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A DRUNKEN MELEE.—A serious *fracas* took place at a barn raising on the premises of Nicholas Keim, in Addison township, Somerset county, 27th ult. Some sixty persons were present, of whom about one-third were engaged in the *melee*—weapons, handspikes and miscellaneous—nobody killed. The raising was on the old system, and liquor had been freely used.