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the promises, of May 17, 1871 tf

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for sale by April 19, 1871.-m. W. C. KRESS.

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VOL. XVIII.

THE OLD PENNSYLVANIA HOUSE LATELY known as the Townsend House LATELY known as the Townson and for a time occupied by D. D. Holiday, has been thoroughly refitted, repair.

ed and opened by DANIEL MONROE, who will be happy to accommodate the old riends of the honse at very reasonable rates. DANIEL MONROE. Jan 1, 1871 y

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ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVEN THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND THIRTY THREE MACHINES! being more than forty, thousand in advance of their sales of the provious year, and over fortyour thousand more than the sales of any other Josephny for 1870, as shown by the following agures from SWORN returns of the sales

the Singer Manufacturing Company sold over the Florence Sowing fold over the Wilcox & Gibbs Sew-old oner the Weed Sewing Ma-

.....92,831 do. sold over the Wheeler & Wilson Manufacturing Co., ......45,625

ll of which is mainly owing to the popularity what is known as the "NEW FAMILY SEWING ACRINE? which is now fast finding its way into every well regulated household. For Cirulars giving full particulars of Machines, their Folding Cases of many varieties of wood and inish, their Attachments for numerous kinds of work, which, till recently, it was thought that delicate fingers alone could perform, as well as particulars about all articles used by their Mas chines, such as Twist, Linen Thread, Spoot Cotton, Oil, &c., &c., apply to any of their Author-

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Use Dr. Perrin's Fumigator for Calarrah. The above articles are for sale by W. C. Kress, Ag't, Wellshore, and the trade generally.

June 14, 1871-8m.

FOR SALE, CHEAP. NE elegant, new, leather top buggy; one nice open buggy, nearly new; one two horse lumber wagon; a good single harness.

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June 21, 1871 tf

### Farm for Sale.

HB Subscriber offers for sale his farm, situ-THE subscriber offers for sale his farm of 56 acres, pleasantly situated in Catlin Hollow for Mellsboro, Said farm contains 75 charleston, Ttoga gounty, Pa.; within about four first depot. Sohool house, church, mills, shops, te, within a mile. Terms easy. Inquire on the premises, of C. G. CATLIN.

THE Subscriber offers for sale his farm, situated in Catlin Hollow, and sores, some 30 of which is improved; good log house, and some fruit trees thereon. Said farm is liminarpassed for fertility of soil in this section. For particulars inquire of the subscriber at the office of G. G. CATLIN.

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HENRY SHERWOOD & SON.

April 19, 1871-tf.

August 23, 1871-tf.

## WELLSBORO, TIOGA COUNTY, PA., AUGUST 30 1871.

RAILWAY TIME TABLES. DROPOSED AMENDMENT OF THE CON-E STITUTION OF PENNSYLVANIA. Joint resolution Proposing an amend-ment to the Constitution of Pennsylva-

ERIE RAILWAY. Be it Resolved by the Senate and House of Represontatives of the Cammonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met. That the following amendment of the Constitution of this Commonwealth be proposed to the people for their adoption or rejection, pursuant to the previsions of the tenth article thereof, to wit:

A patch of sliver reaching back; Abstract of Time Table, Adopted July 19th, 1871. NEW and IMPROVED DRAWING ROOM and SLEMPING COACHES, combining all Modern Improvements, are run through on all Trains between Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Suspension Bridge, Cleveland, Cincinnati and New York. AMENDMENT. Westward.

Strike out the Sixth Section of the Sixth Arole of the Constitution, and insert in lieu there-STATIONS. No. 1. No. 5. No. 7. No. 8.4 of the following
"A State Treasurer shall be chosen by the
qualified electors of the State, at such times and
for such term of service as shall be prescribed N. York, L've | 0 00 a m | 11.00 a m | 5,80 p m | 7.00 p m | Jersey City, " | 0 15 " | 11.18" | 6.46 " | 7.20 " | 12.00 m | 12 by law." JAMES H. WEBB,

Additional Local Trains Westward.

5.00 a. m., except Sundays, from Owego.
5.00 d. m., dally, from Busquehana.
9.00 a. m dally, from Susquehana.
12.15 p. m. except Sundays, from Susquehana.
1.15 p. m. except Sundays, from Elmira. Stopping
Big Flats 189, Corning 200, Fainted Post 200,
thence, via Avon, to Buffalo, arriving at 88 p.m.
3.00 p.m. except Sundays, from Binghamton!

Eastward.

STATIONS. No. 120 No. 41 No. 8 No. 2

WM. R. BARB, Gen'l Pade. Ag't

Additional Local Trains Eastward.

Blossburg & Corning & Tioga B. R.

No 1-0.83 a m No 3-8:20 p m No 6-5:54 a m No 7-6.88 a m No 9-12:07 p m No 11-1.85 p m No 18-6:30 p m No 15-1.66 a m

No 2-4.12 p m No 4-8.42 a m No 6-5.26 a m No 8-8.08 a m No 10-10.50 a m No 12-11.30 a m No 14-12.07 p m No 18-1.38 p m No 18-6.18 p m No 20-6.80 p m No 22-11.12 p m No 24-12.35 a m

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On and after Monday, August 7th, 1821, Trains wil

TRAINS LEAVE NORTHWARD.

Niagara Ex......4:30 A M Buffalo Ex.....19:10 P M Worning Acc'u...10:45 A M Evening Acc'u...2:15 P M

The Morning and Evening Accommodation north-

The Morning and Evening Accommodation norseward run through to Canandaigus.

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The Express Trains, both ways, are through trains between Rochester and Baltimore,

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SEWING MACHINES.

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With most other articles usually keptin such

Repairing done neatly, and promptly, and on

TREES. Fruit and ornamental trees, shrub

hery grape vines, strawberry plants, doi-lam agent for the Catherine and Highland har-

series, and can furnish any quantity for fall planting. I also have a fine stock of two year old apple trees, wholce varieties, of my own growing. Green house plants always on hand.

Aug 9, 1871 tf

TN DIVORGE. To John F. Jackson: You

IN DIVORGE.—To John F. Jackson: Your are hereby notified that Rachel Jackson by her next friend Edward Hemley, has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Tioga county for a divorce from the tonds of matrimony, and that said Court had appointed Monday, the 28th day of August, 1871. for the hearing of said appointed to the county of the hearing of said appointed to the county of the hearing of the county of the count

icant in the premises; on which occasion you

can attend if you think proper, and the Aug. 9, 1871.

DAIRY FARM FOR SALE

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

stablishment, which is sold low for

ort Notice.

January 1, 1871-y.

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A. FOLEY.

ANDREW FOLEY

who has long been estab-

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kinds and prices of?"

J. A. REDFIELD, Ase't Gen'l Sup't.

TRAINS ARRIVE FROM THE SOUTH.

DEPART FROM TIOGA-Going North A 15

DEPART FROM TIOGA .- Going South.

L.D. BUOKER,

WILLIAM A. WALLACE, Speaker of the Senate, Approved the fifteenth day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sev-JOHN W. GBARY. Prepared and certified for publication pursu nt to the Tenth Article of the Constitution F. JOBDAN, Secretary of the Commonwealth. Office Secretary of the Commonwealth, ]

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Keep it Before the People THAT A. HUMPHREY & CO. are constantly receiving large and fresh lots of choice FAMILY GROCERIES, YAN-

Harrisburg, July 5th, 1871.
July 26, 1871-11w.

Best brands of Tobacco and Cigars, and in fact everything kept in their line of bu-siness, which they dispose of at prices lower than ever before.

Come in and price our goods. No trouble to Or sailing on from high to higher, They have also added to their already increa-

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sing trade, a

and hold themselves ready to furnish (on order) any book, magazine, music, paper, or anything asked for in that line. Subscriptions solicited for all popular papers and magazines.

Don't forgot to call opposite E. M. Smith's hotel, Tioga, Pa.

July 26, 1871 tf

HARDWARE!

LUTZ & KOHLER,

HVING opened a first class Hardware Store, in Mansfield, opposite Pitts Brok.; on Main Street, respectfully invite their friends and the public in general to give them a call.

They guarrantee satisfaction in all cases. Their MISCELLANEOUS.

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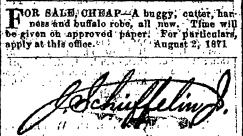
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JACKS CREWS, TACKLE BLOCKS. WIRE CLOTH & WIRE GOODS

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Canal Wheel Barrows

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Bottom prices on AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS! Ma y241, 1871.–ik

TO CONTRACTORS! The farm knowness the Obester Cady farm in Farmington Township, containing one hundred and fifteen acres is now offered for sale on reasonable terms. Said farm is now in the possession of Chester Cady and offere apply to July 12, 1871.—If well a said of the company in Elkland Pennsylvania, on Taesday and offere apply to be ready for examination at the office of the secretary of the company in Elkland Pennsylvania, on Taesday September 5th, 1871.

Specifications and estimates of quantity will be ready for examination at the office of the process of the President of the Company in Elkland, and at mother is decreased for the office of the company in Elkland, and at mother is decreased for the office of the company in Elkland, and at mother is decreased for the office of the company in Elkland, and at mother is decreased for the office of the company in Elkland, and at mother is decreased. be ready for examination at the office of the this lambs and cows and calves. The President of the Company in Elkland, and at mother is dressed for the occasion—a the office of the Wall Brook Coal Company in sun bonnet and calico cown. You can

> mine at the same time. JOEL PARKHURST. C. L. PATTISON. Elkland Pa Ang. 10, 1871-8t.

music.

POET'S CORNER.

They may me many my feet applied the the

to long LOVE AT SEA. Foam-created waves, from morn to night, That met all round the deep blue sky, Which came, then vaulehed to the eye.

A patch of silver reaching back; With shrill voice sang the salt sea wind; The petral hovered in our track.

inked arm in arm, when skies were fair, We tred the deck with thoughtless aim, r sometimes, idly scated there, Watched the fair sails which went and came r, gazing down along the deep, a back and

We marked the long, dark indolent swells,

Oh! what to us wes Time's swift flight-Or Time itself, beyond a name ? . . . Oh I what to us the noon or night, To whom all seasons were the same? for love possessed our souls, and drew

And saw the bounding perpoise leap,

And heard on board the half-hour bells

And, steeped in bliss, our souls looked through The open gates of paradise. Left far behind the new world lay; ... Dim, distant, shadowy, and vost, ; ; The old world rose before our, way, Replete with records of the past.

His rosy veil before our eyes,

What time fair Hesperus, rising, gleamed In crimson deeps where sank the breeze, he red sun from the far west seemed To drop into the purple seas.

And on the farthest verge of night : Rose the fall moon, like some pale nun, Her face all wet with tears, and white, When the sweet vesper hymn is done.

By skirts of silver shining clouds,

She seemed at times a ball of fire, . . That struggled in the tall dark shrouds. Opfour side, spanned with quivering light, The phosphorescent ocean lay, And on the other, lost to sight, The shadowy waves stretched for away,

And sometimes, like a silent ghost, Dim outlined on the dark night sky, Some fair ship, from a foreign coast In distant seas would pass us by.

Ohl soft, still night; ohl calm, rich days, To which my thoughts like currents bend, In, whose bright wake my fancy plays, There is no younge but bath its end.

One morn I woke to scent the breeze That over English downs had swept; And round our prow in sluggish case : The waters of the Mersey slept.

The Green Sea of the Northwest. BY CHARLES C. COFFIN.

Throw down your pen, leave your books, your business. leave all care be-hind, be a carpet-bagger for a month, and take a run with me into the Northby the census statistics that the nation pointed.

contradiction of terms? Wait till you as near as Chicago to New York or Bosbut now that the balmy breezes from ready settled. appear, then vanish into airy nothings, hence. The mirage lifted them, then let them

drop beneath the level greenness. Across this sea the prairie schooners are sailing in endless procession, propelled by ox, horse and mule power.-These motors need not, like the Cunarders of the Atlantic, take in a cargo of coals for consumption on the voyage. They feed themselves and fatten by the way, and are stouter and stronger at the end than at the beginning of the jour-

The white-winged ships, ever hovering around the Narrows, or standing boldly out upon the ocean, with every sail spread to the breeze, are a scene no wheels as they roll upon their axles; The State debt on the lat of Decemin the bleating of the sheep and lambs, ber, 1850, and on the same dute of the the teams. Each immigrant has his reports of the Auditor General:

Corning N.Y. by Briday August 25th, 1871; Spin pounet and cance gowit. "Louisant and the line of the read will also be ready to ex. see her hoop skirt hanging to the wage

such as Solomon in all his glory could cans carried the House, in 1859 they not command—the lilles of the field.— | carried both House and Senate, and in His elder sister, with her uncombed 1860 they elected the Governor and a hair streaming in the wind, is minding majority in both houses. the lambs, who all the time are tempted | During these ten years, the ruling to stray into the green; pastures. The party had the benefit of the revenue brother, still older, is driving the team from the State tax on real and personal

of steers. He is fourteen; may be; but estate, and the tax on tonnage on the he is a man. He shows us that he Pennsylvania rallroad. The revenue knows what he is about, by punching from these two sources, during the deup the off steer with his goad stick, and | cade referred to, was as follows: singing out, 'Whoa, gee; what are you about, thar!' He aspires to be a man, 1852 21,270 68 and would have us think he is one. He we were boys. The father drives the 1855.... other team. He is getting on in years; 1857 ...... 204,504 11 has a grizzled beard. He sits beneath the sheltering canvas, with goad in 1860,

wart pair of oxen. A little tow-headed child, with wonhis arms, running her tiny hands now morning glories, and the acres of wild roses blooming around.

music, that prattling voice, sweet as an the bobo'links, and the curlew's 'quit but a trifle, as these figures show:

. 'Where are you from?' is my question to the father. 'From southern Minnesota.' 'What are you coming up here for? Did you not have good land down

there? 'Yas; but I tinks dis is better.' He is a Norwegian, and the th will not trip readily from his tongue, and so he 'tinks dis is better land.' With hundreds, even thousands of his neighbors, he has sold out the preemption

there to start a homestead here. Look where you will, you see these prairie schooners-families with bag and baggage, with flocks and herds, plow and shovel, stove and bedstead, churn and chair-moving on to the bet-

ter land. I'do not wonder that they come; for of all the domain of this republic, there is no region exceeding this in fertility. Think of it, ye farmers of New England, or of the Middle States, who look upon your broad twenty acre fields with pride-think of a velley so level that you may turn a furrow, unbroken by hillock or hollow, save at a river crossing, fifty miles in length, if you drive your team from the east to the west across this valley! Think of putting your plow into a furrow at New York and never taking it out until you furrow you might turn, were you to July 1, 1871, to be as follows: start your team afield at Breckenridge and drive it to lake Winnipeg, in British America, were it not for the crossing of the streams tributary to the Red

river of the North.
A year ago this vast expanse was almost a solitude; but now it is quick west, if you would see how an empire with life. The Northern Pacific railgrows. You cannot see it in N. York, road is the cause of this unparalleled or Boston, or in Chicago. You can us- immigration. The railroad will not be derstand that those and all other cities completed to the Red river before Separe getting on; you can comprehend tember; but the immigrants are here ahead of it, taking possession of all the is increasing in population and wealth; choice lands belonging to the governbut it is only when you get upon the ment sections, each man staking off his frontier, and at this time upon the preemption claim of one hundred and Northwestern frontier, that you see the leixty acres. Many of the settlers have growth of the great republican empire, made arrangements with the railroad Take no 'biled shirts' with you, as company, and have taken land belongthey say out here; but put on flannel, ing to them. It is estimated that not put your stove pipe hat into its box and less than twenty thousand persons have set it away in the closet, wear a wide- settled along the line of that railroad awake, take a roll of blankets and a the present season! The immigration earpet bag, be ready for roughness. from Canada has been very large to Make up your mind that salt pork is Manitoba. A gentleman from Montregood eating; that the broad canopy of al, who has been spending a few months Heaven is the best bed chamber in the in the valley, informs me that not less world on a summer night; that even a than nine thousand Canadians have drenching in the rain will do no one passed northward to take up homes in any harm,-make up your mind to have | Manitoba, three hundred miles north a good time, and you will not be disap- of the line of the Northern Pacific railroad. The lands here are just as invi-Have you ever seen a fleet of prairie ting as those in Manitoba; but, baving schooners? If you have not, it will be been subjects of the Queen, with all with a medical man, whom I will call sight worth seeing. Take a trot with their associations connected with Canme on an Indian pony, this sunity af- ada, they are not quite ready to become on the uses of the misroscope, in the the Northwest. People at the East their prospective nearness to an eastern of what happened to myself—one which speak of it as the Red river, valley of market, that make them so attractive. I think, well illustrates the importance the North; but it is an ocean. It is a It is only two hundred and thirty of this instrument to society, though I dead calm—a smooth and level sea of miles from Red river to lake Superior; was put in a very unpleasant position waving verdure. Do you call that a and Duluth, as a shipping point, is just owing to my acquaintance with it.

statement. The sea is smooth, and as this point, instead of reaching a wil- omy, especially to the structure of the Julia Savier, his lawful wife, became even as the surface of the calmest lake; derness, will run through a country al- hair as it appears under the microscope. enraged. She went to the hotel, rapthe west are sweeping over it, I behold These waylarers, now moving on to it waving with rankest vegetation .- establish new homes, will a year or two is long or short, dark or fair, straight Remarking the state of health, she said The plover rises and whites away on hence load down the cars of the com- or curly, coarse or fine. Under the to Mrs. L., "I will make you sicker:" quivering wings; the curiew circles us pany with choicest wheat; and they in his airy flight, and calls upon us to will reaghest their arms all the way to different; the white man's hair is three shots at the unfortunate woman, 'quit it, quit it, quit it!' But we can. New York, and Boston, and Philadel round, the negro's oval, the mouse's all of which took effect. The shots not quit it. We almost despair of ever phia, and take the products of the East getting out of it, or sailing across this in return. Towns and olties will rise, and so on. Indeed, every animal has shoreless ocean shoreless to the sight. like magio over these green fields. The hair of a peculiar character, and, what Far away we see green islands. They locomotive will bring them a few days is more, in character varies accord-

day, alive with incoming population; next year, reapers, mowers, threshers, thus: voices of children learning their lessons in school, and church bells ringing their music on the ambient air! · So this green sea of the Northwest is changing from silence and solitude to life and activity, at a rate unparalleled

in the history of the republic. TWO" DECADES.

Showing the Difference in the Condition of the State for Ten Years under Democratic Rule, and Ten Years under

Republican Management. more beautiful to the eye than that - The Democrats had an almost unwhich we gaze upon as we gallop over broken rule in Pennsylvania from 1850 are, and you will find them and their gambling houses in this city to call at these prairies on this sunny summer to 1860, and the Republicans have been description in this envelope, handing the office at the Chief at noon, Wednesthese prairies on this sunny summer to 1880, and the Republicans have been these prairies on this sunny summer to 1860, and the Republicans have been day, and in response thereto, fourteen day. See the long procession, how it in power most of the time from 1860 to it to him at the same time. He exstretches away the white canvas cov- 1871. The records made by these parties Come in and take a look, get the figures and crings of the wagons set against the within those periods in the managesee how it is yourself, and oblige

Yours Truly

There is music in the chucking of the fair test by which to try them:

We will fart is bright green of the luxuriant grasses! ment of the finances of the State, is a There is music in the chucking of the

is well supplied with Presses and Types to execute all kinds of Job Work with neatness and

Large additions of all the late styles of type have been added to this department.

The Agitator

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was worth anything; and it required the solemn assurance of the judge that such a conclusion was within reach of science to convince them that they might act upon it. 🖺 "One juryman in particular—an old

thee mean to say, says he, that thee

can tell the hair of any animal?" I answered that I would not take upon myself to assert positively that I could do so, although I believed I could. 'Well,' said he, 'I'll prove thee.' "The prisoner, as I said, was convic-1,081,050 50 ted, and I went home, and, in the busy 1,510,408 89 life of an extensive practice, forgot all about my obstinate farmer. About two

1,554,667 84 years afterwards, however, a person, 1,610,220 19 an entire stranger to me, called on me with a few hairs screwed up in a piece of paper, which he asked me to examne and report on. "'Is this another murder case?" I

uquired; for if so, I will have nothing to do with it. I've had enough of that sort of work.'

"'No, no,' said he; 'it is nothing of the kind. It is only a matter of ouriosity, which I should be very much obliged if you would solve; and if you will do it I will call or send for the result of your examination in a few days' time.' Having received this assurance, State debt December 1, 1850..... \$40,775,485 42 I undertook the investigation. State debt December 1, 1860...... 37,969,847 50 "When he was gone, and I h "When he was gone, and I had leis-

ure I put the hairs under the microscope, and soon discovered that they were taken from the back of a Norway rat. "Two or three days afterwards, as I was sitting in my consulting-room, an old farmer-looking man was ushered in. 'Well,' said he, 'has thee looked at

them bairs?' "'Yes,' I answered, 'and I find that they are from the back of a Norway

"'Well,' exclaimed he, 'so they are. I hou has forgotton me, but I have not forgotten thee. Does thee recollect the trial for murder at I—assizes? Isaid I would prove thee, and so I have, for them hairs come from the back of a rat's skin my son sent me from Norway.' So the old gentleman was quite satisfied with the proof to which he had put me, and I, as you may suppose, was well pleased that my skill and sagacity had stood such a queer proof as this, and more convinced than ever of the value of the microscope."

Here the doctor ended his story, which I have given as nearly as possible reduce the public debt more than one. In his own words, and upon which I fourth. A statement published (offi-) believe that a thorough dependence cially) by the Commissioners of the may be placed. - Journal of Microscopy.

DISASTERS AND DEVILTRIES.

There was a fearful explosion of fire amp fu the Eagle shaft, at Pittston. on the morning of the 14th instant.-Twenty pien were working in a new gangway at the time of the explosion, which tore away the timbers supporting the roof, causing it to fall, and leaving the men imprisoned behind the rocks, with no means of escape until the debris could be cleaned away. The volunteers who went down heroically to the rescue, could work but a few minutes at a time, and several of them were drawn up insensible from the effects of choke damp. When the victims were finally reached, they were all dead .-Seventeen lives were lost by this affair, for which somebody is to blame. \*

STEAMBOAT EXPLOSION.—They have had a blow up on Chautauqua lake .-The steamer Chautaugua, while wooding six miles below Mayville, burst her boiler, killing and wounding some 30 persons; eight already dead, and more who cannot recover. Cause unknown.

FIRE AND LOSS OF LIFE.—At a little past midnight on the 15th, there was an explosion in the lower story of an old frame building in Jorsey city, by which the building became almost instantly enveloped in flames, and three females and a boy were burned to death. who were working to get Insurance mo-

ney fraudulently. A FEMININE SHOOTIST .-- A Mr. Savier, of California, was living with a married woman by the name of Lake,

SHOOTING MATCH. - Dennis Dardin and John M'Carthy, two sporting men. exhanged four pistol shots in Washington, on Buena Vista avenue. M'Carshortly after being shot.

This is the sensible way in which

Boston. The Boston Advertiser says:

in" to gambling houses and fleeced of what money they had. These complaints became so frequent that a general invitation was extended to the proand windows and selzing and destroying property to be again replaced the next hour was at best a very questionhere its extreme. It is reported further, however, that the parties left the office apparently sensibly impressed with the

by her side, has his hands full of riches | were sold in 1857, in 1858 the Republifarmer—was very hard to satisfy. 'Does

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State Tux. \$1,872,170 87 1858..... 224,535 62 1859 87,582 68 1860 81,425 15

To be after the senter of a

1.444.674 93 hand, guiding and urging on his stal-\$1,186,297 75 \$15,024,984 19 1,186,997 75 der in her deep blue eyes, is nestling in Total revenue from these sources, \$16,161,381 94 And yet, with all this revenue and

through his beard, and now pointing to \$800,000 additional paid in three installthe flowers—the golden lilies, the white | ments, 1858, 1859 and 1860, by the Pennsylvania railroad in redemption of its bonds given in purchase of the public 'See I see, papa!' Ah, it is pleasant works, the public debt remained almost unchanged for six years, and was finalangel's, mingling with the larks, and ly reduced in the following four years

> Total reduction in ten years...... \$2,805,837 92 Or an average of about \$280,000 a year. Shortly after the Republicans came fully into possession of the State government in 1861, they were confronted with the necessity of arming the troops of the State called out to suppress the rebellion, and to put the State into a condition of defense. Hence the negotiations of the war loan of 1861. They therefore commenced their decade with a debt of over forty millions, as follows:

> > ..\$41,469,847. 50

The tonnage tax was repealed in 1861. and subsequently, in February, 1860, the three mill tax on real estate was repealed, so that these large sources of revenue enjoyed by the Democrats were cut off from their successors; the annual payment into the Sinking Fund by the Pennsylvania railroad being increased, by the repeal of the tonnage tax, from \$100,000 to \$460,000 annually. With the tonnege tax repealed since 1861, and the three mill tax abolished since 1865, the Republican administration of the State has still managed to each the city of Washington. Such a Sinking Fund, shows the public debt Debt bearing coin interest ..... Debt bearing int't in U.S. ourrency, 24,782,446 3 Debt on which interest has ceased, Debt bearing no interest.....

> Total debt July 1, 1871.....\$29,540,587 71 We can thus fairly compare the re sults of the two decades: State debt Dec. '50, \$40,775,485 42 60, 87,989,847 50 Reduction in ten years under Dem. State debt Dec. '60, \$87,999,847 60 War debt added, 8,500,000 00 Deht July 1, 1871, 29,540,587 71 Reduct'n in 10 years under Repub.

> Difference in favor of Republicans, \$9,117,621 57 Average annual reduction under 1,192,325 97 Au this, be it remembered, has been accomplished with not merely a reduc tion of taxation, but under a total re-

peal of all direct taxation upon the property of the people. We commend these figures to the careful attention of the voters of the

# . Story of the Microscope.

Some time ago, I was in company Mr. B—, who fell into conversation ternoon, and let us review the fleet - citizens of the republic. It is the as- management of which he was an adept | And there seems to be evidence that the Here we are out on the green ocean of tonishing fertility of these lands and "Now said he, "I will tell you a story disastor was the work of incendiaries. "I have, as you know, given a good have seen it before you question the ton. The railroad, when completed to deal of attention to comparative anat, at a hotel in Stockton, whereat Mrs.

To the unassisted eye, indeed all hair ped at the door of Mrs. Lake's room, appears very much alike, except as it was admitted, and found Mrs. L. sick. microscope, however, the case is very which she proceeded to do, by firing apparently jointed, the bat's jagged, proved fatal. ing to the part of the body from which A year ago, a profound solitude; to- it is taken an important circumstance, as will appear from my story, which is thy was mortally wounded, and died

"I onge received a letter by post con-

taining a few bairs, with a request that I would examine them, and adding they manage the gambling element of that they would be called for in a few days. Accordingly, I submitted the hairs to the misroscope, when I discovered that they were from the human eye-brow, and had been bruised. I made a note to this effect, and folded earned a few dollars to meet the necessition of their familiar wars help "roped". it up with the hairs in an envelope, littles of their families were being "roped ready for the person who had sent them: In a few days a stranger called and inquired whether I had made the investigation. 'Oh, yes,' said I, 'there they prictors and landlords of all the noted pressed himself as being much obliged, or sixteen or the state process with on hand. When assembled alone with and offered me a fee, which, however, the Chief, that officer explained to his i declined, telling him that I could not visitors the object of the interview, saythink of taking anything for so small a ling that the practice of breaking doors

and the lowing of the cattle, and the ten years following, is given in the fol- sequence than I had imagined, for able system of license, that had incrowing of the cocks that accompany lowing table, compiled from the annual within a week I was served with a creased rather than diminished the subponia to attend as a witness on a evil, as there was the teams. Each immigrant has his cow, his sheep, and every wagon has its chicken coop attached.

Look at this one family: The wife and the younger children are minding the lambs and cows and caives. The mother is dressed for the occasion—a supposed to attend as a witness on a strial for murder. This was very disa trial for murder. The disappear of the desired to treat them fair to the desired to the desired to treat them that he desired to the desired to the desired to the form that he see her hoop skirt hanging to the wage on ahead. Call upon her in her new less from this table that testimony that the bairs were from living by desired. This object so much to be desired. This putting it rather mild to say the least. Is putting it rather mild to say the least. I was put in the witness box, and my Possibly, the language is decidedly log home, a few days hence, and you it will be seen from this table that testimony that the bairs were from living, but if not moral sussion finds will find het fixed up! for company; the State debt remained above forty, the human eyebrow, and had been but just now she is lending a helping millions—some years increasing, and bruised," was just the link in the chain TEW PIANO SPREADS for sale at Greenor's branch store, opposite the Cone House,
from \$4 50 to \$15. Also a large stock of new

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