cannot act as

directors of National banks, as the laws do not recognize them as citizens. Geo. W. Gale, who offered a reward for the assassination of Mr. Lincoln, has given bonds at Montgomery, Ala., to appear when called for.

A German girl named Katrina Borke. died last week, at the residence of her step mother, No. 126 Meadow street, Hoboken, from the effects of Paris green; useful and popular organizations, and his taken by her for the purpose of self deresignation will leave a vacancy which it will struction. She was employed in a milliner's shop, and was charged with baving stolen \$5 from her employer and discharged. She soon after returned and begged to be taken back, but her former mistress refusing, she swallowed the poison that caused her death.

It is stated that the Illinois members urge the donation of \$100 000 to Mrs. Lincoln, and that this amount will probably American side. Last week the United States be recommended by the select committee revenue officer insisted upon "seeing the to whom this subject was referred. Of course.

On Thursday last the Hon. F. E. Spinner, United States Treasurer, received a letter containing \$15, from a lady who presented it, to him as her contribution toward liquidating the war debt. Goodness gracious, what a simple-minded female she

must be.
The Nashville Banner contains an account of a party of guerrillas committing depredations upon the residents of Lavergue, Tenne see. They held the town for an hour, but were finally dispersed by the military.

Judge Johnson, of the Jefferson county. Ky., Circuit Court, has declared the slave law of Kentucky null and void, in consequence of the adoption by threefourths of the States of the anti-slavery amendment to the Constitution. General Palmer has issued a proclamation declar ing that slavery has cessed to exist in Kentucky.

The reception of Gen. Grant at Savan nah seems to have been rather a tame affair. Says the Republican, in concluding a description of it: "Thus ended the tame event of the season-the visit of Lieut. Gen. U. S. Grant to the commercial emporium of Georgia. We never remember witnessing so cold, inanimate and cheer less a reception as was tendered the great military hero of the age, and we were led to exclaim, " Sie transit gloria mundi."- Tri

The Fenian Brotherhood have had a T S T R A Y . Senators have begun a little warfare, making most grave charges of dishonesty and The most arrant knave and liar we know of fraud against each other. A Fenian Consthat widely quoted individual. "They Say." gress is to be convened in New York early next month, but from present indication the movement has been so badly crippled by internal dissensions as to seriously damage its prospects for the future. The Houston Telegraph, of the 1st inst.

reports the arrest, by Gen. Gregory, of M. States army, on the charge of using dogs to catch a negro, and falsely imprisoning him. A writ of habeas corpus was served on Gen. Gregory. who respected it but asked an extension until January 15 to answer it, so that he might receive instructions from Washington in regard to the matter. Col. Elmore was released upon giving beavy bail.

An inquest was held last week on the body of A. F. Keenan, a tailer, who committed suicide in New York, by taking s dose of laudanum. Disappointment in love and annovance at a serious impediment in his speech were the causes assigned. Keenan was an Englishman and s contributor to the columns of the Sunday Mercury.

A leading Congressman from New Eng land, says a Washington special, had an interview with the President on Saturday. when the latter expressed the belief that Congress and the Executive could have monize on a plan of reconstruction. The President, however, expressed his fears that, under the lead of Mr. Stevens, the House would take a position which it could hold.

New Advertisements.

FAIR-SISTERS OF CHARITY. A Fair will be held at Farrar Hall, on the 20th of De

cember, for the surpose of butarging the Horrital, on Fourth etcet, under the care of the hist ratof Charity As the number of inmates are constantly increasing, they are suffering great incourement of room in the building they now occupy. Any contributions from the distance of Fig. will be then fully resident. in the building they now occupy. Any contributi from the citizens of Erie will be thankfully received. mol6-td.

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A DMIN STRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Henry Kendell deed, late of North Rust tp. Rr. County, Pa, having been granted to the undersigned: Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the said setate to present two, duly authenticated, for ettlerest, and all indubted to the same are requested to make immediate payment.

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J. L. BPOOKINS. North East, Dec 14, ".5-fw" Administrato CITY AND COUNTY SURVEYING.

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—Titusville Herald.

Ex-President Pierce was baptized and confirmed in the Episcopal church, at Concord, N. H., on Sunday last.

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M. Mesemin, Jamestown, Mercer Co., Pa.
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B. Gols, Résneburg, Lawrence Co., Pa.
J. Ohl, Wolthorn, Col. Co., Pa.
B. Calbona, Werth Jackson, Vahoning Co., O.,
R. King, Unity, Col. Co., O. R King, Taity, Col. Co.. O.
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