

SOMERSET HERALD.

SOMERSET, PA.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1847.

FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES IN 1848.

GENL. ZACHARY TAYLOR.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

HON. ANDREW STEWART.

Subject to the decision of a National Convention.

Somerset County Erect!

The Whigs and Antislavery again triumphant.



THE RESULT IN THIS COUNTY.

We confess that the Whig majority in this county is less by several hundred than we anticipated; but it is gratifying at the same time to know that this result is not to be attributed to any acquisition to the Locofoco ranks...

PENN'A ELECTION.

The returns as far as received show a considerable falling off in the Whig vote compared with that of 1844 and leave no doubt of old Shunk's re-election.

THE RETURNS.

By the official returns which we publish to-day it will be seen that Irvin's majority in this county is 1,240, and Patton's 1,296.

MARYLAND ELECTION.

The Locos of Maryland have elected their Governor by less than 700. Four Whigs and two Locos elected to Congress.

NEW COUNTERFEITS.—We extract from Thompson's Bank Note Reporter the following list of new counterfeiters just issued:

- 10's on the Union Bank, Tennessee.
5's on the Thomaston Bank, Maine.
5's on the Chester Bank, New York.
10's on the Trenton Banking Co., New Jersey.
20's on the Merchant's Bank, Balt.
2's on the Union Bank, Dover, New Jersey.
2's on the Pacific Bank, Nantucket, Mass.

REPORTED MAJORITIES.

Table with 3 columns: County, Irvin, Shunk. Rows include Cumberland, Franklin, Dauphin, York, Somerset, Lebanon, Lancaster, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, Phila. City & Co., Berks, Schuylkill, Bucks, Fayette, Washington, Westmoreland, Allegheny.

FOR THE HERALD.

The late Election in Somerset County and its result.

It will be seen by referring to the official returns, that the whole Whig ticket is elected by a very handsome majority. This must be peculiarly gratifying to some of the candidates personally, and is matter for sincere congratulation to every true Whig in the county.

But above and beyond all this, there is a moral in the result, which it seems scarcely proper or just to overlook. Public opinion has in a most signal manner punished the outrages which have been committed against it by certain political leaders of the Loco Foco party in this borough.

Such is the manner in which these cowardly attacks, made by men—some of whom would be venerable if gray hairs would make them so—while skulking behind an irresponsible minor and making his mouth the conduit for their own rancor, have been received by the public.

FROM THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCER. THE BALTIMORE DEFEAT.

The NATIONAL WHIG (which, by the way, appeared on Saturday in a new and elegant dress) contains the annexed pregnant comments on the very extraordinary result of the late election in Baltimore:

"THE BALTIMORE DEFEAT.—In the city of Baltimore there is a gain of 1,423 on the Democratic vote since last year, and a falling off in the Whig vote of 37 votes. No man in his senses will for a moment believe that this tremendous increase in the Democratic vote is a natural increase. This fraud upon the ballot box is too palpable to require proof.

"The money expended by the officials of the General Government here and in Baltimore, we are credibly informed, exceeds thirty thousand dollars! Of what value is the right of suffrage when it can be attacked and trampled down by the direct application of money—not to corrupt the opposite party, but to invade the sanctity of the ballot-box by the intrusion of illegal and false votes? It is for the people of Maryland to answer.

"The Democratic press pretends that this immense increase in the Democratic vote of Baltimore is owing to the opposition of Mr. Kennedy to the Mexican war and the tariff of 1846; that Mr. McLane's majority of 541 is a rebuke of Whig doctrines respecting the origin of the war, &c. If this statement were true, there would necessarily be a heavy falling off in the Whig vote for Mr. Kennedy compared with that thrown last year. What is the fact? Mr. Kennedy is a gainer of 74 votes over the Whig vote of 1846!—And if Mr. McLane's vote had increased in the same natural ratio over the Democratic vote of 1846 he would have been beaten by some 400 majority.

FROM THE UPPER POTOMAC. Our Baltimore correspondent informed us by telegraph last night that the Western mail was in; no news except the flood (we are sorry to learn) done great damage to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal.

From the New York Mirror.

GENERAL TAYLOR AND THE WHIGS.

We publish below a letter from an eminent Whig member of Congress, from a free State, written in reply to a letter from a distinguished politician of the same party in this State, asking his views in regard to the nomination of General Taylor by the Whigs.

UNIONTOWN, Sept. 3, 1847. DEAR SIR.—Your letter of the 27th ulto. is just received, in which you do me the honor to ask my opinion, first, as to the propriety of the Whigs nominating General Taylor after his having refused to run as a party candidate; second, whether, if Mr. Clay was taken up, General Taylor would not decline in his favor?

The account of Jacob Koonitz, administrator of Jacob Forney, dec'd. The account of Peter Levy, executor of Margaret Riddle, dec'd. The account of John A. Witt, administrator of Adam Witt, dec'd.

100 Men and Horses! BANIGAN & KELLEY'S GREAT ZOOLOGICAL EXHIBITION, FROM THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Will be exhibited at Stoystown Monday, October 25th, SOMERSET Tuesday, October 26th, Donegal Wednesday, October 27th, for one day only.

Grand Cavalade.—An Elephant in harness. On entering each place of exhibition, the Menagerie will be preceded by the grand novel spectacle of an elegant Music Car, drawn by a noble Elephant, containing a superior band of Musicians, who will enliven the scene by executing a variety of favorite pieces of Music.

The Wild Tenants of the Forest—from the huge and docile Elephant; the majestic Lion of unexplored Africa; the fiercest Tiger of the Bengal Jungles; the beautiful Leopard; the playful but ferocious Bear; the useful and patient Camel; the curious Tapir; the Reindeer from Lapland's dreary climes; the grave-robbing Hyena; the stealthy Panther; the savage Wolf; the cunning Fox; down through all the lesser grades, are here beheld with perfect safety.

SINGULAR CANNON.—Expanding Ball. A singularly constructed and most destructive missile, called the "Expanding Cannon Ball," is exhibited by the inventor, Mr. William Beals, of Boston, at the Mechanic's Fair, in that city.

The Somerset Lyceum will meet at the Lyceum room on Friday evening next at 6 o'clock.

Question for discussion—"Ought the laws compelling the payments of debts to be repealed?" Leaders in debate Forward and Hite, Essayist Hugus, Declaimer Pearson. WM. ADAMS, Secretary.

MARRIED.

On Sunday the 3d of October inst. by H. B. Barnes, Esq., Mr. DANIEL PHILIPPI, to Miss CATHERINE FARNER, both of Turkeyfoot township.

On the 23d of September last, by John A. Baker, Esq., Mr. PHILIP PHILIPPI, of Milford township, to Miss ELIZA, daughter of Mr. Frederick Blubaugh, of Turkeyfoot township.

On Sunday the 3d of October inst. by the same, Mr. MOSES PECK, of Addison township, to Miss SCANNAN, daughter of Daniel Hartman, of Milford township.

New Advertisements.

A Valuable FARM FOR SALE.

THE undersigned will offer at public sale in the Borough of Somerset, on Monday the 15th day of November next, (unless sooner disposed of at private sale) a valuable tract of land, situated within one-half mile of the Borough of Somerset, containing about six hundred and fifteen acres, more or less.

EMILY OGLE.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons concerned as legatees, executors or otherwise, that the following accounts have been filed and passed register in the Register's office, for the county of Somerset, and that the same will be presented to the Orphans' court for confirmation and allowance on Monday, the 22d day of November next, at an adjourned Orphans' Court, viz:



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STRAY MARE.

CAME to the premises of the subscriber, residing in Somerset township, about the 28th of September last, a light bay mare, one of the front and both of the hind feet white, and some white on the nose, and is about 6 or 8 years old.

STRAY STEER.

CAME to the premises of the subscriber in Somerset township, about two months since, a 5 year old white steer, a little red along the neck, and a piece cut out of the left ear, and has a bell on. The owner is requested to come and prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be disposed of as the law directs.

Notice to Assessors.

THE assessors for the year 1848, in the several districts of Somerset county, are hereby notified to attend at the Commissioners' Office, on Thursday the 18th day of November next, to receive their books, and instructions necessary for making the assessment of said year.

By order of the Board. R. L. STEWART, clerk. October 19, 1847-48.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the Estate of Jonathan Butler, dec'd, having been granted to the subscriber, he hereby requests all persons indebted to said estate, to attend at the house of John Brallier in the town of Wellersburg, Somerset county, on Wednesday the 24th day of November next, (1847) prepared to settle; and those having claims to present them at the same time and place properly authenticated.

JOHN T. EDWARD, Adm'r. October 19, 1847.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the honorable JEREMIAH S. BLACK, President, and G. Christophening and John M'Carthy, Esqs., associate Judges of the court of common pleas, in and for the county of Somerset, and assistant Justices of the courts of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery and quarter sessions of the peace, in and for said county of Somerset, have issued their precept to me directed, requiring me among other things to make public proclamation throughout my bailiwick, that a court of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery; also, a court of general quarter sessions of the peace and jail delivery, will commence at the borough of Somerset, in and for the county of Somerset, in the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on the third Monday of November next, (14th day) in pursuance of which precept

Public Notice is hereby given,

to the justices of the peace, the coroner, and constables of said county of Somerset, that they be then and there, in their own proper persons, with their rolls, records examinations, and inquisitions, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain in that behalf to be done and also all those who prosecute against the prisoners that are, or then shall be, in the jail of the said county of Somerset, are to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand, at Somerset, this 19th day of October, in the year of our Lord 1847.

SAMUEL GRIFFITH Sheriff.

List of Causes,

Table listing legal cases: PUT down for trial at November Term, 1847, commencing on the 13th day. Includes cases like Sutter vs Whipkey et ux, Johnsons heirs vs Ankeny & Sanner, etc.

STRAY CATTLE.

CAME to the premises of the subscriber in Elick township, some time in August, two one year old steers, red and brown, a hole in the right ear, one has a white head, and the other a spotted head. The owner is requested to come and prove property, pay charges and take them away or they will be disposed of as the law directs.

ADAM HOCHSTETTER, October 19, 1847.

SOAPS.

TOILET, fancy and common soaps, for sale at the Drug Store of WM. MCCREERY.

CHEESE.

4 Boxes W R Cheese on hand and for sale at the Drug Store of WM. MCCREERY.

Stearine Candles.

A DAMANTINE Stearine Candles, a beautiful article, and equal to Sperm, on hand and for sale at the Drug Store of WM. MCCREERY.

Confectionaries.

FIGS, Raisins, Almonds, Filberts, Cream, Pecon, and Ground Nut, and Candies of all kinds, for sale at the Drug Store of WM. MCCREERY.

FRESH DRUGS!

An excellent assortment of fresh Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Essences, Perfumes, Paints, Dyes, Oils, Varnish, &c. &c. just received and for sale at the Drug Store of WM. MCCREERY.

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NOTIONS.

CONSISTING in part of silver pencil cases, silver thimbles, steel beads, silk twist, (on spools, for purses,) watch guards, chains and keys, beads, necklaces, combs, water and fancy colours, camels hair pencils, crayon pencils, segar and tobacco boxes, pocket mirrors, tweezers, steel pens and holders, toys for children, &c., for sale at the Drug Store of WM. MCCREERY.

NEW GOODS.

I HAVE just returned from the Eastern cities, and am now opening a general assortment of Dry Goods, Hardware, Groceries and Queensware, which I will dispose of cheaper than any Store in Somerset. My customers and the public in general are invited to call and examine for themselves.

JOHN M. HOLDERBAUM, sept. 28, 1847.

Law Notice.

THE partnership heretofore existing between Simon Gebhart and Ross Forward has been dissolved. The former having removed to Dayton, Ohio. All business entrusted to the firm and papers relative thereto have been left with Ross Forward who will attend to the same. His office is the same formerly occupied by Mr. Gebhart, on the north west corner of the diamond.

Oct. 12, 1847.

BRIDGE SALE.

THE Commissioners of Somerset county will sell on Friday the 29th inst. the building of a Bridge over Buffalo creek in Brothersvalley township, where the old Cumberland road crosses said creek, at or near Jacob K. Birghly's.—Sale to take place on the ground at 11 o'clock of said day, when and where a plan of said Bridge will be exhibited.

By order of the Board. R. L. STEWART, Clerk. Oct. 5, 1847.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the Estate of Lenhart Shultz late of Milford township, dec'd, 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 Wednesday the 17th of November next prepared to settle; and those having claims to present them at the same time and place, properly authenticated.

WILLIAM SCOTT, Adm'r. Oct. 12 '47-6t.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the Estate of Henry Miller late of Jefferson township, dec'd, having been granted to the subscriber residing in Milford township, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to attend at the late residence of said deceased on Saturday the 20th of November next, prepared to settle; and those having claims to present them at the same time and place, properly authenticated.

SAMUEL BARCLAY, Adm'r. Oct. 12 1847.

Orphans' Court Sale OF REAL ESTATE,

in Shade township, Somerset Co. Pa.

In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Somerset county, there will be exposed to sale by way of Public Vendue or Outcry, on the premises, on Saturday the 30th day of Oct. next, the following Real Estate, late the property of Jacob Moses deceased, viz:—

No. 1. A CERTAIN TRACT OF land, situated in Shade township, Somerset county, adjoining lands of Joseph Ling, Frederick Coleman, John Stump and others, containing 300 acres, more or less, 100 acres cleared, with a hewn log house and barn thereon erected.

No. 2. Also another tract—adjoining the first described tract in same township, containing 25 acres with no improvements thereon.

Terms—For part No. 1, containing 300 acres—one fourth of the purchase money in hand, and the balance in annual installments of one hundred and twenty five dollars with interest to be secured by judgment bonds.

For No. 2, containing 25 acres—

Attention will be given by the undersigned administrator of the said estate.

By the court. W. L. PICKING, Clerk. Oct. 19, 1847.

BRUSHES.

HAIR, Tooth, Nail and Flesh brushes for sale at WM. MCCREERY'S.