TRIE. PA., MARCH 771. 1867.

CARCUS IN MILL CREEK .- A Cancus of the in the Town Hall, on Saturday afternoon, in the Town Hall, on Saturday afternoon, in the country of the Saturday afternoon, said placed on the train for Oil City. On the know through my personal experiences in the stownship ticket. A full attendance is re- way, when near Tionesta, they made an ex- South during the winter just passing, their attendance is requested. By order of the Committee.

CINVASSER WANTED -We want to secure the services of a gentleman of large acquaintance in the city and county; to act as canvagser for job work, advertising and subscriptions. Good wages and steady employment will be the embankment, although the train was run given. Apply to the editor of the Observer. mar7-tf.

The City Election. In spite of public sentiment, which has alwave been in favor of selecting the fittest men for municipal offices, without respect to their political views, the Radical leaders of our city have determined upon an effort to make the coming election a mere party contests A regnlarly organized plot was conceived some weeks ago, by which it was intended that certain schemers of that faction, who have long heen feeding out of the county treasury, but who have always been defeated in their aspi rations to rule over the affairs of the city, should manage to obtain control of the narty machinery, and, by the aid of political feet. ing foist themselves and friends into positions they can never secure through mere personal standing. In this, we feel assured they will fail, as they have so ignominiously on previous occasions. The masses of the Republican party understand the motives of these men, and will not suffer themselves to be dragooned by the cry of party into advancing the personal ambition of a set of greedy politicians. movement is on foot, including the best elements of both political organizations, to bring B people's ticket into the field, irrespective of party, and we have little hesitation in predict-

ing its certain and overwhelming success. The caucuses of the office-holders and office-seekers' faction were held on Saturday evening, and every one of them plainly demonstrated the fact of a concerted scheme such as we have referred to. The old political hacks were promptly on hand, and secured the organization in three of the Wards, nominating candidates and selecting delegates to the city convention, just as had been arranged in the programme prepared beforehand. In several instances nominees outside the clique were chosen, but the object was too plain to deceive any but the most credulous In the Third Ward, an unexpected hitch in the pro gramme took place, which resulted in a split. and the selection of two sets of candidates and

. The City Convention assembled on Tuesday evening, and after a stormy discussion over the merits of the competing sets of delegates from the Third Ward, finally compromised the difficulty by admitting both It was apparent from the first that the clique had advoitiv obtained the controlling power of the Convention: and the fact became doubly evident when J. R Cochran, one of the most unpopular residents of the city, received the nomination for mayor, by a nearly unanimous vote, over Mesers, Orange Noble and Andrew Scott, two of the most popular. The whole proceedings bore such manifest indications of having been "set up," that few outside of the parties directly concerned took much interest in them. and a great majority even of the party which the delegates professed to represent ridicule the result of their deliberations, and soout the pretence that it is of any hinding effect.

THE EXPRESS WAR .- The establishment a monopoly in this section, and the extertionbusiness poured into it to an amozing extent, and on inquiry we are satisfied that it is already doing by far the largest share of the express business of our city.

The American Company is now engaged in a bold and disgraceful attempt to ruin its youthful rival, in order that it may again eefers in the past, at the expense of its patrons' interests. An edict has been sent forth to reduce the rates to and from all points where the two lines come in competition, to less than those of the Merchants' Company, and. it is even hinted that where this will not secure the trade, still lower figures will be giv en. The design of this is too palpable to admit of misconception. It is hoped that the chosen to select a candidate for Mayor. The enormous wealth of the old company will enable it to hold out longer than its competitor, Council room, on Saturday evening, March Oth, plain or in colered inke, at short notice and and that in this way it will regain the monopoly it possessed for so many years. We have no special interest in either corporation, but the common sense of every man must teach him that the interests of the public will be better enhanced by two competing lines than if the express business were left wholly in the hands of any one company. Taking this view, we regard it as the duty of all to throw their trade into the hands of the Merchants', until it gets established on a footing that will secure it gets established on a footing that will secure pression prevailing too extensively in the its permanency. After that it will be time North respecting the real sentiment of the enough to discriminate, as may seem most advantageous, but until then, let every business man direct his exertions in such a way as to prevent the calamity of another monopoly like that with which we were burdened before the Merchants' Company began operations.

J. Rodney Coobran, baving by severe industry, and much beggarly solicitation on the part of himself and friends, secured a nomination for Mayor, proceeds incontinently to been his aim to teach the black men to make "spread himself" before his fellow citizens on the water question, and rushes into print in a highly refreshing and salubrious card, giving his views and opinions, apprehensions, doubts, beliefs and prognostications at length. In substance, and when dissected and thor-

oughly examined, the would be Mayor's plans seem to resolve themselves into the establishment of a Horse Pond, near the depot, and led by spec the conducting of water therefrom in wooden, leather or oil cloth pipes, to certain subterraneous cisterns or tanks to be inserted in the ill-disp ground at different points along the streets.

"an opinion as is an opinion." on this absorbing subject, can quietly read and inwardly who saindle the poor negroes shamefully by digest the same at their leisure, and all who selling them bogus jewelry and gewgaws at of retrenchment. The experience of Barnum favor the horse pond and wooden pipe idea most exhorbitant prices. In some instances will be sure to yets for John Redney for Mary these persons write for northern papers, and will be sure to vote for John Rodney for May-

of April, Easter Sunday. This period is observed with strict respect by the Catholic and Episcopal churches, and is the occasion of some of the most impressive ceremonies of those denominations. During its continuance the members of the Catholic creed especially, are required to obey rigid rules of abstinence.

Waterbury, Connectiont, for sixteen cents, Leader proposes to take the following counties to form the new State: Allegheny, Armstryng, Chicago Tribune, a leading radical paper in the North. I am thoroughly convinced that Congress, while prompted to many acts by an honest indignation, is terribly misled by statements of interested parties. The constant complaint of the Southern people is, that while of April, Easter Sunday. This period is obwhich no fai hful adherent will intentionally

DARING FRAT -Two men were arrested at | preference for qualified suffrage. Tidioute, Warren county, on Thursday last, on s charge of having robbed the Breevort Pea charge of having robbed the Breevort Peling of these matters. Fortune has so far troleum Company's office, near Rouseville, on aided my efforts that I am independent, and they stole one handred and eighty dollars, and Democratic voters of will Creek will be held almost killed the clerk, Mr. Foley, who slept in the office. They were hand-cuffed tegether, suse of going into the closet attached to the car, and in a moment or two afterwards one of the passengers, who was looking out of the den upon the Northern States, an unnecessawindow, saw them rolling down the back together. They had crawled through the win-

dow of the closet and thrown themselves down ing at the rate of 30 miles an hour at the time. The passenger who witnessed their unceremonious exit immediately notified the officer who pulled the belt rope, stopped the train, and started in pursuit of the prisoners, followed by about twenty passengers, In a short tim they came in sight of the fugitives, and several shots were fired at them none of which took effect; neither had they

ut. After a chase of about a mile the prisoners were overtaken, and yet would not stop until one of them received a blow on the head from the butt of one of the officer's pistols." cooly, giving full details of their mode of es- Treasurer, M. Schlaudecker; Directors, cape; stating that one of them had backed Eichenland, Jr., P. A. Becker, P. P. Liebel, F ut of the small saloon windows, and then Schneider, J. Geneheimer. with the arm which was manacled to his companion had succeeded in pulling that companion through the window, head first; and both had "gone it blind" down the embankment. broken as to do them no damage. - Exchange. two months.

Juar List -The following are the juror drawn for the court commencing on Monday of next week:

Erie-P Arbuckle, A A Adams, John Constable, Geo W Goodrich, C Kolb, Sam S Lytle Wm E McGill, Geo W Starr, H C Shannon South Erie—Heman Janes Mill Creek—G V Brindle, Walter Glenn, C K Biblet, Dan D Tracy. Harbor Creek-S Backus, J. H. Cao Tracy. Harbor Creek—S Backus, J. H. Can-ty. Wattsburg—J M Jenkins. Union Boro— J B Black, M Finnell, T.J Johnson, J A March, Jno Smiley. Union Tp-R H Church. Le Bout-Wm Averill. Greene-W T Myers. Summit-Oscar F Dunn, McKean-Jao Cran dall, John Vay, Jr. John Wermerling. Frank-lin—S Cornell. Elk Creek—H Huntington, J C Walls. Connesut—H L Herritt. Springfield -M H Gould. Girard Tp-M Lyon. Pairview.

-S M Eston. The following are the jurors for the cour commencing on the 8d Monday in the month: Erie-Dr O L Elliott, Juo Evans, P.Emling, P Sweeney, E. E. Sturzpickle. Mill Creek-Jas Evans, J. A. Parker, Israel Waidley. Har. bor Creek-H A Bell. Nor'h East Tp-Clark Bliss. North East Boro-John Greer. Buell Phillips. Greenfield-M M Gifford, Venango —Jonathan Chapin. Wattsburg—Geo Fish. Concord—E Heath. N Pierce. Corry—L Dun ham. Waterford Tp—A Brownell. Jas W Himrod. Waterford Boro—M Barnett. Wash--Sherwood McLellan, M Chase. Frank lin-Henry loward. Conneaut-Thos Beau mont. Springfield-Henry Dixon, Ed Smith. S D Ware. Girard-Johnston Ren. Fairview

Exection Case .- In court, last week, the case of T. E Gross and C. E. Duncombe, election officers of Venango township, against whom the Grand Jury, in February, found a true bill for receiving the vote of an alleged describer, came up for consideration, on a motion by Jas. C. Marshall, Esq., to quash the indictment-the two law judges, Johnson and refused to grant the motion, "stating, as its opinion, that the act of Assembly was consti tutional and binding upon election officers; but, that inasmuch as the defendants probably acted in good faith, a nolle prosequi might be by the Merchants' Union Express Company of entered upon payment of costs by the defendof an era which must ever be remembered with safest rule for election officers was to obey gratitude by our business men. Previous to the act of Assembly until it was set aside by that date the American Express Company had the Supreme Court." This decision is so entirely at variance with the ate rates which it exseted of customers proved previous action of Judge Johnson, \$100,000 for Dunkirk harbor was received in a grievous burden upon the public. An im- that we cannot avoid some surprise that he that place with great rejoicing, and everybody mense degree of diesatisfaction arose, and the should have given it his assent. The defend-

> upon their paying the costs. PEOPLE's CAUCUSES .- We have been reques-

ted to publish the following: Caucuses of the citizens in favor of nomi nating improvement candidates for local offices, without respect to party, will be held on Friday evening, March 8th, commencing at their number. Mr. Sherman possesses abilicure the monopoly by which it filled its cof- balf-past seven o'clock, at the following ties surpassed by few men in our section, and

1st District-Common Council room 2d District-Schults's Hall, corner German and 11th Sts. 8d District-Engine house on Peach stree near the depot.

4th District-Select Council room. At these caucuses nominations will be made for the various district offices, and delegates city convention will be held at the Select

Letter from Col. Dan Rice.

WILLARD'S HOTEL, Feb. 20. Having been solicited by many gentlemen in public life, members of Congress and others, who were aware that I had lately returned from a tour in the South, to give the resul of my observations of the people there, I have felt reluctant to intrude upon the public, but a sense of duty has impelled me to do so, in order to correct, if possible, the false im citizens of the States in which I traveled, viz: Louisiana, Alabama, Georgie, South Carolina, and Virginia. My personal observations have gerated reports are made by interested parties with an aggregate of seven hundred and respecting them, for the purpose of influenc-ing the legislation of Congress in such a manner as to keep the States lately in rebellion

themselves self-supporting, and just in pro-portion to their efforts in this direction are upon the skirts of the Government and feed-

The schools for colored children and adults which are supported by private contribution are doing well, while those maintained by the overnment are, in too many cases, conduct

The Freedman's Bure u in South Carolina under General Scott, is in good working order. his advertisements, his receipts swelled as sed officers have crept into positions and where speculators and claim agents of the taught him, that however duit the times, it

as it is for their interest to have the South

I have no political object in view, I have no pecuniary interests to subserve, in speakhas been mist at, and that if the hone rable Sensiors and Representatives knew what I need of an expensive military establishment there, which would prove an intolerable burry irritant upon the great national core, and which may lead to a chronic disarrangement

of "the best government the world over saw."
Respectfully yours, &c.,
DAN RICE. Items of Local Interest. We see it stated that Senator Lower has

signed the temperance pledge at Harrisburg. Go to strangers for charity, acquaintances for advice, and relatives for nothing, and you will always bave a supply.

It is stated that W. R. Johns, Esq , late of the Oil City Register, is about to start a tri it rather a risky experiment, but if any person can succeed. Johns is the man.

The officers of the German Savings Institution have been elected as follows: President They were defiant and took matters very John Gensheimer. Secretary, F. Schneider;

Kendall Wells, convicted of adultery at the February Court of Quarter Sessions, and whose sentence was reserved. was, last week. sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and costs and The snow being drifted, their fall was so be confined in the county jail for a period of

Simon Comeron was born in Lancaster county, in 1799, and is therefore sixty-eight years of ago. He is still as vigorous as most men are at fifty, and looks as if he might last twenty-five years longer The Mrs. Smith who eloped from her hus-

band in Pithole, a few days ago, with an individual named Rogers, has returned to her "liege ford," a wiser and sadder woman. We do not know whether the Washingto Republican meant to be serious or not, when it said, in a notice of Col. Bice's letter on the condition of the South: "His honesty is proverbial among all who know him."

The latter of Col. Dan Rice, which we print in another column, deserves careful consideration by the public. His opportunities for observing Southers feeling have been such as in the market, but none have been made to to give much weight to his report, and his Vm Merch, Wm Peffer, F Schlaudecker, Wm | candid opinion is of more value than that of any number of Radical politicians.

The complimentary appointment of Brevet Brigadier General has been conferred upon Col. D. B. McCreary by the President, and confirmed by the Senate. He is now a doubly created General, having previously secured the title by his selection for the Adjutant Generaloy of the State.

About a mile and a half from Tidioute is a place that rejoices in the name of Babylon, -Wm H Caughey, Perry G Fargo, A Fargo, which seems to furnish nine-tenths of the criminal cases reported in the Warren county papers. From the information furnished us about it, we judge Babylon to be a sort of second edition of the Five Points.

Keep out of debt-out of quarrels-out of law-out of politics-out of idleness-out of thin soled shoes-out of damp clothes-out of reach of beer and brandy-out of public office Vincent, being upon the bench. The Court are in love and have a snug sum laid by. Keep -out of jail-out of matrimony, unless you out of all these, and you will probably keep out of misery's ciutches.

The U. S. Senate has confirmed the appointment of John B. Hays as Assessor of Internal Revenue in the adjoining district of Grawford, Venango, Mercer and Clarion. Mr. Hays i a Johnson Republican, and has been most severely and shamefully traduced by the organs and leaders of Radicalism in the district.

The announcement of the appropriation of who had a flag ran it up in token of gravificaannouncement of a competing line was hailed auts, not caring about having further annoy- tion. The plans for the improvement of that with delight by all classes. The Merchants' ance on the subject, accepted the proffer of harbor contemplate an ultimate expenditure Company had no sooner opened its office than the court, and the prosecution was withdrawn of \$267,000. Happy Dunkirk; unfortunate Erie !

"Roger Sherman, Esq , a young gentle man well known to many of our citizens, has been admitted to practice in the courts of Venango county. He passed a more than usually creditable examination, and the bar were unanimous in consenting to his enrollment among we predict for him a prosperous and highly honorable career.

The Job Printing department of the Observer Office is one of the best furnished and organized in Pennsylvania. We have the latest and most elegant styles of type, borders, cuts, etc., and having engaged the most experienced and skillful workmen that can be found, are prepared to print anything, from the smallest visiting card to the largest poster, for moderate prices.

In a speech at the State Temperance Convention in Harrisburg, last week, Gov. Geary stated that he has not taken a drink of intoxicating liquor for many years. We have some curiosity to see what our cotemporary, the Dispatch, which not long since gave a graphic report of his visit to a German beer saloon in our city, and credited him with offering a now famous toast therein, will have to say about the Governor's statement.

The Buffalo Commercial publishes a com plete list of the disasters on the lakes and led me to the conclusion that false and exaggerated reports are made by interested parties with an aggregate of seven hundred and thirty-four disasters, involving the loss of ing the legislation of Congress in such a manner as to keep the States lately in rebellion out of the Union, in order that their own private ends may be secured.

General Howard's department is working well, with few exceptions. It seems to have been his aim to teach the black men to make themselves self-supporting, and just in proportion to their efforts in this direction are tributary rivers in 1866. It fills six columns. they prospering. The most miserable among forty-one lives and a quarter of a million of the blacks are those who persist in hanging dollars, showing a more favorable season for navigation in 1866 than in 1865.

Baroum once took on a fit of economy, and in order to cut down expenses, withdrew or shortened some of his advertisements. The consequence was an immediate desline in business. Changing his tactics, and renewing rapidly as they had before declined-which The awe-stricken public having now got old bounty swindling order have tampered was false economy to dispense with printer's with the freedmen.

There is a sett of trader in some districts and he determined he would never a set of trader in some districts. again make so stupid a blunder in the way should not be lost on business men.

Some of our Pittsburgh cotemporaries are dominated by a military force, they will, of given to spaces, and the latest and most ago-course, paint horrible pictures of the subdued alsing instance is in the shape of a suggestion Lent.—The religious season, known as rebels. in one instance that came to my from the Sunday Leader, of that city, for a knowledge, a trader had sold a breast-pin to division of Panusylvania into two States. The Wednesday, and will continue until the 21st a negro for five dollars, which was made in division of Pennsylvania into two States. The of April, Easter Sunday. This resid is ch. Waterbury, Connectiont, for sixteen cents, Leader proposes to take the following counties: scheme is a capital one to base sensation ediviolate. What the object of this custom is we sire the restoration of friendly relations with torials upon, but further than that it will not cannot now state, but it has existed time be. Government, they are accused most ussemount to much. It must be acknowledged, cannot now state, but it has existed time bejustly of numberless outrages and wrongs.

In regard to the question of suffrage, I have
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GEORGE HILL.

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The anniversary of St. Patrick's day, is to be celebrated in our city, on Monday evening, by an entertainment in Farrar Hall. Th proceedings will be opened by a procession Cherry run, on the previous night, where am actuated solely by a desire to see the in which the various societies connected with they stole one handred and eighty dollars, and country restored to a happy condition. Up the Roarth Street Church, will participate.

The entertainment will domprise tableaux. The entertainment will comprise tableaux music, an oration on freland by Rev. J.O. Mul lane, and responses to tossia by a number of gentlemen of our city. These colebrations usually call out our Irish population in full force, and we expect, and will hardly be likely to be disappointed in the expectation, that Farrar Hall will be jammed to its utmost ca-

In our absence, last week, notice was forgotten to be made of the sale of Brown's Hotel, to George Sherman, of this city, for the sum of \$75,000. The terms of sale were \$10,-000 cash, and the balance in ten years. Those who are best posted on the value of the pro- NO. 1319 PEACH STREET perty regard the purchase as an exceedingly favorable one for Mr. Sherman. It is his intention to thoroughly refit the hotel, and the stores and offices connected with it. The hotel will continue to be kept by Mesers, Loomis the result of stopping those they were simed weekly journal in that city. We should judge & Tyler, who have a lease which runs for some time to come.

It is generally admitted by newspapers throughout the country that the winter for farmers. There has been snow enough who are prone to indulge in gloomy forebod come the great necessities of life.

ble in that upon the Lake. Unless we have severer cold spell than is likely to occur, day then usual.

We call attention to the attractive halfcolumn advertisement of W. G. Gardner, who has opened a new stove and house furnishing hardware store South of the depot. He prooses to keep on hand the best goods-in his TABLE AND POCKET CUTLERY. ine, and to sell them at prices that defy com-

fine instrument which surpasses all others of the kind. There are many other imitations cess that has attended their efforts to pr superior instrument. Almost all other makers have hitherto failed to produce an instrument which answers the object designed

MARRIED.

ALDRICH-DEMONTE-At the residence of Mr Madison Silverthorn, Feb. 20th, by Rev. W. N. Renc, Mr. P. L. Aldrich, of Logi-port, formerly of Winchendou, Mass. and Miss Nan. A. DeMonte, of Girard. ETTIBOXE-COOK-At the residence of the Bride's mother, on Feb. 21st, by Rev. W. N. Reno, Mr. Riley Pettibone, and Miss Mary Cook, both of Girard.

lannis-Dansen-On the 20th of Pebruary, by the Rev. A. M. Tennant, Mr. Frank Harris, of Union Mills, and Miss Olive B. Danner, of Bloomfield. MILLER-BURBOUGHS-In Union Mills, Feb. 27, by Rev. O. L. Mead, Mr. Edwin Miller, 27, by Rev. O. L. Mead, ur. and Miss Fanny A. Bur-

Willie Byron Horton, only son of Charles and Elvira C. Horton, in the 12th year of Pales-On February 28d, James Sherman Williams, aged 1 year and 7 months.

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And role -ntered for the Prethonotary to assess the
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has been an exceedingly favorable one to protect the wheat, and there is every prospect of abundant crops. Such news is always cheering at this season of the year, and those ings may find comfort in turning their attention to our agricultural regions, from whence

Our citizens interested in the Lake trade ere beginning to make preparations for the re-PLAIN, sumption of navigation. The bay is nearly free from ice, and a considerable gap is visinavigation bids fair to open at an earlier

The Jackson (Mich.) Citizen says :-- We would call the attention of our friends to this equal the American Organ. We would con-gratulate the Messra. Smithon the entire suca substitute for the pipe organ. The American Organ comes the nearest to the accomplishment of this end of any instrument we have ever seen or heard.

DIED. TATE-In Summit. Peb. 5th. of inflammatory croup, Maggie Augusta, daughter of J. A. and Mary Tate, aged 7 months and 9 days. BEOR At North East, Pa. Pahenary 1911

son of James and Margaret Felts, aged 1-year, 3 months and 2 days. VILLIAMS-On February 25th. Esther Bell Cowdex - In Union Mills, on February 27th, Mrs. Elmira Cowden, wife of Marcus Cow

den, aged 60 years.

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The medicine will still be prepared under my immediate expervision, and those qualities which have galand for it a reputation search! ever gained by any other proprietory medicine, and which have made it the Family Medicine character it has become known, will be fully maintained in every perticular.

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