

Bradford Reporter.

Free Soil, Free Speech, Free Men

E. O. GOODRICH, EDITOR.

Towanda, Saturday, February 8, 1851.

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In the Court of Quarter Session of Bradford Co., February term, 1851, before Hon. HORACE WILSON, President, and Hon. Geo. TAFT and Hon. JESSE ADAMS, Associates.

Monday, Feb. 3, 1851, the Constables elect for the different townships and boro's were called and sworn into office.

In the matter of the Legacy of MARY F. BOCK and Wm. BOCK.—A jury of Inquest being empaneled, Martha F. Bock and Wm. Bock were declared Lunatics, and incapable of taking care of themselves and managing their property.

Tuesday Feb. 4.—COMMONWEALTH vs CHA'S. CARY.—Indictment for Larceny, for taking a cross cut saw, a clock, slinger cask and two towels, the property of Eli Gibbs; Deft. plead not guilty.

Feb. 5.—COMMONWEALTH vs L. W. TITVANY.—Indictment for Assault and Battery upon the person of E. W. Baird; plea not guilty.

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New Paper in Washington.—It is stated that a new daily newspaper is to be started at Washington City in the course of a few weeks.

The Lancaster Intelligencer has entered upon its 834 volume.

Proceedings of Penn'a Legislature.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 1, 1851.

SENATE.—The proceedings of a meeting recently held in the County Court House of Philadelphia, in favor of consolidating the city and county into one municipality, were presented by Speaker Mathias, and also the Eleventh Annual Report of the Monongahela Navigation Company.

Petitions and Remonstrances.—Petitions for and remonstrances against consolidation of the city and county of Philadelphia, were presented this morning. Also petitions asking for the repeal of the law prohibiting the circulation of notes under the denomination of five dollars, issued by banks in other States than Pennsylvania.

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News from all Nations.

The complete census of Missouri, just issued, makes the population 557,647, of whom 57,977 are slaves.

A convict in the Indiana Penitentiary was killed on Wednesday week, by being caught in a wheel and whirled round the shaft. Small pox prevails to a considerable extent in Charlotte, N. C., and also in Baltimore.

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The West Chester Jeffersonian, says it understands that the canal Commissioners have notified the West Chester Railroad Company that they must stop running over the State Road on Sunday after the first of February.

LIST OF OFFICERS.

Second in the Townships and Boro's of Bradford Co. January 17, 1851.

Table with columns: Name, Constable, Justice of the Peace, Town Clerk, Assessor.

Proceedings of the XXXIst Congress.

SECOND SESSION.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1, 1851.

SENATE.—Numerous petitions were presented for the modification of the 14th. Mr. Hubert offered a resolution, instructing the Committee on Finance, to enquire into the expediency of coining dollars, halves and quarters, to be composed of an equal value of gold and silver.

Mr. Hale's resolution calling for the correspondence between the United States Government and that of Spain, relative to the American steamer, was taken up and adopted. The Senate then went into Executive session.

After some time spent in Executive session, the death of Mr. Kaufman, representative from Texas, was announced, and Mr. Rose made a feeling and appropriate speech. The resolutions were adopted, and the Senate then adjourned.

House.—After the reading of the Journal, Mr. Howard of Texas rose and announced the death of his colleague, Hon. David S. Kaufman, which took place yesterday evening. When the deceased left the House at 3 o'clock yesterday, he appeared to be in perfect health. He stated that the deceased was a native of Cumberland county, Penna., and spoke feelingly of his character and the suddenness of his removal.

Messrs. Morse, McLanahan and McClernand, also spoke in the highest terms of the merits of the deceased. The usual resolutions of respect and regret, including one to attend his funeral on Monday, were adopted, after which, the House adjourned.

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