

THE GAZETTE. LEWISTOWN, PA. Friday Evening, August 13, 1852. FOR PRESIDENT, WINFIELD SCOTT. FOR VICE PRESIDENT, WILLIAM A. GRAHAM, of North Carolina. JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT, JOSEPH BUFFINGTON, of Armstrong County. CANAL COMMISSIONER, JACOB HOFFMAN, of Berks County.

Grand Mass Meeting at Harrisburg. Scott Leads the Column:—Forward Whigs!

Several papers lately gave the substance of a conversation between General Quitman and another gentleman, in which the former heartily endorsed the nationality of General Scott. The truth thereof having been denied, General Quitman has published a card, affirming the truthfulness of the report of the conversation.

ASSAULTS UPON GEN. SCOTT.—The New York Mirror, a paper which does not advocate the election of the whig candidate, in reply to a very low and coarse attack of the Cleveland Plaindealer upon the military character of Gen. Scott, says: "We can say as to democratic papers of the Cleveland Plaindealer stamp, that such stuff as the paragraph quoted above can only inspire indignation among the people, and lose hundreds and thousands to the democratic ranks. The dastard who—vent his partisan spite—would doay valor, horism, and exalted military services to Gen. Scott, would rob American history of its glory, and the Father of his Country of honor, to serve political ends. Let the truth be confessed. Whatever the other merits of Scott, as a soldier and a hero, his name is blazoned with the splendor of a fixed star over the record of the two national wars. Ten pitched battles, equal to those of Caesar, and all glorious victories over British and Mexican hosts, prove it. His stalwart frame is seamed with battle scars, and the nation exalts with just pride in his prowess. Yet, there is an American base enough to deny him the credit of a hero, and to link his name and claims with those of Arnold. Shame! shame!"

The Public Expenditures.

The Opposition Press having recently revived the complaint of extravagance in the expenditures of the present administration of the National Government, we disprove the charge by republishing from the National Intelligencer of the 31st of March the subjoined editorial article, in which its fallacy was at that time so conclusively demonstrated by evidence derived from the public record as at once to silence the cavilling of our political adversaries on this subject. But the complaint having now been renewed, we content ourselves for the present by reproducing the article:

Census expenses	672,500	
Three and five per cent. funds, States, and repayment of lands erroneously sold	74,345	747,755
Smithsonian Institution	30,910	
And mail service—Navy Department	1,302,365	35,837,812
Payments to volunteers		835,201,432

North Carolina Election.

RALEIGH, August 11.—Returns from fifty-one counties present a Democratic gain of 543, over the vote received by Governor Reid in 1850.

Iowa Election.

The Iowa Election for Governor and members of Congress is still in doubt.

EDITORIAL OLLA PODRIDA.

A large number of emigrants are almost daily passing over the Pennsylvania Railroad on their way westward.

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The whigs of Union county nominated the following ticket on Monday last:

Democracy in Union county is defined to be the volunteer system; in Mifflin county to support a nominated ticket; in Huntingdon to play nam; and in Blair to do anything you can to defeat your opponents.

The Clinton county locofocos have recommended Mr. Gamble, a brother we think of the Canal Commissioner, as their candidate for Congress from the long-legged district.

The whigs of Huntingdon have nominated Col. S. S. Wharton for the Legislature, Samuel Whigton of Franklin, for County Commissioner, John Brewster of Shirley for Director of the Poor, Ralph Crozley of Cass for Auditor.

Death of William Searight.

It is stated in a Harrisburg paper, received this morning, that Wm. Searight, the nominee of the Locofoco State Convention for Canal Commissioner, died yesterday morning.

Missouri Election.

St. Louis, Monday, Aug. 9.—The following are the complete returns of the Congressional Election held on Monday last:

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THE KID TREASURE.—A queer story is told in the Mount Holly Mirror, about the discovery of some Capt. Kid's treasure among the Pines. It is stated that a man dreamed for several nights successively that he should find this treasure, the place to be indicated by four iron bars projecting from the earth.

DEKUPINSKIE'S CONFESSION.—The Philadelphia papers publish a confession made by Matthias Skupinski, hung there on Friday for the murder of the boy Lehman, to the Roman Catholic priests who were his spiritual advisers, and made public at his own desire.

BULLION ASCENSIONS.—Mr. Wise, the most successful of American aeronauts, is busy going up and coming down in Ohio. He has made a dozen or more ascensions from the principal towns in our own State, and proposes to make three from Cleveland during the Fair.

A second Sam Patch leap came off on Monday last, from the Suspension Bridge, below the Falls, into the middle of Niagara river.

A little girl about nine years old, who had been out gathering blackberries, in passing a footlog across a run in Somerset county, on the 30th ult., on her way home, fell into the stream, which recent rains had swollen, and was drowned.

THE FRANKLIN INSTITUTE announces that its Annual Exhibition of American Manufactures will be held on the 19th of October next, in the Museum building, Philadelphia, and invites the mechanics of the country to send specimens of their taste and skill for exhibition.

A New Planet.—We understand that the new planet discovered by Mr. Hind, on the 24th of June, has received the name of Melpomene, the Muse of Tragedy.

THE HOUSE OF DAVID CRISY, in Somerset county, was struck twice by lightning on the 26th ult., and entirely consumed, together with a blacksmith and carpenter's shop near by.

A runaway locomotive.—Sunday morning, while the locomotive "Weymouth" was standing upon the track of the Old Colony Railroad, at South Braintree, waiting the arrival of the steamboat train from Fall River, by some means the gear was thrown forward and the "throttle" thrown out, when off the locomotive started at a rapid rate towards Boston.

UPON some public occasion lately, at Fairfield, Indiana, the proceedings were opened with prayer by the Rev. E. G. Wood, of that place, who, after praying for the general government, prayed for the Governor of the State, and thus for the Legislature.

A Female Advocate.—A French lady, Madame de Grandin, has been allowed to plead her own cause in the Court of Common Pleas, in Paris.

GOING TO SPRINGFIELD.—In March last, three men (?) in the city of Springfield, Illinois, agreed together to drink themselves to death.

A BOY SAVED FROM DROWNING BY A DOG.—An interesting scene occurred on Sunday last, at Hoboken. A boy about ten years of age, while playing on the bank of the river, fell in, and the current being very powerful, he was carried along with great rapidity.

THE CINCINNATI TIMES says two funeral trains met at the Two Mile House near that city, the one going to the cemetery and the other returning from it.

Country Merchants will find it decidedly to their advantage to pay him a visit, his arrangements being now such as to enable him to furnish any number that may be desired on the shortest notice.

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Items of News.

Between sixty and seventy houses were destroyed by fire at Savannah last week.

THE OHIO STATE FAIR will be held at Cleveland on the 15th, 16th, and 17th of September.

UPWARD of a thousand men are now at work in the construction of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad.

A FIRE lately broke out in the charcoal house of the Colebrook furnace, about 10 miles south of Lebanon, and before it was extinguished, coal to the value of \$4,000 was consumed.

THE NATIONAL GUARDS, Captain Garland, of Harrisburg, Pa., intend making an excursion to Baltimore, Washington and Richmond, in September.

STILL THEY COME.—The Highstown, N. J., Record states that John Brown, Esq., of Sharon, in that county, a staunch democrat, has gone over to the whigs.

A NEW COUNTERFEIT \$2 note on the Middle-town bank, possessing relief note, has been detected in Philadelphia. Its general appearance is good, but is much darker in the print than the genuine.

THE LOCOFOS OF Schuylkill county have recommended C. M. Straub, of Orwigsburg, for Congress. They have also nominated Bernard Reilly for the State Senate, and Samuel Hipple and John Horn, jr., for the Assembly.

JIM PHILIPS, the fugitive slave, has returned to Harrisburg, and was received by his colored friends with great rejoicing.

TWO MEN, Drayton and Savys, convicted and sentenced about two years since, for attempting the abduction of seventy slaves in the schooner Pearl, and whose term of imprisonment in the county jail would extend to fifty years, have been pardoned by President Fillmore.

SOMETHING BETTER.—We believe that we have found the key which will furnish a more correct solution to those who prophesy. F. P. stands for Franklin Pierce, that is as true as preaching; but that he will be the Fourteenth President; to that question it furnishes his answer: "Foolish Prediction" made by "False Prophets."—Lancaster Republican.

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HAVE YOU THE FEVER AND AGUE?—If so, then be persuaded to try Dr. J. W. Cooper's Vegetable Compound Fever and Ague Pills, as they will positively perform a perfect cure in three days time. We ourselves know of a number of cases in which they have been used, and we never knew them to fail; therefore we conscientiously recommend them to our friends as being the very best medicine ever discovered for the cure of this distressing disease. These pills are for sale by F. J. HOFFMAN, of this place. Price \$1 per box. He has also constantly on hand a supply of Dr. J. W. Cooper's Vegetable Worm Powders for the destruction of Worms, and from the many applications of our friends to give notice through the press of the wonderful benefits their children have derived from the use of them, we have no doubt they are really a superior article; they are also pleasant for children to take.—Also for sale by the same, Dr. J. W. Cooper's Vegetable Cough or Consumptive Syrup. We ourselves can testify to the great superiority of this medicine in the cure of a stubborn and obstinate cough of several years standing. If you have a cough, try this syrup, and our word for it it if it does not cure you, nothing will. [a13]

ANOTHER SCIENTIFIC WONDER! Important to Dyspeptics.—Dr. J. S. Houghton's PEPSIN, The True Digestive Fluid or Gastric Juice, prepared from the RESIDUE OF FOURTH STOMACH OF THE OX, after directions of Baron Liebig, the greatest Physiological Chemist, by J. S. Houghton, M. D., Philadelphia. This is truly a wonderful remedy for Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Liver Complaint, Consumption and Debility, curing after Nature's own method by Nature's own Agent, the Gastric Juice. Pamphlets, containing Scientific evidences of the value, furnished by agents gratis. See notice among the medical advertisements.

EVERYBODY that wants good Coffee, Sugars, Teas, Molasses, Vinegar, &c., can always find them very low, for cash, at F. J. HOFFMAN'S.

DIED. On the 30th July, at her residence near Cassville, Huntingdon county, after a brief illness, Mrs. DOROTHY C. wife of Thomas J. Campbell, in the 22nd year of her age. On Wednesday the 4th instant, after a lingering illness, Mrs. SARAH JANE LAIRD, consort of Henry Taylor, Esq., of Kishacoquillas Valley. On the 14th of June, 1852, at Oak Springs, Toluca county, California, JACOB GREEN-LEAF TREGG, aged about 26 years, formerly a resident of Juniata county.

THE MARKETS.

LEWISTOWN, August 13, 1852.

The prices paid by dealers this morning for Grain and Country Produce, are as follows:

Flour, per barrel	\$3 37 1/2
Wheat, white, per bushel	85
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Rye, per bushel	55
Oats, do.	28
Corn, do.	50
Cloverseed, per bushel	3 75
Butter, good, per lb.	12 1/2
Bacon, do.	9
Eggs, per dozen	10
Potatoes, per bushel	50

The Lewistown Mills are paying 85 cts. per bushel for White Wheat, and 80 cts. for Red. Rye 55 cts. Corn, 50 cents per bushel. Prices of Flour—\$2.50 per 100 lbs. for extra, and \$2.25 for superfine.

E. E. Locke & Co. at Locke's Mills, are paying 60 cents for Rye, and 50 cents for Corn.

PHILADELPHIA, August 12, 1852. Flour and Meal.—Flour is quiet; sales of Western at \$4; fresh ground Pennsylvania is held at \$4 1/2, and a small lot of better brand at \$4 25. Extra Flour is held at \$4 50 a \$4 75. Rye Flour is scarce; a small lot sold at \$3 75. Corn Meal is little inquired for; sales at \$3 22 for Penna.—GRAIN.—Wheat; sales of 3000 a 4000 bushels of new Southern red made at \$7 1/2 a 88 cents, white at 89 a 91 cents. Old red is worth 90 cents and white 95 cents for prime Penna. Rye: sales of Southern at 70 cents per bushel. Corn is firm; sales at 68 a 69 cents about for yellow. Oats: sales of new Southern at 31 a 33 cents and old Penna. at 39 cents.—Ledger.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the Lutheran Church of Lewistown is again under contract and the work commenced. The money will now be needed, and the subscribers are requested to pay up promptly, so that the work can be pushed on to completion before the cold weather begins. By order of the Trustees, aal34t JOHN HAMILTON.

Estate of Robert McNeal, late of the Borough of Lewistown, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of ROBERT McNEAL, late of the Borough of Lewistown, Mifflin county, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, residing in said borough. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment without delay, and those having claims to present them, duly authenticated. aul36t DAVID BLOOM, Adm'r.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE partnership heretofore existing between T. W. H. Irwin and R. H. McCoy, under the name of "IRWIN & MCCOY," was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 15th day of July, 1852. The Books and Accounts of the firm are in the hands of R. H. McCoy for settlement. W. H. IRWIN, R. H. MCCOY.

W. G. ZOLLINGER,

Market street, Lewistown, next door to Kennedy's store.

Continues to manufacture, on an extensive scale, every description of HATS suitable to the several seasons, which for durability, neatness, finish, and general workmanship, will bear a favorable comparison with any manufactured. Of this fact, as well as the low prices at which they are sold, any one can satisfy himself by calling and making a trial.

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The care and attention ever given to the manufacture of the style of hats used by his numerous Omish customers, will be continued, and he feels warranted in giving the assurance that they will not be disappointed.

Don't forget the place, and whenever you are in want of a good article, just step in and make yourself at home. aul3