

Bradford Reporter.

Towanda, Wednesday, Feb. 10, 1847.

Democratic County Administration.

FOR G. VENOR, FRANCIS R. SHUNK. Proscriptions for Opinion's Sake.

We copy the foregoing article, with the head we use, from the New York Globe. The facts elucidated, and the doctrines inculcated meet our views exactly.

The editor of the Globe charges in general terms, that one half of the persons employed in the departments at Washington, and in the Custom House and Post Offices are Whigs or Tyler men.

During the period that the Federal party was in a minority, and immediately on losing power, whenever one of their party was removed from office, a deluge of proscriptions was heard from one end of the Union to the other.

The Washington Union of the 4th inst. contains a letter, purporting to have been written from Harrisburg, dated Jan. 20th, in which the following sentence is used: 'As soon as the Whigs, Mr. Wilmot's friends are much distressed to see the Whigs' proscriptions.' A more unfair and unjust imputation cannot be named.

From Harrisburg. A Bill has been reported in the Senate, and will probably be called up in that body, erecting a new county out of parts of Bradford and Lycoming.

IRREGULARITIES OF THE MAIL.—We desire to call the attention of the agents of the Post office to the frequent complaints of the great irregularities in the transmission of newspapers, &c. in the mail.

SECRETARY'S COUNTY BANK.—We see the notes of this institution are quoted in some of the papers at 10 per cent. discount.

The Sarah Sands brought over \$600,000 in gold. The English papers apprehend a further rise in the rate of interest, above the half per cent. note yesterday.

NUMBER OF VOTES.

Given for and against the Sale of Liquors, together with a list of the Constables elected, at the election held in the various townships and boroughs of Bradford county, on Friday, Jan. 15, 1847; prepared from the official returns for the Bradford Reporter.

Table with columns: Township or Borough, Sale of Liquors For, Against, Constables Elected.

A MODIFICATION OF THE TARIFF OF 1846.—Mr. Secretary WALKER, in reply to Senator CARSON'S resolution of the 7th January last, has made a report, in which he recommends the following increase of duties, viz: on coal, ten per centum; iron, ten per cent.

Arrival of the Packet Ship Admiral.

By the arrival, yesterday morning, of the new packet ship Admiral, Capt. Waton from Havre, whence she sailed on the 11th ult.

The Liverpool papers notice the sales of flour at 39s. 6d. for Baltimore and Philadelphia, and at 40s. 4d. for Western, which is an advance of about 6s. a barrel on the prices current at the departure of the *Albion*.

The arrangement for a loan from the Bank of England to the Bank of France is said to have been completed.

Great exertions were made in England to raise a large fund, for the relief of Ireland.—The Queen had subscribed £2,000, Prince Albert £500, several Dukes & bankers £4,000, Lord John Russell £300, Sir Robert Peel £200, &c.

THE BULLION IN THE BANK OF ENGLAND.—The bullion in the Bank of England had decreased £643,550 since the last report; and the drain both for France and the United States was attracting much attention.

DREADFUL ACCIDENT.—We learn from the Cumberland (Md.) Civilian, that on Thursday last, a shocking accident occurred at Loaconday, which resulted in the instantaneous death of John Barrett, the assistant engineer of the iron works of that place.

A DOCTOR'S JOKE.—A well known physician, in a certain town, is very much annoyed by an old lady, who is always telling over her ailments.

Proceedings of the XXIXth Congress.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8th, 1847.

The injudicious attack of the Union on Mr. Wentworth, called to-day for an extraordinary effort of impartiality and disinterestedness on the part of Mr. Douglas, who made a motion to expel all the reporters of the Union newspaper, for their false, scandalous and disgraceful reports of Mr. Wentworth's speech.

Mr. Bailey moved an amendment, equally in bad taste as to inquire after the quantity of stationery used by Mr. Wentworth, but it was not in time, and consequently lost.

The Committee of Conference on the Military bill made a report to both Houses, to which the House of Representatives agreed; but the Senate still adhere to the clause forbidding the President to appoint officers during the recess.

All the Whigs and the two Natives for the proviso; Ritter, Garvin, Yost and Tompson opposed; Charles J. Ingersoll, Leib, Foster, Brodhead, Black, Erdmann and McLean against it.

SENATE.—The bill to repeal the pilot laws was taken up, and after a speech in its favor by Mr. Dix, was laid over until to-morrow.

The Revolutionary Pension bill was passed. The three million bill then came up. Mr. Calhoun spoke an hour in explanation of his views of the war.

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of the oriental nations, with which the United States have not made treaties.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10th, 1847. The Military Bill is, at last, a law. For this, we thank principally due to Col Denton, who has given umbrage to several Senators, as to preserve the constitutional power of the Senate; while, at the same time, it grants to the President what is proper in the premises, viz: the appointment of company officers during the recess.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11th, 1847. The rumors of Santa Anna's assassination, which have reached here through the New Orleans Picayune, are well contradicted.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8th, 9 o'clock, P. M. The Southern mail of this evening brings news from Anton Lizardo to the 20th ult.

The trial of this unfortunate man terminated, the Jury finding him guilty of Murder in the first degree. We are indebted to the Lancaster 'Press' for the following brief account of the proceedings of the Court:

The following is a synopsis of this bill, which passed the Senate on Monday by a vote of 39 to 3.

1st. It authorizes ten regiments to be raised during the war with Mexico, (one of dragoons and nine of infantry) and gives the President discretion to organize one or more regiments as volunteers and foot riflemen, to be provided with a rocket and mountain howitzer battery.

2d. They are to serve during the war unless sooner discharged. 3d. Authorizes the President to appoint one additional Major to each regiment of dragoons, artillery, and riflemen, to be taken from captains in the army.

4th. Allows to each regiment a regimental quartermaster, to be taken from the subalterns of the line of the army, to receive \$10 per month additional pay, and forage for two horses.

Highly Important From Mexico. Reported Death of Santa Anna: Shot by his own Soldiers!

Gen. Worth at the Brazos—Gen. Taylor at Monterey—Gen. Wool at Salsilla—Colonel Harney Arrested Arrival of the Pennsylvania Regiment at the Brazos Departure of Gen. Scott for Tampico Gen. Patterson at Tampico.

The steamship McKin and Alabama arrived at New Orleans, Galveston dates to the 29th and Brazos to the 31st ult. have been received.

Col. Harney had been arrested by Gen. Scott for disobedience of orders, and was to be tried immediately by a court martial.

Gen. Worth is said to be quite unwell. Gen. Scott and his staff were at Brazos, but it was thought would sail in a few days for Tampico.

Gen. Patterson arrived at Tampico on the 23rd with 4500 men, General Twiggs, Quinan, and Pillow were along.

As every thing relating to the recent impetuous publication of Gen. TAYLOR'S letter is not with interest, we clip the annexed from the New York Express, the paper in which it originally appeared.

The Washington Union of the 2d inst. contains the following upon the subject:—The Washington correspondent of the New York Journal of Commerce doubts the accuracy of our information in relation to the person whom General Taylor addressed his letter to.

A few days ago the Chief Justice of the State had some workmen employed at his house, and while one of them was digging near the corner room window, he perceived an opening, which he found was very deep.

Some parts are quite petrified. The soil still remains, and the veins on the right side of the skull are quite distinct. It is just like stone, and is very hard.