

California News.

ARRIVAL OF THE GEORGE LAW. LATER FROM CALIFORNIA.

The news from California is unimportant. All the returns of the election had been received, but had not been officially counted.

The Legislature is composed of 72 Know Nothings, 33 Democrats, and 2 Whigs. The Prohibitory Liquor law was defeated by 6000 majority.

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A destructive fire had occurred at James-town, causing a loss of property to the value of \$75,000. The principal sufferers are Dr. Dodge, druggist, Doctor Messer, Doctor, Helfman and Butterfield, merchants.

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The Chicago Democratic Press, a strong anti Nebraska paper, says: "A heavy emigration from Arkansas to the southeastern portion of the Territory, is reported as now taking place."



THE AMERICAN. SUNBURY.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1855.

H. B. MASSER, Editor and Proprietor. To ADVERTISERS: The circulation of the Sunbury American among the different towns on the Susquehanna is not exceeded by any paper published in North or Pennsylvania.

EDITOR'S TABLE. Business Notices. We refer our readers to the new advertisements found in another column.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE. UNITED STATES HOTEL, Philadelphia Oct. 31, 1855.

Although there has been a fair amount of business in the city this fall, it has not been equal to what had been anticipated.

Our friends will rejoice to hear that the work on the rail road from Sunbury to Harrisburg will now be resumed.

The election of a United States Senator, and a new State Treasurer is already engaging the attention of politicians.

The extreme length of the proceedings and premium list of the Northumberland Agricultural Fair, as well as its late receipt, prevents us from publishing the same in this weeks paper.

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE. SENATE. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following is believed to be a complete list of the members of the next Legislature, which will meet at Harrisburg, on Tuesday, January 1st, 1856. Democrats are in Roman; Opposition in Italics.

SENATE. I. District composed of the city of Philadelphia—Ed. K. Price, 1856; William A. Crabb, 1857.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. Adams, Isaac Robinson. Allegheny, Charles B. Fulton, Samuel Smith, L. B. Patterson, Christian Magee, James Salisbury.

RECAPITULATION. Senate, 67 36 House, 66 34 Democrats, 103 50 Opposition, 83 50 Democratic majority on joint ballot, 33.

Tennessee—Gov. Johnston in his recent message to the Legislature, recommends the adoption of resolutions instructing the Senators and Representatives in Congress, from Tennessee, to urge the passage of a national home-land bill.

Items of News. A DISPUTE SETTLED.

Our readers will recollect that Governor Pollock immediately after his inauguration, appointed Gen. Power, of Bedford, County, Adjutant General of the State, in place of General Bowman, of Bedford, who held the office under a commission from Gov. Bigler.

POPULAR SOVEREIGNTY IN MINNESOTA. KANSAS OUTRAGES REPEATED.—The St. Louis Daily Times of the 19th inst. contains an extraordinary account of the manner in which the friends of Henry M. Rice, the Nebraska candidate for delegate to Congress from that Territory, cooled up an illegal vote for him in certain portions of the Territory.

There are eight American Sargeons attached to the Russians in the Crimea, namely, Drs. Eldridge, Jones, Johnson and Stoddard, from Maryland, Drs. Reed and Denninger, from Pennsylvania; Dr. Holt, from South Carolina; and Dr. Stone, from Louisiana; who are all treated with much consideration and respect by the Russian officers.

A BREAK OF NATURE.—A gentleman has left at the office of the Michigan City Enterprise a portion of a pumpkin which contains, in the cavity where the seeds should be, a number of young pumpkin vines, from three to four inches in length. The pumpkin, when cut, was to all appearances perfectly sound.

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Items of News. THE SICKNESS AT STARKVILLE, MISS.

The sickness at Starkville, Miss., says: "The whole country has been visited by severe sickness, and I have not witnessed for many years so much distress as during this fall and the past summer. At one time there were not enough well persons to wait upon the sick."

RENDERING TEETH INSENSIBLE TO PAIN.—The Dublin Hospital Gazette states that diseased teeth have been rendered insensible to pain by a cement composed of Canada Balsam and slacked lime, which is to be inserted in the hollow of a tooth, like a plug.

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BALTIMORE, Oct. 28.—The southern mail to-night brings New Orleans papers of Sunday last, with dates from Galveston to the 15th inst. Ward, who is elected to Congress in the Eastern District of Texas. The Know Nothings have elected their Mayor in Austin.

Items of News. BARGAINS AT THE OLD STAND. FRILING & GRANT.

ARE now opening a new and very desirable stock of FALL and WINTER Goods, embracing an endless variety. Their stock consists in part of Black & Fancy Broadcloths & Cassimeres, Winter Wares for men and boys, all styles and prices.

WHOLESALE GROCERIES. An assortment of Plain Stripes and Figured Fancy Dress Silks at unusually low prices.

EXECUTOR'S SALE. Pursuance of provisions made in the last Will and Testament of John Rebeck, will be exposed to public sale on FRIDAY THE 28th DAY OF NOVEMBER NEXT, on the premises, at the late residence of the said John Rebeck, late of Upper Merion township, Northumberland County, deceased, the following described real estate to wit:

THE MARKETS. Philadelphia Market. Nov. 1, 1855. GRAIN.—There is a limited amount of Wheat offering and prices are steady.

SUNBURY PRICE CURRENT. WHEAT, 1 1/2 RYE, 1 1/2 CORN, 1 1/2 OATS, 1 1/2 POTATOES, 1 1/2 HERRING, 1 1/2 BUTTER, 1 1/2 EGGS, 1 1/2 POOR, 1 1/2 FLOUR, 1 1/2 TALLOW, 1 1/2

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Proposals will be received by the undersigned at the engineer's office of the Northern Central Railway, in Harrisburg, until the 10th of November, at six o'clock in the evening, for the grading and masonry of the Northern Central Railway, commencing at Bridgeport, opposite Harrisburg, and terminating at Sunbury, a distance of about 34 miles.

FOR THE GENTLEMEN. Black and Fancy Cloth and Cassimeres, Black Sattin and Fancy Silk Vestings, Shirting Muslin, Drawers and Under Shirts, Kentucky Jeans, Vests, Blankets, &c.

Items of News. COMMUNICATED.

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