

THE BEDFORD GAZETTE.

Bedford, January 21, 1859.

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Democratic Meeting.

The Democrats of Bedford county are requested to meet in Mass Meeting, at the Court House, in Bedford, on Monday evening of Court week, Feb. 14th.

JACOB REED, Chairman, Democratic Co. Com.

THE NEWS.

The tariff question has now fairly landed in the Congressional Committee of Ways and Means. HON. HENRY M. PHILLIPS, of this State, is actively engaged in pushing forward a bill for the revision of the tariff.

A street fight occurred in Harrisburg, a few days ago, between J. M. CURRAN, member of the Legislature from Philadelphia, and C. M. DONOVAN, of the same city, who appeared as a contestant of Mr. CURRAN'S seat.

The Indian appropriation bill has passed the Lower House of Congress, with a reduction of the appropriation for expenditures of the Indian agents of Washington and Oregon territories, from \$131,000 to \$80,000.

At an election for Mayor, in the city of Lexington, Ky., a few days ago, the Democrats elected their nominee by a handsome majority.

The Capital of Canada is to be removed to Ottawa.

KANSAS AND THE PRESIDENT.

Our readers will remember that when the "anti-Lecompton" fever was at its height, and when the President was reviled and stigmatized as a tyrant plotting to enslave the people of Kansas, we frequently expressed our conviction that there was not the slightest foundation, or justification, for the course pursued by the men who thus reviled and stigmatized him.

It is the merest demagoguism and a base lie, to assert that the President or Congress attempted to impose upon us a Pro-Slavery Constitution against our wishes, inasmuch as it was known that our Legislature elected under that Constitution was almost unanimously Free State, and our right to change the Constitution immediately after admission, was ably set forth by the President, and his views endorsed by a Democratic Senate.

PRASE FROM THE ENEMY.

The late Message of Governor Packer is spoken of by many of the Opposition journals in terms of the highest praise. It seems that even the bitter enemies of the Democracy are compelled to applaud the course of the Governor. They not only approve his reference to Kansas matters (which was to be expected, of course), but they also extol his views on State affairs, (which was not to be expected by any means).

A FAITHFUL SENTINEL.

We notice with feelings of unalloyed satisfaction, that our vigilant and industrious Senator, MR. SCHELL, is making every effort in his power to protect the Commonwealth from the entanglement of unnecessary and useless expenses.

IGNORANCE OR WILFUL FALSEHOOD.

MR. JORDAN, in his article on the Governor's Message, takes occasion to say that that functionary condemns the Dred Scott decision. Mr. Jordan either did not read the Governor's Message with both his eyes open, or else is guilty of a deliberate falsehood in making this statement.

But during the angry feelings which this controversy has aroused, the theory has been started and insisted upon, that it will henceforward be the duty of Congress to protect slavery in the territories if the people of the territories shall fail to do so.

The mental vision of the man who would say that this is a condemnation of the Dred Scott decision, must be darkly obscured, indeed!

A FLUTTERING AMONG THE BUZZARDS.

The fearless and efficient efforts of Gen. BOWMAN, in endeavoring to check the impostures which contractors for the Public Printing, and others, have been practicing upon Congress, has created quite a sensation among the gentry who have been thus engaged in plundering the Federal Government.

BLOWS HIS OWN TRUMPET.

The ex-Honorable Francis Jordan announces in his organ of last week, that he is the author of that excellent Act of Assembly concerning the office of the Attorney General, to which Governor Packer refers in such eulogistic terms in his late message.

BROAD TOP COAL.

We are indebted to Judge Daugherty, of this county, and Mining Register, from which we copy the annexed table. We learn from the same publication, that the number of tons of coal shipped from the Broad Top region in 1856 was 42,000, making an increase in two years of 63,478 tons!

BROAD TOP COAL TRADE, 1858.

Table with columns for Year, Tons, and Increase. Shows data for 1858 and 1857, with a total increase of 26,668 tons.

PITIALE BIGOTRY.

The American and Black Republican Legislature of New Jersey, says the Philadelphia Argus, invited all the clergymen of Trenton to officiate as Chaplains, with the exception of the Catholics.

An Intolerant Act.

The House of Assembly of this State, in tendering an invitation to the various clergymen of Trenton to open the sessions of the Assembly with prayer, have refused to include the Catholic clergy in their invitation.

REV. MA. BENEDICT.

Rev. Ma. BENEDICT, formerly of this place, and now of Somerset, is at present on a visit to his old friends and former congregation in this town.

MR. SULLIVAN has introduced a bill in the United States Senate, making an appropriation of \$30,000,000 for the acquisition of Cuba by negotiation.

Our old friend, MAJ. TALIATERRA, is at present on a visit to his family in this place, having been called home by the illness of his estimable lady.

The U. S. Depot, Penn St.—It gives us pleasure to note the recent improvements in the barracks and grounds attached to this old station. The officer at present in charge, Major Taliaterra, deserves credit for having (at a very small expense) completely renovated the barracks, and substantially enclosed the whole to the river.

The President's Message in Kansas.

While the Black Republican party and their allies are stigmatizing that portion of President Buchanan's late message which is appropriated to a review of the Kansas question, as untrue with reference to facts and unsound in policy, the papers and people of that Territory are applauding Mr. Buchanan for standing firmly on the wise, conservative and constitutional platform which he erected in his first communication to Congress upon this vexed and irritating subject.

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The New Territories.—New Territories start into existence with such rapidity in this country, that it is almost impossible to keep the run of them. Dacotah is to be carved out of the western half of what was formerly the Minnesota Territory.

The Rigdon Murder.—Conviction of CROPPS.—The trial of Marion Cropps, indicted, with Peter Corrie, for the murder of police officer Rigdon, was closed on Tuesday, by a verdict against the prisoner of "murder in the first degree."

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We learn that charges have been preferred by three clergymen of the Methodist Episcopal Church against the Rev. Wm. Daily, of that church, and President of the Indiana State University, for three alleged offences.

Latest News from Salt Lake.

Ten of Majors & Russell's men frozen to death at one time.

From the Western Platte Argus Jan. 7th.

We had a call from Mr. John M. Guthrie, and learn the following facts of his trip in—Mr. G. left Salt Lake City on the 27th of November, with the mail on packed animals, in company with G. A. Beardsly, of New York.

The third day they made Bridger at sunset, and after traveling about twenty miles got lost again, and were compelled again to lie down in the snow till morning. Fourth day they made Big Sandy Station, and left there about ten o'clock in the evening, and traveled about twenty miles, wind blowing from the East.

They camped, and Mr. Ashton froze one of his feet while in the bed. In the morning they left mules, mail, and all, and took it afoot down Sweet Water on the ice.

They left Mr. Ashton, after laying over three or four days. While here the St. Joseph mail arrived—Mr. Garvis, the Indian Agent for the Snakes, coming through with it. They had nine miles to freeze around their camp fires—had their hands and feet frozen, and were unable to get in. Here Majors & Russell had ten men frozen to death.

FROM KANSAS.

A special messenger from Governor Medary to Gov. Stewart, arrived at Jefferson City yesterday, reports Montgomery fortifying himself near the Missouri line; that U. States troops have been sent to that region, and volunteers are being raised as rapidly as possible.

A CASE FOR ABOLITIONISTS.

A novel case was tried this morning in the Common Law and Chancery Court in the city of Memphis, on the chancery side of the court.

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THE NEW CENT.

The new Cent pieces ordered by the Secretary of the Treasury are now being struck and distributed at the Philadelphia Mint. The obverse presents an ideal head of America; the drooping plumes of the North American Indian give it the character of the North America.

The value of good lungs.—We advise our readers who are desirous of preserving the usefulness of the lungs and bronchial apparatus not to defer taking medicine in time for their cure. Most of the consumptive cases which end fatally, are the result of a small beginning of a cough or cold, which could be easily removed by a bottle of Dr. Keyser's Peppermint Cure.

SARSAPARILLA.

This tropical root has a reputation wide as the world, for curing one class of the disorders that afflict mankind—a reputation too which it deserves as the best antidote we possess for scrofulous complaints.

MR. ABRAHAM S. HEWITT.

MR. ABRAHAM S. HEWITT, who was so extensively quoted by ex-Senator Cooper in his political speech before the secret convention of Iron Masters in Philadelphia, delivered some days ago, has written a letter to the New York Herald, in which he says:

THE CHICAGO TIMES.

The Chicago Times, the home organ of Mr. Douglas, and which always speaks by authority, says: Mr. Douglas will not ask a nomination at the hands of the Charleston Convention.

DISURBANCES IN KANSAS.—COLD WEATHER.

Calendrical reports from the War Department, yesterday, under orders from the War Department, it is thought that his transfer to that post has reference to the disturbances in the Southern part of Kansas.

DRUGS AND BOOKS.

DR. F. C. REAMER & S. J. WAY, HAVE formed a partnership in the DRUG and BOOK BUSINESS, will constantly keep on hand their establishment in Julianna Street, a complete assortment of Drugs, Medicines, Dye Stuffs, Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Varnishes, Brushes of all kinds, Patent Medicines, Lamps, Perfumery, Fancy Soaps, &c. &c. together with an extensive collection of School and Miscellaneous Books, Blank Books, Common and Fancy Stationery, &c. which they offer at greatly reduced prices for cash.

For Sale.

THE undersigned, intending to retire from business, offers her entire Stock of Goods at wholesale. To any one wishing to engage in merchandising, this offer presents a favorable opportunity, as the location is a good one, room newly fitted up, goods almost all new, and a good run of custom established.

NOTICE.

THE public are hereby cautioned against harboring or trusting my wife Sarah, on my account, as she has left my bed and board without just cause, or provocation, and I am determined to pay no debts of her contracting.

LIST OF CAUSES.

PUT down for trial at February Term, (14th day,) 1859. John Hoyle vs Wm Keyser; Levi Hardinger vs John C Morgart; Fred'k Hildebrand vs C F Kener; A Blair's use vs John Blair et al; Junia's Distric vs L A Tamer; William Oss vs Arnold Lashley; T McCanley & Co. vs John Davidson & Co; James Entriken vs D Washbaugh et al; Joseph Burgess vs Wm Keyser et al; Henry Gatz vs Milford James; Wm H Dicken vs Jesse Dicken; Jon Forbes vs Patrick Burns et al; Dr G W Anderson vs A E Cox.

TOOTHACHE.

This disease can be cured by Dr. Keyser's Toothache Remedy, prepared by him in Pittsburg, Pa., which is put up in bottles and sold at 25 cents each. It is an excellent medicine, when diluted, for sprony and tender gums, and Sold at Samuel Brown's, Bedford, and at J. E. Colvin's, Schellsburg, Nov. 20, '58-Jan.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of sundry writs of fa. sa. to me directed, there will be sold at the Court House, in the Borough of Bedford, on Monday, the 14th day of February, 1859, at 12 o'clock, M., the following described real estate, to wit:

One lot of ground in the town of Stonerslow, fronting 27 feet on main street and extending back about 220 feet on an alley, with a two-story plank house thereon erected, adjoining an alley on the north-east, and lot of Dominick Feeny on the south—situate in Liberty township, Bedford county, and taken in execution as the property of John McCaffrey and wife, debtors.

Also, One tract of land containing 190 acres, more or less; about 100 acres cleared and under fence, with a two story log house, double frame barn, and other out-buildings thereon erected—also an apple orchard thereon; adjoining land of Abraham Sills, Anthony Zimmers and other—situate in Bedford township, Bedford county, and taken in execution as the property of Jacob Reighart, d.r.t.

Also, One tract of land containing 44 acres, more or less; about 2 acres cleared and under fence, with a log dwelling house thereon erected; adjoining lands of William Thompson, James Ray, Watson's heirs and others—situate in Bedford township, Bedford county, and taken in execution as the property of Thomas Richardson, d.ept.

WM. S. FLUKE, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Jan. 21, 1859.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

ALL persons interested, are hereby notified that the following named accountants have filed their accounts in the Register's Office of Bedford county; and that the same will be presented to the Orphans' Court in and for said county for confirmation, on Tuesday, the 13th day of February, next, at the Court House, in Bedford.

The account of Joseph Imler, administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Fickes, late of Union township, deceased.

The account of John Mower, Esq., guardian of Caroline Conley, formerly Caroline Miller, one of the daughters of Thomas B. Miller, d.ept.

The second account of Samuel Brown, Esq., surviving executor of the last will, &c., of John Keeble, late of Bedford township, deceased.

The account of John Blankley, Esq., guardian of the minor children of John Grubb, late of Monroe township, deceased.

The account of John L. Grove, administrator of the estate of David F. Cheney, late of Monroe township, deceased.

The account of Mahala Weimer, administratrix of the estate of James Weimer, late of Monroe township, deceased.

The account of Thomas G. Wright, administrator of the estate of Rebecca Wright, late of St. Clair township, deceased.

The account of Adam Burdick, guardian of Sarah Shelley, and of the minor children of Jacob Shelley, late of South Woodbury township, deceased.

The account of Joseph Dull, Esq., guardian of Phoebe, Catherine and Susan Sully, minor children of William Sully, late of Juniata township, d.ept.

The account of Joseph Dull, Esq., administrator of the estate of Isaac Gochenour, late of Juniata tp., deceased.

The account of Benjamin Hill, Esq., Executor of the last will, &c., of Hannan Hill late of Napier tp., deceased.

The account of David Gochenour, executor of the last will, &c., of J. Gochenour late of Union township, d.ept.

The account of John C. Riffe, Esq., administrator of the estate of Jacob Riffe, late of Juniata tp., deceased.

The account of John B. Longenecker, administrator of the estate of Abel Griffith, late of Middle township, deceased.

The account of David Lingenfelter, administrator of the estate of Abraham Lingenfelter, late of Napier tp., d.ept.

The account of Daniel Sheek, Esq., administrator of the estate of Samuel Cartwright, late of Union tp., deceased.

The final account of Jacob Beckley, Esq., administrator of the estate of Benjamin Hancock, late of St. Clair tp., deceased.

The account of O. E. Shannon, Esq., administrator of the estate of Louis Hammer, late of Cincinnati, Ohio.

The account of O. E. Shannon, Esq., administrator of the estate of Kinzey Ake, late of Union tp., deceased.

The account of John C. Vickroy, administrator of the estate of Susan Bunner, late of Cumberland Valley tp., d.ept.

The account of Daniel Helsel, administrator of the estate of Jacob Helsel, late of Bedford township, deceased.

SAM'L H. TATE, Register.

Register's Office, Jan. 21, 1859.

Notice.

HAVING disposed of the one-half of my Drug Store to Dr. S. J. Way, I therefore desire all persons indebted to me on book account, to come and settle, as it is important that all standing accounts should be settled and the books closed. This request is reasonable and I expect a speedy compliance.

Jan. 7, '59.

F. C. REAMER.

Auditor's Notice.

IN the matter of the citation to the Executors of the last will, &c., of Daniel Wisegarver, d.ept.—the undersigned appointed auditor to ascertain and report whether any, and if any, what part of the debts should be paid, rent, &c., will attend to the duties of his appointment, at his office, in the Borough of Bedford, on Thursday, the 10th day of February, next, when and where all persons interested can attend.

Jan. 7, 1859.

R. D. BARCLAY, Auditor.

De Lunatico Inquirendo.

THE undersigned, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Bedford county, to inquire whether George Owe, of Union township be a Lunatic, if not, &c., will attend to the duties of his appointment, at his office, in the Borough of Bedford, on Tuesday, the 25th day of January, next, when and where all persons interested can attend.

January 7, 1858.

R. D. BARCLAY, Commissioner.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

IN the matter of the citation to William Smith, administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Smith, d.ept.—the undersigned appointed auditor to take testimony and report the facts in this case, will attend for that purpose, at his office, in Bedford, on Thursday, the 27th day of January, inst., when and where all persons interested may attend.

Jan. 7, '59.

JOHN MOWER, Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

LETTERS of administration having been granted by the Register of Bedford county, to the undersigned, upon the estate of Peter Barnsdollar, late of West Providence township, deceased.—Notice is therefore given to all persons indebted to said estate to come and settle their accounts, and those having claims against it, will please present them duly authenticated.

Jan. 7, '59.

JAS. M. BARNDOLLAR, of Bloody Run, Adm'r.

WALL AND BLIND PAPER.

DR. F. HARRY is our agent for this necessary article. By calling at his store our patterns will see samples of our papers. We have made our Spring selection with much care, and think we cannot fail to please.

SHRYOCK & SMITH, Chambersburg.