

Presidential Elections.

The House of Representatives at the election of President and Vice-President of the United States, in the month of March, on the same day. We are most sincerely in the prospect that the measure so devoutly to be wished is as length likely to be realized; and we know of no real ground on which to base a fear that the Senate will not concur. We have always been in favor of the measure, and we believe a very large portion of the people of the Union are in its favor, and justice to the people requires its passage previous to the election. We are happy to see that it passed the House by a very large majority of 141 to 34, and that the democrat of the Pennsylvania delegation with one exception, recorded their votes in favor of the measure. One of the great advantages of this measure will be the prevention of that evil in the elective franchise, the double voting. The operation into one state of the voters of another, for the purpose of voting, is a well known and deeply detested evil of long standing. Bands of venal electioneers have been transferred from one to another adjoining State, and, in some instances, to more than one, for the purpose of violating the purity of the ballot, until it has become a matter of nice calculation between the reckless and unscrupulous of each party, which shall avail itself of the favorable balance of power to the larger extent, and with the greater probability of success. Hence more; a fuller and freer exercise of the right of suffrage—a more independent action at the ballot-box—secured to the people by the passage of this act. The decision of every elector will be the result of more deliberation, and of more fixed and settled principle, than has hitherto been the case; and the unworthy speculations of sovereign States waiting to see their neighbors act before they determine how to act themselves, will no longer be presented to the pity and indignation of the world. And this consideration, added to that which is cognate to the impossibility, under the present arrangement, of bringing to bear a partisan influence on one State to make up for an appointment in another—seems to be conclusive in favor of the bill just passed by the House of Representatives.

Oregon and Texas.

If there is any question settled by the American people, it is, that Great Britain shall acquire no more territory on the American continent, than she now has as an actual and incontestable title. She shall not acquire any more, either by purchase, violence, fraud or treaty. Mr. Webster's British Treaty has settled this determination beyond all possibility of change. Every American agrees, if war should occur with England, that we must take Canada and all her territories in North America, and drive her forever with all her monarchical institutions, which are unfitted for the new world, across the Atlantic. If this be so as to this immense Northern region, why should a different policy prevail in time of peace of holding or taking what is strictly our own, or re-annexing by the agreement of both parties territory which no one has any title but ourselves and the government and people of Texas, both of which are essentially American, and not foreign either in blood, feelings, or institutions. Great Britain robs and plunders all the world over, and are we to wait until she has taken possession of either Texas or Oregon, and then enter into a war to get back what we can now have by simply stretching out our own right hand? We have always been convinced, that we were the owners of Oregon from the 42d parallel of North Latitude to 54 degrees, 40 minutes, North on the Pacific. This we would have—not one inch more at present—and certainly not one inch less under any circumstances, and we would occupy and organize a government at once, and give immediately the notice required by the convention of the 6th August, 1827. We, and the whole democracy of Pennsylvania, are for the immediate re-annexation of Texas, and we should disregard entirely the merely nominal war between it and Mexico, except so far as to procure the assent of Mexico, if possible, and if not, to annex it without regarding her in any way whatever. We re-publish to-day the very concise and emphatic letter of Gen. Jackson, whose opinions on this subject are entitled to a greater respect, on this subject, than those of any other man in the Nation. Resolutions favorable to Oregon and Texas should be passed by the Baltimore Democratic Convention on the 27th instant. HERMITAGE, March 11, 1844. "The present golden moment to obtain Texas must not be lost, or Texas must by necessity be thrown into the arms of England, and be forever lost to the United States! Need I call your attention to the situation of the United States—England in possession of Texas, or in strict alliance, offensive and defensive, and contending for California? How easy would it be for Great Britain to interpose a force sufficient to prevent emigration to California from the United States, and supply her garrison from Texas. EVERY REAL AMERICAN, when they view this, with the danger to New Orleans from British arms from Texas, MUST UNITE HEART AND HAND IN THE ANNEXATION OF TEXAS TO THE UNITED STATES. It will be a strong IRON HOOP AROUND OUR UNION, and a BULWARK against all invasion or aggression. I say again, let not this opportunity slip to regain Texas, or it may elude our grasp forever, or cost us oceans of blood, and millions of money, to free us from the evils that may be brought upon us! I hope and trust there will be as many PATRIOTS in the Senate, as will ratify the treaty, which I have no doubt, will be promptly entered into. I again say to you, that THIS MOMENT MUST NOT BE LOST, OR REAL NECESSITY MAY COMPEL TEXAS TO LOOK ELSEWHERE FOR PROTECTION AND SAFETY." ANDREW JACKSON. TEXAN TREATY.—The National Intelligencer of yesterday says: "Late last evening, after an executive session of several hours, the Senate removed the injunction of a secrecy from the Treaty, and Documents accompanying it, for the annexation of Texas. We have not, of course, had any opportunity of examining these papers, but we learn orally that, by a communication from the President yesterday, the Senate was informed that he had ordered a military force to repair to the frontier of Texas, to open a communication with the President of that Republic and act as circumstances might require; and had also ordered a naval force to Vera Cruz, to remain off that port, and prevent any naval expedition of Mexico, if any such should be attempted, from proceeding against Texas." STRANGE EXHIBITION.—There are now being exhibited in the city of Wheeling, two brothers, ten and twelve years of age, who have neither hands nor feet, but claws like the claws of an eagle, which they use with as much dexterity as most children use their hands.

Congress.

A message has been sent to the Senate, by President Tyler, in answer to a resolution of that body, calling for information whether any military preparations have been made or ordered by this government in anticipation of a war with Mexico, &c. The message was accompanied with a number of documents, letters, &c.—too voluminous for insertion here,—we give the substance of the first which is a letter to the President from the Secretary of War, transmitting the orders issued from his department which have reference to the movements of troops to the Southwestern border. These orders and letters state that the sixteen companies composing the 2d and 4th regiments were ordered from Jefferson Barracks (Missouri) to Fort Jessup, near Natchitoches, was otherwise increased to twenty-three companies, or about eleven hundred and fifty men. The command of this post was given to Gen. Z. Taylor, and on the 27th of April a "confidential" communication was addressed to him, stating the force that will be under his command, and concludes as follows: "You will take prompt measures, in the first instance, by a confidential officer and subsequently by the ordinary mail or special express as you may deem necessary, to put yourself in communication with the President of Texas, in order to inform him of your present position and force, and to learn and to transmit to this office (all confidentially) whether any and what external dangers may threaten that Government or its people. Should such danger be found to exist, and to appear to be imminent, you will collect and march the forces above indicated to the Sabine river, but not proceed beyond the frontier without further instructions, keeping in readiness, in the case supposed, all necessary means of transportation, as well as ample stores, subsistence and ammunition. "By these instructions it is not meant to impress upon your mind the belief that the Government apprehend hostility with any foreign power. They are given to you for the purpose of enjoying circumspection and attention to the condition of your force. I repeat the injunction of confidence, and the full reliance reposed in your judgment and prudence by the government. "I write under the instructions of the War Department, in consultation with the General in Chief. R. JONES, Adjutant General." The other documents are from the navy department. Democratic Association. At a stated meeting of the Democratic Association of Towanda held at the Court House on Tuesday evening 21st inst, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted: Resolved, That the resolutions passed by the Wilkesbarre Association, the 11th inst., be adopted by this Association, and published in the Bradford Reporter. Resolved, That this Association consider the Declaration of Independence as the great confession of public faith of the friends of Liberty in the United States, as embodying the principles of human freedom. Resolved, That like those who adopted that immortal charter, "we hold these truths to be self-evident: that all men are created free and equal;" no matter what country gave them birth; "that they are endowed by their creator with certain inalienable rights—that among these are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness." Resolved, That those who achieved our Independence proclaimed this country the "asylum of oppressed man." Resolved, That we consider the society denominated the "North American Association," a libel upon the character of our country—a libel upon the Declaration of Independence, and upon the characters of those who subscribed that memorable charter; that its spirit is anti-Republican, anti-American, anti-Christian, and a most foul and treasonable plot against Liberty. Resolved, That the Association of "Native Americans" had its origin with the Federal Whig party, the supporters of Henry Clay; that it is a renewal of the spirit of the odious Alien and Sedition Laws; that the Federal Whig party have openly and manifestly identified themselves with it in a recent charter election in the city of New York; and is no less than a declaration of hostilities against all foreigners who come to our shores in pursuit of freedom.

REMOVAL.

D. WILMOT, ATTORNEY AT LAW, HAS removed his office to the new Brick Block on Main street—No. 2, upstairs. OLD BANGOR AGAIN! At the Burlington Coffee House. THE subscriber would respectfully inform his old friends and the public in general, that he has moved back to his old stand at Burlington Four Corners, and having fitted up his house in good style, is now ready and willing to wait on all those who may favor him with a call, and hopes by strict attention to his guests to make their stay both pleasant and agreeable, and if so he hopes to merit a share of public patronage. JOHN F. LONG. Burlington, May 17, 1844. BRIGADE ORDERS! NOTICE is hereby given to the enrolled militia within the bounds of the 2d brigade 9th division P. M., that they will meet in battalions & regiments for inspection as follows: The 2d battalion 129th regiment will meet on Monday the 24th day of June next. The 1st battalion same regiment on Tuesday the 25th. The 1st bat. 156th, on Wednesday the 26th. The 2d battalion of the same regiment on Thursday the 27th. The 21st regiment on Friday the 28th. The 15th reg. on Saturday 29th day of June. At such places as the several commanding officers may direct. Adjutants and captains of companies are also notified and required to have their roll copies ready for delivery, and also their lists of absentees properly authenticated as the law directs. Company trainings on the 3d Monday. WM. E. BARTON, Brig. Inspector, 2d brig., 9th div., P. M. Brigade Inspector's Office, East Smithfield, May 21, 1844. MONROE AGAINST THE WORLD! SALSBUURY HAVE just received at their store in Monroeton, and are now offering for sale, the largest and most perfect assortment of goods ever opened in this market. They assure their friends and customers that their stock of staple and fancy goods is complete, and will be sold at prices to suit the times. They have a full stock of CLOTHS, consisting of Broadcloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, &c. For Ladies' Wear, They have various splendid patterns of Belzoni, Gingham, DeLaines, and prints, at all prices. They also offer to their gentlemen, a new and beautiful article of SUMMER HATS, called "Ashland Hats," warranted to please, and in order to preserve strict impartiality they also keep "Van Buren" hats of superior style and manufacture. Also, Leghorn, Palm, Wool and Fur Hats, of all sizes. BOOTS & SHOES, of all sizes, numbers, and qualities. CALL & SEE—We ask nothing for exhibiting our goods to any whose curiosity may induce them to call. D. C. & O. N. SALSBUURY. Monroeton, May 25, 1844. Shaving and Hair-Dressing. John Carter, Barber and Hair Dresser, RETURNS his thanks to his numerous customers, and informs them that he has removed his shop to the small building on the north side of the public square, one door west of the Exchange Hotel, where he will be found at all reasonable hours, ready to wait on those who may favor him with a call, in the politest manner possible. Towanda, May 25, 1844. CAUTION. WHEREAS my wife LYRA has left my bed and board without any just cause or provocation, this is to forbid all persons harboring or trusting her on any account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting after this date. ELIZAR WARNER. Pike, May 13, 1844. FOR SALE. D. Vandercok's Cabinet Shop! THE subscriber in consequence of ill health wishes to dispose of his Cabinet Shop. His establishment consists of Cherry Lumber, Mahogany, Hardware, Tools, Furniture, &c., &c., which he will sell on reasonable terms for cash, or short credit with good surety. D. VANDERCOCK. Towanda, May 21, 1844. NOTICE. THE subscribers have now in successful operation A FERRY at Towanda bore, a few rods above the bridge, where steady attendances will be given at all times to enable those who wish, to cross the river without delay. The charges will be only half the rate of tolls demanded for crossing the bridge. E. & J. SICKLER. Towanda, May 24, 1844. New Spring & Summer Goods, JUST RECEIVED AT THE BRICK STORE, (Corner of Bridge and Main etc.) May 24, 1844. J. F. MEANS & CO. BRICK! ANY QUANTITY OF SOFT & HARD BRICK for sale by May 25, 1844. J. F. MEANS & CO. SHERIFF'S SALE. BY virtue of a writ of Vend. Expo. issued from the court of common pleas of Bradford county, to me directed, I shall expose to public sale at the house of E. Reynolds in the Borough of Towanda, on Thursday, the 29th day of JUNE next, at one o'clock, P. M. The following described piece or parcel of land situate in Athens township and bounded as follows: Beginning at a pitch pine on the north east corner of J. Tozer's jr.'s lot; thence south 317 7-10 perches to a black oak sapling on the east bank of the Susquehanna river; thence up the river 248 east 90 5-10 perches to a post; thence east 252 9-10 perches to a post; thence south 92 east 35 6-10 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 79 acres more or less, 30 acres improved, with a framed dwelling house thereon erected. Seized and taken in execution at the suit of N. O. Harris vs. Elijah Vandercook. Sheriff's Office. J. N. WESTON, Sheriff. Towanda, May 25, 1844.

J. N. Sumner, Surgeon Dentist,

WILL remain in Towanda for a short time, and may be found at Mr. Crisp's, where he will be happy to wait on all who may need his professional services. Towanda, May 18, 1844. NEW SUMMER GOODS, JUST RECEIVED! ALSO, AN ADDITIONAL SUPPLY OF Books & Stationery. May 4. For sale by J. KINGSBURY, J. WHITE MARL LIME! WHITE MARL LIME for sale, wholesale and retail at HALSTED'S. COTTON YARN, Wicking & Batting on hand by MEANS & CO. SEALED PROPOSALS WILL be received by the subscriber, addressed to him through the post office at Wilkes-Barre, until the 31st of the present month, for delivering the following white pine timber: plank and boards, to wit: 120 sticks 14 by 16 inches, each 55 feet long; 6000 ft board measure, 2 inch plank 16 " 10,000 " " " 20 " 40,000 " " " 12 " 32,000 " " " 12 " 4000 feet " " 5 by 5 inch scantling— lengths of 12 or 16 feet; 5000 feet boards each 18 feet long; 1500 " " " 16 " Proposals will state the quantity; the price per foot linear for the 120 sticks of large timber, and the price per thousand feet, board measure, for the plank, scantling and boards. Also, how soon after notice is given of the acceptance of a bid, any, and what portion of the timber and plank can be delivered at either Pittston or the North Branch. The timber to be sound white pine, well hewed to the size in the bill; the plank and boards to be good common white pine, and the scantling to be sound white pine, clear of knots. Good references should accompany the proposal, as to the responsibility of the bidder, and his ability to fulfil his engagements. Terms—Cash on delivery, inspection, and measurement of the lumber. W. R. MAFFET, Supervisor N. B. Canal. May 13, 1844. EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given to all interested, that letters testamentary have this day been granted to the subscribers on the estate of Wm. Smith, dec'd. of Windham tp.. All persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment, and all those having demands against the same are requested to present them, legally attested, for settlement. SETH SMITH, } Executors. H. ARNOLD, } Windham, May 9, 1844. WOOL WANTED! GRANT'S WOOLEN FACTORY, ITHACA, WILL have an Agent at the following places to exchange Cloth of all kinds for Wool on as good terms if not better, than at any other Factory in the State, and trust that every man will call and examine for themselves before trading. Will be at Lerayville on Monday and Tuesday June 3d and 4th, for two days only. Rome on Wednesday, June 5th, one day only. Towanda, Thursday and Friday, June 6th and 7th, for two days only. Moody's Tavern, Sheshequin, Saturday and Monday, June 8th and 10th, for two days only. Park's Tavern, Athens, on Tuesday June 11th, for one day only. R. Tuttle's Tavern, Smithfield, on Wednesday and Thursday, June 12th and 13th two days only. Burlington, on Friday June 14th, for one day only. Troy, on Saturday and Monday, June 15th and 17th for two days only. Columbia Plains, Tuesday June 18th, for one day only. Esquire Spencer's, Daggett Hollow Wednesday June 19th, one day only. A. Miner's, Thursday June 20th, one day only. The Assortment will consist of GRANT'S Celebrated Sheep's Gray Cloth, MIXED 3 CLOTHS, CASSIMERES & SATINETS. Also, a general assortment of Black, Blue, Black, Adelaide, Invariable Green, Brown and Steel Mixed BROAD-CLOTHS. Farmers can realize from 20 to 25 per cent, more than by disposing of it any other way.— We hope you will call and examine the weight, body, and quantity of stock in each yard of the above mentioned Cloths, before purchasing elsewhere. The highest price paid for Wool, and Cloth at the wholesale Factory price. If required, a proportion of payments for Wool will be made in cash. CHAS. A. CRANDALL, Agent. Ithaca, May 1, 1844. MORE NEW GOODS! B. S. CLARK IS now prepared to exhibit for the inspection of his old friends and the public generally a little the best assortment of goods in town. He deems it sufficient to say his stock numbers the usual variety of Provisions, such as Flour, Corn meal, Pork, Butter, Lard, Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, Lump and Brown Sugar, Molasses, from 31 to 75 cts.; Raisins, Prunes, Dried Currants, Figs, Sultans Raisins, Tapioco, Citron, Pickles, Pepper Sauce; Confectionaries of all kinds, Fruits, Nuts, from paper-shelled Almonds to Pea Nuts, Candles, Shaving and Bar Soap; Dried apples, and a good assortment of French and German Toys, &c., &c. As it has become the general belief that my assortment is a little the best selection and the greatest variety in the place, and for ready pay the public may be assured they will get as good goods and as cheap as they can be bought elsewhere. All kinds of produce taken in exchange. Be sure you call at my old stand, the Post Office, and while waiting, for the mail take a little cake and cheese or chestnuts, apples or cigars or any thing to keep up the spirits in this time of high pressure. May 15, 1844. Candles one Shilling per pound! CANDLES & TALLOW constantly on hand and for sale at HALSTED'S.

NEW GOODS.

THE subscriber has just returned from the great city, with a splendid and large assortment of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Fancy Goods, Spectacles of all kinds, Pins, Accordeons, Violin Strings, Brass Compasses, Keys, Chains, Watchmakers' Materials and all articles ever kept in a Fancy & Jewelry Store, and will be glad to suit the times for cash, call and see. N. B. the subscriber is prepared to repair all kinds of Watches & Jewelry on short notice and the best manner, as he has a new lot of tools and materials fresh from the city. J. M. GILLSON. Shop next door to the Post Office, Main Street. LOOK HERE FRIENDS! TAKE A PEER INTO NO. 3, BRICK ROW. WE are happy to be able to inform our neighbors, that the BRICK BLOCK IS UP, and the citizens of Bradford county generally, that we are this day receiving at No. 3, a new and extensive assortment of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, which have been purchased in the city of New York for cash and soon on credit—a goodly portion of them directly opposite the door of one Henry Sheldon and one John McNeil. Our goods have been purchased under such circumstances as to enable us to sell them very cheap. We do, therefore, pledge ourselves to sell as low for ready pay, as any store in Bradford county. Our stock consists of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware and Crockery, Drugs & Medicines, Dye woods & Dye stuffs, &c., &c., &c. In fact, we have on hand almost every article usually kept in a country store. We will exchange our goods for Cash, Produce of any kind, all descriptions of Lumber, good fresh butter, wool, sheep-pelts, cattle's hides, &c. &c. We acknowledge our obligations to the many friends who have stood by us through the "hard times," and fondly hope to be able to make it an object for them to continue their patronage. WM. H. BAIRD & CO. Towanda, May 6, 1844. TO THE LADIES. THE best selected assortment of Satin stripe Challies, printed DeLaines, Belzoniens, French Lawns, Mulls, &c., ever offered in this market, may be found at No. 3, Brick Row. FURTHERMORE, Crimped dimity cuffs and collars, Ashburton collars and collarettes, dimity chemisettes, embroidered fillet reticules, &c., &c. ALSO—The best assortment of Ladies' cravats and Dress Handkerchiefs in Towanda, no mistake, all at BAIRD'S. May 6. NO. 3, BRICK ROW. CASH AND GOODS paid for Long Shingles, and a good quality Fine Boards, at BAIRD'S. May 6. No. 3, Brick row. 500 BUSHELS WHEAT; 300 do. Corn; 300 do. Oats; 100 do. of Buckwheat; 100 do. Rye, for sale by W. H. BAIRD & CO. No. 3, Brick row. May 6. BAIRD'S. BOOTS & SHOES, a large assortment at BAIRD'S. May 6. No. 3, Brick row. FUR AND BRUSH HATS, Cloth Caps, Boy's caps, for sale at BAIRD'S. May 6. No. 3, Brick row. SOLE LEATHER, middle weights, a first rate article, for sale at No. 3, Brick row. May 6. W. H. BAIRD & CO. LAMP OIL, Sperm and Tallow Candles, at No. 3, Brick row. W. H. BAIRD & CO. FRESH ORANGES & LEMONS, at No. 3, Brick row, BAIRD'S. DOMESTIC GOODS—Sheetings, Shirtings, Ticking, Cotton Yarn, Wicking, Batting, &c., &c., at No. 3, Brick row. May 6. W. H. BAIRD & CO. CLOVER & TIMOTHY SEED, at No. 3, Brick row. W. H. BAIRD & CO. 15 TONS MAPLE SUGAR, more or less, for sale at BAIRD'S. CARPET WARP for sale at No. 3, Brick row. W. H. BAIRD & CO. SALT. LESS than 5000 barrels SALT for sale, and more coming, at No. 3, Brick row. May 6. W. H. BAIRD & CO. New Spring & Summer Goods, JUST RECEIVED AT H. MIX & SON'S, And for sale Cheap, for Cash. Towanda, May 6, 1844. INFORMATION WANTED. IF a widow lady by the name of EUNICE BURLEY, widow of Ebenezer Burley, is living in the county, by addressing a note to the Hon. A. H. Read, Montrose, or by calling on the subscriber, she will receive information which will be of pecuniary benefit to her. Any information from any other acquaintances or friend of hers where she resides, &c., is solicited. Address as above. D. M. BULL. Towanda, May 14, 1844. NEW ESTABLISHMENT. BOOT & SHOE MAKING. WILCOX & SAGE have associated themselves in the Boot and Shoe Making business, in the borough of Towanda, one door west of the Clarence House, and solicit a share of public patronage. They intend, by a careful selection of stock, and by attention to the interests of their customers, to make as neat and durable work, as can be manufactured in this portion of the county. They keep constantly on hand, and will manufacture to order, morocco, calf and course boots and shoes; Ladies' Gaiters, shoes and slippers; children's do.; gent's gaiters and pumps, &c., &c. JOHN W. WILCOX, THILANDER SAGE. Towanda, May 6, 1844. 50 BBLs. ITRACA FLOUR, 20 bbls. Heavy Meal, 500 Bushels Grain, 1000 lbs. Wicks, for sale at HALSTED'S. February 29, 1844. MONTANYE'S