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General Sheridan continues to improve and the hope is justified that he will yet appear with the epaulets of his new rank on his shoulders.

If the statement that the Standard Oil Company is leasing land in Perry County for the purpose of putting down wells for oil and natural gas be true, the theory that these products do not exist east of the Allegheny would seem to have been abandoned.

Ninety-seven years ago (June 7 1791) went into operation the United States banks, which, at the expiration of its charter, was opposed by President Jackson, as it was not authorized by the Constitution.

state banks, and this done, a great financial panic ensued.

On June 13th, 1776, one hundred and two years ago, was born Gen. Winfield Scott. He entered the army as a captain in 1808, and in 1812 was made lieutenant colonel.

The attention of merchants and dealers is called to the following law in reference to the payment of mercantile taxes: Section 56, of the act of 1862, pamphlet laws, 493, reads as follows:
It shall be the duty of every county treasurer to sue for the recovery of all licenses duly returned him by the mercantile appraiser, if not paid on or before the first day of July in each and every year, within ten days after that date, and the said treasurer shall not be discharged from any such license, unless he brings suit to recover the same within said date and presses the same to judgment and execution as soon thereafter as practicable and pays the amount of all such licenses received by him into the State Treasury on or before the first day of October ensuing, nor shall he receive any commissions on such licenses unless he make payment as aforesaid.

The town of Dubois, Pa. was almost entirely destroyed by fire on Monday, and about thirty persons killed and one hundred injured. Dubois was a flourishing little city in Clearfield county, which owed all its prosperity to the late John Dubois, the well known lumberman and manufacturer. The first settlement was made in 1873, and it was not incorporated as a borough until 1881. It contained several large hotels, five churches two banks, two opera houses and a number of mills and factories, most of which belong to Mr. Dubois, the heir of the founder of the city. Only two stores are left in the town. They are the property of J. E. Dubois and Bell, Lewis & Yates. Three hotels remain out of seven, and one drug store out of nine. Four thousand people are homeless. The loss is estimated at two and a half millions, and young Dubois contributed half a million to the sufferers.

THE AMERICAN IN POLITICS.

The American as a politician is somewhat of a curiosity in himself, carrying his enthusiasm, so far as his political sentiments are concerned, to the highest pitch imaginable, outstripping at times the vehemence of the excitable Frenchman, and the wild ravings of the irascible Irishman. On all other points he is generally cool and collected, and will talk rationally on any other subject. He has been tried at the post of danger and deadly peril, and faced death itself with an unflinching countenance, and stood calmly awaiting the grim messenger; but talk politics to him in opposition to his own fixed opinion and he seems at once to emerge from a stoic to an enthusiast. "Resist the devil and he will flee from you" says one of the sacred writers, and we will add resist an American so far as his politics are concerned and he will fly at you. In the present year we will have a fair chance to observe the effects of this political excitement. The average American can generally find enough to enthuse him in an ordinary township or congressional election; but in the event of a President's election the tension of his excitement is strung up to the highest pitch, and yet in spite of it all they rarely do each other injury, and generally confine their assaults on each other to words, and it is no unusual sight to see two of opposite opinion politically ready to devour one another, and a stranger who is not intimate with our customs would suppose that the fight would terminate as fatally as the case of the famous Kilkenny cats; but he would be surprised in an hour afterward in finding them holding social intercourse, joking, and treating each other as though nothing had ever intervened to mar friendship. This political excitement does of course effect trade and business generally, and as often as the four years move around and a President election occurs, just as surely comes with it a general stagnation of business all over the country. This fact has become so apparent of late years that some of our most level-headed men think that our President should serve a longer term, say for ten years. Whether this would be advisable or not we are not competent to judge, but can only surmise that the case would be if our citizens did not shoot off their political cannon quite so frequently.

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der offer storing it up for four years, what would be the result if they only had a chance to unburden every ten years? One thing can be said in favor of our present system, if we have a good President we can reject him, and if we should happen to get a bad one we can console ourselves that his term will soon expire, which could not be said of the proposed ten years' term. The country has existed and prospered under the present system, and perhaps we had better leave well enough alone.

Largest, Longest, Highest.

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We still think Blaine will be nominated.

Fourty-three years ago, on June 8, 1845, died the seventh president of the United States, Andrew Jackson, born March 15 1767, of poor Scotch Irish parents. He took up arms at an early age to fight in the revolution and afterward in the war with the Creek Indians and war of 1812, commanding and winning the battle of New Orleans in the latter. He was elected president in 1828 and again in 1832.

The Soldiers' Orphans' Schools.

According to Dr. Higbee's report on the Soldiers' Orphans' School of this State, we learn that there are at the present time 2,774 children in these worthy establishments and four who received relief in other institutions. This is a very large number when it is considered that the war closed twenty-three years ago. By law all admission to these schools closed on the first of June, 1887, and consequently with every coming year the number will decrease. In 1890 the schools will permanently close. There will still be 1,000 children in them at that time who have not attained the age of 16 years, nor finished their education.

Do Figures Lie?

Let us see! Two women had 30 chickens each, which they took to market. They agreed to divide equally the proceeds of their sales. One sold her chickens 2 for a dollar, getting for the 30 chickens \$15. The other sold hers for 3 for a dollar, getting for her chickens \$10. This made \$25 realized for the 60 chickens. The merchant called on to divide the money said: "You sold your 30 chickens 2 for a dollar, and you sold your 30 chickens 3 for a dollar. That makes 60 chickens at the rate of 5 for \$2. Well, 5 into 60 goes 12 times—twice 12 is 24. That makes 24 your chickens have brought." But, as shown above, the women actually had \$25 in pocket. And yet the merchant's figures were right! Do figures lie?

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ed, as when it gave to the Germans as their ruler this truly kingly and heroic man. Born in the purple, he was a great and glorious exception to the rule of those so situated. Broad and large and great of soul as he was majestic and handsome in person, this man was of that make of which heroes and demigods grew in olden times. Born and bred a soldier, he yet hated war; the son of a king and an absolutist and surrounded all his life by the tyrannical brutality of German militarism. He had great and broad sympathies for his people, and claimed no kinship with the dominant spirit of the court and the times, living in an age and in a country in which race persecution was still possible, he bravely and openly proclaimed his sympathy for the oppressed in the face of popular movements against them. But two weeks ago, although then in the shadow of death, he dismissed a minister who had long served the state because of his interference with the popular will as expressed in elections, a thing hitherto unheard of in the history of government in Germany. Such was the man who has just passed away.

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