GEO. A. ALLEN, Attorney at Law, Cor., of State and 7th Sta. fover Nick's Drug Store, Erie, Pa. janks-if

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Assignee's Sale. Assignee's Sale.

IN VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of the District of the United States for the Western District of Penn's, I will sell at public sale at I mion, Frie County Pa., at the Bennett House, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 11th day of March, 1839, one hundred shares of the capital stock of 1839, one hundred shares of the capital stock of 1840 on and Titusville Rai.road Company, a fet of oil stock, and all the book accounts, of R. If Frisbee, bankrupt. Terms of sale—Lash, Frisbee, bankrupt. REMEY M. RIBLET, Assignee.

Administrator's Notice. Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION on the estate of Andrew baker, dec'd, late of Greene to, Erie to, Pa, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all indebted to the same to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

Administrator. Administrators' Notice.

Administrators Notices

ETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION on the estate of James Tato, dee'd, late of Summit to, Erio Co., Pa., naving been granted to the undersqued, notice is hereby given to all indebted to the same to make immediate payment, and those having cams against said estate will present them, duly authenticated, for MARTHA TATE, settlement, H. L. PINNEY, Administrators Assignee in Bankruptey.

Assignee in Bankrupicy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT of the United States, for the Western District of Penn'a, in the matter of Wm. V. Woods, bankrupt. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Wm. V. Woods, of Union, in the county of Eric and State of Pennsylvania, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said district, dated at Eric, Pa., rict Court of said district, dated at Erie, Pa. Feb. 2. A. D., 1859.
HENRY M. RIBLET, Assignee, Atty. at Law, No. 1823 Peach St., Erie, Pa. feb2-81 Assignee in Bankruptev.

Natigue in panarapter.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Penn'a, in the matter of G. W. Browning, bankrupt. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of G. W. Browning, of Union, in the county of Eric, and State of Penn'a, withmedia district, who has been adjudged a bankruptupon his own petition by the District Court of said District. Dated at Eric, Pa., Feb. 20, A. D., 1869. Atty, at Law, No. 1323, Peach St., Erie, Pa.

Voluntary Bankruptey. Voluntary Bankruptcy.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that on the 1th I day of Jan., A. D., 1889, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of R. S. Hunter, of Erie city, Erie county, and State or Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him and for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbiden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of sald bankrupt, to prove their debts and to choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of the Register, in the city of Erie, Pa., before S. E. Woodruff, Esq., Register in said District, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1823, at 10 o'clock, A. M. A. ROWLEY,

U. S. Marshal, Messenger,
By G. P. Davis, Dept. U. S. Marshal,

Assignee in Bankruptey. IN THE DISTRICT COURT of the United States, for the Western District of Penn'a., in the matter of Solomon Cohen, bankrupt. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Solomon Cohen, of Erie, in the county of Erie and State of Fenn'a, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said district/dated at Erie, Fa., Feb. Ja. A. D. 1859. a., Feb. 19, A. D. 1880... HENRY M. RIBLET, Assignee, Atty, at Law, No. 1223 Peach St., Erle, Pa. leb25.3t

Notice of a Proposed Sewer. THEREAS, aundry owners of real estate y abutting on State street, in the city of Erie, tween Tenth and Twelfth streets, believed to between Jestia and Amelia stream, or lieved to be a majority of the property owners between said points, have petitioned the City Councils for the construction of a sewer in said streets, between said points; therefore, notice is here-by given to alibersops having objections to the construction of such sewer at the expense of said owifers to annear before the Said Councils. by order of the Councils of the city of Erie.

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MANY PERSONS who, in years gone by MANY PERSONS who is the part of the part of the country and intend placing it in every store where medical intend placing it in every store where medical intend placing it in every store where medical intenditions in this and the adjoining counties. My old customers in particular and the public in general may now feel sure of getting this article at all times in its full strength and Purity. Price by Single Bottle to Cents.

Mr. Maynar ously injured Once More in the Field.

WEEKLY OBSERVER

ERIE, PENN'A, FEBRUARY 25, 1869. NOTICE .- After this date no paper will be sent from this office, for any leight of time, without payment in advance, unless by the order of parties whose responsibility we are no quainted with.

All subscriptions must be settled annually. Bills will be sent at the close of each year to those who are in arrears. Jobbing accounts are due as soon as the work is delivered.

ORDAINED.-Rev. Thomas A. Casey, or this city, and Rev. Joseph M. Dunn, of New York, were on Sunday last, ordained to the Priesthood, in St. Patricks Cathedral, Fourth street. The ordination ceremony was performed by Bishop Mullen, assisted by a number of clergymen of his diocese. The church was crowded to its utmost capacity during the progress of the imposing ceremony.

Nor LIEBLY.-The following has been gowe find it copied into several Pennsylvania journals, including the Dispatch: "A man from the interior of Pennsylvania

lost his pocket book a day or two ago. A by-stander saw the thief but refused to describe the pick-pocket. In explanation of this strange refusal he asked the victim, "why did you charge me ten cents for a drink o There was nothing more to be said after that."

We are astonished to see papers in our own State giving currency to statements of this kind. It is extremely improbable that any such occurrence as the above transpired. and the New York press only make use of it to cast slurs upon the residents of this State.

GRANT OF WATER LOTS .-- At the meeting of Councils on Monday night the Committee to whom was referred the application of Messrs Janes, Walker, Vincent and Marshall asking for a grant of fifteen of the city water Lots, handed in their report. They recommend that this number of lots be sold to the applicants for \$5,000, and that they further bind themselves in the sum of \$25,000 to erect a blast furnace thereon within one year from the 1st of April next. The capacity of this furnace must be at least equal to that of the Shenango Valley Iron works of Messrs Boyce, Rawle & Co., and the bond to be given under the same restrctions and conditions imposed upon Henry Rawle and his associates. Councils adopted the report of the Committee, and, as the applicants in both cases are among our most wealthy and energetic citizens, we may look for the early completion of an enterprise that will give a new impetus to the, business and prosperity of the city.

THE PROPOSED NEW RAILROAD.-The new route contemplated by the Pennsylva nia Railroad Company, to which we referred a couple weeks ago, is designed chiefly for the transportation of freight at slow speed. The proposed branch road will leave the Philadelphia & Erie at the mouth of Bennet's branch of the Susquehanna, and follow, that stream to the summit, and down the waters of the Red Bank to its confluence with the Allegheny, and thence to Pittsburgh. Upon no portion of this route is there s gradient exceeding sixteen feet per mile, except for about four miles at the summit where the grade will be 48 feet, and about the same distance near the mouth of the Mahoning, where it will reach about 55 feet to the mile. The latter grade may be avoided by continuing up the side hill after striking this creek, and intersecting the Allegheny Valley Railroad lower down; but the work would be expensive and would retard the completion of the road. It is not proposed to extend the Philadelphia & Erie line beyond Brookville in this direction, as it will be there met by the Western Pennsylvania or Allegheny, Valley Railroad, the charter of both of which companies cover the ground. From Brookville the Philadelphia & Eric will eventually be carried Westwardly, south of the Lakes, connecting therewith by branch-roads. The grading of this railway for about 20 miles is now under conlet as soon as the line is carefully located. This line will be constructed with the view to cheanen the cost of freight transportation, so as to compete with water lines leading New York:

A Horrista Revesce.-A physician of Williamsport, having for a long time suspected the fidelity of his wife, a few days since resolved to set a trap by which to discover whether his suspicions were well founded or party influences compelled him to make the not. He cut away one of the panels of the door leading to their sleeping apartment, in such a manner as to be easily removed from the outside, and then gave notice that he was going away and would be absent for some time. He left that hight but returned about two o'clock in the morning, and, proceeding to his wife's foom, he removed the panel and unlocked the door. Entering the room, his worst suspicions were verified, for there, in unconscious slumber, reposed his wife and her paramour. He quietly went to his study, saturated a sponge with chloroform, secured his case of instruments, and re turning applied the spange to the nostrils o each alternately. He then horribly mutilated his unconscious rival by cutting and slashing his body in a number of places, and finished up the job by fastening a padlock to his wife's person, then calling at the residence of a brother physician, told him there was a case at his house which required attention, and took the train for parts unknown. The victim of this awful revenge was a well known gambler of Westfield, and his dead body was taken through our city on Satur-

day to his former home. -LOCAL LEGISLATION. - Representative Stranshan introduced the following bills into the Legislature on Monday: An act prohibiting the licensing of any billiard tables or bowling alley in or near Edinboro. An act to prohibit the selling of liquor to students of the Normal School at Edinboro. An act to authorize the transfer of prisoners to the Warren county jail during the construction of the Erie jail. An act authorizing the Road Commissioners of Wayne tp. to levy mills on the dollar, to pay the indebtnesss of ton, and the reporters of several newspapers, said township. An act to incorporate the Union Mills Savings Institution of this county. An act for the better protection and maintenance of the poor in Eric county, and | behind time, but he was still confident of acto equalize the burden of taxation for the complishing his 5,000 mile walk and having same. Mr. Rea also introduced a bill to amend the road laws in the township of

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.-The parade of the Irish American Benevolent Association and the members of the Fire Department, on Monday afternoon, was a very creditable affair. Several hundred men were in the procession, and two bands furnished most excellent music. After parading a number of streets they separated, and in the evening a social re-union was held at Brown's Hotel. A large number of ladies and gentlemen were present, several speeches were made some beautiful songs were rendered in fine style, and the piano, controlled by skilful fingers, discoursed sweet music. The festivities were protracted until long after midnight, and the occasion will not soon be within a few minutes. forgotten by all who were fortunate enough

Girard and Springfield.

FROM THE WESTERN PART OF THE COUN-Tr.-Our correspondent "Saxie" sends us the following items from the Western part of

Court Proceedings. The regular term of the Court of Quarter lessions commenced on Monday, the 22d inst., Hon. John P. Vincent presiding. The

following cases were disposed of: George Bird-charged with receiving stolen goods. This case was tried at a former term of Court, but the jury failed to agree. A petition from a number of citizens of Wayne tp., asking that a nolle prost be entered, was presented to the Court. The recognizance of the defendant, forfelted at last term was ordered remitted, and nolls pros.

intered on payment of costs. On Monday afternoon the roll of Grand Jurors was called, and, previous to being sworn, they were addressed by the Judge. In the course of his instructions he remarked: "I am informed that there is scarcely an eating house or saloon in the city that man has a horse or a watch, he puts it up at a good price and disposes of it by lottery, and the excuse is that the churches set the ing the rounds of the New York press, and example." The law relating to such illegal practices was read, and the Grand Jury informed that it was their duty to do some. thing toward preventing the habit al infraction of this law.

> In the case of Barbara Wolff-indicted for selling liquor on Sunday, a nolle pros. was entered on payment of costs.

Com. vs. Clark McSparren, indicted for maintaining a nuisance—verdict not guilty, and county pay the costs. The defendant is owner of the Eric City Mills, located near the depot. A small stream, called Ichabod Run, has been dammed up for the purpose of supplying the mill with water. Complaint was made-that in summer time the sluggish water becomes noxious and unhealthy. Several witnesses testified that a very unwholesome odor arises from the stream in warm weather and that sickness is caused by the same. The counsel for the lefence proved that the disagreeable smell complained of was caused by the deposits of offal and filth thrown into the dam, and that the culvert over Peach street built by the city in 1805, had prevented the flow of water and caused the stream to rise about fifteen inches higher, thereby making it a reservoir that retained all deposits. The Court held that as the city had erected the dam, and not Mr. McSparren, a mistake had been made in electing the defendant, and the jury were so instrúcted,

James Hayes, indicted for stealing a horse, buggy and harness from Mr. Chambers, of Harbor Creek, plead guilty; sentenced to four years imprisonment in penitentiary. Lovia Sterling, indicted for larceny, in ap-

propriating two one hundred dollar notes,

and other property, to which Mr. Churchill, of LeBœuff, laid claim. Verdict guilty. Sentenced to penitentiary for three years. Kavanaugh, plead not guilty to the soft impeachment of having surreptitiously obtained possession of Philip McGuire's pocket-book, containing \$45. The evidence would seem to indicate that Mr. Kavanaugh was guilty, at east so thought the jury, and he was sentenced to restore the stolen property, pay a fine of \$100 and costs, and be committed to

the Western Penitentiary for the space of three years. Michael Timon was found guilty of selling liquor without a license, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 for the benefit of the East Mill Creek school district, \$5 for the law library, and the costs of prosecution, and to stand committed until these accumulated penalties were forthcoming. The point was made that Timon's wife was the party who sold the liquor, but the Court held that a man was responsible for his lietter half's

Jr.E. Fennő and Sarah Clark, indicted for

conspiracy. Verdict "not guilty," but J. E. Fenno to pay the costs. James Horrigan, indicted for "wilfully, maliciously and riotously disturbing the peace at an election." Verdict "not guilty," riotous demonstration at the polls in Corry, at the last Presidential election. We undertract, and all of its expensive sections will be I stand that the suit was brought at the instigation of a few violent partisans who discovred, some time after the election, that Mr. Horrigan had voted the Democratic ticket, and who, until that time, were under the impression that he had not done so. A tremenlous disturbance and very riotous demonstration was immediately charged upon this gentleman; and as the constable who returned him testified, it would not have been considered a returnable offence had not certain

return. Nicholas Boardman, indicted for sodomy case was charged with committing a crime against nature upon the person of a little boy, son of Mr. Frederick Brown, of McKean verdict was returned.

Our report closes with the proceedings up to Wednesday evening.

ADVERTISE YOUR SPRING SALES IN THE PAPERS.—The season is approaching when vendues of personal property will be common in all sections of the county. We allude to the subject thus early for the nurpose of reminding our country readers who intend to sell out during the coming spring, that too much attention cannot be paid to advertising thoroughly. Advertise your sales | Legislature, passed 1834, which provides in the newspapers. It may cost you a few dollars but will probably add twice as much to your proceeds. A handbill is only seen by a few, but the newspaper reaches the many. It goes into the houses, and is read by all the members of the family. In this way your sales will get greater publicity, and will induce a larger number of persons to attend.

FAILURE OF WESTON .- On Saturday night the "human velocipede" came to a halt at Buffalo, New York. He alleges that he is compelled to stop for want of funds, and the reporter of the Sun-who was accompanyand collect a special tax, not to exceed 15 | ing him in his great walk-states that Wesare now at the American Hotel, in Buffalo, in an almost destitute condition. At the time he broke down, Weston was ten days congratulate our. Crawford county brethren three days to spare. As this is the second failure lie has attributed to scarcity of funds, we conclude that big walking, as a pecuniary transaction, is not very profitable.

FATAL ACCIDENT .- A rumor was current in this city on Saturday that George Tabor, Esq., a well known and highly respected citizen of Union, had been killed at Warren on the 19th inst. It gives us much pleasure to: be able to state that the rumor was unfounded, although a sad accident occurred in Warren on that day by which a gentleman named George W. Tabor, of Pine Grove township, came to his death. He was attempting to get on board a passenger train just as it was starting, when he accidentally slipped and fell beneath the wheels of the car, where he was that compensation for losses will soon be crushed in such a manner as to produce death

SERIOUS ACCIDENT -- A young son of policeman Schneider was riding on the front of an engine, on the Buffalo & Erio road, on Thursday of last week, and, attempting to jump off for the purpose of changing Cents.

J. B. CHITER.

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Autobiography of a Very Silly s'Goose." [The following editorial from the daily Republican of Friday is so strikingly beautiful and original that we cannot consent to have it limited to the two or three hundred subscribers of that wonderful paper. We take the liberty of dividing it into chapters. and head lines, in order to bring out its mer-

CHAPTER L.—The Goose's Preface—Whys su The other day we suggested that all the applicants for postmastership here should send their papers down to the Observer office and have them weighed, and that the "win-ner of the "heavy weight" be forthwith de-clared the incumbent of the office. CHAPTER IL—The Goose, as Champion of "Light Weights" Sees an Obvious Singlestion.

its the more plainly!

The suggestion was obvious from the trip, for \$19.05.
"heavy weight" the editor of that sheet had THE seventeen does not have a lottery once a week. If a given to the subject in several numbers of his CHAPTER III.-The Republican Goose make

· our Silly Goose one of her Confidents. We said we had high authority for saying neighbors decision would be "sound on the Reoublican goose." CHAPTER IV.—The Goose Explains his Fami-

Anxious to know all about his relatives, he editor of that sheet wants to know ho long we have "been sound on the Republican goose" that we should speak with such positive knowledge as to what would satisfy his maternal relative.

ly History-Begins Life as a Donkey.

CHAPTER V.-In "Two Seconds" is Transformed from a Donkey into a Full Fledged Willing to afford our cotemporary all the nformation he wants on this interesting sub ect, we reply that to the best of our knowledge and belief it was just about two seco

previous to writing the paragraph that so disturbs his goose-ine reflections. POST SCRIPT—It might have been a Fraction It might have been a fraction of a second more or less; we really can't say.

POST SCRIPT No. 2.—The Length of his Ears was so precious."

CHAPTER VI.-The Goose again Refers to his Family Record. Again, so anxious is the editor of that pa-

per to find out the doings of his aquatic projenitor, that he propounds another "goose" question, namely—whether the "Republican goose" has adopted us as one of its "goslings." CHAPTER VII.-The Old Goose Tells the Silly Goose Confidentially that he is not her Goo

ling. We have made the necessary inquiries and we are glad to assure our cotemporary, on the authority of the old "goose" herself, that she has not; that the position is not

CHAPTER VIII.—She may adopt one Som Day, but it will not be a Donkey in Disguise -that when she adopts another "gosling" she will choose one like the editor of the Observer, with well-developed pin teathers-CHAPTER IX.—The Goose in one of his Aquatic Excursions makes a Startling Discovery, Uses Soap for the First Time, is Taken Sick and throw up a Disgusting Quantity of Old

and a perfect batred of that article which so effectually spoils all water for little "gos-lings" to paddle in, familiarly known as-

END OF THIS STORY AND OF THE SILLY GOOSE THE PHILADELPHIA AND ERIE RAILBOAD

total earnings during that period \$2,804,250. and regarded as one of the most beautiful The total expenses foot up \$2,887,125, ever erected. including the thirty per cent. of the earnings which is payat to the P. & E. R. R. Co The loss to the company operating the line thus amounts to \$83,274, or \$271,177 less but defendant to pay the costs. In this case than the loss of the preceding year. This Mr. Horrigan was charged with making a exhibit shows a flattering increase in the business and earnings of the road, under the decrease in the relative expenses arises from the fact that the great outlava of the preceding year, when the road was very defective, placed it in a condition which diminished the expenses arising from its former incomplete

RETRACTION.—"Under a misapprehension of the facts," Mr. P. T. Barry withdraws the accusations publicly made against the honor of Mr. Barrett, and gives him a certificate as being "an honest and upright young man, Verdict "not guilty," but guilty of an attempt and deserving of public confidence," in conto commit the crime. The defendant in this sideration whereof we presume Mr. Barrett withdraws his suit for libel which he preferred against Mr. Barry. It often proves a very disagreeable matter to rush into print township. The evidence was not sufficient and afterwards find out that statements which to convict him of the actual commission of are publicly paraded are made without founthe crime, but was strong enough to show dation in fact; and we are glad to see in this that an attempt had been made and so the instance that the proper amende has been weedlick was returned. he had iterated charges without sufficient proof to verify them. We hope our friends will immediately establish the entente cordiale. by mutually forgetting the cause of their receut unnicasantness.

WE announced last week that the tie vote for Burgess, at the recent municipal election at Warren, had been decided in favor of Mr. S. J. Page, by the contestants drawing lots, The Warren Ledger now puts a new face on the matter by stating that the act of the that in case the same number of ballots are cast for opposite candidates the parties shall gamble for the office; will not answer in this case. The borough was incorporated about two years before this act was passed, and the law only applies to boroughs "hereafter incorporated." From this the Ledger is led to infer that Mr. Page is not legally qualified to act as Burgess, at least until the matter is determined in Court.

DELEGATES ELECTED.—The County Committee of Crawford county met at Meadville last week, and elected Thos. W. Grayson Senatorial, and John G. Burlingham and Thos. D. Nash Representative delegates to the next Democratic State Convention. These are most excellent selections, and we upon the good judgment they have displayed. The Senatorial delegate belongs to Crawford this year by virtue of the system of alternation which has existed ever since the district was organized, and which has worked so leasantly in the past that it is not likely to be interfered with for a long time to come The delegates were lest without instructions:

ANOTHER RAILBOAD WAR.—The great East and West railroad lines are again at war with one another. Westward bound freight, has been reduced from \$1.70 to 40 cents per 100 pounds, and a corresponding reduction in passenger rates is predicted. This will not be very good for the stockholders, but the public will for a time reap the benefit. As soon as the quarrel among rival lines is settled, the tariff will be increased so made up.

ATTEMPTED INCENDIABLEM.—An attempt was made on Tuesday night last to set fire to the brick block on Peach street, above the depot. A quantity of oil was poured on the floor and ignited, but the flames, died out without communicating with the boards. In appraisa to the candidates mentioned

LOCAL BREVITIES.

THE first day of Spring, according to the almanac, is the 20th of March. THE North East Star has been enlarged to the extent of a column on each page. THE price of petroleum has advanced ma erially within the past few days.

Tue life of Dr. W. M. Jennings, of Titusville, who accidentally poisoned himself recently, was insured for \$15,000. Ir is said that petitions are in circulation

in various towns along the Lake Shore Railroad praying the company to discontinue the running of trains on Sunday. PERSONS desiring to visit Washington city tring the inauguration ceremonies, can procure excursion tickets, good for the round

THE seventeenth of next month is Baint Patrick's Day. We presume our Irish fellow citizens will take some method to appropriately celebrate this festival of Ireland's great apostle.

Business on the Lake Shore Railroad is very brisk at present. The average number of freight cars passing over it reaches two hundred per day. There is also an increase in the passenger traffic. THE Warren county Democratic Commit-

tee will meet at the Carver House on Tuesday, March 2d, for the purpose of selecting a del-cgate to represent that county in the State

Jan. 4To cash from sale of sheep skins

Warrants in circulation..... egate to represent that county in the State Convention. A GREAT many are prevented from going

to church on Sunday, on account of wet weather or disagreeable walking, but these causes do not prevent a single man from attending to his business on week days. THE store of Beecher & Nason, at North East, was entered by burglars a few nights ago and robbed of about \$200 worth in

money and goods. An attempt was also to rob a hardware firm in the same town, but the burglar was discovered and compelled to beat a hasty retreat. All we recollect about it is that our "time was so precious" that we really hadn't time pany has purchased the elevator and dock to make a "note of it," as Capt. Cuttle says. sum of \$200,000. If these figures are cor-

handsome return for their investment, and

all other citizens will rejoice over their good A MAN named Jacob Yehl, who resided in the vicinity of Warren, was walking on the railroad track in the direction of that town, on Tuesday of last week, when the Accommodation train west came along, and before he could leave the track he was struck by the cow-catcher of the engine and thrown into the ditch by the roadside. When taken

up life was extinct. AN INDIVIDUAL considerably the worse for iquor went to the Court House on Tuesday, while the Court was in session, and, as the roceedings were doubtless calculated to proluce drowziness, he concluded to indulge in a little snooze. His dreams were probably of an uppleasant nature, as he woke up by giving vent to a regular Indian "war whoop." His Honor kindly consigned him to jail.until he would recuperate.

THOSE of our readers wishing Marble Work of any kind should not fail to visit the establishment of E. Leonhard, on Ninth street, between State and Peach. He is un-From the published statement of the board | questionably the best workman in the city, of directors of the Pennsylvania Central and some of his specimens would do credit to Railroad, who are the lessees of the Philadel- the finest establishment in the country. Mr. phia & Erie road, we gather the following L has lately arrived among us from Europe, report of the earnings and expenses of the where his reputation stood so high that he was latter thoroughfare, for the year 1868: The selected to execute the monument erected by amount of receipts from passenger travel was the Duke of Nassau in memory of his de-\$631.437: from freight, \$2,101,613, and from ceased wife, which is yearly visited by thoumiscellaneous sources \$71,198-making the sands of admirers from all parts of the world,

New Publications.

THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY for March contains a number of excellent sketches, poems, &c., furnished by Bayard Taylor, John G. Whittier, James Parton, Mrs. H. B. Stowe, Alice Cary and others,

THE GALAXY is rapidly extrine a renute efficient management of the lesses. The increase can be ascribed principally to the development of the freight traffic, and the decrease in the relative expenses arises from to all who desire to subscribe for a first-class THE NURSERY for March will gladden the

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Darius Cole, aged 65 years.

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Feb. 4 To cash from Willy Preston, board.

March 4 To cash from C. Kolb for Mrs. Matthaten.

Aprils To cash from sale of clover seed.

8 To cash from warrant issued in " 3 To cash from Geo W Gunnison, "3 To cash from Geo W Gunnison,
Esq. 1 liquor fines.
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Oct. 8 To cash from JC Harrison for T
Wilson's board.
"10 To cash from F Curtze, Esq. one liquor fine.
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"14 To cash from Geo W Gunnison,
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Total EXPENDITURES.
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Clothing and trunks \$8,50,chairs, stools, etc, \$3,00.
Blacksmithing \$51,00, bags \$7.50.
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Commission to Hayes & Kepler for sale of the Jesse Wall's property.
Constables fees \$3,48, coffins \$105...
Clocks and repairs \$6,50, corn \$105...
Dry goods \$961,48, drugs and medicines \$40,50.

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House and kitchen farniture.

Harness and repairs.

Justices fees \$81,22, lime \$3,00.
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" Wm M Arbuckle, clerk and
treasurer I year...
Stationery, stamps, books and ink...
Taxes \$4,60, turnips \$10, thrashing \$70,00
Tobacco \$22,55, hunting new farm \$1,15
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Western Penn'a Hospital
Half of one liquor fine returned....
Printing law proceedings of new Board
and annual statement...
Coal for house.
Sundries bought at the Knapp sale...
Religious and educational expenses.

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\$21,675 30 t 7.30 0. 8,010 0 1,937 8 Total \$32,448 1

Wm M Arbuckle, Treasurer, in account with the Directors of the Poor for the year 1883: DE. Jan l To cash in Treasury as per Andi-842 38 \$31,617 95

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