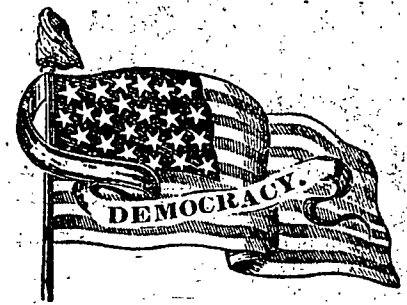


AMERICAN VOLUNTEER.

BY GEO. SANDERSON.



Now our flag is flung to the wild wind free, Let it flaunt o'er our fatherland...

CARLISLE:

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1841.

FOR GOVERNOR IN 1841.

DAVID R. PORTER.

Subject to the decision of a State Convention.

The very able report of Mr. Pickens, from the Committee on Foreign Relations in the U. S. House of Representatives, will be found on the opposite page.

The report made by Mr. Pickens, seems to have frightened some of Old Tip's friends...

A vivid description of the Battle of New Orleans by an eye-witness, will be found on the first page.

United States Bank Stock is now selling in Philadelphia, at \$23 for the \$100 paid in.

U. S. SENATOR.—On Friday last, the Legislature of New Jersey elected the Hon. Jacob W. Miller a Senator in Congress, for six years...

Honor Declined.—The Democrats of Philadelphia have tendered a dinner to Mr. Van Buren...

Rufus Choate, Esq. has been selected by the Massachusetts Legislature, to fill the vacancy in the United States Senate occasioned by the resignation of Mr. Webster.

Mr. Buchanan's Speech.—We regret that our columns will not permit us to lay before our readers, at this time, Mr. Buchanan's late speech...

He considered this a proud day for the expiring administration. It presented a moral spectacle on which the world might gaze with admiration...

R. M. T. HUNTER.—The present Speaker of the House of Representatives at Washington, has addressed a letter to his constituents...

Below will be found a very clear and satisfactory account of the "HUTTEN AND CANTINE" case, about which so much has been said by the Federal press...

THE CASE OF HUTTEN AND CANTINE.

Messrs. Editors:—The North American of Friday last, I perceive, contains an article censuring in strong terms the conduct of Governor Porter in granting a pardon to Messrs. Hutten and Cantine...

Ponding the recent presidential campaign, Messrs. Hutten and Cantine were publishers of a paper at Harrisburg called the "Magician"...

Stevens felt himself aggrieved, it would seem, and commenced a prosecution; not, however, in the county of Dauphin, where the defendants reside...

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A Hoax.—The story which has been going the rounds of the papers, relative to the Niagara Falls, turns out to be a hoax.

Graham's Magazine for the month of March is one of the very best numbers that have yet been issued.

The price of Flour in Baltimore continues at \$4 37 per barrel.

Messrs. Webster and Crittenden have sent to their respective Legislatures, their resignations as U. S. Senators, preparatory to taking their seats in Gen. Harrison's cabinet.

In Congress.—BLAIR and RIVES have been elected printers to the Senate. The Whigs refused to vote, and threaten to turn them out after the 4th of March.

WAR MOVEMENT IN MAINE.—On the 3d inst. resolutions of the subject of repelling British aggressions, were offered in the House of Representatives, and referred.

Be it Resolved, That the President of the U. S. State is requested and urged to cause the immediate removal of the foreign armed force, by which our State is invaded, stationed upon the upper valley of the St. John's, and that the Government of the United States be earnestly invoked to relieve this State from the present heavy needless burden of its own defence.

The following resolutions were also offered and referred to the same committee:

Resolved, That the Governor be authorized to take immediate measures to remove the troops of the Government from the territory called disputed by the British Government, but by the treaty of 1783—by the resolutions of both Houses of Congress passed in 1838—and by repeated resolves of the Legislature of Maine, clearly and unequivocally a part of the rightful soil of this State.

State Legislature.

Letter to the Editor, dated

HARRISBURG, Feb. 20, 1841.

The bill making an appropriation for an asylum for the Insane Poor, passed the House finally on Monday—Yeas 71, Nays 6.

In the Senate, after three days spent in the discussion, Mr. Spackman's resolution legalizing the suspension for forty days, passed by a vote of 18 to 14—a strict party vote.

YEAS—Messrs. Barclay, Brooke, Case, Cochran, Ewing, Heister, Huddleston, Killinger, Maclay, Mathers, Pearson, Reed, Spackman, Sterrett, Strohm, Sullivan, Williams, Penrose, Speaker—18.

NAYS—Messrs. Brown, Coplan, Crispin, Fegely, Fleming, Gibbons, Hays, Healdy, Kingsbury, MILLER, Patterson, Plumer, Smith, Snyder—14.

A number of petitions for, and remonstrances against, legalizing the suspension and authorizing the Banks to issue small notes, have been presented in both Houses during the week.

The Forty day suspension is made the order of the day for Tuesday week in the house. The Democrats endeavored to get action taken on it immediately, but the Whigs had it postponed.

The above comprises every thing of public interest which has transpired during the week.

Small Notes.

Mr. Editor:—There is a considerable effort now making by the Banks to get the Legislature to legalize the suspension and permit them to issue small notes.

us the privilege of issuing more paper in the shape of shin plasters, and this will enable us to resume when the proper time arrives. Strange logic truly! that by issuing a few millions more of paper, they would be better able to resume than they are at present with so much less in circulation!

But, Mr. Editor, the Banks are endeavoring to manufacture public opinion in favor of the issue of small notes. One of their plans is this: they know that the mass of the Federal party are with them—but this is not sufficient. They draw up petitions, and induce as many of the Democrats as they can wheedle into the measure to sign them.

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your honorable bodies to pass a final Law upon this perplexing and expensive subject, removing all forfeiture for the present or a future suspensions that may occur, and at the same time grant the Banking Institutions the full power to issue notes of all denominations, say from one cent to one thousand dollars, and the business and prosperity of our State will then be so rapid in its growth that we will have nothing with which to compare it except that of Jonah's Gourd.

APPOINTMENTS.

By the Baltimore Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church—February 1841. Baltimore City—N. Wilson, P. E. Baltimore City—John Guest, J. A. Henning, John Rice, Robert Emory.

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MARRIED: On the 18th inst. by the Rev. John Ulrich, Mr. John Paul, to Miss Sarah Spahr, both of Monroe township.

On the same day, by the Rev. R. McCachran, Mr. Robert White, of Warwick County, Indiana to Miss Lydia Jane Ferguson, of Millin township, Cumberland County, Pa.

DIED: At her residence in West Pennsborough township, on the 17th inst., Mrs. Nancy Graham, relict of the late Daniel Graham deceased, in the 63th year of her age.

NOTICE TO BRIDGE BUILDERS.

The Commissioners of Cumberland county will receive proposals at the house of John Cornman, Esq. in the borough of Carlisle, on Thursday the 15th of April next, between 9 and 12 o'clock in the forenoon, for the erection of a good & substantial Wooden Bridge, across the Conodoguinet Creek, at Benjamin Sherry's Ford in the township of East Pennsborough, of the following dimensions...

RUFUS SHAPLEY, Jr.

Respectfully informs the public that he has commenced at the shop of his father in Louthier street, a few doors east of Leonard's store, the business of HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTING, AND PAPER HANGING, and hopes by strict attention to business, and an anxious effort to please, to merit and receive a share of public patronage.

CHAIRS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Also, BEDSTEADS, BREAKFAST & DINING TABLES—all of which he will dispose of on the most reasonable terms. He invites his friends to give him a call.

STRAY HORSE.

CAME to the plantation of the subscriber, in Millin township, on Monday the 15th inst. a Bay Horse, about 13 hands high, having a small white spot on his neck, and a white ring around his eye. He is a fine specimen of a horse, and is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, or he will be disposed of according to law.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber will offer at public sale, on Monday the 15th day of March next, at his residence on the Big Spring, near Lewis Mill, in Westpensborough township, the following described personal property, to wit: A dark bay STALLION, rising 5 years old, sired by the full blooded horse Shenandoah 2 Cows, one of which is fresh with a calf at her foot; 11 head of Hogs. Also, a variety of Household and Kitchen Furniture, such as Beds and Bedding, Tables, Chairs, Desk and Bookcase, 1 eight day Clock, Carpeting, Stoves and Pipe, (one an open coal stove), Pots & Kettles, Cupboards, &c. &c. Also, four or five and a half bushels of Oats by the bushel. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock on said day, when due attendance will be given, and terms made known by

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in the County of Cumberland, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in the County of Cumberland, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in the County of Cumberland, ss:

Wherens an appeal has been entered and filed in the Register's Office of Cumberland county, dated the 22nd day of December, A. D. 1834, by Samuel Alexander, Esquire, attorney for the Rev. John Wright and Jane Wright his wife, appealing from the decree of the Register of said county, in the case of admitting to probate a certain instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Margaret Weakly, late of Dickinson township, deceased, bearing date the 14th day of May A. D. 1829, and praying that a Repleaders' Court may be convened for the determination hereof agreeably to law.

This is therefore to notify you that I have appointed Thursday the 8th day of April next, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the Register's Office in the borough of Carlisle, in the County of Cumberland, a Repleaders' Court to be convened for the purpose of determining upon the validity of the said instrument of writing, where you are requested to attend if you think proper.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office, this 25th day of February, A. D. 1841.

ISAAC ANGEVY, Register. WOOD WANTED AT THIS OFFICE.