Three thousand in English, and one thousand in German, of Washington's Farewell Address, were ordered to be printed.

*Erie and Ohio Railroad.*—The bill to repeal the act incorporating the Erie and Ohio Railroad Company, came up on final passage, and Mr. Ball's amendment was negatived. Mr. M'Culloch submitted another amendment, similar to the one negatived yesterday, and it was also negatived. The question was then taken on the bill and it passed, yeas 53, nays 32.

*Private Alphabet.*—Mr. Bent moved to take up the bill to recharter the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank of Philadelhia, which was agreed to, yeas 46, nays 37. In committee of the Whole, (Mr. Nicholson in the chair,) Mr. R. Rundle Smith offered a substitute, which was negatived. The bill was then allowed to go through as the framers desired. Mr. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of the bill, which was agreed to, yeas 45, nays 43.

The first section having been read, Mr. Walters offered an amendment, (immaterial) when Mr. R. R. Smith submitted his substitute, which is nearly the same as the Senate bill. This was discussed by Mr. Evans, and near 1 o'clock postponed for the present.

AFTERNON SESSION.

The House resumed the consideration of the bill to recharter the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank of Philadelphia, the question being upon Mr. R. R. Smith's substitute, which was finally negatived by a vote of 36 yeas to 50 nays.

The first section of the bill was adopted by a vote of 18 yeas to 40 nays. The bill then passed second reading.

A motion to dispense with the rules so as to go into the third reading, was negatived by a vote of 55 yeas, 33 nays, two-thirds not voting in it.

Adjourned.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 24, 1849.

SENATE.—The Speaker presented a remonstrance from Lancaster, against the passage of the bill before the Legislature to tax the venders of medicine.

*Bills passed.*—The bill to annul the marriage contract between Henry Kemp and Eveline Kemp, his wife, was taken up and passed; the bill regulating election districts was passed; the bill to extend the charter of the Bank of the Northern Liberties was taken up and passed—yeas 19, nays 5; the bill to extend the charter of the Commercial Bank of Philadelphia—yeas 20, nays 5; the bill to incorporate the Western Insurance Company of the city of Pittsburg was taken up and passed.

Mr. Johnson, from the Committee on Executive Nominations, reported favorably to the confirmation of James M. Stewart, as Associate Judge of Indiana County. On motion of Mr. J, the Senate went into Executive Session, and unanimously confirmed the nomination.

On motion of Mr. Crabb, the bill for the relief of the creditors and stockholders of the bank of the United States, was recommitted to the committee on the Judiciary.

HOUSE.—Mr. Swartzwelder moved a concurrent resolution, providing that the joint committee appointed to examine the manner in which the public works are conducted, to take depositions of witnesses, on suitable notice given to the Canal Commissioners, and that the committee be empowered to appoint such person or persons as may be necessary to take such depositions. Mr. Schoonover moved to add, "*Provided*, that the pay of such person or persons shall not exceed $1 50 per day." A discussion of considerable length occurred between Messrs. Swartzwelder, H. S. Evans, Merrick, Bull, R. R. Smith and others, in favor of the resolution, and Messrs. Cornyn, Packer, Schoonover, EcCalmont, Myers, Laird and others, in opposition. Mr. Myers moved the indefinite postponement of the whole subject, which was agreed to—yeas 50, nays 30.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 26.

SENATE.—A petition was presented, signed by 910 colored persons, residents of Philadelphia, for a change in the constitution, so as to permit them to exercise the right of suffrage.

By Mr. Brooke, four from Chester, for an amendment of the Constitution so as to extend the right of suffrage to colored persons.

HOUSE.—The bill to exempt from taxation the Cemetery of the United American Mechanics and daughters of America, of Philadelphia, was discussed till 1 o'clock, when the hour of adjournment was postponed. The bill was further discussed, amended and passed.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 25.--Tom Hyer, the Champion of America, as he is called, arrived in this city yesterday. As soon as it was known that he came in the Philadelphia train, his friends procured a barouche, which they ornamented with American flags, and in which they conveyed him through the principal streets. They finally deposited him in the Branch Hotel, in the Bowery, in which establishment he has recently purchased an interest. He anounced his determination of not engaging in any pugilistic encounter for the future.---*Phila. Inquirer.*

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PRETTY COOL.---The Cincinnati Commercial says: "We have often read in the papers of the "coolness of men," but we never until yesterday knew the extent to which human coolness had arrived. A man whose veracity is never questioned but twice, and both those times when he tried to tell the truth, informs us that there is an individual in this city, so perfectly cool that when he wants to get mad he has to crawl into an oven to thaw;--that he never shaves on account of the lather freezing to his face; and, that once, when he kissed his wife, his lips froze fast, and they had to be separated by one of the children with a bucket of hot water. When in delicate health, he boils upon a cake of ice to get his feet warm, and when his physician recommends a sweat, he goes to bed in a snow bank. He claims to be a distant relative to the man who climed the North Pole.

## Novel Prospect.

The New York Tribune of the 14th ult. says, that a lady of that State, well known for her labors in many a philanthropic cause, is about organizing an Expedition to California, of the nature of which it gives the following explanation:

"She proposes to purchase a vessel, to be freighted with every article necessary for the aid and assistance of the sick or disabled, including the frame of a building intended for a hospital. She is now engaged in raising a company of intelligent and respectable females, to accompany her in this mission of charity, each of whom shall contribute something towards the purchase of the vessel and cargo, and assist in the humane object of the enterprise.--- None will be taken who have not attained the age of 25 years, and can also produce sufficient testimonials of character. A part of the freight is to consist of articles to furnish a store, in which a part of the woman may be employed, and in material for clothing, to be made up according to orders on the spot."

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SNOW AND WOLVES.—The Frontier journal, published at Weston, (Mo.,) gives an icy picture of the winter up that way. It says, too:

"The pork houses have attracted great quantities of prairie wolves, and some of our friends have claimed the forfeit of their scalps for their impudence. One day last week, no less than six of the hungry "varmints" were killed between this place and Rialto--a mile below.--The snow is so deep that the dogs are completely distanced in the chase, and the hunters ride upon them with their horses, and frequently capture them alive.

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A city paper thus describes the case of a most decided victim of the California fever:

Molly Murphy resides, when at home, which is seldom in Shelaly Court, near the corner, easily found by any one who will follow his nose; has a husband and one child, a dutiful boy, who vends matches and penny papers on week days, and steals on Sunday, for the support of the family. Molly can read, has read what Gov. Mason writes about pigs rooting up gold, by mistake for ground-nuts---her brain much disturbed---has an impression that gold may be found almost anywhere---with a tin pan, and no assistance but her son, Tooly Murphy, she has actually dug over and washed a pile of filth in front of her dwelling, which the city scavengers have never been able materially to diminish---urges her husband to be "aff wid the family for Killyfarny, where the very wheel barries is made out of goold." Dreams of nothing but gold dust, and firmly believes it to be the very dust we shall return to--while asleep seized her husband by the ears, and could scarcely be sufficiently awakened to comprehend that she had not captured the golden calf.

## The Present Tariff.

It is well known that about one-half of the Iron manufactured in the United States, is made in Pennsylvania. Owing to the unsettled state of affairs in Europe, iron is selling in England below the cost of production. Within a few days past the Lancaster and Harrisburg Railroad Co., have sent an order to England for four thousand tons of heavy T rails, to re-place their present tracks. We understand that the iron, delivered in New York, will cost them $45 per ton, cash. Iron manufactured in our own State, could have been procured, delivered on the road, at $52 50 per ton, which is the actual cost of production and delivery.

Here is a single instance where $180.000 have been sent to Europe for an article, which could have been manufactured better in our own State and nearly the whole cost of which is paid for in labor. How Much longer will our countrymen, and particularly, the laboring classes, support such a Tariff?—Phila. Com. List.

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THE SEA SERPENT RIVALLED.—Capt. Cara, lately arrived at Boston? from Havre, states that on the 27th ult. long. 47, he saw something on his larboard bow very like a whale. He bore up for it, and upon approaching it, thought it was a large ship bottom upwards, but on coming along-side, he discovered it to be a gigantic turtle or tortoise, armed with enormous sharp blades, which glittered in the air, and served for the defence of the creature like the quills of a porcupine. The shell was black, and from out thereof, the animal poked his enormous head, which the captain says was the most terrific sight he ever beheld!

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LAND WARRANTS AND PRE-EMPTION.—The Mineral Point Tribnne says that Moses M. Strong has received a decision of Commissioner Young, which determines that either cultivation or settlement, under the pre-emption law, guards the land from being located by military land warrants.—This is a decision of some interest.

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IMPORTANT DECISION.—It has been dicided in the Superior Court of New York, that newspapers have the right to publish police and judicial reports, and that any true and fair report is not a libel. This has heretofore been a disputed point. This decision also settles the question that if the facts contianed in an article are true, it cannot be the subject of a libel suit Fair criticisms are also declared to be privileged.

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MARCH OF MIND.—A friend, writing from New Castle Delaware, informs us that, after the execution of the negro, Perry Barry, at that place on the 8th, a silly fellow, an Englishman, applied to the Sheriff for a piece of the rope, to be used in curing one of his relations, who was afflicted with the king's evil.

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The Ohio river is closed with ice between Pittsburg and Wheeling.

## Population of the United States.

The following statistics are obtained from the Report for 1848 recently submitted to Congress by the Commissioner of the Patent Office:

The present population of the United States is estimated at 21,686,000. The number allotted to each State is as follows: Maine 615,000; New Hampshire 308,000; Massachusetts 875,000; Rhode Island 135,000; Connecticut 340,000; Vermont 310,000; New York 2,880,000; New Jersey 425,000; Pennsylvania 2,220,000; Delaware 85,000; Maryland 510,000; Virginia 1,295,000; North Carolina 780,000; South Carolina 620,000; Georgia 825,000; Alabama 716,000; Mississippi 670,000; Louisiana 490,000; Tennessee 980,000; Kentucky 890,000; Ohio 1,980,000; Indiana 1,000,000; Illinois 800,000; Missouri 589,000; Arkansas 200,000; Michigan 420,000; Florida 80,000; Wisconsin 250,000; Iowa 150,000; Texas 150,000; District of Columbia 48,000; Oregon 50,000.

The total population in 1840 was 17,063,353; increase since that time (according to the above estimates) 4,622,647.

PRICES OF COAL.---We understand that in consequence of the advance in freignt and tolls since the 1st of January, the retail coal merchants have advanced the price of coal 25 cts. per ton. The prices now are, for broken, egg and stove coal, $4,50 per ton; nut $4,25.

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LATE AND INTERESTING FROM CHAGRES.---A correspondent of the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser, writing from Chagres, says that "the charge for boat-hire to Cruces is twelve dollars. The Orus is unable to go up, the Governor having forbidden it. The Captain of the Orus, however, has gone to Panama to have the order rescinded. We expect his return to-morrow; if he does not return, we shall leave Cruces in boats during the day to-morrow.--- The Buffalo people are all well; your humble servant and one or two others having suffered some with sea-sickness. Aside from that, I may say that we are in prime order."

The same correspondent, speaking of the weather, says:

"I would call it hot, if by saying hot, I could give you any idea of the heat; but if you were to take a large box, line it and floor it with tin, put a slow fire underneath it, and during one of the hotest days in August (with us) leave the top open, and beneath a vertical sun, sit and swelter; this is Chagres. I would, however, to keep up the delusion, introduce a few hundred musquitoes into the box. A beautiful place to the eye, --for here Nature has striven to deck disease and misery of which she is capable.

"While I am writing our people are eating, upon the principle that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, and are dosing down quinine in 3 grain doses."

## Philadelphia Market.

February 26, 1849.

The Produce market continues firm, with moderate sales of Flour at $5 per bbl. for common brands. In Rye Flour and corn Meal there is no movement, and prices are steady. Wheat is held firmly at 108c. for good reds, which is above the views of millers. Sales of 700 bu. Rye at 67a68c., and some 10,000 bu. Corn yesterday and to day at 57 1-2c., weight, for good yellow. Oats are steady at 30c. for Southern, and 32a34c. for Penn'a. Small sales of Whiskey in bbls. at 24c. per gallon.

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ONE WORD TO THE SEDENTARY.—Those who labor within doors are compelled to breathe an impure atmosphere, which is wholly unfit for the proper expansion of the lungs, and, owing to the want of exercise, the bowels become constipated, the pores of the skin closed, and, indeed, all the functions of the body become deranged: hence proceed asthma, cough, pains in the breast and side, palpitation of the heart rheumatic pains in various parts of the body, giddiness, and a variety of other distressing complaints, common to those of sedentary habits. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills disperse all these unpleasant symptoms. A single dose will in all cases give relief, and, if repeated a few times, will most assuredly restore the body to health.

*Beware of Sugar Coated Counterfeits.*—Remember,t hat the original and only genuine Indian Vegetable Pills have the written signature of WILLIAM WRIGHT on the top label of each box.

For sale by *George H. Miller*, who is the only authorized agent for Stroudsburg; see advertisement for other agencies in another column.

Office and general depot, 169 Race st. Phil'a.

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TO PERSONS AFFLICTED WITH RHEUMATISM.—We dislike turning physician, by prescribing medicine; but our natural antipathy in the premises, must give way to the good we may do in recommending Clickener's Sugar Coated Purgative Pills, the virtue of which we have seen tested in a remarkable manner. The patient (an intimate friend of ours) was laboring under a severe attack of Inflammatory Rheumatism, for which he had surfeited himself with medicine, until the very name sickened him; but without any visible improvement. His wife then (induced by the name, and their wide-spreading reputation) procured a few boxes of Clickener's Sugar Coated Purgative Pills, which the patient took without objection (no taste but that of sugar being apparent) and from that time began to mend so rapidly, that with the exception of a little stiffness in the joints, he was as well as ever in less than a fortnight. The patient felt from the first dose that the physic was doing him good, because his stomach did not reject it, as was the case with nearly all the other remedies he had taken. We will add for the benefit of whom it may concern, that at the commencement the patient took from six to eight pills at a dose; then went down to three; and again up to six or seven, graduating the dose according to the effect produced on his system.—We never bfeore saw medicine operate so visibly decidedly for the better; indeed, it manifested its good effects from the first hour; and in recording this notice of the fact we feel that we are performing a duty that is incumbent on us, and which may be the means of effecting a great deal of good.

For sale at the Republican Office, by *T. Schoch*, the only authorized agent for Stroudsburg.


## Who ought to be Punished, the Devil or Man?

The late Rev. John Thomas, one of the missionary brethren of Scrampore, was one day, after addressing a crowd of the natives on the banks of the Ganges, accosted by a Brahmin, as follows: "Sir don't you say that the devil tempts man to sin?" "Yes," answered Mr. Thomas. "Then," said the Brahmin, "certainly the fault is the devil's; the devil, therefore, and not man ought to suffer the punishment." While the countenances of many of the natives discovered their approbation of the Brahmin's inference, Mr. Thomas observing a boat with several men on board, descending the river, with that felicity of instructive retort for which he was distinguished, replied—"Brahmin, do you see yonder boat?" "Yes." "Suppose I was to send some of my friends to destroy every person on board, and bring me all that is valuable in the boat; who ought to suffer punishment? I for instructing them, or they for doing this wicked act?" "Why," answered the Brahmin, with emotion, "you ought all to be put to death together." "Ay, Brahmin," replied Mr. T., and if you and the devil sin together, the devil and you will be punished together."

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EARLY MARRIAGES.----A "lady" only ten years old was married at Panama, January 12. Females mature in that meridian faster than in any other region. At 8 or 9, young ladies are of sufficient growth to carry on quite serious flirtations.

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## SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of alias fieri facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Pike Co,. to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the Court house, in Milford, in said county, on

*Saturday the 17th day of March next,*

at 2 o'clock P. M, of said day, the following property to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Westfall, in the county of Pike, bounded on the Delaware River and lands of Levi Middaugh, and others, containing

**FIFTY ACRES**

more or less, with the buildings and other improvements thereon erected and being the same land upon which the within named Zephaniah Drake resided at the time of his death. Also one other piece or parcel of land situate as aforesaid, adjoining the above described property, being the same land for which the said Zephaniah Drake took out a warrant from the land office of Pennsylvania, containing

**THIRTY ACRES**

more or less.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Zephaniah Drake, deceased

JACOB KIMBLE, *Sheriff.*
Per H. WESTBROOK, Deputy.

Sheriff's Office, Milford, Feb. 22, 1849

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## Bowen's North American Farmer

**Telegraphic Market Reporter,**

*A Journal of American Agriculture, Commerce, Mining, Science, Art, Manufacturers, Literature, News,* &c., intended for country people generally.

This Journal is expressly devoted to the tastes and interests of country readers, and contributions from many of most eminent writers in this country and in Europe, appear in its colums—among whom may be mentioned Hon. Geo. P. Marsh, Hon. Morris Longstreth, Hon. Thomas H. Burrowes, James Gowen, Esq. Profs Liebig and Baner of Germany, Francis J. Grund, Edgar A Poe, John S. Bowen, Esq., &c.

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## Auditor's Notice.

The subscriber appointed by the Orphan's Court of Pike county, to distribute the assets of the estate of Benjamin Depue, late of the county of Pike, deceased, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the house of Oscar H. Mott, in Milford, in the said county, on the eighth day of March next, at which time all persons are required to present their claims against the said estate or be forever after debarred. HORACE L. WEST, *Auditor.*

February 1, 1849 --4t.

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## BLANKS.

The subscriber has on hand and offers for sale, a superior assortment of blanks, viz:

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| Deeds, | Mortgages, |
| Executions, | Summonses, |
| Subpœnas, | Bonds, &c. |

L. F. BARNES.

Milford, November, 2, 1848.

BLANK MORTGAGES
For sale at thisOffice.


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R. T. CONRAD AND J. P. SANDERSON, EDITORS.

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The conductors of the News are Whigs, and they are determined to spare no effort to make both their daily and weekly journals, efficient organs of the Whig party; but while doing this, special attention will also be paid to general News, Literature, the Arts, Science, the interests of Trade and Business, the Markets, &c., with all such other matters as are necessary to make a good Family and Business Paper.

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## Executor's Notice.

Whereas letters testamentary to the estate of Levi Vangorden, late of the Township of Westfall, in the County of Pike, decased, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement, to

JAMES S. WALLACE, *Executor,*
Residence at Milford, Pike County, Pa.

Milford, Jan. 25 1849.--6t.

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STROUDSBURG
## ACADEMY.

The Spring Session of the *Stroudsburg Academy* will open on onday the 17th inst., when READING, WRITING and ARITHMETIC will be taught for $2 per quarter of 12 weeks. GRAMMAR and GEOGRAPHY, with the use of the globes and maps, $2,50 ALGEBRA, ASTRONOMY, BOTONY, MENSURATION, BOOK-KEEPING, PHILOSOPHY, &c. $3. Beginners in LATIN and GREEK for $3,50.

*All pupils charged from the time they enter until the end of the quarter, except in cases of sickness.*

The principal hopes by properly and seasonably imparting instruction to the young, patient endurance in moral training, and unwearied diligence in the various branches of his profession, to merit and obtain that patronage and support which the arduous duties of an instructor demand.

THOMAS HARRIS,
Stroudsburg, April 6, 1848. *Principal.*

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**Fashionable Boot and Shoe**
## MANUFACTORY.

THADDEUS SCHOCH, at his old stand in Hamilton street, Easton, Pa., opposite T. & P. Mixsell's store, continues to manufacture to oder, every description of

**Boots and Shoes,**

for men and boys; also the most fashionable *Gaiters, Buskins, half Gaiters, Slippers, &c., for Ladies and Misses,* which will be warranted to fit, be made of the best materials, and sold at small profits for cash. Also on hand a large assortment of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

which will be sold cheap, and can be recommended.

The public are respectfully invited to call, leave their measures, or examine his ready made stock before purchasing elsewhere, as he is confident they will be suited with the style, quality and price of his articles.

*ALSO*---Just received a large supply of

**GUM SHOES,**

for Ladies and Misses of a new style, very superior, together with a stock of Men's Gum shoes; also Children's Gum shoes. *Call and try them.*

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VIA STROUDSBURG.

Passengers in this line will leave JOSEPH HAGENBUCH's Inn, sign of the "Black Horse," Easton, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, passing through the following places, viz:—Richmond, Centreville, Williamsburg, Dills' Ferry, Delaware Water Gap, Dutotsburg, Stroudsburg, Bushkill, and Dingman's Ferry, and arrive in Milford the same day: Distance 60 miles. Returning, leave Samuel Dimmick's Hotel, Milford, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and arrive in Easton the same day.

Fare from Easton to Stroudsburg, $1 25
" " Milford, 2 87

N. B. All baggage at the risk of the owners.

WILLIAM DEAN.
Stroudsburg, June 3, 1847. *Proprietor.*