

ORIGINAL MISCELLANEOUS. For the Morning Post. SON OF THE BUCANIER. BY DOSS. My bark's the bucanier's. Awaiting for me: My bones 'mid the billows. Come, here, with me. Whilst the bright stars are keeping Their vigil above, And all 'round the waters, We'll whisper our love.

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The Morning Post. THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 11, 1847. DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS. FOR GOVERNOR. FRANCIS P. SHUNK, OF ALLEGANY COUNTY. FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER. MORRIS LONGSTRETH, OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

Dr. Phelps's sermon. The eloquent sermon of Dr. Phelps, Rector of Trinity Church, on last Sabbath, on the subject of the Family in Ireland, has been politely furnished us for publication. We present to our readers to-morrow copious extracts from this beautiful discourse.

Our candidates are now fairly in the field. The State Convention with great unanimity has nominated for our support, **SERAX and LEONARD**, for the two highest offices in the gift of the people of this State. "Old Shunk" is known to us all, and loved for his intelligence and honesty. Our candidate for Canal Commissioner is a new name to us; but his friends and neighbors who brought him before the convention voted for his worth.

Let us then be prepared for the encounter; let us organize for the contest which is to be decided next October. We urge in every city, town and district, clubs for the promotion of the cause of truth which mark the progress of Democracy. We are right in every principle we advocate, and our enemies would do us wrong if they comprehended the high aims to which our statements and political leaders aspire. It cannot be that we are wrong if the greatest good for the greatest number is a correct principle for the masses proposed and the "abstractions" broached by the few and the largest liberty to our party in the intelligent and interested masses of the people.

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LOCAL MATTERS. ELECTION IN LAWRENCEVILLE. The abstract of the official returns of the election for Borough Officers, held in Lawrenceville on Tuesday last, it will be observed that the Democrats generally have been successful; though for we do not know certain—that party lists were not strictly drawn, as they should not be in municipal elections—particularly in small towns.

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THE THEATRE. Opens on Saturday night. Mr. Porter has engaged the following gentlemen and ladies in addition to the old company—*Mrs. O'Leary, Mrs. Morhouse and Leary; Mrs. and Miss Anderson, Mrs. O'Connell, &c.* These are all familiar names, and we feel assured that they will be popular. The Manager bids fair to redeem his pledge made at the close of last season, viz.—to open March with the best company that could be engaged.

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DESPATCHES FOR THE POST. BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH. PHILADELPHIA, March 10, 1847. The New Orleans Delta received last night at Washington, a letter from Tampon, which says that a battle was fought near Sanfilippo between Gen. Taylor and Santa Anna. The slaughter on both sides was very great. Arista was wounded. The Americans were triumphant. The Presidency of the same day positively contradicts the above account.

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