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FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER. JAMES M. POWER, OF MERCER COUNTY.

THE OREGON QUESTION.

The Oregon question is still under discussion in the Senate, and no one can tell how it will terminate. It is somewhat remarkable that, with a majority of political friends in both Houses of Congress, Mr. Polk should be unable to bring this question to a close in one way or another.

The Sub-Treasury.

This off-rejected measure is likely to be fastened again upon the country. A Bill for its re-establishment passed the House of Representatives the other day, and will in all probability pass the Senate also and receive the approval of Mr. Polk.

Hon. Andrew Stewart.

This gentleman has always stood deservedly high as a sound, practical Statesman—and we are gratified to observe that his worth and talents are appreciated elsewhere, as well as in his own district.

The Convention in Allegheny.

We regret that the proceedings of the great Railroad Convention, held in Allegheny city on the 8th inst., reached us at too late an hour for insertion in this week's paper.

THE LEGISLATURE.

We have no late intelligence from Harrisburg. On the 7th inst., the Revenue bill finally passed the House, 42 to 40, the Whig members generally or all voting against it.

In the Senate the Appropriation Bill had been under consideration, but no definite action taken upon it.

The Bill for the right of way to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company had been up in the House on Monday, and several speeches made on it, and was then postponed until Wednesday.

The Ensuing Election.

The ensuing general election will be an important one to the people of this county and Congressional district. In addition to the election of Member of the Legislature, Commissioner and Auditor which are elected every year, we shall this year elect a Sheriff and Member of Congress, and vote also for Canal Commissioner.

An Important Fact.

The Hon. T. Butler King, of Georgia, in a speech recently delivered in Congress, on the Oregon Question, furnished a table of importations of wheat into Great Britain from the principal wheat countries for 1841, 1842 and 1843, from which it appears that during these three years there was imported into that country as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Country, Bushels. Includes Denmark, Prussia, Germany, Holland, France, Italy and Island, N. A. Colonies, United States, and Other countries.

Thus it appears that of the whole amount of wheat imported into Great Britain, only about the one nineteenth part comes from the United States.

The Cumberland Civilian.

J. H. Clay Mudd, Esq., has become associated with Mr. Price in the publication of this excellent journal. It has been much improved in its general appearance, and is now issued semi-weekly.

The name of the Post Office at "Little Crossings," Md., has been changed to "Grantsville."

The following rich scene occurred in the House of Representatives on the 2d inst., in the debate on the sub-treasury bill.

Mr. Martin of Tenn. addressed the Committee for ten minutes in reply to Mr. Smith of Ia. and in defence of Mr. Polk's course in 1834 upon the bill of Mr. Gordon of Va. Mr. M. was dwelling upon the fact that Mr. Polk stood in opposition to this bill to the principle embodied in this Sub-Treasury system.

Mr. Adams rose, but Mr. Martin declined to yield the floor. Mr. M. said he desired no controversy with the gentleman from Mass. If he was called in to one he should knock under in advance.

Mr. Martin—I surrendered to the gentleman in advance; and regard it no dishonor to have done so.

The hammer of the Speaker now told the hour of one o'clock.

From Santa Fe.

A company of Mexican and American traders have arrived at St. Louis from Santa Fe. They were robbed of their horses and mules on the plains by the Pawnee Indians. The Eutaw Indians had killed five Mexicans and wounded one on the Santa Fe road.

New Counterfeit.

We were on Wednesday last, showed a \$2.00 counterfeit on the State Bank of Indiana, which we have not yet seen described by any of the Detectors. The note is dated April 20, 1841, letter D—Vignette, a female seated, holding in her right hand a bonnet, her left resting apparently on a rock, at her feet is a mill, at a distance on her left is a water mill.

THE TRAVEL OVER THE NATIONAL ROAD.

The number of passengers from the East and West, daily arriving and departing from Cumberland is, we believe, unusually large this Spring. The Stage proprietors on the road, than whom we are sure there are none in the Country more indefatigable or more accommodating, have had their hands full, for the last month, and we doubt not drivers and horses, are both heartily sick of "the rush."

GRAIN.

The N. Y. Sun says they are sweeping the barns and granaries clean in the West, and collecting all the remnants of the crops for market. In the different warehouses on the Miami Canal, they are storing all they collect for shipment.

ONE OF THE EFFECTS OF THE TARIFF.

The Charleston Free Press relates an interesting incident of a poor family in the neighborhood of Harper's Ferry, who were living a few months ago in the most squalid poverty, without work and in the greatest suffering.

The Henry Clay.

The Steamer Orus which came up Friday evening about 6 o'clock, brought up between one and two hundred of the passengers from the wreck of the Henry Clay. The passengers were all taken from the wreck in a large tub or water tank, a rope being attached on each side through the eyes and managed from the wreck and the shore.

The tide ebbs and flows in the Henry Clay and she is somewhat embedded in the sand. Lighters were unable to lay alongside owing to the heavy ground swell.

In reference to Insurance, we understand that the Mutual Safety had a full line on the Henry Clay—probably \$40,000 or \$50,000.

This thing of insurance is a curious business. Two or three days ago application was made to the ALLIANCE to insure \$20,000 on the ship EDGAR, which they offered to take at 1 1/2 per cent. This was refused, and 1 1/4 offered, which the company declined.

The St. Louis Era, of the 19th ult., says:—The steamer Radnor arrived yesterday, with \$65,000 in specie on board, \$55,000 of which is from the Branch Bank of Lexington, for deposit in the principal at this place; and \$10,000 from the Platteburg Land Office, under the charge of Mr. Hughes, belonging to Government.

PENNSYLVANIA produces annually fifteen millions bushels of wheat, and about fifty million bushels of Indian corn, rye, barley, buckwheat and oats, and is capable of increasing the amount fourfold. She sends to market annually two million tons of coal, and manufactures three-fourths of all the iron made in the United States.

Robbery.

On last Sabbath morning, at the distance of half a mile north of this town, in an old uninhabited cabin were found a Carpet bag and Valise with various other things, that evince that a robbery has been committed recently, at or near our town.

There was also found at the same time and place, 1 pair fine cloth pantaloons, & 1 cloth coat, marked Alex. Thomas, and 2 shirts and 2 or 3 shirtees, marked John B. McDowell.

On Monday morning last 2 trunks were found near the turnpike, between Ligonier and Laughlinstown, which were empty, having doubtlessly been taken from the stage and plundered.

The Richmond Whig says, "from first to last, from the Alpha to the Omega of this Oregon dispute, Mr. Polk has taught this nation a lesson which may yet need to be enforced by the scorpion lash of war, never to elevate an inferior man to a post of such transcendent importance as President of the United States."

COMMISSIONER.

Mr. Row—Allow me, through your paper, to recommend FREDERICK WEMER, Esq., for Commissioner.

Notice.

Estate of Jonathan Yoder, deceased.

LETTERS Testamentary on the estate of Jonathan Yoder, late of Shade township, deceased, having been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to attend at the late residence of the deceased, on Monday the 25th day of May next, prepared to settle; and those having claims, to present them at the same time and place, properly authenticated.

CHRISTIAN PETERMAN, of Shade township, SAMUEL HOLSAPPLE, of Paint township, Executors.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of Levavi Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to sale by public outcry, at the public square in Somerset on Tuesday the 5th day of May next, at 1 o'clock, P. M. the following Real Estate, viz:—

All the right, title, interest and claim of Joseph Hemminger, of, in, and to a certain

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and house thereon erected, situate in Somerset township, adjoining lands of Andrew Hoover, Daniel Adams and others, containing about eight or ten acres, conveyed to said Hemminger by John Millhouse and wife—as the property of the said Joseph Hemminger, at the suit of Henry Snyder.

JACOB PHILIPPI, Sheriff, Sheriff's Office, Somerset, April 14, 1846.

Positive Cheap! Comparative Cheaper!! Undoubtedly CHEAPEST!!!

War with the British!

THE subscriber having purchased the entire stock of tin ware, owned by Charles A. Kimmel, where he now intends conducting the manufacturing of TIN AND SHEET IRON

ware in Somerset, at the shop formerly occupied by William P. Schell, as a tin-ner shop, one door west of G. Pile's Hotel, and nearly opposite the store of D. Flick, where he intends manufacturing ware of every description in his line of BUSINESS.

Approved country produce will be taken in exchange for ware.

OBADIAH KIMMEL, ap 14, 1846. N. B. Country merchants wishing to purchase ware at wholesale prices, are invited to call before purchasing elsewhere.

Sheriff's Sales.

BY VIRTUE of sundry writs of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to sale at the Public Square in the Borough of Somerset, on Friday the 1st day of May next at 1 o'clock P. M. the following Real Estate, viz:—

All the right, title, interest and claim of Francis Philippi, of, in, and to, two

Lots of Ground,

situate in the town of Centerville, Milford township, Somerset county, Pa., containing one half acre more or less; adjoining the clay pike, on the north a lot of Jonathan H. Miller and Joseph Pile on the east, lands of Abraham H. Miller, on the south, and a lot of Jacob G. Miller's on the west, on which are erected a large two story dwelling house, now occupied as a store house, and a stable, with the appurtenances—as the property of the said Francis Philippi, at the suit of Joseph Hoffman.

—ALSO— All the right, title, interest and claim of Squire Hall, of, in, and to one

LOT OF GROUND.

situate in the town of Sayfield, Somerset county, Pa. containing one half of an acre more or less; bounded on the east by lot of Doctor Fry, on the west by lot of William Richards, on the north by ar. alley, and main street on the south, on which are erected 2 two story dwelling houses, one occupied now as a tavern stand, and a stable with the appurtenances—as the property of the said Squire Hall, at the suit of John McClintock, of J.

—ALSO— All the right, title, interest and claim of Christian Kneec, dec'd, of, in, and to a certain

Lot of Ground,

situate in the borough of Stoystown, Somerset county, containing one fourth of an acre more or less; adjoining main street on the south, lot of Benjamin Berkeley on the west, lot of Jonathan Studer on the north, and lot of Henry Harner on the east, on which are erected a two story frame dwelling house, and stable, with the appurtenances—as the property of the said Christian Kneec, deceased, in the hands of John Cover, administrator with the will annexed, of Christian Kneec, deceased, and Michael Zimmerman, guardian of George Kneec, heir and legal representative of said Christian Kneec, deceased, at the suit of Samuel Kimmel, for the use of John H. Snyder.

—ALSO— All the right, title, interest and claim of John Bell, of, in, and to a certain

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situate in Addison township, Somerset county, Pa., containing one hundred and fifty acres more or less; about one hundred and ten acres clear, about twenty two acres in meadow, with a dwelling house one and a half story high, log barn and stable, and spring house thereon erected, and two orchards on the premises, adjoining the National Road on the south, and lands of Andrew Mitchell, Thomas Glisson and Richard Brook, with the appurtenances—as the property of the said John Bell, at the suit of Alfred Newlon, now for the use of Henry Chorpensing.

—ALSO— All the right, title, interest and claim of Daniel Hoover, of, in, and to a certain plantation or

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situate in Brothersvally township, Somerset county, Pa., containing 296 acres more or less; about 150 acres clear, and about 30 acres in meadow, bounded by lands of Frederick Hoover, George Hoover, Solomon Barkley and others, on which are erected a two story log dwelling house, and large bank barn and stable, &c., & 2 apple orchards on the premises, with the appurtenances—as the property of the said Daniel Hoover, at the suit of William Hoover.

—ALSO— All the right, title, interest and claim of Jonas Hershberger, of, in, and to a certain

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situate in Conemaugh township, Somerset county, Pa., containing 189 acres more or less; about 100 acres clear, 10 acres in meadow, bounded by lands of Jacob Blough, Christian Hockstetter, Yost Blough, Jacob S. Miller and Peter Hechman and others; on which are erected a dwelling house, stable and barn, a large apple orchard on the premises, with the appurtenances—as the property of the said Jonas Hershberger, at the suit of Abraham Hershberger, for the use of Daniel Eash.

—ALSO— By virtue of a writ of Fi. Fa. [Inquisition waived.]

All the right, title, interest and claim of James Black, of, in, and to a certain

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situate in Addison township, Somerset county, Pa., containing 158 acres more or less; about 50 acres clear, and about 8 acres in meadow, adjoining lands of Jacob Wilhelm, William Harden and Christian Fike, on which are erected a two story log house, a potter kiln, an apple orchard and cabin barn with the appurtenances—as the property of the said James Black, at the suit of Mary Davison.

JACOB PHILIPPI, Sh. ff. Sheriff's Office, Somerset, April 7, 1846.

PROMISORY NOTES,

For sale at this Office. Constables' Stay Bonds For sale at this Office

Treasurer's Sale of UNSEATED LANDS, FOR TAXES.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, M. L. Tredwell, Treasurer of the County of Somerset, will expose to sale at the Court House in Somerset, on the Second Monday in June next, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and adjourning until day to day, if found necessary until all the lands contained in the following list be disposed of, unless said taxes be discharged previous to the time of sale.— And by a further supplement to the Act of Assembly, it is made the duty of the purchaser or purchasers, at the Treasurer's sale, as soon as the property is struck down, to pay at least so much of the purchase money as shall be necessary to pay off the taxes, and also one dollar for the use of the Prothonotary, and in case the same is not forthwith paid, the sale may be avoided and the property immediately set up again by the Treasurer. Purchasers are therefore notified that a compliance with this part of the law will be expected and enforced.

Somerset Township.

Table with 2 columns: Name, \$, cts. Includes Black James, Drysdale Thomas, Denton Thomas, Crylich Harman, Coates William, Gibbons James, Hall John, Knopsnyder Conrad, Kerzer Jacob, Martin Robert, Miller Michael, White John, Bonsat Andrew, Young Bertha.

Milford Township.

Table with 2 columns: Name, \$, cts. Includes Baker Joseph, Beam Jacob, Copp Michael, Cisney James, Connor & Connolly, Farner Lewis, Galbraith Mary, Johnston William, Kendall John, King Samuel, LaFborough Nathan, Pitcher Rudolph, Rush Benjamin, Shannon William, Wilson Thomas.

Turkeyfoot Township.

Table with 2 columns: Name, \$, cts. Includes Humphreys Ashton, Darke George jr, Joiles William, Stewart John, Stewart David, Stewart Thomas, Chew Alexander, Cole Samuel, Lafferty Joseph, Moore Jane, Moore Christian, Moore Mary, Ogle Charles, Thompson Josiah, Deams Jacob.

Southampton Township.

Table with 2 columns: Name, \$, cts. Includes Crichtfield John, Philipp John, Hafner or Havner Geo, Pratt Elizabeth, Elklick Township, Barley Mounjoy, Chary John, Cory James, Cory Enos, Moore Anne, Meminger Lewis, Simpkins John, Simpson Mary.

Stoney Creek Township.

Table with 2 columns: Name, \$, cts. Includes Stiles William, Greenville Township, Albricks William, Cuddington Benjamin, Allegheny township, Bowen Thomas, Carey John L, Carey John L, Golden Elizabeth, Herrysbill Robert, Moore Thomas, Ross James, Wells Mary.

Conemaugh township.

Table with 2 columns: Name, \$, cts. Includes Bannington Charles, Bennet Jacob, Edmund George, Henon John, McLanahan James, Mc'Gaw Thomas, Sturgeon Robert, Elliott John, Moore Abram, Musser John, Shade township, Caradus Thomas, Carman James, Duplessis P. L. B, Proctor Thomas, Tilton William, Withersel Samuel.

Paint township.

Table with 2 columns: Name, \$, cts. Includes Berkley Pugh, Clark Stephen, Clark James, Moore Thomas, Snyder Nicholas, Shaw Robert, Trist Elizabeth, Thornton William, Jenner township, Pitcher William, Banken Andrew, B-tron John, Heysle Christian, Hubley Frederick, Mc'Gaw Thomas, Scott John, Worp Andrew, Wise P. c.

M. L. TREDWELL, Treasurer's Office, Somerset, Treasurer, March 31, 1846.