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A CHANCE FOR MILLERS.

The "Virginia Mills" for Rent. 711HE attention of Millers is invited to the GRIST MILL and Saw Mill of Mrs. M Myers, situate one mile from Fairfield, Adams county. The surrounding country cannot be surpassed for business. There is a Miller's House, &c. in connection with them. The terms of Rent will be reasonable and the situation must yield well. A man with a small family preferred. None but experienced and well recommended Millers need apply. Ap-

plication to be made to M. & W. M'CLEAN, Sept. 24, '55. 3t Getlysburg, Pa.

Pottery for sale.

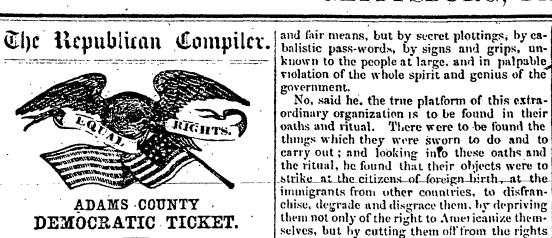
THE Subscriber, desiring to change his L business, offers his POTTERY at private sale. It is situated in Washington street, Gettysburg, Pa., adjoining William Wysotz-ky on the North. The lot is 60 feet front by 185 deep, with an alley on the north and west To theep, with an arrey on the north and west —the in provements being a Two-story Roughcast HOUSE, with a new Two-story Roughcast Back-building; a Two-story Shop, 30 by 20 feet; Kiln, 9 feet in diameter, under root; large Wareroom; also a good Barn and Swile Freien Hause and good Barn and Stable, Spring House, and other out-buildings; a well of excellent water near the kitchen door, with a variety of Fruit Trees on the premises.

If the property is not sold before the first of November next, it will be for Rent. EDWARD MENCHEY.

Sept. 10, 1855.

PUBLIC SALE.

THE Subscriber, Assignee of JAMES B. JAMESON, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, on Tuesday, the 9th day of Oc-tuber next, the following property of said As-signor, viz: 3 LOTS UF GROUND, situate in the town of Heidlersburg, Tyrone township, Adams county, known as Lois Nos. 21, 22 and 23, upon one of which is erected a Art Two-Story Roughcast HOUSE, with



CANAL COMMISSIONER, Arnold Plumer. ASSEMBLY, Isaac Robinson. COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Henry A. Picking. DIRECTOR OF THE POOR, Garret Brinkerhoff. COUNTY AUDITOR, John Hauptman. COUNTY TREASURER, J. Lawrence Schick.

THE VOICE OF WASHINGTON.

IF""As mankind become more liberal, they will be more apt to allow, that all those who conduct themselves as worthy members of the community, are equally entitled to the protection of civil government. I hope ever to see America among the foremost nations in examples of justice and liberality."-GEORGE WASH-INGTON.

T'It shall be my endeavor to manifest happiness of mankind, as well as the sincerity of my desires, to contribute whatever may be in my power towards the preservation of the people."-GEORGE WASHINGTON.

"The liberty enjoyed by the people of these States, of worshipping Almighty God agreeably to the dictates of their own conis not among the choicest of their blessings, but also of their rights. While men perform their social duties faithfully, they do all that society or the State can with propriety demand or expect ; and remain responsible on-ly to their Maker for the religion, or modes of faith which they may prefers or profess."-GEORGE WASHINGTON.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE STAR.

GETTYSBURG, PA.: MONDAY, OCT. 8, 1855.

servative Whig party," as well as the shades

of those that are long since slumbering beyond

the vale of the shadow of death !

known to the people at large, and in palpable violation of the whole spirit and genius of the government.

No, said he, the true platform of this extraordinary organization is to be found in their oaths and ritual. There were to be found the things which they were sworn to do and to carry out; and looking into these oaths and strike at the citizens of foreign birth, at the immigrants from other countries, to disfranchise, degrade and disgrace them, by depriving them not only of the right to Americanize themof hospitality and humanity. They also sought to disfranchise and degrade another class of our citizens, whether native-born or foreign, on account of their religious opinions, in violation of the constitution of the country, and regardless of the plainest dictates of justice and humanity. Mr. Clay said that, rather than submit any

ex anded remarks of his own on these subjects, he had chosen to collate the expressed and authentic opinions of the old fathers of the republic : and he read extensively from the writings of WASHINGTON, of JEFFERSON, of MAD-ISON, of JACKSON, of QUINCY and others. He concluded his happy effort by saying that though the old Whig party, with which he had always acted, was broken and dispersed, yet he appeared there as one of the old rear guard of that once powerful and great party : and in that capacity he protested against this new secret organization, as fraught with danger to his country and its liberties; and he called upon all the old liners of the Whig p arty to preachings and teachings of the "great conjoin him in the protest.

For the Compiler.

A Brief Review of the Address of the (so called) American Executive Com-mittee of Adams County. In the very able Address of the very distinligions and races, but you have actually turnguished gentlemen who compose the Executive Committee of the Know Nothing party of Ad-

ams county, the following morsel of strange intelligence has for the first time been promulthe purity of my inclinations for promoting the gated. Read it, American Catholics, and forever hold your peace !

"Resistance to the aggressive policy and corrupting tendencies of the Roman Catholic civil and religious liberties of the American corrupting tendencies of the advancement to church in our country, by the advancement to all political stations-executive, legislative.

dorse your present positions and opinions-pojudicial, or diplomatic-of thuse only who do sitions and opinions that are in direct opposition to what you then considered both christian nd constitutional ? If we do, what as

For the Compiler. | yoù could neither see nor appreciate the au- | their sense of duty and patriotism to support Dear Sir: It is now little more than a year since I had the pleasure of addressing you my first letter. During this time many changes that had the best reasons in the world to sus-have taken place, both in the moral and physi-cal world. Our own beloved country has not

cal world. Our own beloved country has not conscience to support a ticket that its ostensible been free from these mutations and fluctua- leaders were secretly conspiring to betray .the ritual, he found that their objects were to tions, which your columns will but too amply But let me ask you what were your reasons prove, if you doubt the assertion. Yes, one for turning Judas to your party, and to the names that you had emblazoned on your Star short-year ago your columns breathed forth, in short-year ago your columns breathed forth, in Spangled Bauner. You have already answer-terms the most eloquent, civil and religious ed the question. Because it because evident Party on one man for the office of Canal Comselves, but by cutting them off from the rights freedom in the fullest and most Constitutional early in the canvass that your standard hearer missioner. accomplished through the agency Necly, could not be elected. O, consistency, sense of the word. So anxious did you appear that all classes and creeds should be protected to the very letter in all that pertains to principles-to those that stood by your side in many a hard fought battle-that had become the sacred and inalienable rights of "American Citizens," that you even thrust yourself and grey in the service of your party-that had al-ways been members of your own political fam-ily-that had uniformly devoted their time and your powerful influence between your Catholic friends and the almost invincible Democratic their talents towards the advancement of Whig party, when you conceived the notion that the measures, towards the election to office of menlatter was about to deceive, by pandering to the religious passions and prejudices of the former. You depicted in glowing sentences the evils that must follow such a state of things names before their countrymen for some trifling -as well as the insult that it implied towards office, as a slight reward for services renthe majesty and intelligence of that large and dered, and for a long life of devotion to princirespectable class that was intended to be ope- ple. O, no, you must desert such principles. rated upon. To add force and importance to you must betray such men, because you magine they cannot succeed. Truly, you your words, you even called to your aid the have verified the proverb that says "a friend in need, is a friend indeed."

But, you have not told us how you found out early in the canvass that your old friend Neely could not be elected. Where did you find this

out ? Why did you not proclaim it as soon as it "became evident ?" Why did you not ap-Behold the revolution that has since come prise Neely of this fact as soon as you were. over the spirit of your aspirations and asperfavored with its inspiration? The fact is, sions ! You are now not only at war with resmooth it over as you please, it always appeared to me that in this instance the "wish was father to the thought" on your part, and that ed your sword against the party for whose reputation, a year ago, if loud professions mean anything less than hypocrisy, you would have risked "your life, your liberty, and your sacred impression, or made the announcement that honor." Whence comes this? Are principles the mass of the Whig vote went over to Wilchangeable, or are men more so? Can we imagine you to be more wise, more perfect now conveyance that landed the mass spoken of on the other side of Jordan."

than you were a year ago, and therefore en-But as you had taken the "first wrong step," it seems it was destined to prove fatal, for nothing could induce you to either retrace or repent it; and now it is evident you are bent

dacious inconsistency that you had been prac- and elect your ticket, based as it is: on such tising up to the election, in professing to be the picbald principles, and composed as it is most-friend of Mr. Neely; nor conceal the malice by of "broken down Locolocos," why then I prepense that you entertained towards those mistake the American character, and hereafter

ADDRESS Of the State Central Committee.

FELLOW CITIZENS :- The combination of all the elements of opposition to the Democratic the principles of our Republican system, and what a jewel. Because you *imagined* Neely the principles of our Republican system, and could not be elected, you saw fit to turn traitor at the sacrifice of honor, dignity and truth, on to your picked men-to your long cherished the part of the actors, has made it our duty to appear before you for a fourth time.

It is a most endeared frature of our organic laws, that makes cache itizen a component part of the Governments clothing him with privileges and prerogatives, and at the same time loading him with grave responsibilities. The high prerogative of the electors enables all to of Whig principles ! Now for the disinterested relicot their sentiments through the ballot-box ; the elector votes for the man who will represent

his sentiments, and so govern himself. Whenever this idea is abandoned, and the elector is forced to vote for a candidate of whose views he may have no sufficient knowledge, or whose sentiments he cannot approve, then the idea of self-government is an imposture and a deception ; and the ballot, instead of the agent of intelligence, truth and patriotism, becomes degraded into the instrument of the demagogue and the traitor.

The present aspect of the opposition to the Democratic party has suggested, aye, indeed, made it addity to present these great elemen-

tary truths for your consideration. But how will that opposition stand before the country when tested by these standard you did not desire the election of Neely. For truths At present that opposition channels you did not dearge the election of Neoly. For had you remained true to your colours and your calling, you never would have realized the impression, or made the announcement that the mass of the Whig vote went over to Wil-son early in the canvass, any more than you would have been found travelling in the same conveyance that landed the mass spoken of the colored population of the objects of both heing peculiarly similar in the absence of constitu-tion of the basis of the objects of both heing in the main, from two distinct and dissimilar tional or other legal warrant for the accomplashment of the ends in view. The Abolition Party on the one hand having no right under the Constitution of the States, as all agree, to interfere with the institution of Slavery; and the American Party, under the same instru-

Back-building attached. There is also a well of excellent water at the door.

OF Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call upon the subscriber residing in the same township.

Or Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M. on said day, when attendance will be given and terms made known by

· · ·	JOHN	LEHMAN,
Sept. 17, 1855.		Assignce.

Public Sale

OF A DESIRABLE FARM.

TTHE Subscriber, Executor of the last will and testament of DAVID DEARDORFF. deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on the premises, on Saturday, the 13th of October next, the following described Real Estate of said deceased, viz : A FARM, situate in Franklin township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Samuel Bucher, Benj. Deardorff, Albert Vandyke and James Ewing, containing 100 and holding the highest offices that are known Acres, more or less, in good cultivation and in the United States."-George WASHINGTON.

Acres, more or less, in good cultivation and under good feacing. The improvements are a Two-Story Weatherboarded HOUSE, a good Log Barn, an ex-cellent Well of Water at the door, and a thriving young ORCHARD, of choice Fruit. The tract is well, watered.

Cr Should the property not be sold on said day, it will then be offered for RENT at public outery.

CT Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M. on said day, when attendance will be given

- and terms made known by JACOB DEARDORFF, Ex'r. August 27, 1855. 1d

Valuable Farm at Private Sale. TITHE subscriber, intending to remove to

the West, offers at Private Sale,

HIS VALUABLE FARM, situated in Reading township, Adam's county, Pa., on the banks of Big Conowago creek, being the best of Conowago land, and in a high state of cultivation. It contains 136 countable to Gon alone for his religious opin-Acres, more or less, and adjoins lands of and John Laydom. The improvements are a science."-GEORGE WASHINGTON. two-story BRICK HOUSE,

two-story BRICK HOUSE, (nearly new.) a Bank Barn, Wagon Shed, Corn Crib, Granaries; an excellent well of water between the house and barn, and several springs

on the premises. The land is under good fencing, and well watered; part of it has been Fined : with due proportions of Woodland and Meadow, and all kinds of truit-and is within a nile of two Grist Mills. There is upon the premises an excellent LIME KILN, and a FLAGSTONE QUARRY not to be surpassed in the State. This property offers unusual inducements to purchasers.

Persons wishing to view the farm are requested to call on the subscriber, residing THOMAS N. DICKS. thereon. July 9, 1855. 4m

IMMEDIATE RELIEF FOR THE TOOFHACHE!

TAERE is to be had at the drug stores of S. H. Buehler, Gettysburg, and James A. Elder, Emmitsburg, a most effectual remedy for the Touthache, which will, (if properly applied, accarding to directions.) cure the must violent Toothache instantaneously. Should the pain in course of time reappear, the same application has to be made again, and after two the country. or three applications the cure will be effectual. Please call for A. Ferger's Toothache Balsain. E-M Price 25 cents per plual. August 27, 1855. 1y

Bush's Allegheny House, NO. 280 Market st., above 8th st., Phila-delphia. Terms, \$1,25 per day. Ċ. I. BUSH. June 4, 1855. 1y

adless variety, to be had cheap at

Tr'I have always hoped that this land night become a safe and agreeable asylum to the virtuous and persecuted part of mankind, to whatever nation they might belong. Let the poor, the needy, and the oppressed of the earth, and those who want land, resort to the fertile plains of our Western country, the second land of promise, and there dwell in peace fulfilling the first and great commandment. In this enlightened age, and in this land of equal liberty, it is our boast, that a man's religious tenets will not forfeit the protection of the purpose of convicting you of wilful misrepreslaws, nor deprive him of the right of attaining entation :

"The bosom of America is open to receive, not only the opulent and respectable stranger, but the oppressed and persecuted of all nations and religions, whom we shall wel- REMOVE all Ahens, Foreigners, and Roman come to a participation in all our rights and privileges.

"If I could have entertained the slightest aporehensions that the Constitution framed at the Convention, where I had the honor to preside. might possibly endanger the religious rights of any ecclesiastical society, certainly I would never have affixed my signature to it; and if I could conceive that the General Government night ever be administered as to render the liberty of conscience insecure, L beg you will be persuaded that no one would be more zeal- | taken compel you to disfranchise every Cathoous than myself to establish, cliectually, barriers against the horiors of spiritual tyranny and every species of religious persecution-for, you doubtless remember, I have often expressed my sentiments that any man conducting himself as a good citizen, and being acions, ought to be protected in worshipping the that you have wilfully falsified the truth, read Dr. C. Blish, Wm. Picking, Henry Spangler | Deity according to the dictates of his own con- this extract from the Oath of the first degree

A SON OF CLAY DENOUNCING THE SECRET ORDER.

At a large meeting recently held in Kentucky, JAMES B. CLAY, a son of the sage of ruling America,' nor if hele a Roman Catholic." Ashland, and present owner of the family seat, made an eloquent speech denouncing the principles of Know-Nothingism. The extract is from the Kentucky Statesman :

Mr. Clay said that this was his first effort at which had so much to do with the startling dea public speech, and nothing less than the proound interest which he felt in the great question at issue could induce him to appear on gentlemen, face the music. Let not falsehood this occasion. Never before had such alarming, and deceit be a part of your creed. God such novel questions been presented for the knows it is bad enough already. You have political consideration of the American people. llis apprehensions were aronsed in view of them, and he sometimes trembled for the fate of his country. The idea that this government was to be taken into the keeping of a secret, political, oath-bound organization, which set up unconstitutional test-oaths, and the members of which were bound to each other by the most terrible obligations, was to him most

the apprehensions of every patriotic man in Mr. Clay denied that the platform put forth by the late Know-Nothing Convention at Phila-

party did I call them, said he : no, they are not a party in any proper acceptation of the

ucation and training-thus fulfiling the maxim, "Americans only must govern America." After this precious morsel of new lightism, the committee go on to say:

"In thus avowing our priniples, we wage no war against any man because of his *pulitical* or your "Star Spangled Banner." religious belief. We accord to every citizen But, my dear sir. vou may w But, my dear sir, you may wire in and wire

the right to worship God according to the dictates of his own conscience, and to avow such opinions as to him may seem right. We pro- the great mass of the people, in the mean time est honors that a grateful country could be pose no enactments to deprive any citizen of the right to vote or hold office."

This seems fair-very fair,-but, gentlemen of the committee, you have FALSIFIED the truth. Read the Oath of the second degree try, are openly and firmly condemning the members of your order. What is it? Well, narrow and bigoted course that you have been here it is-or so much of it as will answer the plotting, daylight shunning companions, known

"You do furthermore swear, that you wil vote, in all political matters, for all political

offices, for second degree members of this order. fold evils that have followed what they termproviding it is necessary for the American in-terest. That if it may be done legally, you ed the "first glass." Moralists have endeavorwill, when elected or appointed to any office, ed to illustrate that the "first wrong step" is Catholics, from office, and that you will in no case appoint such to office. This you promise as Americans-to sustain and abide by, without any hesitation or mental reservation whatby giving way at first to what may be calcuever. So help you God and keep you steadfast.' Now, gentlemen of this dislinguished comevils, the very contemplation of which, before mittee, how is it that you propose "no enactments to deprive any citizen of the right to hold office !" Does not the Oath you have all drive the mind to distraction. It is said our best friends are those that tell

lic citizen, whether born in this free Republic, or of foreign birth ? Truth honestly spoken is always the best policy. You cannot guil American citizens by such *claptrap* schemes. part of this injunction, and leave the closing But, gentlemen, to proceed in further proof one to more experienced -- to more clerical hands. Your "first wrong step" then, I conceive to

membership of your order :

"You do furthermore swear, that you will not vote nor give your influence to any man for any office in the gift of the people, unless he be an American citizen, in favor of 'Americans You perceive, gentlemen of the committee, that there is no reservation in regard to American Catholics-nor even of Jesutism, the cant phrase of the sapient editor of the "Star," velopments of Mr. Weikert's removal. Come,

all of you, sworn to disfranchise every Catholic in this Republic, and you dare not deny it. ONE WHO KNOWS.

Gettysburg, 2nd Oct., 1855.

The above is the production of a genfleman of undoubted veracity, whose knowlalarming, and should, in his judgment, arouse | edge of the Know Nothing order, acquired within its council rooms, enables him to speak knowingly and by the book. What he says is not the result of mere guess-work .- Ed.1

delphia, was the real platform of the party : How to Fatten Indians .- A California paper says :---- In our rides in the grasshopper term. Parties have incretofore been open, pub- country we saw thousands of the deep holes lie and above board : but this is a secret, oath- which had been dog in the earth by the Indians after the political power of the country by contain about a bushel and a half, and we beways and means unknown to the law, and in there we saw holes enough in Yuba, Butte, and COAPS.-Fan w and Common Sozes, in paipable disregard of the long established usa- Suffer counties to have collected fity thousand vass, when the Know Notling vote went over | In view of all these, your beautiful and con- quences of consummating so vile a conspiracy

he who political folly. what security, can you give us that one year

In regard to your late Catholic friends, behence, you will not have left us again, and that hold too the change that a few short months. you -will not be advocating doginas and doc- have wrought in your language and your sotrines, the reverse of what now shines forth in licitude. Just one year ago you addressed them a Pustoral, long as the Koran, assuring them as a leader and expounder of the conservative Whig party, that their creed should out, and brag and banter as much as you please, Luever be a barrier between them and the highstow upon her good and faithful servants, and will think and judge and act for themselves on that the Whig party ever deprecated and dethe important issues that are now agitating the nounced the slightest attempt at proscription. country. They are acting now. The best and on account of the mode, and manner, which a brightest men of all parties, all over the coun. man may accept as the means of saving his eternal soul, and of worshipping his Creator and his God. But now, alas ! how changed your sentiments, how different and conflicting pursuing, and you are now about to be left to your expressions ! A Catholic, now seems as yourself and a few oath bounden, midnight odions in your estimation, as a Publican in the eyes of a Pharisce : while there is scarcely a sin in the catalogue of crime that you do not as the embodyment of the great Know Nothing | charge upon Romanism and Romanists. You party. Novelists have often depicted the mani. have even implicated Protestants, who differ with you in your work of proscription, with conspiring with the Jesuitical Catholics, in evading the laws and in disregarding the best interests of the Republic. You are endeavorfrequently attended with a fatality that shapes ing to favor the impression that the Catholic a man's whole life. Hence the necessity of owes temporal allegiance to the Pope of Rome, and that his religion therefore disqualifies him our guarding against falling into temptation, from being a faithful and loyal subject of this country ; although the Catholic Church rejects lated to produce a train of consequences and this imputation as a calumny, and the Catho lic subject, in proof of his loyalty, points to the services he has rendered his country in all the we become steeled to vice and misery, would wars with which she has been afflicted. But cause the very blood to chill in our veins, and it would seem you are determined to persist in persecuting your Catholic brethren, and you will neither hear words nor deeds in their defence. As a pretext for this, you will insist us of our faults, and teach us how to correct on it that their religion prevents them from them. You will not therefore, I hope, take it entertaining that respect for the laws and the amiss, should I attempt to carry out the first matitutions of the country that thorough Americans must ever cherish. But you cannot point to a single instance when Catholics as a body have not always observed the laws

of the land to the very letter-when they did not even speak of them in terms the most courteous and respectful.

have been the protracted deception that you But how is it with yourself and your Know, practised towards your neighbor Neely last Nothing confederates ! How have you defall in advocating and encouraging his election nounced the Fugitive Slave Law, and the law regulating and referring to Territories? How through your columns, when you knew the to you refer to our worthy Postmaster Gene-Wilson early in the canvass ; and when you a single official act of his, without coupling and so much a characteristic of our republican must have been fully aware that your aid and with it his religion. Do you not charge him system ; and so cloquently protected by their your comfort had gone along with it. When by implication, with attempting to "convert former leaders, down to the very verge of the our postal arrangements into a system of poregard you have for the motto that "Ameri- To become Abolitionists and Know-Nothings. American President and his Cabinet "a cor-rupt administration ?" Do you not show your regard for the laws of the United States that Whig party in politics - that he had submitted hold a man to be innocent until he is proved guilty, by a jury of his countrymen, by charging the minimus of a corrupt administration with the criminal offence of "peering into the mails and abstracting private letters f

Yes, you boast of the title of American, yet you charge the head and front of the American Republic with being "a corrupt administration." You accuse the Catholies and foreignnath which you had promised Neely and his riends to pursue, your next step was in pergovernment, vet you can siently, if not assentlect keeping with your first, as inconsistency

must be supported by inconsistency, on the same principle that like cures like. and conflicts with an ordinance enacted by When the deleat of your confidential friend Wilson became a stubborn fact, you could no the Congress of the United States. Some time longer repress your long point up frelings, and ago you hailed the Catholics as your friends, you suffered them to burst forth in the most and raised them to a Know Nothing level; now the long cherished idea of self government. doleful maledictions on your late "Catholic you salute them with the title of "minimons of a friends," for having deserted the Whig party, corrupt administration." And a few months as though you had remained faithful to your since you were a wool dyed Whig, now you the Democratic press and Democratic voice in so deserted the Whig party, early in the can- to his colours, in advocating Whig principles. of these things, and to reflect upon the conse-

ment and the parsmount law of the State, being forbidd n to attempt, either by law, or by open on secret combination, to deprive the citizen of his civil rights or the freedom of religious belief.

Until recently, each of these ideas or wings of opposition had its representatives in the field, for the suffrages of the prople, as had also the long renowned Clay Whig Party. But within a few days all these flive been withdrawn, and a single individual presented as the embodiment of all the new and strange dogmas held by these respective parties-Wil.-LIAMSON the Abolition candidate, Mr. MARTIN the Know-Nothing. Mr. HENDERSON the Whig, have been withdrawn, and Buo's Nichorson, of Benver county, substituted for All : a candidate who can at the same time embrace all these political beresics, and pledge himself as the faithful disciple of each, and whose election is to be the triamph of the sentiments of

Since the first gun was fired at Lexington, and the blood of patriots dedicated this continent to freedom and to republican institutions, werdonbt whether a scene so profoundly humiliating has been witnessed in the long train of party contests; or whether a political or other Sunhedrin, ever presinned to issue such arrogant and degrading edian to the disciples of any faith. By this base manurivre the Abolitionist, wherever born and of whatever religious belief, is asked to turn practical Know-Nothing: and to give his suffrages to a candidate pledged to that, Secret and dath. bound Association, with all its intolerant, antirepublican, and anti-Ohristian doorrings and its shameless disregard of the faith of our fathers, as embodied in the paramount laws of the land. The Know-Nothing, on the other hand, whether national or sectional in this views: is asked and forced to vote for the Representative of that fanatical spirit of Abolitionism that is constantly fanning the flumes of disseasion and discontent between the Northern and Southern States of the Union, without presenting either legal or practical remedy for the evil lamented-that would saver the Union, thereby prostrating the best government the world has ever witnessed ; entailing infinite misery

and degradation on all our people, to gratify a misguided zeal for the elevation of the colored race only. But what is still more humiliating. old Whigs, of the ADAMS, CLAY, and WEBSTER school; with their boasted reverence for the laws and the union of the States; for the prinral, James Campbell? Do you ever mention ciples of civil and religious liberty, so sacred, grave, are thus asked to embrace the bitter litical espionage !" Do you not manifest the and corrupting faith of both the other factions: cans must rule America," by daubing our at the same time, and sink into the degraded position of serfs and slaves, and be thoughtless instruments in the hands of cunning and designing leaders.

Fellow citizens of Pennsylvania, of whatever previous political belief, wherever born and of whatever religious persuasion; will you permit proceedings so disgraceful to your character, and so at variance with the genius of our institutions, to have your sanction, or to pass without signal rebuke ? If a few men representing antagonistic shades of political sentiment, can thus, for the vain and empty ers as wanting in respect and loyalty to the idea of partizan success, barter away your dignity and rights as electors, can thus corrupt ingly, look on the Know Nothing Legislature and pervert the ballot-box, and make it the of Massachusetts passing a law that nullifies instrument of their mischief, instead of the medium of your deliberate and pure convictions of public policy, then, indeed, may we lament the departed virtues and attractions of Under the peculiar circumstances, and within a lew days of the election, it will behood

sistent anticedents, if the Democrats and against the lights and dignities of the people

great mass of the Whig vote had gone over to we reflect that Mr. Neely was an orthodox Whig, and regularly nominated by the Whig party--that your Star professed to be the leadng Whig organ of this county-that Mr. Wilson had always been opposed to you and the

his claims as an aspirant for the Democratic nomination for Assembly -- when we reflect on l these and similar facts, the length and breadth. and height and depth of the inconsistency and duplicity of your "first wrong step," begins to shine forth in all its native brilliancy. When you had thus far departed from the

