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The Journal will not be issued again until Saturday, October 29, and, excepting Saturdays, the office will be closed until Monday, October 24. The proprietor's daughter, Annie B. Oder, will meanwhile dispose of all business she can that may reach her at home.

A PRESS dispatch of recent date

The strike in the woolen mills of Louisville, Ky., which was inaugurated two months ago has proven a failure. The mill owners refused to take back any of the strikers who would not sign an agreement to/give up all dignation, but "not a drum was allegiance to the knights and come back at the old wages. They were compelled to close. Recently, however, their employees began to seek their old places at the owners' terms, strain at a republican flea and swaland nearly all of the weavers have agreed to the conditions. Two mills are at work and another expects to be able to begin at

of Labor, who lose nearly seven hundred run the gauntlet of the electoral boy- of the Savings and Loan Association olis. It were better to persuade the Pennsylvania railroad company, members, after supporting that number for cot. A can makers' Knights of discourages expectations of that court that in subtraction it can be Europe, some delay has occurred in the heart-ache to contemplate that has built three dormer windows on two months, each having drawn from two Labor assembly in Baltimore has de- character. to five dollars a week from the labor treasury,

This is "confirmation strong as the JOURNAL. What law can be enacted in Ken-

tucky to prevent mill-owners from exacting disallegiance to labor organizations as a condition of employ-

land to prevent mine owners from the basis of his western speeches two weeks. exacting a waiver of rights under a from the American Cyclopedia. In- This step is not taken for the bensemi-monthly pay statute?

fact as strongly as they hold in the things. theory of true government.

ment of law, the same powers can sulting the wrong text-book. carry the same point as well without such laws.

There is no getting away from this conclusion.

THE JOURNAL is all agog to see how the Knights of Labor catechism will look after each nominee for the Senate and House of Delegates has submitted his replies.

In this connection the comments from many quarters upon the Jour-NAL's answers have been endorsed

the questions were unanswerable- it by stealing our trade. that something had heen thrown in the middle of Maryland politics that ceeding remarkably well. would have to be handled with tongs -and then dropped by all but those who had professed discipleship of the help. new gospel of labor.

But the JOURNAL, standing on nothing but the bottom rock which constitutes the imperishable foundation of individual liberty; standing "mouthpiece." These things do not on nothing but the principle which Jefferson, Hamilton and Madison comfortable than when it was delearned from the evils of popular nominated "a labor paper." Were subjection in Europe to the "divine the "company paper" and "mouthright of kings"—the principle that piece" correct, no disgrace would all men politically are created sov- attach. But while a better triend of ereigns—the Jouanal answered labor by far than many papers which them with an ease which quite surprised itself. We commend our work to each

nominee as meriting both his endorsement and his adoption.

half as bright as on the republican. NAL is.

In this important respect we regard the democratic ticket as very far superior to the other.

on the canal question we should advise all to vote for it. Which leads us to remark, how-

ever, that between useless mine and destructive canal legislation, this region is jammed dead plumb between the devil and the deep sea. THE gentlemen who have been

talking facetiously of the "Save the Sun, the New York Star, the Boston Herald. Canal" ticket did not wag their lol- the Hartford (Conn.) Post. lipers in good taste. The reference to the mules was singularly bad, paper we quote names the following for these uncomplaining brutes rep- as among "the smaller fry:" resent quite faithfully a class of people who vote against their own interests at every primary and general election without knowing it, or rather without trying to know it.

THE independent movement, begun last Monday, though petite, is loveable

WHEN a man wants to vote for something in the wind that he as follows: knows nothing of let him patronize a democratic primary in No. 11.

to vote against his own interests. And he does, too-two to one, and then some.

court house and jail expenses were subjects Tuesday for democratic inheard nor a funeral note" over the dead canal. Verily, some folks can low a West Virginia octopus.

It is a very severe defeat for the Knights nominee for governor, has begun to posits. But the experience this year eye on the place held by this metrop president of the Cumberland clared him "an enemy of the work- So that, as a place of mere deposit leaves one, while one taken from one of the Barton-Georges Creek coal com-Holy Writ" of the position held by ingmen," and appealed to the Order the institution suggested might meet would leave Frostburg exactly where pany. Operations in this direction. throughout the State to "defeat" | the wants of those who desire to save | Lonaconing is now. See? him. Which looks like hickory tim- their small earnings, but under the ber was losing its first place in the current tide of work and wages we hearts of the yeomanry who dig the doubt whether investments can

with Mr. Cleveland for getting the lovers of the Journal that the ed-What law can be enacted in Mary- historical information which form itor hereof will take a vacation of asmuch as the editor of the Sun is efit of health, or altogether for of mineral wealth were true, it would be operations, it is expected, about Dec. the editor also of Appleton's Cyclo- pleasure, but principally for business. producing more gold than California, more 1st. The usual energy of the railroad The evidences that the enforce- pedia, it would be interesting to There is in view several important silver than Nevada, more coal and iron than company to meet the wants of a new ment of such laws depend upon learn from him officially what a cy- additions to our outfit. We must Africa and more building-stone than the feeder and the enterprise of a vigorous the unanimous and concurrent ac- clopedia is for, if not to obtain in survey an untrodden field, and, to whole New England States. If all the bears firm leave no room to doubt that the tion of employers are multiplying in | brief the staple facts concerning all | make no mistake, we desire to explore | and panthers and wildcass and snakes do | new mine will be an active and profit-

"sodder" and build the tin cup.

But probably Mr. Cleveland, who engineers and pressmen, one of them than a West Virginia forest. And if such unaminity and co-op- evidently believes in accurate infor- somewhat interested consanguineous- It should not be forgotten, howeveration are indispensable to enforce- mation-perhaps he has been con- ly in the Journal.

Eastern Shore, including the rich | the large affairs while he is looking | winter.

county of Cecil, paid about \$111,000 after business at the cross roads. into the State treasury. tributary to the canal paid about pear in the issue of the 29th inst.

\$128,000, or \$17,000 more than the nine Eastern Shore counties. The economists of that section, Rawlings station, as a sound, solid,

The oddest feature of the business

out toward calling the JOURNAL "a company paper," and one inexperienced scribe speaks of us as a make the JOURNAL feel more uneffusively profess a monopoly of sympathy for the workingman, the Jour-NAL is an independent paper, devoted to the welfare of the people of this coal region—the people of all classes THE outlook for mine ventilation and conditions viewed and treated as and semi-monthly pay law legisla- one homogeneous mass. That is the tion on the democratic ticket is about | kind of a company paper the Jour-

And now is the time to subscribe.

Journal punctures the "Tortilita does not represent the party, but registers If it were unchangeably all right Bubble"— an exagerated mining persons. scheme enjoying considerable adver- Under existing systems not one been caught, among them the follow- conscientious, that in some cases he

> The New York Tribune, repeatedly; the the altar. New York World, repeatedly; the New York

And, with grim comparison, the The Tucson (Ariz.) Star, the Florence (Ariz,) Enterprise, the New York Financial and Mining Record, the New York Daily

Just how our affable contemporary the Lonaconing Review is catalogue cannot be stated. We hope, however, that it is not regarded as-

> "A roast, stew or boil Nor bake, roast or broil."

A SUBSCRIBER writes the JOURNAL the community and every individual in it to

have a dime savings bank, I would request

We have an institution of almost

the character designated by our friend.

unable to invest the funds with its

usual success. It has had in its

It has a large number of depositors,

ment of such an institution.

found that will yield profit.

It is a mighty fine place also for him

THE condition of the roads and but the prosperous year has made money so plentiful that it has been treasury all the year, therefore, a large sum wholly unproductive.

visible to the naked eye.

who, by the way enjoy about ninebeyond the most sanguine expect- tenths of the emoluments of the incident in Tuesday's convention of State, are not pleased with the dis- rare occurrence in political bodies. In other quarters they were re- parity which exists to their profit, After his nomination as county comceived with undisguised surprise and and want West Virginia to take conand chagrin. It been supposed that | trol of our taxable basis and reduce It is an odd scheme, but it is suc-

is—it it is succeeding by our own

THERE is a disposition cropping he ever needs it. Lonaconing Review, remarked re- port. gives the Knights of Labor a kick." This the JOURNAL denies. It is not At the same time it does not know of anything or anybody connected

with the Knights of Labor that places that order out of the reach of criticism. The old cry of 'the king can do no wrong" was bur- In No. 11 the "Save the Canal" ticket ied over one hundred years ago, and it was snowed under by a vote of more stands us well in need to see that than two to one. minority rule in any shape shall nev-

THE JOURNAL'S long-time es

berland without regard to party-if

trouble in Baltimore that is said to land. prevail here. W. Benton Crisp, a kicker, writes:

It has been quite clear to my mind that G. Brooke Magruder, of Lonaconing. THE Engineering and Mining the City Convention as at present constituted

tising in consideration of stock in man out of a hundred at a primary Cumberland. the concern. A large portion of the knows what or who he is voting for. press of all shades of anti-monop. When he finds out all about it he and bloated corp. persuasions have discovers, if he is intelligent and has to slay the lamb that he led to

THE procession of the Veiled

tural dodge was played with three

procession.

THE laudation of the unworthy is In my estimation it would be a benefit to all wrongs.

If anybody wants to know what you to give your opinion about the establish- the JOURNAL stands for, let him | 15 and expires January 1. study the original vignette over the fourth and fifth columns of this page. 15 to January 15.

1, For the miner. 2, For the mine.

3. For the railroad.

4. Last, not least-for the canal.

bank would naturally look for more must own two all the time. We trust, Mr. Jackson, the democratic than the accumulation of more de- therefore, that Lonaconing has no mainly to the absence of Mr. Mayer, proven that one taken from two opening and developing the property

In Pittsburg a paper says: West Virginia is a small, sparsely-settle mountain State, near Pennsylvania, has the biggest syndicate of liars that imposed upon distant newspapers. Never a not sent out from it. If all the crimes that and Pennysylvania main line at upper out of church, but it didn't seem to the weather permits. are related as happening within its bounds Ocean, will run via Staup's Run valley sadden him any, for he just leaned actually took place, one half the population two miles to a point a short distance would be in jail, a quarter would be officers of the law and the other quarter would be above Prof. Winebrenner's home. fugitives from justice. If all the discoveries Both mine and road will be ready for twice and got tangled in the branches. Sunday. Rev. S. G. Ferguson preach-Pennsylvania, more diamonds than South business there that are reported, it would be able factor in the extensive business it under the guidance of expert safer to travel through the jungles of Africa

er, that the democratic party of We shall take in Chicago and Maryland has a scheme on foot to If so, the inside of Dana's gall is Kansas City particularly. At the evangelize West Virginia. latter place we shall meet President | The towpath will be contributed to

IN 1886 the nine counties of the Cleveland and endeavor to attend to the missionary fund, if possible, next

And just as the roses do not come Anything of the trip worth telling again in this vale of the blest, in Total tons for week..... The same year the five counties | the readers of the Journal will ap- | West Virginia the wilderness will be engaged in the great blooming act. Among the most liberal and en- Total tons to B. & O. railroad for week thusiastic soldiers of the sacrificial timate of James W. Wilson, of host are the shouting democrats of Compared with corresponding period plucky man, was established by an

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Political .- The prohibitionists met missioner, and seeing that the city of in Cumberland Saturday, 8th inst., Cumberland was lett unrepresented, and placed the following county ticket he quickly declined the distinction in the field: State Senator .- O. H. Bruce, of Westernand asked the convention to transfer

it to Samuel J. Edwards. That was House of Delegates .- R. W. Maxwell, of an act manly enough to insure here- Lonaconing; James Bannatyne, of Eckhart;

> Thompson, of Frostburg. Sheriff.-H. H. Hartsock, of Cumberland. Judges of the Orphans' Court .- John A. Smith, of Frostburg; Rev. Isaac Thomas, of

County Commissioners .- G. W. Spangler cently that "as usual, the JOURNAL of Westernport; John W. Wilson, of Old town : John Bushman, Emanual Marshall and S. Hendrickson, of Cumberland. Register of Wills .- G. F. Garrett, of Eck-

States Attorney .- No nomination.

Surveyor.—No nomination, At the democratic primaries Saturday evening what has been known as the "canal faction," now anti-canal. won in a majority of the districts.

The county convention Tuesday did better by placing the following ticket before the people: Senate .- W. McM. McKaig, of Cumber-

House of Delegates .- John Craddock, Cumberland; John N. Benson, of Frostburg William Broderick, of Pompey Smash, and

Sheriff.—Thomas S. Kean, of Cumberland. County Commissioners.-James Wilson Flintstone; Joshua Kight of Westernport; Stern, of Frostburg; John O'Hanley,

States Attorney .- W. S. Bridendolph, of Orphans' Court .- John Coulehan of Cumberland; Adam Seibert, of North Branch and Edward Hilton, of Mt. Savage.

Surveyor .- C. E. Widener, of Cumberland. Judge John Douglas, of Lonaconing, presided over a meeting of about fifty republicans, held in Cumberland, Monday, to take some action toward Prophet in St Louis had on its proremedy of alleged abuses existing gramme a scriptural illustration of the party organization, and which a float representing Balaam's ass in have culminated in some unsatisfacthe act of making an extemporaneous tory nominations, notably the county tons, show for other competing regions speech. The effigy was a dead fail- commissioners portion of the republi- to date above given as below: each of the eleven districts represented were appointed to consult, map out a canal boat eastward. And now Thursday the committee met and The Clearfield output of coal to Crowley, his competitor, says he is to the gymnasium Messrs. Porter and the boat and mules will have to look recommended the endorsement of the above date is 35,392 tons more than in A 1 condition, weighs 193 and ex- Annan. The Orion library, which was out for a situation in some other democratic nominees for county com- Georges Creek; including the Beech pects to accommodate Crawford with in existence some years ago, has been missioners.

Local Game Laws .- The season for Januaay 1.

morning a pheasant entered the back door of Walter Edwards' store. The doors were closed and Messrs. John Grose and Charles F. Betz pursued i with brooms. It flew against the win-LONACONING wants a school com- dow, breaking its neck. The incident missioner, and is certainly entitled to | is a rare one, as pheasants steer par-The depositors in a dime savings one "once in awhile" if Cumberland | ticularly clear of populous localities.

> however, will now begin at once and go on to early completion. Opening the mine and building the branch railroad will be prosecuted simultaneously so as to have each ready to serve the other at the same time. The railof its owners, and a source of wage

> shipments from the Georges Creek coal region for the week ending Saturday, October 1, 1887, closed as follows:

Compared with corresponding period

Compared with corresponding period Total tons to C. & O. canal for week. Compared with corresponding period Total tons shipped over C. & P. rail-Compared with corresponding period

railroad for week..... 6, Borden 4,772 7. New Central..... 4,628 8, Maryland Union.... 3,884 9, National..... 2,501 10, Davis & Elkins..... 2,021 11, Swanton..... 1,440 12, Blaen Avon.... 13, Atlantic & G. C..... 14, G. M. Hansel's mine ..

over W. Va. Central and Pittsburg railroad for week ... Compared with corresponding period To B. & O. railroad for week.....

" C. & O. canal for week Total tons to B. & O. railroad for week from both Georges Creek and Elk

Compared with corresponding period Shipments by Elk Garden companies in tons . W. Va. Central 8,101 2, Atlantic & G. C..... 2,708 3, Big Vein 1,255 4, Davis.... 276 Total tons from Georges Creek and Elk Garden regions combined

ompared with corresponding period last year, an increase of..... 614,156 Our calculations, all given in gross Chesapeake & Ohio railway, W.Va.. 999,410 Pocahontas, Va...... 815,77

Creek portion, 844,598 tons.

Pheasant Killed .- Last Monday

Opening of a New Mine .- Owing an effort to find out. He simply goes

known skill and expedition. The Coal Trade. - The record of

last year, an increase of..... 539,726

last year, an increase of...... 43,823 | expenditure. last year, an increase of..... 5,418

road for week...... 55,401 last year, an increase of 467,724 after the vote of every man in Cum- J. F. Neff, of Cumberland, and George H. Total tons shipped over G. C. & C. Compared with corresponding period

> Total tons Elk Garden coal shipped

" Pennsylvania railroad for week .. 2,591 last year, an increase of..... 530,225

to the worthy the most grievous of shooting pheasants in Allegany coun- notice," observed a member of the Cum- Nickel, seven years old, son of C. F. ty began September 1 and will expire berland city council Thursday after- Nickel, of this place, last Saturday fell noon, after having bathed his mouth from the second story to the basement of The partridge season begins October | in artesian water, said to have come | his father's building, now in course of from Frostburg, "did you notice that erection, and was badly hurt. The The rabbit season lasts from October | man who just passed by? If so, you | distance is about 25 feet, and his esprobably remarked the smile that cape from instant death was a miracle. exposed to the raw east wind, and ex- yesterday. posing to view his heart and lungs?

Well, that man is a nominee, and he seems to regard it as the happiest incident of the season, and no combination of circumstances can drive away that wide, sweeping smile he wears. He doesn't know exactly what he is laughing about, and he never makes and while a gurgling laugh ripples out, in like water out of a jug. It gives me

he laughs as though he had never berevenue to many of our citizens. Owen Hitchins, the superintendent, and Archibald Stewart, in charge of the mine are pushing the work with their well

> fluency. Yes, it's a nice day, but a little chilly in the shade. So long!"

that way in a letter asking for a state- get \$4.373.08; the colored \$167.08. ment of subscription account: and is reduced beyond reason by a copy of local term, "worms." the paper being thrown in. So oblige me by scription, resting assured that I am of opinion

The Queen City Courier pays the remarkable but unavoidable. JOURNAL an appreciated compliment, although we do not like the term,

with a smile as long as a wire fence,

of defeat and laugh with his usual

years old Saturday and signalized the event for good or evil remains to be seen. by the addition of a new press. We presume | The Journal was present both in the Journal is one of those independent re- person and as a paper.. In the latter publican papers that has gobbled up the registrars' printing and the boodle, which should | capacity it was placed on a file along-Shipments by Georges Creek companies in have been left in this city, aided the Journal side of other respectable contemportons for...... Week and Year. | in its new acquisition. Brother Oder should | aries. The rooms are above Mr. Lam-650,632 have kept the boodle a little longer before bert's drug store in Beall, Baush & 277,543 spending it on a new press. The Journal is | Co's building. On the right, at the a live paper and as healthy-looking as any in head of the staircase is the library western Maryland. May it live long and get more boodle than heretofore!

During the great strike of 1882 in this region Mr. Charles F. Mayer, pres- lies as well as parlor games like backident of the Consolidation coal compa- gammon, checkers and dominoes. 57,067 ny, ralsed a considerable laugh by se- Among the periodicals may be men-41,019 | riously speaking of the editor hereof as | tioned dailies-New York Herald and 11,955 "colonel Oder." The incident is re- World, Baltimore Sun and American, 3,693 called by an item in that model of Pittsburgh Times and Cumberland 1,564 | careful, reliable journalism, the West- | Times and News; weeklies-Leslie's minster (Md.) Advocate, which, while Illustrated Ladies Bazar, Puck, Judge, aware, doubtless, that the JOURNAL is JOURNAL, Lonaconing Review and both a paper and individual, appears to | Pittsburg Chronicle; monthlies--Harthink that it is also a "colonel." This | per, Century, Leslie's Popular and Demlast year, an increase of......... 74,430 is a misrepresentation, however, which orest. A book-case containing about 8,040 may be readily pardoned in view of the 150 volumes, to which it is proposed year..... 267,176 better things said:

upon its 17th year. It is the spiciest journal tains a billiard and pool table. The on our exchange list. Its editor, Col. J. B. rear room is only partially fitted up Oder, wields a trenchant pen, and publishes for the gymnasium. This department a good local paper.

breaking of whose arm at Westernport | ment cannot make other rules until 169.178 recently was noted in these columns, they are called for, such as those to 77,407 | was in to see the JOURNAL Thursday. | regulate the circulating library and 44,437 The injured member is doing well, other details. The hours will be from 10,614 though the fractures are more numer- 10 a. m. to 10:30 p. m. The paid-up ous and extended than at first appre- membership is over 90, and practicalhended. He will be the guest of John ly the club is out of debt with one Hitchins, his brother-in-law, at the month's rent in advance. A list of National Mines, about two weeks yet. | contributors is appended. In money "Deck" Kalbaugh, lately in Hitch- -Messrs. B. S. Randolph, I. C. Lamins Bros' store, has gone to Pittsburg | bert and Robert R. Henderson, of Cumto attend to business in a big round | berland; to the reading room-Messrs.

Jack Crawford, one of the sparrers son, Armstrong, T. G. Porter and for the 17th inst., reports that he feels | Mackie, of Mt. Savage, and the pro-809,206 better than for five years past; weighs prietors of the local papers, namely, plenty of "John L's left."

The Man Who Laughs .- "Did you Narrow Escape from Death .- Alvin mantled his face, leaving his mouth He was getting along splendidly

> Registration .- In No. 11 William G. Boughton, registrar, reports for the two days of registration this week 46 new names. Five stricken off-3 transfers, 1 removal and 1 deathmakes a net gain of 41.

In No. 12 John W. Arnold, registrar, recorded 27 new names, and struck off 11-10 by transfer and 1 by around with his mouth hanging ajar death. Net gain 16.

Improvements .- Theodore A. Miller man, for his parents are respectable the rear portion of August Eichhorn's people and friends of mine. I saw residence.

him at a church revival last evening The St. Cloud hotel is undergoing and when the minister told how sin improvements which will add both to would be punished by eternal torture, the commodiousness and appearance he seemed to regard the prospect as of the house. An addition comprising so funny that he giggled aloud. When two stories and a basement, 35 by 43 the deacon requested him to be quiet | feet, is underway, and the main buildhis mirth overwhelmed him, and he | ing front will be changed and height-THE New York Sun finds fault | ELSEWHERE a notice informs the day passes that a sensation of some kind is road, starting from the Cumberland laughed loud and long. He was run ened-all to be completed this fall if

> against a tree and smiled so copiously | Religious.—The M. E. Church, that his mouth lapped around the tree | South, at Barton, was dedicated last Yes, he is married, but his wife weeps | ed the dedicatory sermon at 10½ a. m. for the days that will never return. Rev. Patrick Hamill, of Oakland, When she informs him that there is no | preached at 3 p. m. and Rev. David bread in the house, that the children Thomas, D. D., at 71 p. m. Services are hungry and the coal house empty, were protracted during the week. Rev. J. M. Rollins will begin a pro-

> fore heard of anything so irresistibly | tracted meeting in the M. E. Church. funny. At night, she tells me, he South, to-morrow (Sunday) evening. wraps the drapery of his couch about | Services each evening next week at him and lies down to pleasant dreams 71 o'clock. Brevities .- Henry Welling is build-

and when the day after election comes ing a two-story frame dwelling in he will rise from the wreck and ruin McCulloh's addition. Mrs. John Thomas is erecting a

storeroom on Bowery. Plenty cars now, and coal produc-More Good Words .- A customer of | tion is booming all along the line. the Journal, to whom the paper goes In the quarterly distribution of the 70,380 in consideration of large dealings, de- public school tax, reported last Saturmurs as follows to its continuance in day, the white schools of this county

The great national word, "chest-Your advertising rate is very reasonable nut," is giving way to the immense

Marx Wineland has returned from the East with new goods in clothing. that nowhere do I get so much for a similar etc. Look out for the latest in style. Missing two consecutive issues is

Inauguration .- At last after much "boodle" as a synonym for legitimate discussion on the part of some, and incompensation for the exceedingly small | defatigable labor on the part of the share of county printing we are now projectors, the rooms of the Literary and Recreation Club were opened The Frostburg Journal was sweet sixteen | Saturday evening last, but whether and reading-room. Upon the table we found dailies, weeklies and monthto add from time to time. The front The Frostburg (Md.) JOURNAL has entered room on the left of the stairway conwill be completed in a few days. Personal .- Miss Mary Grose, who The only rules posted up are very

Language;" "No Gambling;" "Please James L. Brown, of St. Louis, the Use the Spittoons." The manage-Stewart, Deekens, Haverstick, Benkindly loaned for the use of the club.