The Democrat.

MONTROSE, PA., JUNE 20, 1877.

DOINGS OF THE WEEK.

The efforts before the Board of Par dons to get a commutation of the sen tence of the death of the Mollie Maguires to that of imprisonment for life baye failed, six of whom will be executed at Pottsville to morrow.

France seems to be in a perfect ferment caused by the resolution of McMahon to dissolve the Assembly. Special dispatches from Paris agree that Saturday's Sitting of the Chamber of Deputies was one of the most violent ever witnessed.

The Times correspondent says it extended over five hours and a-half. During that long time there was one prolonged roar of vociferation. At one time, when .M. Gambetta said that "power was in suspicious hands," the Minister of Public Works sprang, with a threatening air, towards the tribune, and members of the Right and Left, dashed forward. The ushers had to seperate the hostile armies. It really seemed as if there would be a hand-to-hand fight. All instinctively waited for reports of revolvers. The minanother article about the relations bearchical party. It says the latter being unable to dispense with clerical assistance simportant counter services are rendered. The Pope, who recently denounced Germany as the corner stone of a new unhis disposal.

The war in Europe still drags its nncertain length along with nothing decisive as yet accomplished. The special correspondent of the News at Bucharest telegraphs as follows: "On the Russian army any forshadowing of peace would fall with a thrill of passionate disgust that would strain the bonds of discipline to the utmost. There can be no question that the army regards Constantinople as the only goal that can content it. I understand it is settled that the czar will return to Russia immediately after he has witnessed and participated in the passage of the Danube. There are now comparatively few Russian officers in Bucharest; Their duties call them elsewhere."

The special correspondent of the News at the Russian headquarters professes to give further details of Prince Gortschakoff's reply to Earle Derby, as follows: "If the Turks make peace directly after Russia crosses the Balkam, Russia will be ready to accord peace, but otherwise she would have no alternative but to conquer and dictate peace to the porte. If England wishes to prevent the Russians from entering Constanti nople, she has only to exert her influence upon the Turks, in order to induce them to yield immediately after the Balkam is passed."

Later dispatches from the Russian headquarters report that heavy fighting took place on Monday at Turtukol, but the result or even the means by which the engagement was brought about are kept secret. No correspondents are now allowed to leave the Russian headquarters, the telegraph to send their news forward. The Grand Duke Nicholas has shut off can get abroad. Railways, post roads, the telegraph lines, and even the small baga are under his censorship. The very fact of this silence at the seat of war in- cheers. dicates the imminence of great events.

Heavy canonading was going on during Friday at Fort Maratin, situated below Rustchuk and at Ruhova, down the river a short distance from Widdin. Whether hatteries is not stated.

All along the lower part of the Danube a voilent storm burst on Thursday night, and it was feared by the Turks that the Russians would attempt a surprise during the intense darkness. Nothing of the kind was attempted, however, and the Russians seem to have been fully ed the crossing, had it been attempted. The weather in the valley of the Danube is generally bot.

A One hundred Lancaster county cattle were purchased recently by a Philadelphian, to be shipped to Enrope,

Governor Hendricks's Speech.

The following is the stenographic report of the interesting part of Governor Lendricks's speech at Indianapolis last Friday evening:

I have had my contests. I have been thrown somewhat into the political strifes in Indiana-and they have been no ordinery strifes that have been made in the State; the party lines have been closely and tightly drawn, and the contests have a pretentions residence in the wilderness been very earnest, very positive, very determined on both sides; the tendency has been to make the men of the respecive parties yery bitter towards those of gaged resulted disastrously, sweeping the other side. I have experienced that somewhat-not very much, I think-and why is it? Because I have never carried it myself. I have never in the political contests into which I have been thrown, carried along with me a personal prejudice, a bitterness toward the men of the other side. [Applause.] I conceded it to any gentleman who occupied a different position from myself politically the absolute right to occupy that position.

I have never questioned it. I conceded that right as I claimed it for myself, and only one sentiment has governed me, and that was, I believed that the side I occupied was right, I advocated it with all my might according to the principles of honor and right. [Vehement applause.] The presiding officer of this occasion has referred to the fact that if the vote of the people had been regarded I would occupy the position to which I was nominated last year. [Applause.] Of that I have no more doubt than that Governor Williams was elected Governor of Indiana. isterial North German Gazette contains [Applause.] But at the same time justice they maintained all their aristocratic requires me to say that if the decision had customs, keeping hveried servants and a tween the Papacy and the French Mon-been left to the great body of the people carriage, and insisted on a strict observof both parties, the decision of the ballot-box truly made would not have been circles in which they had been reared. reversed and defeated. [Applause.] I for the attainment of domestic purposes, believe that to-night it is a subject of resuch assistance will not be given unless gret to thousands of gentlemen who did not and would not vote for me-who did not and would not vote for Governor Tilden-a subject of profound regret that the damaging blow has been given to godly division in Europe, may soon have American institutions. [Great applause.] a million and a half French soldiers at And I would not refer to it in any partiinaugurated. [Wild applause.]

next three months. I expect to see coun- them. - N. Y. Times. tries that are governed by laws and institutions to which we are strangers, and in respect to which I hope we shall always be strangers. [Applause.] And it was with pleasure that I anticipated the opportunities of making a comparison between the institutions of my own country and of the condition of the people under those institutions. From Eng land we derive to a large extent our system of laws. In France we had a friend in the time of the Revolution. [Applause. It was Lafayette who stood side by side with George Washington. [Applause.] From Germany and Ireland we have a powerful element in our own society. These countries I hope to see. But in advance I could never hope to see a country whose institutions are to be compared with our own. But the value of our institutions depends upon the care with which the people guard them. If we allow our institutions to go into chance and out of the guardian care of the judgment and will of the people they will soon become no better and perhaps worse than the institutions of other countries. [Applause.] And if you would allow me one single expression of the duty that devolves upon the people That you and I, without respect to political faith, should stand by the Constitution and laws and the instutions of the country, and allow no political authority and no political scheme whatever to defeat the purpose of any of the provisions of the Constitution of the laws

of the land. [Applause.] I expect to be absent about three months. That will not give me an opportunity to see yery much of the world, but it will be the first time that I ever looked upon any sky except that of and those who are fortunate enough to be America. It will be the first time that I at the scene of the fighting cannot use ever looked in foreign lands upon the people governed by their institutions, and in that respect it is an opportunity that I prize very highly. I thank you, my every avenue by which intelligence of the fellow citizens, and I thank you (turning forth-coming great move of his army to the men on the stage) for the expressions of regard and esteem that I have received from you to-night. I shall nover forget this night so long as memory presides in my brain. Applause and

The Grave of the First Treasurer of this Nation.

In a wild spot on the southern slope of the Moosic Mountain, in the north-western part of Wayne Co., Pa., neglected, the fire was opened by Turkish or Russian sunken, and hidden by rank growths of underbrush and briare, is the grave of Samuel Meredith, the first Treasurer of Meredith was the son of Brees Meredith, a wealthy Weish nobleman, who aided Exonerations.

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the American cause with both counsel as unprepared to take advantage of the the Continential Government with \$25,- Gollector's percentage 25,83 Weather as the Turks were to have oppose 000 to ameliorate the condition of the Treasurer's percentage 13,46 or then suffering army. The elder Mere- Cash on hand 15,27 Cash dith and Washington had been intimute friends before the breaking out of the Attest. war. Samuel Meredith served as Treaswar. Samuel Meredith served as Treaswe the undersigned auditors of the township of Choconni, Susq's county, Ps., having carefully examined the above accounts of the treasurer, find them correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Adams four years. In the meantime correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

The became interested in extensive M.J. DONNELLY, Auditors

Teal estate speculations in this June 20, 1877.

(Wayne) and Susquehannna counties, having purchased 30,000 acres of land lying in both. Emigration was then setting in that direction. His idea was to found a town near the Susquehanna Co. line, and he obtained a charter for one. It was to be called Belmont. When Jefferson came into office, in 1801, Meredith resigned his position against the wishes of the new President. He erected he had purchased, and removed thither with his family. His land did not sell, and other speculations in which he enaway his ample fortune. Belmont, as he called his residence in the woods, was all that ever came of his proposed town. It was visited at times by Robert Morris, Dr. Benjamin Rush, and others, famous in American history, but Meredith and his wife were forced to resign the high social position they had occupied in Philadelphia, and lived in isolations the remainder of their days.

Mrs. Meredith was a member of the Reed family of Philadelphia, which is still a prominent one. John Meredith Reed, present United States Charge d'Affaires at Athens, is a representative of it. She was a famous and accomplished belle of the Revolutionary days. The residence of the Merediths was the resort of the wit and lashion of that golden age of American society. Col. Calvally Free man, an aged native of Mount Pleasant township, was a page in the Meredith family when they took up their residence at Belmont. Although in the midst of a wilderness and reduced in circumstances, Samuel Meredith died in 1817, aged 67 years. His wife died three years later. The spot in which they were buried is a small inclosure a few rods from Belmout. Two crumbling stones mark the graves. The inscriptions upon them are nearly, effaced. Belmont, the residence, is still standing, but the property long since passed out of the hands of the family. san spirit except to say this: That here. The people of Mount Pleasant village, after the man who is elected President of near which the Meredith graves lie, intend the United States by the vote and judg- to erect a monument over them, unless ment of the American people must be the relatives of the once illustrious couple or the Government rescue them from the I expect to see other lands within the neglect and desolation now surrounding

Advertisements New This Week

UDITOR'S NOTICE.—The under-Common Pleas of Susquehanna County, to distribute the funds in the hands of G. B. Eldred administrator of Miles W. Heath, deceased, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Montrose, on Saturday June 23, 1877, at 1 o'clock a. m., at which time and place all persons interested are required to appear and present their claims or be forever debarrd from coming in on said fund.

FRANKLIN FRASER, Auditor June 20, 1877.

T OST OR STOLEN, from the Subscriber, between Uniondale and the residence of J. E. Thomas, June 18th, 1877,

A POCKET-BOOK, containing five dollars in money, and three notes, one being for \$66 50 from P. Burdick to Carl Nelson, one of \$100 00 from Carl Nelson to Yance Tharkelson, and one of \$100 00 from Stephen Bronson to Yance Tharkelson. All persons are cautioned against purchasing said notes. EVA suitable reward will be paid on the return of the notes and money to the subscriber at Uniondale, Susq'a Co., Pa. June 29, '77. 25-27 YANCE THARKELSON.

FINANCIAL Statement of Harford township for the year 1876. POOR MASTER'S ACCOUNT. Dr. April 9, 1877, due on duplicate..... DOG TAX ACCOUNT.

April 9, 1877, am't due on duplicate 1874...... 17 8 SUIERVISOR'S ACCOUNT. April 9, 1877, balance due treasurer..... 10 18 BOAD TAX.

We the auditors of Hartord township coulty that we have examined the above accounts and find the same JAS. POWERS
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Exonerations 44 95
Outstanding Tax 805 69
850 64

Total Receipts\$1,995 43 EXPENDITURES. Teachers' salaries \$1,257 60
School Building 200 00
Fuel 213 94
Repairs 135 20
Treasurer and Collector 186 89
Miscellaneous expenses 10,50
Secretary's Salary 21,96

Balance in Treasury \$ 27 30 WM. H. POPE, Pres. Attest-Wm. MOXLEY, Sec'y.

ANNUAL statement of receipts and expenditures of the school Board of Moerty township for the year ending June 4, 1877. D. D. Stanford, Treasurer.

To amount in tressury June 5, 1876. \$ 1 04 04 06 duplicate. 1,164 84 822 17 wild land tax. 45 09 commonwealth (fines). 10 00 rent of house for election. 6 00 Cr. \$1,548 64

DUBLIC NOTICE.—The members of the Wesleyan Methodist Church of Jackson Valley, respectfully give notice of their intention to apply to the Law Judge of Susquehanna county to give them a charter of incorporation making them a body politic in law, according to acts of Assembly provided.

H. C. KNIGHT.

A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—In the estate of Philip Hahu, late of Montrose, dec'd. Letters of administration in the said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons owing said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them without delay.

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