



POTTSVILLE.

Saturday Morning, Jan. 16.

We refer our readers to our annual statistical table of the Anthracite Coal Trade of the United States...

We refer our readers to the Annual Report of the Managers of the Schuylkill Navigation Company...

An order for \$5 on a Store was dropped in this office on Wednesday last...

The collection in Trinity Church for missions, will be made to-morrow...

Harrison & Tyler Ball.—A splendid Harrison and Tyler Ball is to be given in Philadelphia...

The Democratic Harrison State Committee, have fixed upon Wednesday, the 10th of March...

Pinegrove.—The quantity of Coal shipped from this place last year, was 23,860 tons...

Schuylkill Navigation.—Since our last publication we have endeavored to glean all the information respecting the damages sustained by the works of this company...

The Reading Railroad, throughout the whole line, we learn, has sustained very little damage from the late tremendous freshet...

Boats.—Those who have a little money to spare, could not invest it to better advantage than by having boats built during the winter season...

The County Commissioners have made the following appointments: Jacob Hantziger, Jr. Esq., Treasurer...

Honor to whom honor is due.—Several papers are claiming the credit for particular individuals, for having been the first to nominate Gen. Harrison for the Presidency...

Bank U. S. Loan.—The Philadelphia Standard of Wednesday last, states that Mr. Jaudon has obtained another loan of \$2,500,000...

We are also pleased to learn that all the iron required to complete the Reading Railroad has been purchased...

The Legislature of Delaware has elected the Hon. Thomas Clayton, and the Hon. Richard B. Bayard, both friends of Gen. Harrison...

Coal has advanced \$2 per ton in Philadelphia since the freshet.

The Democrats have gained another member of Congress, in Georgia, to supply the place of Mr. Columbia Loco, who resigned.

Every mail brings accounts of the devastating effects of the recent freshet in various sections of the country...

Mail Robbery.—Several extensive mail robberies have recently been committed on the Western Mail Route...

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The prediction that a Rolling mill will be erected at Danville, before such an establishment will be erected at this place...

Another Democratic Congressman.—On the third trial in the Tenth Congressional District in Massachusetts...

The Flood.

The recent freshet extended over a very large section of the country, and the damages sustained is immense.

All the Bridges from Easton to Philadelphia, over the Delaware have been swept away, except the one at Trenton.

The accounts from the Lehigh are appalling.—Later accounts fully confirm the following frightful description of the ravages of the freshet from that quarter:

Extract of a letter received by the private express, dated

MAUCH CHUNK, Jan. 7, 1841. Thursday evening, 11 o'clock.

One of the most awful and tremendous freshets that have ever happened in this part of the State has taken place here. It commenced raining last evening, and has not yet ceased.

Friday Evening.—Our darkest forebodings have been more than realized. All our beautiful navigation, above and below, is swept away.

Since the above was placed in type, we find the following in the National Gazette: "More recent information, from credible sources, states that none of the dams or locks between Easton and Mauch Chunk...

Every Bridge on the line of the Beaver Meadow Railroad from Black Creek to Parryville have been carried away.

The Crane Iron Works on the Lehigh were inundated—chilled up, and the stack almost ruined.

The New York papers contain accounts of the great damage caused by the raising of the rivers in that neighborhood.—The great dam erected by the City of New York across the river being part of the works in progress for supplying that City with water...

The editor of the Danville Democrat in reply to our last article, appears to be so exalted at the prospect of the Iron business...

"Our neighbor of Pottsville, the editor, forgets entirely that, in comparison with Pottsville, we are not merely near the coal region, but in it—that coal is furnished here now at Two Dollars per ton...

Friend Cook must be joking. He really cannot be serious in believing for one moment, that Coal can be obtained as cheap at Danville as at Pottsville. If he is, he must be laboring under a great delusion.

But this is not all. In converting Pig metal into manufactured iron, no Ore is used—fuel alone is required. This is the reason that Messrs. Biddle, Chambers, & Co. located their Rolling mill in the Coal region...

As regards the ton of pig metal alluded to, we can only state that it was made from Ore procured out of the Coal region, which proved to be of rather an inferior quality.

The prediction that a Rolling mill will be erected at Danville, before such an establishment will be erected at this place, is not likely to be verified either.

Glentworth, the Tobacco Inspector, and Recorder Morris, of New York, who figured largely in the late "conspiracy," have both been removed from office by Gov. Seward.

Anthracite Coal Trade of the United States.

The following Table exhibits the quantity of Anthracite Coal sent to market from the different Regions from the commencement of the Trade in 1820 to 1841, together with the annual increase and consumption.

Table with columns for Year, Schuylkill, Lehigh, and Annual Consumption. It shows a steady increase in coal production and consumption over the period from 1820 to 1841.

The above Table includes the Shipments from all the Anthracite Regions in the State, except the Wilkesbarre Basin, from which we have no returns. This supply, however, does not effect the Atlantic market...

The Coal Trade.

The following is the actual quantity of Coal shipped from the different Regions in the years 1839 and 1840.

Table showing coal shipment data for Schuylkill, Lehigh, Lackawanna, Beaver Meadows, Hazleton, Sugarloaf, Pinegrove, and Shamokin for the years 1839 and 1840.

By the above statement, which can be relied on as correct, it will be observed that although the quantity shipped during the late season, was 47,000 tons more than the previous year, still the quantity in the market for the consumption of the present year is about the same as last year.

The average increase of the consumption for the last eight years, has been about 50,000 tons.—Should the increase in the consumption this year be the same, only about 50,000 tons will remain over at the opening of the navigation next spring.

Table showing the quantity of coal sold on the line of the Canal between this place and Philadelphia for the years 1826 to 1840.

It will be observed that the quantity required on the line of the Canal has considerably increased for the last year. This is caused by the demand for Coal at the different Iron Works on the line.

Legislative.—The Senate was organized by the election of the Hon. Charles B. Penrose, Speaker, George W. Hammersly, Clerk, & John B. Wade, Door-keeper...

In the House, George W. Crabb, Esq., of Philadelphia, was elected Speaker on the third ballot, by a vote of 53 to 44, over Ner Middlewarth.

We are pleased to learn that James S. Wallace, Esq., has been elected Printer of the English Journal.—H. Montgomery has been elected Printer of the German Journal.

The work of reform goes bravely on at Harrisburg. Our Democratic members will not disappoint their constituents. A reformation as regards the Public Printing has already been introduced in the House...

On Monday last, upwards of 30 petitions were presented from various parts of the State, praying for a Law authorizing the Banks to issue one, two and three dollar bills.

Petitions are pouring into our Legislature from every quarter of the State, calling upon the Legislature to enact a Law, making the Canal Commissioners elective by the People.

A large number of petitions have also been presented in favor of an Asylum for the Insane Poor.

Mr. Johnson, of Armstrong, has introduced a Preliminary and Resolution in favor of distributing the proceeds of the Sales of the Public Lands among the

POWDER-MILLS, CLOVER-MILLS, FLOURING-MILLS & CARDING-MACHINES, BREWERIES, FOUNDRIES & MACHINE-SHOPS, STORES, PUBLIC OFFICES & POSTS OF PROFIT, HOUSES & LOTS, PLEASURE CARRIAGES, TRADES & OCCUPATIONS, SPECULATORS, WARE & FORWARDING HOUSES, SINGLE FREEMEN, ATTORNEYS, C. LAUDERBURN, Clerk.

Table listing various professions and their associated rates, such as Powder-mills, Flouring-mills, Breweries, and Public Offices.

We have received a number of a paper called "Times and Seasons," published at Nauvoo, Illinois, the head quarters of the Mormons in Illinois.

This conference was held at Philadelphia, and the minutes show these facts:—1. That they call themselves the ' Latter Day Saints'.

Mean of 72 results upon the Yataly-fera Anthracite Iron, No. 1. Ditto of 10 different sorts of Bituminous Iron, Fairbairn & Hodgkinson's lists.

From the improvement the above iron appears to impart, by mixing with inferior irons, of which I have on record, from my engineering friends, several practical examples, I have no hesitation in saying it could be extensively used for this application alone.

The Commissioners of Schuylkill county, together with the Assessors, having met this day agreeably to an act of Assembly, passed April 15, 1834, for fixing a uniform standard to ascertain the bona fide Value of Property made Taxable by the aforesaid Act, do agree on the following Rates for the County of Schuylkill.

Table of property tax rates for various categories including Lands, Horses, Cows, Saw-mills, Grist-mills, Distilleries, Tan-yards, Forges, Furnaces, and Rolling-mills.

The Wealth of England.—It is a common error in this country, to imagine that the riches of England are derived from and dependent upon her commerce...

Estimate, if it can be estimated, the immense amount of treasure in the country, existing in the form of plate and jewels. Why at a single dinner given in London on the 19th of June, gold and silver plate to the value of a million and a half of dollars was exhibited at once...

Without taking the crown of jewels into the account, it is no doubt susceptible of proof that in London alone there are gold and silver plate and jewels to the amount of two hundred millions of dollars; and it must be remembered that mighty as London is, the wealth of the kingdom in wrought gold and silver is very far from being centered there.

The next article is "Minutes of a Conference" of a regularly organized church. The minutes show that they have a regular priesthood, as in other churches. They have elders and priests. It also claims that they have different orders of these, as one 'Aaronic' order.

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St. Matthew. This Apostle and Evangelist is supposed to have suffered martyrdom, or was slain with a sword at a city of Ethiopia.

St. John. This Apostle and Evangelist was put into a cauldron of boiling oil, at Rome, and escaped death. He afterwards died a natural death at Ephesus, in Asia.

St. Peter. This Apostle was crucified at Rome, with his head downwards, by his own request, thinking himself unworthy to die in the same posture and manner as his blessed master.

St. James the Great. This Apostle was beheaded at Jerusalem.

St. James the Less. This Apostle was thrown from a pinnacle, or wing of the Temple, and then braten to death with a Fuller's club.

St. Philip. This Apostle was hanged up against a pillar at Hierapolis, a city of Phrygia.

St. Bartholomew. This Apostle was flayed alive by the command of a barbarous King.

St. Andrew. This Apostle was bound to a cross, where he preached to the people until he expired.

St. Thomas. This Apostle was run through the body with a lance, at Comorandell, in the East Indies.

St. Jude. This Apostle was shot to death with arrows.

St. Simeon, zealot. This Apostle was crucified in Persia.

St. Matthias. This Apostle was first stoned and then beheaded.

St. Barnabas. This Apostle of the Gentiles was stoned to death by the Jews, at Salonia.

St. Paul. This Apostle was beheaded at Rome, by the tyrant Nero.

The Morality of the Bible.—It were no over bold opinion, that if the Bible were not the word of God and could not be proved to be the word of God, it would nevertheless be the most precious of books, and do immeasurably more for a land than the finest production of literature and philosophy.

Confession of a Murderer.—The Lexington, Ky. Observer contains a confession made and signed by Gilbert N. Richey who was hung at Carlisle, N. H. on the 25th of November last.

One Term.—The Harrisburg Chronicle, of Monday last, says: Mr. Reed has offered a resolution in the Senate providing for the alteration of the Constitution so as to render a governor of this State ineligible after one term.

Newspapers.—There are 1555 in the U. States; 267 in New England; 274 in New York; 253 in Pennsylvania, and 164 in Ohio, &c.

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Advice.—Young men if you go on a sleigh ride, be sure that you have bells in your sleigh as well as bells on the horses. Samuel Veller says that such bells are werry musical.