

Treasury Surplus—The Tariff.

The yield of the present tariff is very large, being sufficient to discharge the debts of the Government as they accrue, and to leave in the Treasury at the close of the fiscal year 1853, over \$22,000,000. So very unexpected was this to the late Government...

It is, we believe, very generally admitted that no interests now in this country, require that government to support it by bounties drawn from the treasury...

The friends of Agricultural and Mechanical improvement in Bradford, are assured that the most ample preparations are making for receiving, and displaying in the most favorable manner, the productions of the farmers and mechanics of our country...

The friends of Agricultural and Mechanical improvement in Bradford, are assured that the most ample preparations are making for receiving, and displaying in the most favorable manner, the productions of the farmers and mechanics of our country...

The latest intelligence from the South indicates the spread of yellow fever through the plantations and towns along the Mississippi and in other parts of Louisiana.

The Coming Canvass.

For the last two weeks there has been wonderful activity in the Whig Press. All the Whig anti-slavery men have been cyphering upon the finances, and the most heterogeneous mass of figures have been piled up, to frighten the timid and deceive the unwary.

THOMAS H. FORSYTH, our candidate for Canal Commissioner is also a generally known as his colleagues. He has served the country of Philadelphia faithfully, in the House of Representatives and Senate, for the last six or eight years, and in all that time was never known to give a vote in opposition to the wishes of the mass of the party...

THE TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT. The Temperance Convention—Its Candidates and its Object.

There are many sound reasons why the Temperance cause should be kept distinct and free from the political parties and movements of the day. In our judgment its friends never committed a greater mistake, than when they brought into the arena of politics that question, which is properly auxiliary to the cause of Truth and Religion...

On Friday of last week, a little daughter of Hon. JOHN S. CALHOUN, of Clarion, Pa., was so badly burned by her clothes taking fire while playing at a pile of burning shavings, that she only lived a few hours.



Bradford Reporter.

Free Sell, Free Speech, Free Men. Freedom for Free Territory.

E. O. GOODRICH, EDITOR.

Towanda, Saturday, October 1. 1853.

Terms of the Reporter: \$2.50 per annum—paid within the year—50 cents will be deducted for cash paid actually in advance.

Democratic State Nominations.

- FOR SUPREME JUDGE, JOHN C. KNOX, OF TIOGA COUNTY. FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER, THOMAS H. FORSYTH, OF PHILA. CO. FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL, EPHRAIM BANKS, OF MITCHELL CO. FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL, J. PORTER BRAWLEY, OF CRAWFORD CO.

Democratic County Ticket.

- SENIATOR, WILLIAM M. PIATT, OF WYOMING COUNTY. FOR REPRESENTATIVES, JOHN PASSMORE, OF ROMK TOWNSHIP, WILLIAM E. BARTON, OF SMITHFIELD. FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, JAMES MACFARLANE, OF TOWANDA BORO. FOR TREASURER, NELSON GILBERT, OF SOUTH TOWANDA. FOR COMMISSIONER, STUART SMILEY, OF FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP. FOR SURVEYOR, JAMES A. PAINE, OF MONROE TOWNSHIP. FOR AUDITOR, CULLEN F. NICHOLS, OF BURLINGTON TP.

THE TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT.

The proceedings which we have already published have notified our readers that a new element is to enter into the canvass this fall—or at least that element has assumed a new and somewhat singular form.

There can be no arguments urged against the reelection of Messrs. PASSMORE and BARTON. They have already proved themselves faithful and honest Representatives. Their votes last winter, are before the people—let them be scrutinized—and upon those votes, as representing the wishes and interests of their constituency, let them stand or fall.

The nomination of ZEVELON FAIRBANKS as a candidate for Representative by the Temperance Convention was planned by the Whig leaders of the County, and brought about by the presence, and vote as delegates, at that Convention, of delegates

to the Whig Convention which met on the next Wednesday evening. For proof of this assertion, we refer to the Bradford Argus, of September 10, which contains the proceedings of the Temperance and Whig Conventions side by side in its columns.

- Burlington—J. Campbell; Columbia—D. Lilley; Franklin—R. Fowler; Granville—George Cadin; Orwell—C. Cook; Fika—G. W. Brink; Towandaboro—C. M. Manville.

The presence of these Delegates at both Conventions is something we should be glad to have explained. It is not customary to place upon a Delegate the onerous duty of attending two conventions—and these gentlemen have now the difficult task of supporting three candidates for Representatives; all of their own selection, or to stand convicted of juggling and duplicity.

The Whig Convention, as might be expected after this exposure, at once selected Mr. FAIRBANKS as the candidate of the Whig party, and the plot is fully carried out. We know there are many honest democrats who are sincere in their intention to support the men whose election they deem best calculated to advance the cause of Temperance.

If Temperance men deem it their duty to place in nomination candidates to be supported solely upon that ground, we have no quarrel with them. It is a matter of judgment—a question expediency—if they keep aloof from the political divisions of the County, guiding themselves by this single object, we at least shall give them credit for sincerity.

If, however, the Temperance men of this County, deem it would advance their cause to nominate candidates for Representatives, as ill-advised as we should consider it, they still had a perfect right to do so. But they should have taken care not to play into the hands of either party, as thereby the moral

We cannot but consider, that this movement is ill-timed and un-called for. What good is to be effected for the cause of Temperance? And why the particular necessity for candidates just now? The candidates selected by the Democracy, represented this County last winter. Previous to their election they were interrogated as to their views.

We appeal to every Temperance man, who is a believer in the principles of Democracy, to pause and reflect before he casts his vote for the nominee of a Whig Convention. Let him carefully consider if he will thereby advance in the slightest degree the great reform for which he is laboring.

By this amalgamation and manœuvring, all the moral influence of a vote for Temperance candidates is entirely lost—Temperance Democrats are left without a single reason for supporting the ticket—and Temperance Whigs, as partisans, have everything to gain.

We are requested by Maj. BRON KIRKPATRICK to say, that those persons who wish to attend the Agricultural Fair, with cattle, and are obliged to reach here the evening previous, will find accommodations at his farm, in North Towanda, without charge.

and aid the onward progress of the cause, it will not be for men who are the nominees of a Whig Convention, and whose only prominence in the Temperance organization is owing to the fact that they are the candidates of the Whig party.

Close up the Banks!

If there is a single Democrat who designs voting for a Whig, let them coolly consider what is to be gained by such a course to himself and to his party. What claims has a Whig nominee upon a Democrat for his vote? How often have we heard Democrats regretting that they had forsaken their party in a single instance to give aid and comfort to the enemy.

CLOSE UP THE RANKS!

Let every soldier stand firm to his spot. No flinching, no giving back. Such a course will leave you no room for regrets, and will save you from impotency hereafter.

The Democracy are constantly taunted with the firmness which they sustain the nominations. It is no discredit, but a compliment to their intelligence and integrity. Yet Whigs are brazened enough to approach them, and solicit their votes.

Agricultural Fair.

The first annual Cattle Show and Fair of the Bradford County Agricultural Society will take place on Thursday and Friday of next week. The Plowing Match will come off on Friday.

We are gratified to observe, by the indications, that the farmers of Bradford are fully awake to the advantages resulting from such exhibitions, and that the display though not what may be expected hereafter, will be highly creditable.

The Perry County Democrat, contains the following "first-rate notice" of our county ticket:

"The Democracy of Bradford County met in Convention on the 6th inst., and nominated the following ticket: Representatives—JOHN PASSMORE and WM. E. BARTON.

Proceeding Attorney—JAMES MACFARLANE. The record of the last session, tells us why the old members were unanimously re-nominated. They were among the true and unflinching on all those questions, the facing of which tries and distinguishes the real Democracy of the country.

The National Conferences were instructed to go for Wm. M. PIATT, of Wyoming, for Senator, in the room of Hon. GEO. SANDERSON, whose term just expired. We have since learned that the Conference Convention met and placed Mr. PIATT in nomination. He is highly spoken of in that region, and will, we hope and doubt not, make an able, faithful and useful representative.

Hon. C. R. BUCKALEW, the young and talented Senator from Columbia county, was re-nominated by the Democratic Conference of the Senatorial District, composed of Columbia, Lozener and Montour counties, on Monday last, Mr. BUCKALEW has represented the Democracy of his district during the past three years with ability and to the satisfaction of his constituents.

Mr. EDITOR:—Presuming you have seen the hand-bill in reference to the Agricultural Fair of the 6th and 7th October, will you please inform me whether it is a burlesque, or is it the emanation of the Executive Committee? If the latter, I hope the Committee on Poultry will award the author a special premium, as exhibiting the loudest croak in the county. Yours, &c. Sept. 29, 1853. SHANGHAI

The steam yacht North Star (owned by C. Vanderbilt, Esq.) Captain Eldridge, arrived at New York, on Saturday morning, from Maleria, in ten days and twenty hours. Captain Eldridge reports that the grape crop was entirely destroyed at Madeira, by a disastrous blight.

The Steamer Northern Light arrived at New York, at one o'clock, Tuesday morning. She brings \$1,345,828 in gold dust and 653 passengers. The steamer which made the connection from San Francisco, brought down \$1,500,000 in gold. The markets in San Francisco were dull. Money was plenty and the mines generally doing well.

We are requested by Maj. BRON KIRKPATRICK to say, that those persons who wish to attend the Agricultural Fair, with cattle, and are obliged to reach here the evening previous, will find accommodations at his farm, in North Towanda, without charge.

The National Democrat says, concerning dollar bills of the Fall River Bank, Rhode Island, good imitation of the genuine, have just been put in circulation. Though well calculated to deceive on a cursory glance, they will not bear a close examination.

Scrofulous Diseases.

Dr. Taylor, of New Haven, Conn., cured a case of Eripiety, in a Scrofulous child, the mother, as to pass six months without food, and used with entire success in Bronchial Affection, and in chronic cases of debility from a wonderful effect in improving the strength and spirits, in all the cases of the tonic, it has more than fulfilled the expectations of those who know its value.

Waverly Station, N. Y. & R. R.

Table with columns for 'COACHES leave Waverly' and 'COACHES arrive Waverly'. Includes times for Day Express, Night Express, and various mail services.

MARRIED.

At Athens, on Wednesday, 25th ult., by Rev. George Watson, Mr. GEORGE W. WATSON, and Miss ELIZA OVERTON, daughter of D. A. SALMON.

THE PROPOSED FRANCHISE.

WILL be at BAILEY & NEWIN'S Grocery Store, Towanda, after the 15th of October, until the 1st of Nov. 1853.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

FROM the premises of A. B. SMITH, in Clinton Co. a 6 year old, white horse, with a large blaze, marked with a swallow-tail in the right ear. Whoever will give information where and how found, shall be reasonably rewarded.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

A. L. persons indebted to the estate of A. B. MADILL, dec'd late of Wysox township, are hereby notified to make payment within 30 days, and all persons having claims against said estate will please present them duly authenticated to HENRY J. MADILL, Executor.

D. A. OVERTON, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

TOWANDA, PA. OFFICE in the second story of the Union Block north side of the Public Square, over the office of J. C. Adams, Esq. Sept. 20.

TOWANDA FEMALE SEMINARY.

THIS Institution, for the education of young ladies, was opened on Tuesday the 20th September in the building formerly occupied by Mrs. MERCER. It is now under the charge of Miss OLGA D. HANSON, aided by her sister, Miss REBECCA D. HANSON. The number of pupils is limited to 20. The scholastic year consists of forty-four weeks. Terms—\$6, \$9, and \$12 per quarter, according to the studies pursued.

MUSIC.

MISS REBECCA D. HANSON proposes to give instruction to the young ladies of this town on the PIANO. Terms—\$10 per quarter. Application to be made to Miss Hanson at her Ward House, or at the Towanda Female Seminary, September 22, 1853.

Millinery and Mantua-making.

MRS. M. D. FOWLER has the pleasure to announce to the Ladies of Durell and vicinity, that she has established herself at the house of J. M. Bishop, where she will with pleasure solicit their patronage, and trusts that her moderate prices and her desire to please, will be a document for them to give her a call. Durell, Sept. 19, 1853.

NEW FALL GOODS.

H. S. MERCUR has just received another large assortment of Goods of every description, which additions will be made every week, and which will be sold as usual very cheap. Towanda, Sept. 28, 1853.

NOTICE.

D. R. E. INGHAM, of Monroe, has located in Wysox, at the Presbyterian Parsonage, September 22, 1853.

NEW GOODS!

Just received by Joseph Powell. The attention of the public is respectfully directed to a large and complete assortment of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Carpets, Paper Hangings, Leather, Drugs, Paints, Oils, &c. All of which will be sold at the lowest market prices for cash or country produce. Towanda, Sept. 10, 1853. JOSEPH POWELL.

NOTICE.

A complete assortment of black, plaid and colored dresses, silks—all wool dresses, muslin, lace, DeBoges, Thibet cloths, paramettes, &c. just received by J. POWELL.

300 NEW BARRELS.

For sale at 75c each, by S. PELON & CO. Towanda, Aug. 10, 1853.

Hats, Caps and Bonnets.

A large stock of Fall Bonnets and Trimmings for ladies' and children's wear, just rec'd by J. POWELL. Sept. 10.