



AMERICAN VOLUNTEER

CARLISLE

THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1840.

FOR PRESIDENT, MARTIN VAN BUREN. FOR VICE PRESIDENT, RICHARD J. JOHNSON. ELECTORAL TICKET. NATIONAL CONVENTION.

NOTICE. These notices are hereby notified, that the bills due this establishment for subscription, advertising and job work, will be made out between the 1st and 15th of April...

An Apprentice To the Printing Business, wanted at this office. Application to be made immediately.

ELECTION RETURNS

Table with columns for Democrats, Federalists, and various offices like Judge, Assessor, School Directors, etc. Lists names and vote counts.

Those marked thus \* are elected. The average democratic majority for Justices of the Peace, in this borough, is 80—and on the whole ticket, 90.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND JUDGES

Electoral at the recent election in Cumberland county. CARLISLE. Justices—David Smith, William Irvine. Judge—George D. Foulke.

SOUTH MIDDLETON. Justices—Matthew Moore, Isaac Kaufman. SHIPPENSBURG TOWNSHIP. Justices—John Duncan, Hugh Craig.

At the recent election in this county, the democratic carried 20 of the 26 Judges, and 19 of the 38 Justices. "Stick a pin there," as the Bi-Colonel would say.

The federalists are crowing about South Middleton, in which they carried their Judge by two votes—last year the democrats elected their's by one. What a wonderful change!

ALL'S WELL!—BOBSON ELECTION. The election in this borough, on Friday last, terminated gloriously for the democrats, under all the circumstances.

The democrats went into this contest under discouraging circumstances. They had six candidates in the field for Justice of the Peace, while the enemy had only two.

The federalists, having a majority of one in the Town Council, are already disputing about the leaves and fishes in the gift of that body, and from present appearances, there is no doubt but that there will be at least a dozen of candidates for every little petty office from High Constable down.

The democrats have carried the election in Harrisburg by about 200 majority.

HUZZA FOR HARRISON!—The democrats have elected one Justice of the Peace in Gettysburg, JOEL B. DANNEB, Esq. under the very nose of Thaddeus Stevens.

The results of the recent elections come in encouragingly from the different sections of the Commonwealth. In many places the federalists were used up so completely, that they have scarcely ground left to stand upon.

The reign of Joseph Ritner, that commenced and terminated in glaring outrages against the liberties of the people, is not yet forgotten—and how ever much the Buckshot federal party may endeavor to delude the people by forging and publishing falsehoods against the National and State administrations, they cannot succeed.

Some important Foreign news will be found in another column. The proceedings of the Democratic Meeting held at Mount Rock, shall appear in our next.

Hon. CALVIN BLYTHE, of Pennsylvania, to be Collector of the Port of Philadelphia. This is an admirable appointment, and is unquestionably the most popular selection that could have been made in the Commonwealth.

State Legislature.—By a letter received from A. Smith M'Kinney, Esq. dated Monday, we learn that the Committee of Conference had reported a very lengthy bank bill, which, it is supposed, would be printed, taken up and acted on in a day or two.

We also learn that the Committee on the Apportionment of the State, have agreed to report a bill re-modelling the districts. Amongst the changes contemplated are the following: Cumberland, Franklin and Bedford to form a district, and elect 9 Senators—York and Adams, to elect 1—Lancaster and Lebanon, to elect 2—Dauphin and Schuylkill, to elect 1—&c. &c.

Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.—We clip the following from the Washington Correspondence of the Baltimore Sun of Thursday last. We give place to it the more readily, as the Rev. gentleman referred to below is doubtless one who is favorably known to many in this community.

The Maryland Convention of the Methodist Episcopal Church, is now sitting in Georgetown, and is very numerously attended. Among the clergy, there are several young men of very decided talent and education; one or two of them may be ranked among the most eloquent men of the day.

There is said to be a little homestead printed and published in Shippensburg, by a man who formerly resided in this place, called the "Hero of Tippecanoe"; but as we have not seen it, we are unable to say much about its contents.

The following capital article on the subject of the Presidential election is extracted from the State Capital Gazette. We commend it to the attention of all our readers.

But who is proposed to be elevated to the Presidency in opposition to Van Buren? Reader, it is William Henry Harrison, of North Bend, Ohio—a sincere Clerk in the Court of Hamilton county, Ohio, at a salary of six thousand dollars per annum.

The Treasury Note Bill appears to be a great bugaboo to the federal Whigs in Congress, and their opposition to it is perfectly in character, and altogether worthy of so reckless and disreputable a faction who will propose no measure of relief themselves, but oppose every thing that originates with the democratic members.

The federalists are boasting of the numerous changes that have taken place from Van Buren to Harrison in this borough. This matter will be best determined by referring to the facts of the case. In 1836, Gen. Harrison had 74 of a majority—at the recent election the democratic candidate for Judge was elected by 13—showing a loss to the cause of 87 votes.

Whilst the Treasury note bill is impeded in its passage, there are hundreds of honest claimants, who possess the most righteous demands on the Government, and who ought to be paid without delay, but who must wait and wait, until the last ray of hope has expired, and all this must be submitted to, because the Whigs wish to manufacture "political capital," by embarrassing the Government.

The attempt that is now making by the Whigs, through the agency of "hard cider," and a total dereliction of duty, to bamboozle the American people, and to get them to aid and abet them in their schemes of iniquity, must all fail, and signify fail, to the utter confusion and disgrace of all who participate in it.

The people of the United States are too intelligent to be bamboozled at this time of the day; and at the next autumnal elections, they will scatter the last remnant of the Whig faction to the derision and contempt of the civilized world.

The strength of the Whig faction, as is shown by the issue of every local election, is diminishing; nor will all the outcry that is made about "Whig enthusiasts," the "Coming of the People," or the "Meeting of the Whig Victories," or the din that is kept up, about the popularity of "Old Tipp," save it from that ignominious demotion, which will be awarded to it the next autumn.

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Another journal remarks that it is doubtful whether the King will consider the list of M. Thiers as sufficient to form a stable ministry. The two hundred and twenty-one have had a numerous meeting, at which it was agreed not to oppose any personal obstacles to the formation of a new ministry, but on the other hand, to abandon none of the principles upon which their opposition is founded.

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