

SOMERSET HERALD.

SOMERSET, PA., TUESDAY, JUNE 22, 1847.

FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES IN 1848. GENL. ZACHARY TAYLOR.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT. HON. ANDREW STEWART.

FOR GOVERNOR General James Irvin, OF CENTRE COUNTY.

FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER, Joseph W. Patton, OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Gen. Taylor's Politics.

Some of the Locofoco editors would fain make their readers believe that Gen. Taylor was a Locofoco, whilst others admit that he is a Whig, but say he is in favor of free trade.

OUR ARMIES IN MEXICO.

A correspondent of the New Orleans Picayune sets down Gen. Taylor's effective force at 4,640 men, and then adds: "From this small force garrisons are to be supplied for the longest line of communication known to modern times."

The Philadelphia North American, says:

"When the country press receives adequate encouragement, it is a sign that the cause which is advocated is in a healthy condition. We have ever impressed it upon our Whig friends of the interior as their first duty, to support their local papers; that duty performed, we shall be pleased to place them on our daily or weekly lists."

"We should be greatly obliged to many of our readers if they would show the foregoing paragraph to some of their Whig neighbors, whose attention we cannot call to it, for the reason that they do not take our paper."

A PRIVATEER.—The Hibernia brought intelligence of the capture of the large Carmelita, of Bangor, Maine, by a Mexican Privateer off the coast of Spain.

A gentleman near Cincinnati has a strawberry "patch" of 60 acres, on which he employs 100 persons picking the delicious fruit, of which they gather 100 bushels per day.

Francis R. Shunk has been on a visit to Pittsburgh, and the American says he went it strong in the doggeries, TRAITING the folks and saying he hoped none of them were temperance men!

ANGEL CITY, DE LOS ANGELES, OF ANGEL CITY, which has been taken and is now held by Gen. WORTH, derives its name from a mysterious occurrence during the building of its Cathedral.

A Hoosier threatened to shoot a fellow recently, because the latter had said, when speaking of the wife of the former, who was a little woman and shaking with the ague, that she was no "GREAT shakes."

THE MARKETS.—Flour is selling in New York at \$8 75; wheat at \$1 82. In Philadelphia—Flour, \$8 50; no sales of wheat given. Baltimore.—Flour, \$8 75; wheat, \$2.

Mr. Editor:—In my communication of last week I endeavored to prove, by facts which I presume will not be denied, the danger of an amalgamation of political parties where there is no explicit understanding in regard to the principles by which the body thus formed from heterogeneous materials is to be governed.

I did so, because I apprehended, from some suggestions there referred to, that the Whig party might be drawn into a position in reference to the next Presidential election which would disable it from strictly adhering to, and carrying out its principles, in the event of the nomination and election of Gen. Taylor.

History, it is true, furnishes us with instances where military chieftains, after discomfiting their antagonists, seized the reins of government, and supported by the soldiery, exercised despotic power; but in every instance that I now remember without referring to authorities, such a despotism succeeded only a state of anarchy, where faction contended against faction, and where a common enemy to the nation was altogether out of the question.

EGYPT SUPPLYING WHEAT.—It is just eighteen hundred years since, in the days of Augustus, Rome was dependent upon Egypt to prevent her people from starving. At that time Egypt supplied the city of Rome with twenty millions of bushels of grain annually—so immensely productive was the valley of the Nile.

the nation than was the discomfite of the others. But we need not search all the volumes of history, ancient and modern, for examples in support of the position I have assumed; we have them at home, in the history of our own great and glorious Republic, the model government of the age in which we live.

Gen. Washington was chosen President immediately after the close of the Revolution, in which he had held the chief military command, and entered upon his Executive duties at a time when only the outlines of our political system had been drawn, and even before its adaptation to our people and condition had been tested.

Gen. Jackson, one of the greatest military men of the age, was also twice elected to the Chief Magistracy; and such was the confidence which men had in his integrity and honesty of purpose, that they were ready to overlook the errors of his judgment, proceeding, no doubt, from a natural ardent temper and irritable disposition, increased and rendered more obstinate by his advanced age, and not, as has been supposed by some, the result of many years' service in the army.

How many military officers have filled or even now fill civil stations? Among Members of Cabinets, Governors of States, United States Senators and Members of Congress and State Legislatures, we find military men, who are, not unfrequently, the most talented and profound Statesmen, and whose knowledge of the science of war, instead of causing mistrust, often, and very justly, adds weight to their influence.

NOTICE.

THE Pamphlet Laws, passed at the last Session of the Legislature have been received and are ready for distribution to those entitled to have them.

SOMERSET GUARDS. You will parade on your usual ground in Somerset, on Monday the 5th of July, at 10 o'clock, A. M. to celebrate the Anniversary of Independence.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. LETTERS Testamentary, on the estate of Adam Brandt, late of Stonycreek township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in said township, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to attend at the house of the deceased, on Saturday the 7th day of August next, and those having claims, to present them at the same time and place properly authenticated.

CERRO GORDO AND WATERLOO.—The battles of Cerro Gordo and Waterloo were both fought on the Sabbath. Comparing the odds against Scott with those Wellington encountered, Cerro Gordo stands a prouder victory than Waterloo.

JAMES IRVIN.—The Easton Sentinel, an ardent advocate for the re-election of Gov. Shunk tells the following story:

"Some years since, (not however when Gen. Irvin was a young man, but after he had acquired a large estate,) Gen. Irvin's father applied to him to write his will. In drawing it up he consulted with the son in regard to the dispositions he was making of his estate, among his other children, in the course of which the father occurred, that such and such portions should be given to such and such children. They thus progressed until they got on some distance, when the old gentleman stopped and said: 'But James, if I go on this way, where are you to get anything?' 'Oh, never mind that father,' said James, 'I am worth more than you are, and the rest of the children need it more than I do.' He then proceeded to finish the will for his father, leaving himself nothing or nearly so."

The President has issued orders directing the steamship of war "Princeton" to get ready for sea, to proceed immediately to the Mediterranean, in quest of the Mexican Privateer, and any other vessels that may be insulting our flag there.

MARRIED: On the 8th inst., by the Rev. S. B. Lawson, Mr. JONATHAN BOWMAN to Miss SALLY KLEIN, both of this county.

On Sunday the 20th inst., by H. B. Barnes, Esq., Mr. LEVI SNYDER, to Miss SUSAN RINGER, all of Milford township.

DIED: On the 10th inst., MICHAEL RAY, of Jenner township, aged 55 years.

Mr. Row.—Pemit me to suggest through the columns of your paper, to the independent voters of Somerset Co., the name of Gen. George Ross, as a candidate for the Legislature.

Gen. Ross has been a citizen of the County for upwards of thirty years, and is a man of fine abilities. Understanding as he does, all the interests of this county, if he should be so fortunate as to be elected, he would no doubt attend to the duties of the office faithfully and efficiently.

BENJAMIN COUNTRYMAN, of Somerset township, is recommended to the consideration of the County Convention for Commissioner.

Mr. Countryman is a worthy citizen and substantial whig, and well qualified for the above mentioned office.

A FRIEND TO MERIT.

TO THE ELECTORS OF SOMERSET COUNTY. Fellow citizens.—I take the liberty of placing my name before you as a candidate for County Treasurer, at the ensuing general election.

Mr. Row.—Henry Little, Esq., of Stoytown, is recommended as a suitable candidate for the Legislature, at the approaching election, by many.

Mr. Row.—Please announce the name of Daniel Lepley, Esq., of Southampton, a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Convention.

Jacob D. Miller of Elklick township, will be supported for the office of County Commissioner, at the ensuing election, if nominated by the Whig County Convention.

New Advertisements.

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IN the matter of the voluntary assignment of John Dull, for the benefit of his creditors, in the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset County, Pa: And now to wit, 3d May, 1847. The petition of Peter Dull was presented to the Court, setting forth that Jacob Knable, Jr., who had been appointed assignee of John Dull, and took upon himself the execution of the trust, has lately died without having made a final settlement and distribution to, and among the creditors of John Dull as by the aforesaid Deed of Trust was intended—therefore praying the Court to appoint some suitable person in his stead to take charge of the effects which were in the hands of Jacob Knable, Jr. and to execute the trust in pursuance of said deed of assignment, and according to the act of assembly in such case made and provided.

Whereupon the Court affix Monday the 30th day of August next, for the hearing in the matter.

Worms in Children. Of all the diseases to which children are exposed, none are so fatal to them as worms. Unfortunately, children are seldom free from them, and as the untoward symptoms of almost every other complaint, they often produce alarming effects without being suspected.

Consumption, Cough, Spitting Blood &c.—To Consumptives: Four-fifths of you are really suffering from neglected colds, or an obstruction and consequent inflammation of the delicate lining of those tubes thro' which the air we breathe is distributed to every part of the lungs.

JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT. Rev. J. S. Maginnis, Professor in Hamilton, (N. Y.) Literary and Theological Seminary says: "I would not be without Dr. Jayne's Medicines in my family for any consideration. I have found them successful in cases where all other means have failed."

Mr. Nicholas Harris, corner of Front and Lombard streets, Philadelphia, was cured of COUGH, ASTHMA, and BLEEDING OF THE LUNGS; under which he labored for many years.

Rev. Wm. Laws, Modestown, Va., says:—I have used your Expectorant, and found it an excellent medicine for PULMONARY DISEASES."

Mr. John Beckford, of Eastport Maine, says:—"Your Expectorant has just cured a man whom his physician had given up to die with CONSUMPTION; and also another, in the very lowest stages of BRONCHITIS."

Messrs. Slosson and Williams, Booksellers, Oswego, N. Y., say:—Your Expectorant gives UNIVERSAL SATISFACTION.

Rev. John Ellis, of Watertown, N. Y. says:—"Many respectable people offer certificates in favor of your Expectorant. I believe that all your Medicines are the best preparations that have ever been offered to the public for the relief of the afflicted, and the CURE OF DISEASES."

Daniel Henshaw, Esq., Editor of the Lynn (Mass.) Record, says:—"Jayne's Expectorant is a very valuable Syrup, which we have lately used with good effect in stopping a Cough and loosening and breaking up a COLD."

Rev. Arthur B. Bradford, of Darlington, Pa., says that it cured his son of CROUP in a few minutes.

The Bangor (Me.) Journal says:—"A trial of Jayne's Expectorant will satisfy all that it is a speedy cure for Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Asthma, Hoarseness, and all kinds of Pulmonary Affections."

SEGARS. CUBA, Half Spanish, and Common Segars. Crackers, Confectionaries, and Notions, to be had at the Drug Store of [may11] S. KURTZ.

NOTICE. ALL persons who are indebted to me either by Note, Due-bill, Judgment, Book account or otherwise, are hereby notified to make payment on or before the 20th day of July next; as I have determined to remove west soon thereafter; all who neglect this notice may expect their claims to be left with a proper officer for collection—hoping that you will make payment, therefore, and save costs.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE. LETTERS of administration on the Estate of Samuel Dively, late of Southampton township, deceased having been granted to the subscriber residing in said township, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to attend at the house of the dec'd. on Friday the 30th of July next, prepared to settle; and those having claims, to present them at the same time and place properly authenticated.

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THE undersigned having obtained Letters of administration on the estate of Peter F. Hay, late of Brothersvalley township, dec'd, hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said estate either by bond, note or book account to make payment, or at least settlement, on or before the 9th day of July next; and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement and allowance by the same time.

List of Retailers. OF Foreign Merchandize in Somerset County, as classified by the appraiser of Mercantile taxes for the year 1847.

Table with 3 columns: Somerset borough, Class, License. Lists names like M. A. Sanner, Parker & Ankeny, J. P. & H. F. Schell, etc.

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Those persons marked thus * have already taken out license. The Treasurer is authorized to bring suits against all who neglect to take out license on or before the first day of August next.