

THE TARIFF QUESTION

Extracts from the speech of Hon. Thomas Ross, of Pennsylvania, delivered in the House of Representatives, August 12, 1852. Mr. Chairman, let us now see what has been the operation of the tariff of 1846...

During that year the number of arrivals way at a cost exceeding \$165,000,000; and I may add that during the same time we have extended our telegraph wires...

THE REPUBLICAN.

CLEARFIELD Pa., Sept. 17, 1852. FOR PRESIDENT, Gen. FRANKLIN PIERCE, OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. FOR VICE-PRESIDENT, WILLIAM R. KING, OF ALABAMA.

not designate their second choice in the manner they professed a desire and a willingness to do, was for the want of an opportunity, for some forty or fifty were offered, when but a single vote was needed...

THE BREAKING UP OF THE WHIG PARTY. A distinguished Whig Senator was heard to say, a few days after the nomination of Gen. Scott, "We can form no judgement now of the election—we must wait five or six weeks..."

THE SINKING FUND

Among the first official acts of Gov. Bigler, after his inauguration, was to call the attention of the Legislature, then in session, to the state of the public finances...

THE LATE SENATORIAL CONVENTION

The official proceedings of this body not having reached us yet, we can only give the result of its deliberations. The convention met at Smethport, on the afternoon of the 7th inst., and did not bring their labors to a close until late in the afternoon of the 8th—balloting 121 times.

OUR NEXT REPRESENTATIVE

The Representative Convention for this district met at Ridgeway, on the ninth, and on the 12th ballot nominated the Hon. A. S. ARNOLD, of McKean. So it seems McKean is in luck this time.

THE NEW YORK MUSICAL WORLD

The New York Musical World, is now issued weekly, at \$3 per year, and is materially aiding in the establishment of a correct musical taste in the United States.

THE DEMOCRATS OF LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP

The Democrats of Lawrence township intend raising a Pierce and King polo near M. Nichols', on Saturday the 25th. Speeches, &c., may be expected.