

SOMERSET HERALD.

SOMERSET, PA., TUESDAY, MAY 18, 1847.

FOR GOVERNOR. GEN. JAMES IRVIN, OF CENTRE COUNTY. For Canal Commissioner. JOSEPH W. PATTON, OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

"OLD ROUGH AND READY."

Few men, if any, ever accomplished as much with similar means, as General Taylor has done since his first encounter with the Mexicans. He has surmounted difficulty after difficulty, fought battle after battle, and achieved victory after victory, till all who have become acquainted with the facts are astounded at the extent of his success.

"TARIFF ANDY."

Some time since, it was suggested in this paper that "Rough and Ready" and "Tariff Andy" would make a strong team for President and Vice President; and it now gives us pleasure to be able to state, that public sentiment is rapidly concentrating in their favor.

"OLD IRONSIDES."

From all we can learn, Gen. Irvin will "go it with a perfect rush." Wherever he is personally known, he appears to have a strong hold upon the affections of the people; in the iron region of the North, where the Tariff feeling is perhaps stronger than in any other section, he, it is said, will get a very large portion of the Locofoco votes, and throughout the State the Whigs will support him unanimously.

THE WHEAT CROP.

During our recent tour through a portion of Ohio and several of the western counties of Pennsylvania, we took particular notice of the wheat crop, which, as a whole, we found less promising than we could have wished, though in some sections it is highly luxuriant.

FLOUR AND GRAIN.

There has been a considerable advance in the price of produce since the arrival of the Caledonia. In PHILADELPHIA, flour was selling last week at \$7.25; wheat at \$1.68, and corn at \$1.00.

The city of Boston is advertising for a loan of \$1,000,000, at five per cent. interest. The money is wanted for the new water works.

Subscribers whose papers we send by mail have recently complained of not receiving them regularly. We can only say to them, that all the papers issued from this office are mailed in time, and that if, as they allege, theirs very often miss, the fault must be with some of the Post Masters.

THE ARMY NEWS.

The intelligence from the Army which we publish to-day is of a highly interesting and cheering character. The account of the Battle of Cerro Gordo—which we gave in an Extra issued from this office last Tuesday—will be found on first page; that of the taking of Jalapa and Perote is given in a subsequent column.

PENCILINGS IN OHIO. BY THE EDITOR.

Upon further examination I found, that my former remarks in regard to the Agriculture of Licking county, though correct in so far as my observations had then extended, would not apply to the county generally. In some sections corn is produced in great abundance, and many assert that their soil and climate are as well adapted to the growing of wheat as any in the State.

Leaving Newark, I passed on to the National Road at a village called Jackson. From here to Zanesville the country is broken and the soil inferior, though I am informed that the lands along the Muskingum are amongst the best in the State. At Zanesville there is a magnificent tripartite bridge, which I consider as the best superstructure that I have ever seen.

From Zanesville to Cambridge, the seat of justice of Guernsey county, the distance is 25 miles—the country hilly, but the soil good. Cambridge contains a population of 1,400; and though the town is said to be healthy, I was informed that in the course of a few months last fall, four hundred deaths had occurred in the vicinity on an area of four miles square.

From Cambridge to St. Clairsville, a distance of 40 miles, the country is very hilly; indeed, as much so as any over which I have passed. But the soil is of excellent quality, limestone are abundant, and the crops had a good appearance.—Here, too, you see some very fine orchards and a great number of tobacco houses, many of the owners of the lands having abandoned the raising of wheat and turned their attention to that of tobacco.

Having passed—rather leisurely—through eleven counties in Ohio, I find that, upon the whole, this section of the State has many advantages. Generally speaking, the soil is good, and producers and business men have reasonable facilities for the transportation of their produce and merchandise; but it has also its disadvantages, which consist in the want of good timber in one place, of coal and limestone in another and of good water in a third; and of the prevalence, more or less, of the "shakes" everywhere.

It is just one year since the war broke out in Mexico. On Saturday, the 8th, the first battle, that of Palo Alto, was fought and the first victory won.

BALTIMORE AND WHEELING.

Mr. McLane's visit with his committee to Wheeling resulted, as we learn in nothing. There is no room for surprise at this. Their object was to get the consent of Wheeling to suffer the road to reach the Ohio at Fishing Creek, with leave for them to make a road for themselves, 40 miles up the river to their city.

The present grant from Virginia does not permit the road to touch the river, but allows it to follow Fishing Creek until it approaches the Ohio, and then to diverge in the direction of Wheeling—a clear 40 miles from 'home' as we might term it. These terms are too enormous for the company to accept; and what the company ask, too preposterous for Wheeling. If the road touches the river 40 miles below them, Wheeling is done.—Their "Forty wagons a day," bridge and all are gone; or at least not sufficient to save them.

KEEP IT BEFORE THE PEOPLE.

During the last session of Congress, several important political questions were discussed and decided by party votes, which the people ought to see and understand.

1. A Bill to increase the revenue by putting a duty of 25 per cent. on tea and coffee and adding 10 per cent. to the present duties on iron, coal, silks, linens, wines, spirits, wool and woollens, was discussed at length, and finally amended in committee of the whole, striking out the duty on tea and coffee, and retaining it on iron, coal, wool, woollens, wine, spirits, cottons, &c. On the amendment the Pennsylvania delegation voted as follows:

- Whigs for. J. Buffington, C. Darragh, J. H. Ewing, Jas. R. Ingersoll, J. Pollock, A. Ramsey, J. Stewart, A. Strawn, A. R. Mellvaine—9 J. Thompson, J. C. Levin, J. W. Campbell, Natives, making 11; absent, 3. Locos against. Jas. Black, R. Brodhead, J. Erdman, H. D. Foster, W. S. Garwin, C. J. Ingersoll, M. McClean, J. Ritter, J. S. Yost—10.

2. The Wilmot Proviso, requiring that any territory acquired from Mexico by treaty, should continue as at present free from slavery.

3. A Bill to appropriate half a million for the relief of Ireland, &c.

4. A resolution of thanks to Zachary Taylor, his officers and men, for the victory of Monterey, &c.

For all these measures the Whigs as a party voted—and the Locos, or Polk men, as a party voted against, as will fully appear by referring to the journal of Congress. And even the Pennsylvania Locos to follow Polk and the party, abandoned the cherished policy of the State, and violated the unanimous instructions of the Legislature, by voting for a duty on TEA and COFFEE, and by voting against the duty on iron, coal, wool, woollens, wines, brandy, &c., and by voting for Slavery and against Liberty, and to defeat a vote of thanks to General Taylor, his brave officers and men, by making it in effect a vote of censure.

On the Irish Relief Bill, the vote stood Whigs for. Locos against. Buffington, Black, Darragh, Brodhead, Ewing, Erdman, Jos. R. Ingersoll, Garwin, McVaine, McClean, Pollock, Ritter, Ramsey, Wilmot, Stewart—8. Yost—8. And the Natives against it.

On the Wilmot proviso, or slavery question, and on the vote of thanks to Taylor, it was a party vote, about as above, which we will give in detail hereafter. What will the people say to such men and such a party in October? We shall see.—Union. Dem.

We understand that a large and enthusiastic meeting was held last week at Somerset, Pa., at which Gen. Taylor was nominated for President by acclamation, and Hon. Andrew Stewart for Vice President.

Pennsylvania is justly entitled to her share of public favors, and "the frosty sons of thunder" could not have selected a more worthy man in this State, or any other, for this high post of honor, and we are gratified to find that in many places both in New England and the West, the people are moving in his favor; give us "Old Rough and Ready" and "Tariff Andy" and we can ride over the Mexicans and locofocos "Rough Shed."

Perote is thirty-six miles beyond Jalapa, one hundred and eight from Vera Cruz, and one hundred and seventy-one from the city of Mexico.—Nat. Intel.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMER CALEDONIA.

13 DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

Advance in the price of Breadstuffs—Advance in Cotton—Arrival of the James-town—Affairs in Spain—Condition of the Bank of England, &c.

We received a telegraphic dispatch on Thursday morning, at 9 o'clock, announcing the steamer Caledonia as telegraphed some miles at sea from Boston. At half past two o'clock the first dispatch as to the character of the commercial news by her reached us, which was issued in a "Sun" slip, and during the evening the following full telegraphic accounts were received.

She sailed from Liverpool on the 19th ult., and consequently has made a passage of seventeen days.

The Hibernia arrived out on the 14th ult. Jenny Lind had arrived in London. The lady of Mr. Bancroft had the honor of dining with the Queen at Buckingham Palace on the 15th ult.

The West India Royal Mail Steam Packet Company have purchased the Great Western for £25,000.

Death, and its concomitants, discontent and disorder, are hourly increasing in France.

M. Ronge is undergoing a month's imprisonment at Breslau, for preaching without permission of the authorities.

The state of affairs in Ireland is improving. Matters have reached their worst and are now mending. The latest accounts of Mr. O'Connell's health are very unsatisfactory.

Our accounts from Paris are to the 17th by which we learn that the contemplated extension of the present system of free trade to the 31st July, 1848, is now certain.

The Prussian general diet was opened by a speech from the King, at Berlin, on the 11th. The King made an extraordinary speech, and as lengthy as it was novel.

The United States ship of war, James-town, Capt. A. Y. Forbes, laden with breadstuffs and provisions for the relief of the distressed Irish, arrived at Cork on the 12th ult., on her mission of mercy.

A good deal of discussion and correspondence has appeared in the papers since the sailing of the Cambria, respecting Mr. Frederick Douglass, a colored anti-slavery lecturer, who went out passenger in that vessel.

Letters in the Paris papers mention the failure of an attempt made on the 15th to induce the inhabitants of the Portuguese fortified town of Yelcos to pronounce in favor of the insurrection.

The proceedings of Parliament, since the sailing of the last steamer, possessed little interest. Business will be wound up as speedily as possible, in order to prepare for the dissolution, which is to follow in June or July next.

The History of England, for a century and a half, does not present a time when less party feeling prevailed.

Affairs in Portugal are approaching the climax. The tedious, unsatisfactory struggle between the insurgents and the Queen's forces is drawing to a close.—The Queen's troops seem unable to meet the emergency, and the protection of Great Britain has been solicited. Fears have been entertained that the person of the Queen is not safe in the capital. A rising is anticipated.

THE CAUSE AND CONSEQUENCE

The reader may remember that, some months ago, the Massachusetts Peace Society offered a handsome reward for the best essay on the origin and result of the Mexican war. We give below the only one we have met with as having been written for the prize. To our thinking, no better or more conclusive on both points could have been drawn up, and we are obliged to the witty author for the permission he has given us to publish it, in advance of the judge's decision on the essay entitled to the prize.

[Editors N. Y. Express.

AN ESSAY UPON THE WAR WITH MEXICO ITS ORIGIN AND ITS RESULTS carefully considered and methodically digested. BY AN ODD SORT OF FELLOW.

CHAPTER I. On the Origin of the War. § 1. Texas.

CHAPTER II. On the Result of the War. § 1. Texas.

FINIS.

MEM.—A reward of \$500 having been offered by the Peace Society for the best Essay upon the subject, the author confidently reckons and calculates upon receiving the same speedily, as he has particular occasion for that precise sum just at present.

SOAKERS.—The members of the late Missouri Legislature drank an average of a barrel of liquor to a man, during their session!

ILLNESS OF THE EMPEROR OF RUSSIA. A letter from St. Petersburg, dated the 2d, announces that the Emperor of Russia is seriously ill, and that his journey to Warsaw is indefinitely postponed.

Within the last four months, 129 factories and mills of various kinds have been destroyed by fire in the United States.

GREAT FIRE AT COLUMBUS.—The eastern row of shops in the States Prison was consumed on the afternoon of the 7th. All the machinery and tools were destroyed and a great quantity of stock on hand. Loss \$25,000. Insurance \$8,000.

The Swiss bell-ringers rang the noble chime of Trinity church, at New York, during the illumination, when they gave Hail Columbia and Yankee Doodle, played in mightier tones than ears in Gotham had ever before heard.

On the 27th ult. there was a terrible fire at St. Louis, which consumed a great number of buildings. Loss \$50,000.

DEED:

On the 23d April, at the house of Dr. Jonas Younklin, in Lexington, Mr. JONNY WILLIAMS, of New York City, aged about 47 years.

On Thursday last in this Borough, Mr DANIEL HOFFY, aged about 69 years. On the same day in Brothersvalley, Mrs. ANN MARIA, relict of the late John Knepfer, aged about 70 years.

WORMS! WORMS!! WORMS!!!

JAYE'S TONIC VERMIFUGE.—This Vermifuge is perfectly safe, and so pleasant that children will not refuse to take it. It effectually destroys worms, neutralizes acidity or sourness of the stomach, increases appetite, and acts as a general or perient Tonic, and is therefore exceedingly beneficial in intermittent and remittent Fevers, Indigestion, &c., and is almost a certain cure for RHEUMATISM, and what is of more importance, it does it permanently.

It not only destroys Worms, and invigorates the whole system, but it dissolves and carries off the superabundant slime or mucus, so prevalent in the stomach and bowels of children, more especially of those in bad health. This mucus forms the bed, or nest, in which worms produce their young, and by removing it, it is impossible for worms to remain in the body.

It is harmless in its effects on the system, and the health of the patient is always improved by its use, even when no worms are discovered. Numerous certificates of its usefulness have been received, which the Proprietor does not consider necessary to publish; yet to give the reader an idea of its Vermifuge powers, he will mention a few cases.—He gave it to his little nephew, not four years old, and in a few days he discharged upwards of ninety large worms.—He also gave it to his daughter, then a boat three years old, when it brought forth thirty worms in one night.

Josiah Thompson, near Salem, N. J. administered this Vermifuge to a child between two and three years old, and says that in a few days, she discharged one hundred and thirty seven large worms!

Mr. Joseph A. Lentz, of the Penn Township Savings Institution, in this city, gave it to one of his children, and says that after the sixth dose, it brought away about fifty worms at once, five and six inches long.

Mr. Ferdinand Woodruff used two bottles of this Vermifuge for Dyspepsia, and in the course of two weeks discharged upwards of thirty pieces of Tape Worm, and was thereby perfectly cured.

Another gentleman of this city had administered to his little daughter, about three years old, when she had a number of discharges from her bowels, composed entirely of little white thread worms. He says "they came away from her, not only by hundreds, but I may truly say, by thousands, separately, and in solid balls as large as hickory nuts, composed entirely of dead worms.

PHILES.—Numerous cases of Piles have been perfectly cured by the use of this valuable Vermifuge.

Finally, what the public long have desired, a medicine of this kind, which might be depended upon (prepared by a regular physician) is now offered to them, and can be had of DR. D JAYNE No. 8 South Third street, Philadelphia, and all persons who sell his Expectant and Carnitative Balsam.

For sale by J. J. & H. F. Schell, Somerset, Pa. Also by Edward Deakin, Stoystown Pa.

As a Further Evidence

That the principle of curing disease by cleansing and purifying the body, is strictly in accordance with the laws which govern the animal economy; and if properly carried out by the use of Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills, Will certainly result in the complete abolition of disease; we offer the following testimonials, from persons of the highest respectability in New York, who have been recently cured of the most obstinate complaints, solely by the use of Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills of the North American College of Health.

Certificates of Cures FROM JAMAICA, LONG ISLAND.—Doctor William Wright:—Dear Sir, It is with great satisfaction that I inform you of my having been entirely cured of dyspepsia, of five years' standing, by the use of your Indian Vegetable Pills.

Previous to meeting with your celebrated medicine, I had been under the care of several physicians, and had tried various medicines, but all to no effect. After using one 25 cent box of your pills, however, I experienced so much benefit, that I resolved to persevere in the use of them, according to directions, which I am happy to state has resulted in a perfect cure. In gratitude to you for the great benefit I have received, and also in the hope that others similarly afflicted may be induced to make a trial of your

extraordinary medicine, I send you this statement with full liberty to publish the same if you think proper. Yours, &c.

G. C. BLACK.

From New York City.

Dr. Wm Wright:—Dear Sir,—At your recommendation, I some time since made trial of Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills, of the North American College of Health, and can conscientiously assert that of Purifying the Blood and Renovating the System, I have received more benefit from their use than from any other medicine it has heretofore been my good fortune to meet with.

I am, dear sir, with many thanks, your obliged friend, CHAS. M. TATE. No 60 Hammersly street, New York.

From Warwarsing, N. F.

DEAR SIR—I have been afflicted for several years with inward weakness and general debility, accompanied at times with pain in the side and other distressing complaints. After having tried various medicines without effect, I was persuaded by a friend to make trial of Dr. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills, which I am happy to state have relieved me in a most wonderful manner. I have used the medicine as yet but a short time, and have no doubt, by a perseverance in the use of the medicine according to directions, that I shall in a short time be perfectly restored.

I most willingly recommend said Pills to all persons similarly afflicted, and in the full belief that the same beneficial results will follow their use.

I remain, yours sincerely, HENRY W. FOOTE. Warwarsing, Ulster Co, New York.

Beware of Counterfeits of all kinds! Some are coated with sugar; others are made to resemble in outward appearance the original medicine. The safest course is, to purchase from the regular agents only, one or more of whom may be found in every village & town in the state.

Agents for Somerset County.

- PARKER & ANKENY, Somerset, M. A. Ross, Petersburg, Samuel Kimmel, Pine Mills, Ross & Parker, Jennersville, Michael Sipe, Somerset township, Anglinbaugh & Brubaker, Centreville, Henry J. Stevens, Bakerstown, Geo A. Clarke, Stoystown, Geo A. Clarke, Buckstown, Hay & Buer, Lavansville, J. C. Darrell, Smithfield.

Offices devoted exclusively to the sale of Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills, wholesale and retail, 169 Race Street, Philadelphia; 288 Greenwich Street, New York, and 193 Tremont Street, Boston. [May 4]

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration on the estate of Christina Walker, late of Somerset township, deceased, having been granted to the subscriber, residing in said township; all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to attend at the late residence of the deceased, on Saturday the 12th day of June next, prepared to settle, and those having claims to present them at the same time and place properly authenticated.

JACOB SNYDER, Administrator. May 4, 1847.

LOOK HERE!

THE manufactory, in progress of erection by the late David Findley, in Stonycreek township, will be completed and ready to go into operation by the 10th of May next, and the undersigned having secured the services of an experienced manufacturer, and intending to carry the business on, in all its various branches, respectfully solicits a share of public patronage. Carding, Fulling, &c., done on the shortest notice and most reasonable terms. May 4. MARY FINDLEY.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration, on the estate of Mary Ankeny, late of Somerset township, dec'd, having been granted to the subscriber; all persons indebted to the said estate, are requested to meet at the house of the undersigned in Lavansville on Thursday the 10th of June next, prepared to settle and those having claims to present them at the same time and place properly authenticated.

DAVID SHULTZE, Admr. May 4th, 1847.

DOES NOT REASON AND COMMON SENSE

teach us that Expectoration is the most natural as well as most effectual agent in arresting and curing PULMONARY DISEASES?

Reason says yes, because obstruction is either immediately or remotely the cause of Inflammation and Catarrhal Fevers, producing Croup, Consumption, and Obcesses of the Lungs, Pain and Soreness of the Throat, Breast, Sides, or Shoulders—Bronchitis, exciting mucous and purulent secretions, thereby clogging up the lungs, so as to more or less impede both respiration and the free circulation of the blood, causing Difficulty of Breathing, and ASTHMA, Pleurisy, Hoarseness and Loss of Voice, Dropsy of the Heart and Chest, Rupture of Blood Vessels and Bleeding from Throat and Lungs, and Spitting of Blood.

To remove this Obstruction, from which all these alarming and dangerous diseases originate, and to produce a radical cure, nothing has ever been found equal to Jayne's Expectant.

It stands unqualified—it stands pre-eminent—try it, and you will be forced to acknowledge that its virtues have not, nor cannot be overrated; that it stands far above and beyond the reach of competition; that it is the only reasonable, the only natural and the only truly successful method of arresting and curing diseases of the Pulmonary Organs.