

THE BEDFORD GAZETTE.

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G. W. Bowman, Editor and Proprietor.

FOR PRESIDENT,

HON. JAMES BUCHANAN.

No material change in the markets since last week.

The Democrats have made a clear gain in New Hampshire, since last spring, of upwards of SEVEN THOUSAND votes, and reduced the Union majority in the House from 150 to almost nothing.

We regret to learn, from the Washington Union of Monday of the death of Rev. Dr. BOND, an eminent Methodist divine, extensively known as the editor of the Christian Advocate.

We rejoice to learn that Conference has selected a gentleman of fine capacity as Pastor of the M. E. Church of Bedford, in the person of Rev. Mr. FISHER, last year located at Altona.

THE LICENSE BILL.

The committee of Conference on the LICENSE BILL having failed to agree, four members have been added to the committee; and, as three of them are favorable to the House Bill, it is to be hoped that this question will soon be settled.

We publish, on the first page of the Gazette of to-day, a speech made by Hon. C. A. BUCKALEW, before the late Democratic State Convention, which will be read with great interest and profit by all into whose hands it may fall.

Rev. John Chambers.

In the Gazette of Feb. 29, we published, with surprise and mortification, a letter written by the Rev. John Chambers, of Philadelphia, in which he proposes that the Pennsylvania Legislature forthwith pass a law requiring the Commissioners of each county to have erected, and placed at all the cross-roads, a TROUGH with a half dozen or more mugs chained fast, and these troughs well and constantly supplied with LOG and LOGS.

Finally, to tell our readers what we think—based on our remarks upon the obligations resting upon us as a member of a Christian Church—we have no hesitation in asserting that the present Legislature are under positive instructions from the people to repeal the Jug Law and pass a fair License Bill.

We repudiate all kinds of liquor, as a beverage, we have neither right, law, nor reason, for attempting to compel Freemen to abandon their own judgment for ours—rather let them be fully persuaded in their own mind.

Mr. C. says he was born a Jackson Democrat, and hopes to die one, which is all very well—but it won't do to say that the old hero, if living, would endorse him in his present course.

So then every one of us shall give an account of himself to God.

Let us not therefore judge one another any more; but judge this rather, that no man put a stumbling block, or an occasion to fall in his brother's way.

Christian teachers of the present day had a little of the faith that stimulated Elias, who "prayed earnestly that it might not rain; and it rained not on the earth for the space of three years and six months; and he prayed again and the Heaven gave rain, and the earth brought forth her fruits."

POOR HOUSE ACCOUNT.

JOHN H. RUSH, in account with the Poor and House of Employment of Bedford County, for the year ending Jan. 1, 1856.

Table listing names and amounts for the Poor House Account, including items like 'To cash from J. W. Lingenfelter', 'H. Moore Bedford Borough', etc.

Table listing names and amounts for the Poor House Account, including items like 'Paid to Treasurer at last settlement', 'Am't due Treasurer for Jan. 1856', etc.

Table listing names and amounts for the Poor House Account, including items like 'F D Beagle bill of goods', 'Henry Moses part on check No. 23', etc.

We the undersigned, Auditors of Bedford County, do hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of John H. Rush, Treasurer of the Poor and House of Employment of Bedford County, and find the same to be correct and true as above stated.

Table listing names and amounts for the Poor House Account, including items like 'By cash paid Jacob Simler Blacksmithing', 'For Apples', 'Mrs. Fetter marketing &c.', etc.

Table listing names and amounts for the Poor House Account, including items like 'W. Booher', 'Joshua Mower', 'Peter Smith', etc.

STATEMENT AND Report of WM. F. MOOREHEAD, Steward of the Poor and House of Employment of Bedford County, from the 1st day of April, 1855, to the 1st day of Jan., 1856.

Table listing names and amounts for the Poor House Account, including items like 'To cash S. Vandersmith for grain', 'Wm. Booher, for rye', 'Wm. Herring, for grain', etc.

Table listing names and amounts for the Poor House Account, including items like 'May', 'June', 'July', 'August', 'September', 'October', 'November', 'December'.

Making the average number of Paupers in the House for nine months, 43, of whom 6 are colored; out-door paupers, 6, making the average in all, 49.

STATEMENT of the produce of the Farm and Garden from the 1st of April, 1855, to the 1st of Jan., 1856.

HOW THE FILLMORE TICKET STANDS!

Col. McClure, of the Harrisburg Telegraph, the home organ of the State Administration, in his paper of the 11th inst. draws the following doleful picture of the party now supplanting for union for the sake of the Spoils!!!

The Telegraph further states that the opposition to this mongrel ticket in the North and West embraces nearly all the presses opposed to the "Fugate Administration," and that not one of the Whig, Abolition, and K. N. presses are supporting the nominees of the Philadelphia Convention.

Breadful Disaster.

A dreadful accident occurred by the burning of a ferry boat at Philadelphia on last Saturday evening between 8 and 9 o'clock, P. M. which resulted in the death of about 43 persons, 23 of whom were females.

CHURCH NOTICE!

At a meeting of the Presbyterian congregation of the Borough of Bedford and vicinity, on the 8th inst. the following resolution was adopted unanimously:—Resolved, That the fiscal year of this congregation shall commence on the 1st of April of each year, and the members thereof shall pay their Pew Rents and subscriptions quarterly.

TO BE RECALLED:

On the 18th inst. by Rev. Mr. Heckerman, Mr. Franklin Little to Miss Mary Elizabeth Parr. On the same day by the same, Mr. Geo. Sleak to Miss Matilda Smith, all of Schenectady.

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PUBLIC VENUE.

The subscriber will sell, at Public Sale, at his residence in Bedford, adjoining Mr. Fyans' Store, on SATURDAY, the 22d March inst., the following property, viz:—One four horse team wheel wagon and bed, one grain Drill, with an iron seed roller, one horse-hoe plough, Lancaster Co. pattern, 3 double & single trees, one patent hay & straw cutter, one set of horse gears, one large grain chest & feed box, and household & kitchen furniture, such as bureaus, bedsteads, tables, chairs, one large gilt & small looking glasses, cooking & wood stoves, hobs, & latrine, chair, vinegar, &c.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the estate of Nicholas Miller, late of Cumberland Valley Township, Bedford County, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment—and those having claims against said estate will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

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All persons indebted to the estate of Abraham Ressler, late of Colezain Township, Bedford County, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment—and those having claims against said estate will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

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On the morning of the 16th inst. died very suddenly, at his residence in Hanover, Mr. BERNARD MEANS, aged fifty-five years. The deceased leaves a wife and four children to mourn his premature and sad departure from them.

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