



POTTSVILLE.

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For President, General ZACHARY TAYLOR; For Governor, General JAMES IRVIN.

As the Governor's Election is approaching, and a LOCAL QUESTION is to be decided in this County...

PRELIMINARY ITEMS. BILLS.—We subscribe to endorse bills to three intended for continuing &c. and would respectfully request all to read the accounts...

JOURNAL of the Franklin Institute.—The number for July is on table. It is devoted to mechanical and physical Science.

NO PILEDRING.—The editors of the Daily Star, and some others of the Philadelphia press, when copying articles from this paper, are politely requested to observe the rules.

ERRATUM.—In our notice, last week, of the new Church at Lancaster, we should have said Corcoran, instead of William Stevenson.

OUTSIDE PAGES.—Poetry very fine. The Tale has three important features to recommend it: it is well written; it is short; it conveys a good moral.

CROWDED OUT.—We are compelled to omit several columns of advertisements and new matter prepared for the present number.

TAMAQUA IMPROVEMENT.—Among our new advertisements this morning, we take the liberty of directing attention to that of Messrs. Hudson, Smith & Co.

REMOVAL BILL.—This second Declaration of Independence will be found in our advertising columns today.

MILL PROPERTY.—We refer our readers to the advertisement in which we announced our intention to sell a very desirable Mill Property in Northampton.

NOT DEAD.—The man Flynn, engaged in the affair near Weaver's mines, last week, is not dead, it appears. It is thought he will recover.

J. M. C. has been received and will appear in our next publication.

FOREIGN NEWS. Since our last, no less than three steamships have arrived from England, bringing dates to the 20th ult.

The rumor of the marriage of the Duke of Wellington, with the wealthy Miss Bouquet Coutts, gains strength.

Accounts from Ireland are generally of a more favorable character. Fever is abating in violence, and we hope the tide has now set in favorably, and that better times are at hand.

The King of the Belgians, it is confidently stated, contemplates the abdication of his crown on account of his increasing ill health.

Advices from Rome announce that the Pope had issued two decrees, the one authorizing the formation of a national guard on the French principle throughout his dominions, and the other sanctioning the establishment of railroads.

Two measures had produced the greatest enthusiasm in Rome. It is also reported that Pius IX. had refused to sign a decree for the banishment of one hundred persons obnoxious to the cardinals.

The King of Sweden has created M. Schomberg and Bottinger, the inventors of gun cotton, knights of the order of Vasa.

The editor of the Art Union Journal, says he has recently seen a block of ice two feet long and nearly two inches thick, produced from pure spring water, in twenty minutes, by a patent process.

The French Government has authorized Prince Jerome Bonaparte to return to France, and send him his passport.

Mrs. Quilman, only daughter of the venerable poet Laureate Wordsworth, expired at Rydal Mount, the poet's residence, at 1 o'clock on Friday week, after many weeks' suffering from pulmonary consumption.

Miss Cushman, the celebrated American artist is now at Dr. Wilson's hydropathic establishment, Great Malvern, Worcester-shire, where she is rapidly recovering from her late severe indisposition.

DEFALCATIONS.—Wm. B. Averett, teller, and James B. Green, book-keeper, in the Branch Bank of Virginia, at Lynchburg, have defrauded that institution out of large sums of money.

At Washington, a Clerk in the Post Office, named Jones, son of Dr. Jones, late Post Master of that city, has been found guilty of abstracting money from letters to the amount of some \$30,000.

He is a young man, rich and aristocratic! Run off of course—bail \$5,000. Profits \$25,000!—Slack, isn't it!

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A POUND OF COTTON.—The paragraph which we annex, is not new, but it contains such an amount of information respecting the various processes that a pound of cotton has to undergo before it appears in the form of cloth, that the history is interesting.

This is a small town on the west branch of the river Schuylkill, about two miles from the borough of Pottsville, in the Schuylkill county, and is becoming a place of considerable business; and is fast improving.

Among the mining operations of M. G. & P. Heller, their collieries near Lewistown, especially deserve notice. Several years ago a drift was laid down on the tunnel vein just below the town of Lewistown, by Mr. S. Brook, which was subsequently abandoned.

IRON CARRIAGE WHEELS.—The Salem, N. J. Standard says that a carriage wheel of the iron of the Pennsylvania Railroad, made at the Double-Disk Metallic Carriage Wheel Works, is a double disk, consisting of an outer and an inner rim, the latter being of iron, and the former of steel.

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FATAL ACCIDENT.—The Lancaster Union states that an accident occurred to the down train of the Passenger Cars, about four miles below Lancaster, on Friday last, by which two miners, from this place, named Edward Edwards and John Williams, were instantly killed.

VERY NICE.—We see that our Borough authorities have caused finger-bands to be placed at the corners of the streets, labelled with the names of each, and a pretty hand indicating "which is which." Our anxiety is at the corner of Centre street and Church Alley.

NEW LINE.—Mr. Geo. Jennings has placed a new line of elegant Omnibuses on the road between this place and Mount Carbon.

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