

THE WEEK.

The Russian war seems to be a matter about which such conflicting reports are promulgated, that at this end of the wire but little is definitely known.

It was decided at the cabinet meeting Friday last, that the extra session of congress, rendered desirable by the failure of the last congress to pass the army appropriation bill, is not to be called to meet in June next, but on October 15.

It was also considered that if congress meet in October it may remain in continued session and finish the business before next summer so as to avoid the inconvenience of the hot season next year as well as this.

A proclamation calling the extra session on October 15, was issued on Saturday last.

The attention of the post office department has been called to the fact that certain publishers of periodicals make it a practice to send out under cover of their publications advertisements printed separately (sometimes on paper of different size, and not even attached to the periodicals), the effect being to save the difference between the rates of postage for magazines and those for circulars.

The postmaster general holds that this practice is an evasion of the postal law and that all such advertisements must be considered as extraneous matter, subjecting the entire periodical with which it is thus sought to be incorporated, to postage at the rate of printed matter of the third class.

The postage is three cents per pound on periodicals and eight cents per pound for circulars, handbills and similar advertisements.

There are no opponents of the policy of Mr. Hayes in Louisiana and no party but that of the Democracy.

The old radical politicians are very busy about resurrecting the corpse of the old whig party.

On Tuesday afternoon of last week a very sad accident robbed Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Case of a bright little son of four summers. The child, while playing on the banks of the canal which runs along the rear of the lot on which his parent's house stands, in some way lost his balance and fell into the water.

came and removed the child from its watery grave. The father is an engineer on the North Penn. R. R. and became on subsequently to attend the funeral, which took place at Elizabeth on Sunday. -Wilkes-Barre Leader.

The Dictionary as an Instructor.

We notice as a matter well worth mentioning, that at the recent great publishers' sale in New York, the books that were most in demand and brought the best prices were Webster's dictionaries, from the famous quarto to the neat and handy pocket edition.

The remedy for these evils is the proper training in the study of words, by the use of the Dictionary, and this training should begin as soon as the child can distinguish between one word and another, and continue indefinitely.

The unabridged contains 3,000 illustrations, over 114,000 words in its vocabularies, and 10,000 words and meanings not in any other Dictionary; the abridged editions comprise "The Primary," which has the largest sale, and which has some capital rules for spelling.

Senator Cameron will doubtless think "how sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to have a thankless child," as he reads the report of the protest of ex-Senator John Scott against the Cameron domination in Pennsylvania.

Mr. Richard Ten Broeck's Marriage.

The Louisville Courier-Journal, in announcing the marriage to Mr. Richard Ten Broeck of Mrs. H. D. Newcomb, widow of the late president of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, simply adds that the event "naturally caused a great sensation in Louisville society."

Enforcing the Blue Laws.

A correspondent of the N. Y. Sun says, that within a few weeks the authorities of South Norwalk Conn., have been endeavoring to revive the old "Blue Laws," with regard to the observance of the Sabbath, which were enacted 100 years ago, and have never been repealed.

It is impossible on that day to hire a carriage for a pleasure drive, as the stablemen are commanded to let their conveyances only to persons wishing to drive to church. The street cars also are ordered to stop running on Sunday, but in a measure, this order is disobeyed, and a few cars are run during the day.

The citizens are very much annoyed by these interferences with their rights, and considerable indignation has been shown. Many are very outspoken in their expressions of disapprobation at the enforcement of these laws, and it is not improbable that steps will be taken to do away with a code that is universally regarded as a public nuisance.

Advertisements New This Week.

ASSIGNED NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that Patrick Cary of Appoquin, having made a general assignment to the undersigned for the benefit of his creditors, at present indebted to said Cary, are requested to make immediate payment to and all persons having claims against him to present the same duly verified to M. E. RYAN, Assignee.

NOTICE OF INQUEST. Susquehanna County, ss. Orphans' Court of said County. In the matter of JOHN LORD, DEC'D, in Partition of real Estate—Order of Inquest.

TAKE NOTICE that an inquest will be held on the lands and at the dwelling house of the said decedent, in the township of Lathrop, in the county of Susquehanna, on Monday, the 11th day of June, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, for the purpose of making partition of the REAL ESTATE of the said decedent, to and among his children and legal representatives, if the same can be done without prejudice to or spilling the blood of either party, and in the absence of such a finding, to divide the same according to law; at which time and place you are required to attend if you think proper.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE. The undersigned, Administrator of the estate of FARR H. MILLMORE, deceased, will sell at public vendue on the premises, on Saturday, the 2nd day of June, 1877,

at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, to wit: All that lot of land, situated in the township of Middletown, in the county of Susquehanna, State of Pennsylvania, bounded as follows, to wit: On the north by lands formerly contracted to Edward Grinnell, by Dr. Rose trustees, south by lands contracted to D. Middleton, west by Edward Gillen and others, and easterly by Daniel Farrell, containing 5 1/2 acres, more or less, with the appurtenances.

BACON'S BAZAAR! BACON'S BAZAAR! BACON'S BAZAAR! The only place in Montrose, Pa. to buy Spring Goods for THE YOUNG FOLKS!

KROIK of Hardware, CUTLERY, SETS. EXPRESS WAGONS, WHEEL-BARROWS, DRUMS, FIFES, FLAGS, TOY REINS AND WHIPS.

The largest and best assortment of Confectionery, Chocolate, and A B goods in town.

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS, NUTS, & C. IN THEIR SEASON.

A good line of Canned Goods, Fruits, Fish, and Meats.

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES. from lists, thus giving my customers the latest styles at New York prices. Call and examine catalogues and list before purchasing.

E. C. BACON, S. Main St., Montrose, Pa. May 9th, 1877.

STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND Expenditures of Jackson township, for the year ending April 30th, 1877.

ROAD FUND. To amount road tax duplicate, \$1,391.13. In treasury from 1875, 490.00. Paid by G. Griffin, Collector, 245.00. Paid A. B. Bingham, Collector, 10.00. Due treasurer, money overpaid, 11.10.

DOO FUND. To amount dog tax duplicate, \$94.50. In treasury from 1875, 17.34. Paid by G. Griffin, Collector, 65.68.

W. W. WHEATON, T. W. CLINTON, GEO. H. FRENCH, Auditors. B. W. Doughty, Clerk. May 7th, 1877.

MUSIC BOOKS. GOOD NEWS! GOOD NEWS! A Sabbath School song book of great beauty, by R. M. McIntosh, is undeniably one of the best, and is already popular. Price 35 cts.

SARON'S THEORY OF HARMONY. (32) Just out. A thorough and excellent work. Is commended to all who wish to study the science, as the maker has, in a large degree, the talent of making difficult things easy to understand.

THE SCHOOL SONG BOOK. A new and superior Class Book for Normal Schools and Female Seminaries, is compiled by one perfectly familiar with the needs of such schools. By C. Everett. Price, 60 cts; \$6 per doz.

JOSEPH'S BONDAGE. By J. M. Chadwick. Just out. Is a bright and attractive short Oratorio or Cantata. Sure to please, from the beauty of the story, as well as the attractive music. (35 Cts. Edition, 1 Paper). Either book mailed, post free, for retail price.

OLIVER DIXON & CO., BOSTON. C. H. DIXON & CO., J. E. DIXON & CO., 855 Broadway, Successors to C. & S. Walker, New York. Philadelphia.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that John F. McDermott, of Ansburn township, Susquehanna County, Pa., by deed of conveyance, has assigned all his estate and effects, real, personal and mixed, to the undersigned, in trust, for the benefit of the creditors of the said John F. McDermott, all persons, therefore, indebted to the said John F. McDermott, will make immediate payment to the assignee, and those having claims or demands, will make the same without delay.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF REAL & PERSONAL ESTATE & PROPERTY.

Pursuant to an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Susquehanna County, Pennsylvania, will be sold at public sale, on the premises, in the townships of Poliocon and Middletown, in said County, on Wednesday, the 23d day of May, A. D. 1877,

at 10 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, the following described real estate: FIRST PIECE—A Valuable Farm, situate in Apollonia and Middletown townships, bounded on the south by John B. Wilson and public, bounded on the east by John B. Wilson, Edward Baruck, and Jeremiah Coughlin; north by Patrick Welsh, Jeremiah Coughlin, and lands of the estate of S. F. Carmalt, deceased; and west by lands of John Baruck and others, containing 63 acres of land, more or less.

SECOND PIECE—Situate in the township aforesaid: Beginning at a corner of Edward Clark's land, in the line corner of The most Jones; thence partly by the same and partly by Patrick Welsh; thence north 100 perches; thence by lands of S. F. Carmalt's estate, west 100 perches, south 100 perches to land of John B. Wilson, thence by said Clark, east 100 perches to the existing containing 100 acres of land, more or less. The improvements on this piece are 40 acres of land, more or less, and frame barn thereon, and well watered.

THIRD PIECE—The Assignor's interest in the following real estate, situate in said townships, bounded on the east by Newell Barnum, south by lands of John B. Wilson, west by land of John B. Wilson, and north by lands of John Good and the estate of Samuel F. Carmalt, deceased, containing 100 acres of land, be the same more or less. Improvements on this piece are over two thirds improved, with frame house and barn thereon, orchard and well watered.

PERSONAL PROPERTY SALE! Also, at the same time and place, the said assignee will offer for sale at public vendue, the following valuable and useful personal property: Two fine cows, 1 span of excellent horses, 2 yearlings, 1 cow, 1 pig, 1 dog, 1 plow, cutting box, corn plow, 4 sheep, 2 double barrels, wheel rick, rick, shill pie kit, broad ax, boring machine, 1 ring and harness tools, 1 chain mill gear, parlor stove and pipe cook stove and furniture, potatoes, lumber, hay, and many other articles.

TERMS OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY: All sums of ten dollars and under, cash; over ten dollars, nine months' time, with interest on note with at least one approved signer. Parties purchasing can remove property until terms of sale are fully complied with. Parties refusing to accept property at bids will be held responsible for any loss on second sale.

TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC. It is generally conceded, beyond a question of doubt, that competition is the life of trade.

LEWIS HOUSE, BINGHAMTON, N. Y. is centrally located just around the corner at the west end of the depot for all the Railroads running into Binghamton, and two blocks from the business portion of our city.

TERMS, \$2 PER DAY, or 50c per meal, and 50c for lodging. I have no desire to go through the usual preamble with regard to the luxuries and substantiality of our table, suffice it to say, that if we cannot give perfect satisfaction, we will take you and yours free of charge, and deliver you to the tender mercies of any of our gentlemanly competitors.

NEW STYLES OF WALL PAPER constantly on hand at the NEWS DEPOT AND BOOK STORE.

F. H. STEVENS. Montrose, April 25th, 1877. A CONVENIENT ARTICLE FOR DAILY USE—A PERFECT VADE MECUM! DUPLEX GUSSET-END WALLET.

TO COMPACTLY hold bills, papers, etc., usually carried about the person; for reliable use at store, office and home; with valuable tables, postal rates, Statistics, calendar, metric (35 cm) and 9 inch gauge, &c. Capacity for 1/2 inch thickness of contents—and they cannot work out. Needed by every business and professional man and woman in the country. Satisfaction (as per above description) guaranteed to all who send 25 cents for a package—which will render great convenience and service to several persons for months.

AGENTS will do well to address, enclosing a check, to F. H. STEVENS, 8 Oakland Ave., Jersey City, N. J. April 25, 1877.

AUCTION. The undersigned, assignee of Bartholomew Gagegan, of Silver Lake, will sell at auction, on the premises, on Wednesday, May 9, 1877,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following property: Two horses, two yearling, two year old heifer, pigs, wagons, sleighs, plows, harness, shovels, forks, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE:—Five dollars and under, cash; over \$5, six months' credit, with interest and approved security. E. O'NEILL, Assignee. May 3, 1877.