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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES:

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OF PENNSYLVANIA:

Subject to decision of the Democratic General Convention.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT:

WILLIAM R. KING,

OF ALABAMA:

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Movements of Kossuth.

From telegraphic despatches received last night, we learn that Governor Kossuth will reach Pittsburgh on Tuesday morning. This will give the various committees ample time to make all necessary arrangements for the brilliant reception that awaits the distinguished patriot.

THE NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

If the news from Washington can be relied upon, it is evident that a crisis is approaching which will create intense excitement throughout the country. There is no doubt but that Chevalier Hulsemann is very much displeased, with the glorious reception that Gov. KOSSUTH has received from the *People* of the United States, and he is therefore anxious to return home to the dominions of Austrian and Russian tyranny. We presume Mr. WEBSTER has spoken the truth in too plain and honest a manner to meet the approval of the gallant Chevalier. Well, let him go—who cares? The Government did wrong in receiving a representative from Austria in the first place. The resolutions introduced by Gen. Cass into the Senate, suspending all diplomatic intercourse with Austria, should have been adopted:—for a nation that would join in crushing Freedom and butchering the patriots of Hungary, does not deserve to be recognized by any civilized and christian people in the world.

Our telegraphic despatches from Washington are not definite; but it is evident that the Government is making preparations for any emergency that may arise. This is right. The People of the United States will not submit to any insolence or indignities from the despotic Governments of Europe. Our People know their rights and will maintain them at every hazard. And, moreover, we will offer our sympathies to the down-trodden Peoples of the Old World, and bid them God-speed in the holy cause in which they are engaged, despite all the growlings of the Russian Bear and the Austrian Hyena!

BUTLER COUNTY.

A convention of the Democracy of Butler County was held at the Court House in that place on Tuesday, the 13th inst., and JOHN GRAHAM, Esq., was unanimously elected representative Delegate, and HUGH MCKEE, Esq., appointed Senatorial Delegate, with instructions in favor of the Hon. JAMES BUCHANAN for President. A resolution was also passed, instructing the conferees, who are to meet similar conferees from Beaver and Lawrence counties, at Zelienople, Butler County, on the last Saturday of the present month, to vote for no person as Senatorial Delegate to the 4th of March Convention, who is not an avowed friend of Mr. Buchanan, and who has not always been such. The staunch Democracy of this county, are too well aware of the talent, and moral excellence of Mr. Buchanan, to permit themselves to be humbugged into the support of a set of disorganizers who have attempted to strike down this great and good man. Every where in the State, where the democracy has been uninfluenced, by the spirit of disorganization, Mr. Buchanan has increased in popularity, and we should not be astonished if in the State Convention there should be three-fourths of the delegates in his favor. Butler County has been true to herself, and true to the pure democracy of the State.

The Rush to California.

The New York *Herald* states that the emigration to California never was so great as it is at present. Every steamship which leaves New York for that new State, is crowded to its fullest capacity. We understand (adds the *Herald*,) that every state room, cabin, and even standee, in the steamship Ohio, which leaves here to-day (January 10th,) for Chagres, is engaged, and that no further accommodation can be had for love or money. The emigration to California, is indeed becoming immense, and the most significant feature of it is, that whole families are packing up their traps and flitting away to the land of gold. It appears that almost every man of family who has visited California, returns only for the purpose of taking his wife and children with him, with the view of making a permanent settlement on the shores of the Pacific. We are glad to see that among the passengers now-a-days to the modern, if not the ancient Ophir, are many of the fair sex. This is right and proper. Heretofore, the disproportion between the males and the females, in that new State, has been too great; while among the Mormons, in Utah, the reverse has been the case. All that California requires to make it the Empire State of the Pacific, is that the softer sex shall emigrate thither in sufficient numbers to prevent the males from degenerating into barbarism which they would certainly do if they were deprived of the benignant influences of woman.

CONGRESS.—We have but little to repeat about the proceedings of this august body, except that the members are drawing their eight dollars a day, and all the perquisites to which they are entitled.

For many years past we have thought that the "world was governed too much," and so far as our Congress is concerned, we are certain that we are right.

The time of the Senate and the House thus far has been spent in mere twattle, on questions of no interest to the people, and certainly of no use to the people.

LOVE OF LIBERTY HEREDITARY.—In the "Life of Kossuth," recently published in the Phrenological Journal, we find the following: "It may be shown what blood runs in the veins of this modern hero, to state that the chronicle of his ancestors show that seventeen of them, at different times have been executed for political offences against despotic rule."

RAILROAD DIVIDEND.—The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company have declared a dividend of 3½ per cent. on the preferred stock, and 3½ per cent. on the common stock, payable on the 17th inst., free from State Tax. Shares have advanced 8½ per cent. in consequence. At the last sales, they brought $32½.

☞ The Washington *Commonwealth*, edited by the renowned Seth T. Hurd, a lineal descendant of Sir John Fallstaff, comes to us greatly enlarged and improved. We are rejoiced to learn that Hurd has recently joined the moral reform Society, and there is now a prospect of him becoming a decent member of society.

☞ Capt. JACOB ZEIGLER, Editor of the Butler Herald, and as true-hearted a Democrat, as ever breathed, honored us with a visit yesterday. The Captain, we are pleased to state, is enjoying excellent health.

DRAM SHOP.—It seems by a report of the City Marshal, that of the whole number of 1,500 dram shops in Boston, 1,010 are kept by foreigners.

THE CITY ELECTION.

We expected to be able to present our readers with the full and official vote for Mayor and City Councils, before this, but owing to some mistake, the return judges did not meet on Wednesday. The new Councils meet to-day, to be sworn into office, when all the votes, we presume, will be counted. We give below the only returns we have received:

First Ward—Select Council: Allen Cordell, Common Council: Cyrus Black, Robert M. Riddle, Adams, Getty, S. A. Long. [All whigs.]

Second Ward—Select Council: George Wilson. Common Council: Alfred P. Anshutz, Wm. J. Howard, jr., Robert Mackey. [All whigs.]

Third Ward—Select Council: A. M. Pollock, dem. 821, William Mackey,* whig, 358. Common Council: George Funston, dem. 351, John Barton, dem. 318, John Quinn, dem. 316, Robert Duncan, dem. 314, A. Holstein, dem. 312, Jas. H. Latshaw, dem. 195, Thos. Scott,* whig 367, Jas. Montooth,* whig 395, R. J. Smith,* whig 377, Thos. M. Marshall,* whig 389, E. H. Day,* whig 454, H. P. Mueller, whig 351. There is a tie vote between Messrs. Funston and Mueller.

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Seventh Ward—Select Council: John N. McClowry. Common Council: A. J. Gribben, Lewis Boiles. [All democrats.]

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Ninth Ward—Select Council: William Bailey Common Council: Thomas Stanger, Johnston Little. [All whigs.]

☞ The despatch which we published yesterday from Harrisburg, must have been prepared by one of the patriots who made his escape through the back window of the Senate, during the memorable "Buckshot war." A more ridiculous piece of nonsense was never concocted. It seems that the patriotic ladies of Harrisburg, in their eager desire to hear the illustrious Magyar, visited the Capitol at an early hour, and snugly seated themselves upon the luxurious cushions of the members, and the citizens of the town and surrounding country crowded the lobbies and rotunda before the Legislative Solons could get inside. Now, twist and exaggerate the matter as you please, this was all the "row" and "mob" that took place! How gallant it was to call out the military to drive the ladies from the members seats!! Bah!

A CHANCE FOR SPECULATION.—We find the following advertisement in the New York *Albion*, copied from an English paper. We have no hesitation to give this advertisement of Mister Francis Joseph an insertion in our columns gratis; but at the same time we would remark to all slave-catchers, that this is not a case that tops over the dark waste of European Despotism The hardy Switzer still feels how fresh and vigorous manhood is upon the wild and almost inaccessible summits of his mountains. The foot of the speller had defiled the sanctuary of Swiss freedom, and the impious hand of conquest had once as well nigh extinguished the sacred fire upon its inmost altar. But that spoiler came clothed in garments of light—the charms of youth and matchless eloquence—the dignity of early and unmerited sufferings—the majesty of irresistible intellect and the dazzling splendors of military renown, acquired in such a conflict as was never before known, and since that period the people that robbed of his freedom. He was confined in the barrack-gaol of Kutayeh, but escaped on the 1st September. It is strongly suspected he was harboured by the Captain of the *Mississippi*, as he was seen on board that ship at Spezzia, Marseilles, and Lisbon. Captains and masters of vessels are particularly cautioned against harbouring or concealing the said fugitive on board their ships, as the full penalty of the law will be rigourously enforced. He was lately heard of in England, where he passed himself off for free, but is supposed to have sailed for the Continent in the *Humboldt*. He has a free Magyar woman for his wife, by the name of Teresa Meszleyi, lately removed to the United States, and is said to be at the house of President Fillmore, where it is likely her husband will be lurking, or she harbouring him. He speaks English well, but with a slight stutter, particularly if a little excited.

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Advance of the Revolution.

During the past week, several long and interesting letters from the Emigrations in London, have been received by the German press of this city. The already famous communication of LOUIS BLANC, which corroborated as it is by the latest movements of the despotic governments in Europe, and by the correspondence of our own and the English papers, has created so much excitement and alarm in all liberal countries, has also reached this place in lithograph. But, as it had previously appeared in the papers of Holland and Belgium, and been translated from them into the London "Daily News," the writer deems a second and probably inferior translation unnecessary, especially as the prints of our city have made copious extracts from the letter in question, and accompanied them with proper comment.

Another lithograph from *Karl Schurz*, the student who, in so daring and romantic a manner, effected the escape of his preceptor, Dr. KINKEL, from the horrid dungeons of Spandau, recapitulates a mass of facts already known to the American reader through other channels. It laments the condition of France, and concludes with the expression of an idea which is now evidently uppermost among the German Democrats —that the rest of Europe must no longer wait for France, but must move on, *with* the "grande nation," if possible, *without* her if needs be. This is the true principle, and the German leaders have long been laboring to convince their people of it. Should the 170 millions of Europe groan on in bondage, forgetful of the terrible, the irresistible powers which they possess —merely awaiting uncertain contingencies, or the conjectured action of parties in France? No! in this case, assuredly, the rhyme holds good that "they who would be free, *themselves* must strike the blow"—that is to say, professing, as the Germans do, numbers, secret combination and discipline to an extent unparalleled, (unless in Italy,) arms, ammunition, and even money—along with fierce courage and undying hatred of their oppressors—they should gird up their loins to a great, independent effort of their own. Were their revolutionary organization less perfect than it is—were Germany less republican or less spirited—*were all light excluded*—and all means of action gone—then, indeed, the poetic phrase quoted above, would cease to be anything but a *phrase*. Then would the barrier have to be broken through from the outside. Even now, so closely are the German people watched, that it is only with the greatest trouble and expense that they can communicate with their leaders who are in exile. Therefore, loans of money have been necessary to meet these expenses until the beginning of the movement, and to furnish a fund for the first sudden operations of the Revolution. But, assuredly, Democratic Germany is stronger than ever, and readier for battle. Hungary eagerly holds out her arms for her chosen Chief. Italy is a perfectly drilled and exercised body, of which Mazzini is the fiery soul—soul and body are yearning for conjunction in a new and giant birth. In Holland and Belgium the flame of Liberty burns brightly still. In Sardinia, its radiance is dimmed but steady—men have met and do now meet in the caverns of Gruth, and among the glaciers of the highest Alps to heap fresh fuel upon that cheering flame which has shone out for long centuries from those far-off mountain tops over the dark waste of European Despotism The hardy Switzer still feels how fresh and vigorous manhood is upon the wild and almost inaccessible summits of his mountains. The foot of the speller had defiled the sanctuary of Swiss freedom, and the impious hand of conquest had once as well nigh extinguished the sacred fire upon its inmost altar. But that spoiler came clothed in garments of light—the charms of youth and matchless eloquence—the dignity of early and unmerited sufferings—the majesty of irresistible intellect and the dazzling splendors of military renown, acquired in such a conflict as was never before known, and since that period the people that robbed of his freedom. He was confined in the barrack-gaol of Kutayeh, but escaped on the 1st September. It is strongly suspected he was harboured by the Captain of the *Mississippi*, as he was seen on board that ship at Spezzia, Marseilles, and Lisbon. Captains and masters of vessels are particularly cautioned against harbouring or concealing the said fugitive on board their ships, as the full penalty of the law will be rigourously enforced. He was lately heard of in England, where he passed himself off for free, but is supposed to have sailed for the Continent in the *Humboldt*. He has a free Magyar woman for his wife, by the name of Teresa Meszleyi, lately removed to the United States, and is said to be at the house of President Fillmore, where it is likely her husband will be lurking, or she harbouring him. He speaks English well, but with a slight stutter, particularly if a little excited.

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Arrival of the Steamer Brother Jonathan.

The steamship Brother Jonathan arrived at New York on Saturday with dates from Chagres to the 27th ult., and Kingston to the 3d inst.

The steamer Union was at Chagres waiting passengers, which are very scarce on the Isthmus this season of the year.

Advices from Kingston, Jam., to Jan 31 speak gloomily of the sugar cultivation in the island It is said it has long been a losing business, and will soon be extinct. An application for the pardon of the St David's Rioters has been refused. The small Pox was raging fatally in the village of Buncan, and its vicinity.

The Captain and crew of the schooner Citizen from Virginia, which had been wrecked 400 miles, from New York, arrived at Port Royal December 20th

The British Admiral's ship, with several other men-of-war, was lying off Port Royal when the Brother Jonathan sailed It was stated that they were bound to San Juan to settle matters there. We are inclined to think that the latter report is not true, as the Admiral and his fleet on the West Indi and North American stations generally rendezvous at Jamaica and Bermuda in the winter, and at Halifax in the summer

Kossuth and Capt. Long.

We have noticed several statements relative to these gentlemen, and it seems to be but proper to copy the following from the New York Times:

Capt Long and the other officers of the *Mississippi* were expressly instructed, by an order from the Navy department, to treat Kossuth with attention, respect and distinction in all the named branches, or any information concerning the arrangements are invited to call at the College and get a Circular Business hours both day and evening. See advertisement in another column.

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