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WHIG NOMINATIONS.

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Antimasonic and Whig County Ticket.

FOR COMMISSIONER—THREE DEPUTY.

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FRANCIS I. GARDNER, Elizabeth.

Mass Convention of the 23d.

PRIZE BANNERS!

☞ The Scott Executive Committee for the County will present three Banners. One to the Ward of the two cities having the largest delegation in procession on the 23d inst. One to the township or borough in the county having the largest delegation, taking the distance into consideration, and one to the county, without respect to State, having the largest delegation, distance considered.

BY THE COMMITTEE.

Antimasonic and Whig County Convention

☞ In consequence of the decease of our respected fellow citizen, JOHN GEBHART, who received the nomination as the Whig candidate for the office of the Associate Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions, at the Antimasonic and Whig Convention, which met on the second day of June last, it becomes necessary to supply his place on our ticket—therefore, the members of the last Convention are requested to meet on next Friday, September 24th, at 12 o'clock, A. M., at the Court House in Pittsburgh, for the purpose of nominating a person as a candidate for the Associate Judgeship, in Mr. Gebhart's place.

JOSIAH KING, Chairman.

THE WHIG MASS CONVENTION.—This projected Convention of the people, which is to take place in this city, on next Thursday, the 23d inst., promises to be a most imposing gathering of the masses. Quite a number of eminent speakers from abroad have signified their intention to be present, and large delegations are expected from all the adjoining counties. The Committees who have the arrangements in charge are making extensive preparations to give order and system to the gathering, and to render it instructive and pleasant to all who attend. Both the eastern and Western Railroads have reduced the fare for the occasion to half price for the round trip. We expect delegations from the adjoining counties in Ohio, and we trust our whig citizens will give them a warm welcome. Let the "latch-string be out" on the occasion, and the old-fashioned rites of a hearty hospitality not be forgotten. See the various official notices on this subject in our columns.

THE OHIO STATE FAIR.—On our return from our late western trip, we were detained a day at Cleveland, from inability to force our way into the crowded trains, which were continually besieged with thousands of people anxious to return to their homes. We embraced the opportunity to visit the great Fair, which was one of the most extensive and imposing ever held in the State. It would take many columns to describe this vast collection of horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, agricultural productions and implements, manufactures, and works of art, which covered a space of more than twenty acres. The collection of stock was far the most extensive and decidedly the best we have ever seen—the cattle, especially, presenting a great number of most remarkable specimens.

We observed on the ground quite a number of Allegheny county agriculturalists and manufacturers, and we expect some of them will carry off premiums. Among the manufacturers from this city, we observed Messrs. Kennedy, Childs & Co., who had on exhibition various articles of cotton manufacture, such as sheeting, shirting, rope, bedcords, twine and and carpet chain. These specimens were very fine, and the cotton rope, especially, elicited both astonishment and admiration. This rope is a new branch of manufacture, and promises to be one of great importance. The cotton rope, so far as it has been tried, has proved to be equal if not better than most other descriptions for various purposes, such as tow-lines on canals, *etc.*

Messrs. Warner, Parke & Co., of this city, had on exhibition, 4-4 brown sheetings, 4-4 colored chambrays, dyed and white carpet chain, white and colored twine, and cotton yarns. These goods were also very beautiful—the colored goods especially taking us by surprise, as we had overlooked the fact that they were so extensively manufactured here.

Another company from this city, Messrs. J. Horne & Co., exhibited a fine assortment of domestic woolen hosiery and woolen stocking yarns which were generally admired, and for which they were awarded a first premium.

Messrs. Singer, Hartman & Co., exhibited a splendid collection of steel springs, axles, plough steel, and various other productions of their manufacture, which were greatly admired.

Maffit & Old exhibited various descriptions of brass cocks, and gas fittings; and A. & D. H. Chambers exhibited some very fine specimens of window glass.

There were other Pittsburghers on the ground, with articles on exhibition, but our time was so limited that we were unable to make a thorough examination. Some of the above noticed will no doubt receive premiums, as well as others from here, which we shall be glad to announce if we are informed of the fact.

Pittsburgh, we feel assured, made a good impression at the Ohio State Fair, and we regret that our manufacturers had not turned out in greater force.

Since the above was in type, we observed a fuller list of the Pittsburghers present, and also some of the premiums, in a letter to the Chronicle, as follows:

The Pittsburgh Department comprises:

Singer, Hartman & Co., (Sheffield Works.)
M. Graff & Co., (Moulder's Union Foundry.)
M'Murtry & Blair, (Steel and file Manufactory.)
Negley & Mohan, (Empire Works.)
Hall & Speer, (Plough Manufacturers.)
Livingston, Boggs & Co., (Novelty Works.)
Edwards, Morris & Co., (Excelsior Works.)
Nicholson & Payne, (Eagle Foundry.)
Campbell, Chess & Co., (Tack Factory.)
Kennedy, Childs & Co., (Penn Cotton Mills.)
Warner, Parke & Co., (Banner do do.)
Maffett & Old, (Brass Manufactory.)
O'Hara Glass Manufacturing Company.)
A. & D. Chambers, (Window Glass Manufac'y)
J. Barnes & Co., (Point Cracker Bakery.)
Rhodes & Verner, (Duquesne Cracker Bakery.)

Premiums awarded to Pittsburghers:

Kennedy, Childs & Co., first premium for Sheeting.

Warner, Parke & Co., do. for Cotton Carpet Chain.

A. & D. Chambers, do. for Window Glass.

O'Hara Glass Co., do. for Stained Glass.

Negley & Moses, do. for Manure and Hay Forks.

Rhodes & Verner, do. for Pilot Biscuit and Crackers.

M'Kelvy & Blair, do. for American Cast Steel.

Singer, Hartman & Co., do. for Axes and Elliptic Springs.

Maffet & Old, do. for Brass Manufactures.

Campbell, Chess & Co., do for Tacks (assorted.)

Hall & Speer, do. for the Hillside Plough.

Schuchmann & Co., do. for Lithographic Printing.

Nearly all these who were successful were subjected to great competition, and the rest are undecided until to-morrow's meeting of the committee.

JOE BARKER.—We are informed that the impression prevails to some extent among the people of the surrounding counties that this man is likely to be elected Sheriff of Allegheny county. We assure all who may feel any interest in the matter, that there is not the smallest probability of any such calamity and disgrace befalling us. That he should get any considerable number of votes is bad enough, without talking about electing him. The editors of the neighboring counties will please notice this. Barker will at least be the third man on the poll, while Magill will be the first.

As citizens of Pittsburgh and members of the press, we are mortified and disgusted at the language of the two locofoco organs of this city, the "*Post*" and "*Union*," respecting the arrival and reception of Gen. Scott; and if we could consent to purchase a triumph at the expense of truth and decency, we might, as Whigs, rejoice that they have taken a course that will certainly disgust all the respectable men of their party, and drive many of them out of it. Further than this we may not, without a sacrifice of self respect, notice them.

From the Post of Saturday.

WHAT MR. PIERCE DID SAY.

'Twixt tweedledum and tweedledee, much difference there is.

Our readers will recollect that the Hon. Henry A. Wise, at a political meeting in Virginia, had a conversation with one Mr. Mapp, relative to Mr. Pierce's saying to Mr. Hale, that if he, (Hale,) headed an army to march south to exterminate slavery, that he should first march over his (Pierce's) dead body.

Mr. Hale is out in a letter, and denies that Pierce and he ever had such a conversation.—Mr. Mapp has also been appealed to for the truth of this "thrilling dialogue," and has responded in a letter. From this letter, it appears that *Hale was not present* when Mr. Pierce made the remark, but that the remark was made *of* Hale, and *to a friend of Hale.*

We make the following extract from Mr. Mapp's letter. Let him speak for himself:—"And why I did not believe him, (Pierce,) an abolitionist, was, that he said in his speech, on the occasion, (to wit, the New Brighton speech,) that he did not think that Hale's party could mean what they said, that is *to effect the abolition of slavery by force of arms*, and if they did, he was sure that every good citizen was willing—*at least he would—to lay down his dead body to protect the Constitution.*"

What a curious jumble we have here. But how did Henry A. Wise's name come to be mixed up with the foolish story that went the rounds of the Democratic papers some time ago, of Hale having threatened to march an army to the South to liberate the slaves, and of Gen. Pierce springing to his feet and telling Hale to his teeth that if he did, he would have to *march over his dead body?* The point was handed about "thrilling Dialogue," and was paraded before the eyes of the astonished Democracy for some time.

By and by, Mr. Hale came out with a note denying that any such conversation ever took place. That was bad; so it was found necessary to vary it a little. It now appears that Gen. Pierce was only speaking of Hale, and not *to* him. For this second edition of the story, revised and corrected, we are indebted to a Mr. Mapp, and it will be found in the last paragraph of the above quotation. Read it again.

The idea of a man laying down his *dead* body, is original; and what service said dead body, even when laid down, would be to the constitution, is beyond our comprehension. But. Gen. Pierce of course knows more about war than we do, and this plan of protecting constitutions and fighting Mexicans seems to be a favorite one with him; for at Cherubusco, he laid down his body, as *dead* as he could conveniently make it. Certain it is, however, nobody marched over it on that occasion, for the *march* of the Mexicans was in the opposite direction; but *if* they had encountered that body, there is no knowing what might have been the consequence.

Now we protest against our *democratic* friends making their candidate ridiculous. Yesterday, we noticed a paragraph, *extracted* from a biography of Gen. Pierce, which made a great parade over the trifling fact that he had actually shaken hands with "a rough countryman upon his cart;" and *now* we have the above precious sword story. They first put rant and fustian into his mouth that he never uttered, and when they are drawn from that, they supply its place with language still more ridiculous. All this is done in a vain effort to make a hero of him, a thing that can never be done. Gen. Pierce is certainly not a great man, nor probably a very wise one; but he is not such a fool as to utter half the absurdities his friends attribute to him; nor do we believe that he is so vain as to suppose that his shaking hands with "a rough countryman" is an act worthy of being published to the whole world. Our object in noticing these things is to exhibit to an abused and humbugged *democracy* the servile, sringing, sycophantic spirit of some of their leaders. These are the kind of men that John Randolph so aptly denominated "dough-faces." He knew them, and despised them, but yet he used them when it suited his purpose to do so, as other Southern men, like him, are using them now.

The Marietta and Cincinnati Railroad has been let to contractors throughout its entire length, both to Belpre and to Marietta; the point of bifurcation being about 12 miles west of Parkersburg. The entire work including tunnelling, bridge building, construction, laying the iron, and every thing else necessary to prepare the road for the cars, was let to Messrs. Walter French & Co., of Lowell, Mass. These gentlemen possess the most ample means and resources for completing the work, within the time agreed upon, which is two years from the period of letting. They take some four hundred thousand dollars of their pay in the stock of the company which is equal to about 20 per cent. on the whole job.

DEATH BY COLDEAL.—We regret to learn that the Rev. Mr. Murray, of Sharpsburg, died of Cholera at Salem, Ohio, on Saturday last. He was on his return from Buffalo, N. Y., where no doubt he contracted the seeds of that fatal disease, which so rapidly hurried him away.

PITTSBURGH AND ERIE RAILROAD.—We are much gratified to learn that there is now strong probability that this work will go ahead. A meeting of the Board of Directors took place at New Castle, a few days ago, at which the following resolutions were passed:

Resolved, That the President be directed to advertise that portion of the road from the point of intersection with the Ohio and Pennsylvania Railroad, to the vicinity of the Pymatuning swamp, in Crawford county, for letting, as soon as the counties of Crawford, Mercer and Lawrence shall have completed their subscriptions, and appointed managers, as authorized by the Act of Assembly, which authorizes the said subscription; and that the day of letting shall not be later than the 20th of October.

Resolved, That the one-half of the subscription of Crawford county ($150,000,) shall be applied to the construction of a lateral branch road, running eastward by the borough of Meadville, as indicated upon Mr. Power's map, at the time that said subscription was authorized by the Grand Jury, and that John Dick, David Dickson, G. Church, Wm. Reynolds, Jno. M'Farland, W. Thorp, J. E. M'Farland, Wm. P. Stattuck, and D. A. Finney, be appointed a committee for the purpose of receiving further subscriptions for the said branch, and to appoint an Engineer for the purpose of making an examination of the said branch road.

A resolution was also passed directing an examination of the route by the town of Mercer, to enable the board to decide on the comparative merits of the different routes from New Castle to Greenville.

Stock sufficient to grade and bridge the road, it is said, has been secured, and that the project has been placed beyond all danger of failure.

GRAHAM'S MAGAZINE, for October, is a pleasant number, and is ornamented with several fine illustrations. The wood-cut feature of this Magazine is a happy hit, and adds much to its interest.

MEYER'S UNIVERSUM, Part 6, contains several most beautiful views, located in Hungary, Italy, Spain, and Switzerland. H. J. Meyer, N. York, Publisher.

Disturnell's Railroad, Steamboat, and Telegraph Book.—This is a very valuable guide and reference book, and should be in the hands of every traveller. For sale at the Bookstores.

NATIONAL PORTRAIT GALLERY NO. 10, containing portraits of Israel Putnam, Alexander Hamilton, Oliver H. Perry, is on table. Col. Hudson, Agent, will be found at the bookstore of A. H. English & Co., in the afternoons and evenings.

The Lecture of the Rev. Dr. BAIRD, last evening, at the Third Presbyterian Church, was pretty well attended, but not so well as it should have been for the credit of our city, considering the celebrity of the Lecturer, and the amount of instruction he communicates concerning the most interesting countries of the Old World. His Lecture was a general one, comprehending certain salient points of the continent of Europe, its governments, princes, population, manners, customs, and religion, and afforded to the audience much pleasant and useful instruction,—which would not be obtained so easily in any other manner. We would advise all our readers who can spare the time, especially our young readers, to attend Dr. Baird's full course of Lectures, as we feel assured that in no other way they can derive more real instruction, as well as rational amusement. See advertisement.

We have seen a letter from Gen. LESLIE COMBS, announcing his intention of being present at our great Mass Convention on the 23d inst. His presence, as well as that of several other distinguished men, will give great attraction to the Convention.

THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.—Every day the signs of a glorious triumph for General Scott are increasing. There can be no doubt that his prospects brighten every day. As the people warm up with the excitement of the contest, they array themselves on the side of the long-tried and favorably known veteran, instead of on that of the newly-fledged candidate of the locofoco party.

The *New York Tribune*, in an article on the prospects of the campaign, written with the caution which always characterises Mr. Greely's predictions, states that New York, unless Pennsylvania outdoes all expectation, will give the largest majority for Scott of any State in the Union, and that if the present tide sweeps on Pierce will hardly get fifty electoral votes. Says the Tribune:

Friends of General Scott! we know whereof we affirm when we assure you that all goes well. We are no prophet, and cannot say what the future has in store, but to day the prestige of success is all on our side and every indication portends an overwhelming triumph for Old Chippewa. Take hold with us, and place his triumph beyond doubt or contingency!

VERMONT.—The Whigs have a large working majority over all others, in the Legislature, and as compared with the popular vote at State election in 1848, they stand 3,000 better. Fairbanks (Whig) has 3,231 majority over Robinson (locofoco). Vermont will give about 10,000 majority for Scott.

The *N. Y. Courier & Enquirer*, whose devotion to the cause of Mr. Webster, previous to the Baltimore Convention, was most intense, and which still remains unabated, addresses an eloquent article to those few disaffected friends of that gentleman, who meditate running him as an independent candidate. We append a short extract:

"But hard as the case is, it might have been worse. Another and a very different selection might have been made, to bear aloft the Whig standard in the coming election; and we thank heaven that Webster falling to be our nominee, the Convention selected one who, next to Webster, most richly merited, and had best establish his claims to the nomination. In Winfield Scott the Whigs have a candidate for the Presidency, who is alike an honor to his country and the Whig party; and who, if elected, will administer the government upon Whig principles and in conformity to the Whig platform to which he is pledged. His public and private character, are alike without spot or stain; his education, his experience, and his administrative talents are admitted on all hands; his honor and magnanimity and devotion to the *right* and to conservative principles, are conceded alike by friend and foe; and his unparalleled military services to his country, are not only the theme of admiration both at home and abroad, but have won for him the title of the first Captain of the age, with the solitary exception of the Conqueror of Napoleon."

MAINE.—This State looks well. In the vote for Congress, which was not disturbed by Temperance, as far as heard from, the Whigs gain over 3000 votes, leaving the two great parties nearly equal. Whigs 25,521; Locofoco 25,623. Maine can be, and we believe will be, carried for Scott.

THE GERMAN LANGUAGE.

We take pleasure in inviting attention to the advertisement of Professor C. F. SANDERS, teacher of Modern Languages.

Every free country, trusting to correct and general intelligence for the permanency of its institutions, will liberally patronize, not only science and native literature, but also the study of foreign languages, with a view of deriving aid from the intellectual labors and improvement of other nations. Among those languages which are attracting the attention of the scholar, the philologist and the statesman, none possesses more charms, excites more interest, or opens more sources of information than the German. Formerly it was rarely ever found included in a course of collegiate or general study. But as the beauties and wealth of German literature have become known and appreciated, its study has become more general. Now it finds able advocates in nearly all the respectable literary institutions of the land. New England, the Greece of the new world, where the rays of light are concentrated from every direction, and again reflected abroad, has the honor of being the first in this country to encourage and cultivate the study of the language in which Schiller and Goethe, Wieland and Burger, Korner and Voss, Klopstock, Herder and Schlegel have rendered themselves immortal.

If we regard the originality, the flexibility and the philosophy of the language, its Greek-like copiousness and similarity to English, its practical utility, and the richness of its literature, we have reason to be surprised that the study of it did not attract attention at an earlier period.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.

PROF. FITZGERALD—IRISHMEN FOR SCOTT.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 20, 1852.

There was a tremendous Scott and Graham rally at Empire Hall Saturday evening. A large proportion of the audience were Irishmen, for it had been announced that Prof. JOHN R. FITZGERALD would address his countrymen on political topics. Prof. F. has resided for some years in this city, sustains an irreproachable character, is an exemplary disciple of Father Mathew, and is a man in whom his countrymen can place the most implicit confidence. A graduate of Dublin University; his literary attainments are of a high order. Formerly Parliamentary reporter for the London Times and other journals; he is perfectly familiar with English and Irish politics, as well as American. An Irishman by birth and a Patriot by nature; he deeply sympathized with O'Brian, Meagher and their compatriots, and came to this country to enjoy the rights and freedom denied in his own. Landing upon a new, though hospitable shore, he sought an independent livelihood from his own exertions; and, as reporter for the New York press, became personally acquainted with Gen. SCOTT at West Point and Saratoga. He soon learned to appreciate his patriotism, his manliness, his love of country, and his regard for the rights of American citizens, native and adopted. Prof. F.'s speech was eloquent, argumentative, convincing; and every point told upon his hearers, who responded with cheers loud and hearty.

We are glad to hear that Prof. Fitzgerald purposes to devote his time and talents to the Scott campaign, and that he will attend your Mass Convention on the 23d inst. His whole soul is in the work. You will find him a true gentleman, in the highest sense, and a powerful advocate of the good cause the working men of Pennsylvania have so much at heart. Invite all to hear him.

Yours, truly,

HIBERNIA.

FROM WASHINGTON.

(Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Daily Gazette.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.

The Union charges Gen. Scott, (as I anticipated, with having gone to the West on an electioneering tour. The duty upon which he was ordered passes with that paper for nothing. It is, of course, a pretence, that the Union, by targeting a running fire at Gen. Scott, very well, suppose Gen. Pierce imitates him. It will then have a proof, before the election, of the relative popularity of the two candidates. It is perhaps taking an unfair advantage of the democratic leader, for it is [illegible] political pre-

sence at the West would not be particularly serviceable to him. He would be asked awkward questions, as Gen. Cass was, about river and harbor appropriations, and it might happen that no friendly "noise and confusion" would step in between the people and the reluctant answer. The traducers of Gen. Scott on this occasion would do well to remember, that the service on which he is ordered is shared by the gallant Gen. Wool, at one time a leading competitor for the Democratic nomination for the Presidency, and certainly one of the most respectable of all the candidates.

It is amusing to witness the very trifling use that has been made of the two-penny electioneering document, which has been made up from the answer to Mr. Merriwether's resolution upon the amount of public money received by General Scott and Mr. Pierce respectively. The *Union*, whose business it is to furnish fodder for the local organs, has made several ponderous leaders out of the official statements, and so far as they have been read by any body, they appear to prove that Gen. Scott, *for forty-four* years of glorious public service, has received a good deal more money than Franklin Pierce for ten years sitting in a cushioned seat at the Capitol, and for going to Mexico and returning.—The sum and substance of the story is that Gen. Scott did not receive half as much as he earned, and that Gen. Pierce received all that he deserved, and all that the law would give him.

The two special committees on the Gardiner Claim are doing what in them lies to earn the eight dollars a day for their members which will be so convenient during the next long recess. I hear that the Soule committee have determined on the extraordinary step of sending Dr. Gardiner himself to Mexico, under the escort of four agents appointed by the committee, to show and convince them by ocular proof, that he had mines in that country, and that they were worth what he claimed for the loss of them. In my judgment this would be taking a good deal of useless trouble. The amount allowed on the Gardiner claim was under half a million, and it is very questionable whether a larger sum will not be expended in the attempt to prove by these irregular and extra judicial means whether it was a good and just claim, or a rank swindle.

The House Committee, raised on motion of Olds, of Ohio, in the hope of implicating Mr. Corwin in the business, is proceeding to take testimony. During the present week, George Lan, the great New York speculator, and Hon. Edward Curtis, one of the counsel for Gardiner, have been examined. It is said that he advanced the amount of counsel fees due Mr. Corwin in the case, in order that Mr. C. might divest himself of all interest and concern with the matter, previous to entering the Cabinet. This was done nearly a year before the claim was allowed and paid, and after that time, Mr. Corwin had no more to do with the case than any member of the Committee, which is now seeking to make something out of the affair.

Mr. Curtis testified that he had been engaged in the case by other counsel, to superintend and conduct it, that it had always appeared to him a just and honest claim, and that he had himself applied to the President for the arrest of Gardiner, and the stoppage in bank of the money awarded to him, on the information being given to him by a third party that Gardiner had conspired the claim to be fraudulent and unfounded, which statement he afterwards found to be untrue.

The result of the Maine election is, that the Whigs have gained one member of the House of Representatives, a majority in the State Senate, and have defeated the Democratic candidate for Governor. Maine is, however, a doubtful State. It gave Cass five thousand majority over Taylor. Pierce may now get it by a small vote, or Gen. Scott by a large one.

The Webster people have carried their folly a little further in Massachusetts than I thought probable. If they keep up their electoral ticket to the evening of November 24, they may get three thousand votes in the State. Their address is a perfect model of hypocrisy and impudence. They denounce Gen. Scott's nomination as "sectional" in respect to Slavery, and present Daniel Webster as a "national man." In the name of consistency and decency what do these men mean? Are they play-actors performing a burlesque for the amusement of the rabble? Do they pretend to say in Massachusetts that Daniel Webster repudiates the action of the Whig convention, because it was not more submissive to Slavery? Have they the cool insolence to pretend that Gen. Scott is so hostile to the South and to Slavery that Union men in New England cannot trust him? The fact is, however, that there is a mixture of baseness and knavery in these persons. They have been shouting so long, and have heard others bellowing so loud, that the Southern trade would leave their shops and ware houses, unless they sang higher peans to Slavery, that they have been brought to believe their personal interests require them to oppose Gen. Scott. Again, they went into the Convention bent upon having their way. They were disappointed, and they are now seeking their revenge. The proceeds of their adventure, even in that article, will be slim.

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Mr. Curtis testified that he had been engaged in the case by other counsel, to superintend and conduct it, that it had always appeared to him a just and honest claim, and that he had himself applied to the President for the arrest of Gardiner, and the stoppage in bank of the money awarded to him, on the information being given to him by a third party that Gardiner had conspired the claim to be fraudulent and unfounded, which statement he afterwards found to be untrue.

The result of the Maine election is, that the Whigs have gained one member of the House of Representatives, a majority in the State Senate, and have defeated the Democratic candidate for Governor. Maine is, however, a doubtful State. It gave Cass five thousand majority over Taylor. Pierce may now get it by a small vote, or Gen. Scott by a large one.

The Webster people have carried their folly a little further in Massachusetts than I thought probable. If they keep up their electoral ticket to the evening of November 24, they may get three thousand votes in the State. Their address is a perfect model of hypocrisy and impudence. They denounce Gen. Scott's nomination as "sectional" in respect to Slavery, and present Daniel Webster as a "national man." In the name of consistency and decency what do these men mean? Are they play-actors performing a burlesque for the amusement of the rabble? Do they pretend to say in Massachusetts that Daniel Webster repudiates the action of the Whig convention, because it was not more submissive to Slavery? Have they the cool insolence to pretend that Gen. Scott is so hostile to the South and to Slavery that Union men in New England cannot trust him? The fact is, however, that there is a mixture of baseness and knavery in these persons. They have been shouting so long, and have heard others bellowing so loud, that the Southern trade would leave their shops and ware houses, unless they sang higher peans to Slavery, that they have been brought to believe their personal interests require them to oppose Gen. Scott. Again, they went into the Convention bent upon having their way. They were disappointed, and they are now seeking their revenge. The proceeds of their adventure, even in that article, will be slim.

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On Monday evening, 20th inst., HARRISON, youngest son of Harrison and Elizabeth Graham, aged 21 months.

The loved of my heart is gone
The light of many eyes,
His little race on earth is run
He has gone beyond the skies.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his parents, No. 24, St. Clair Street, this (Tuesday) afternoon, at three o'clock, to proceed to the Allegheny Cemetery.

Died on Sunday morning, HENRY STERLING, infantson of Alexander McClure.

German Language and Literature.

C. F. SANDERS, Prof. of Modern Language, will continue to give lessons in GERMAN, FRENCH, and ITALIAN Languages, either in Classes or privately, and at moderate terms. Apply at the Music Store of H. Kieber, or at his residence No. 55 Hand Street.

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And numerous other Gentlemen sep21:2t

Lectures on Europe.

IN compliance with the wishes of several friends, Rev. Dr. Baird, who has resided and travelled much in that part of the world, will give a course of miscellaneous lectures in this city, during the present week, and the next, on those things in the Political, Religious, Social and Religious state of Europe that will be most interesting to American audiences. These lectures will be illustrated by large and elegant maps, of cities and scenery. The first lecture will be given on TUESDAY, in the Lecture Room of the First Presbyterian Church, Third street, commencing at half past 7 o'clock—the subject will be Modern Greece, on the Scandinavian countries—Denmark, Norway and Sweden, on Germany and Prussia, Holland and Switzerland, France, England, Spain, Italy, Greece and Turkey, in the order of the days.

Terms—One ticket (for the course) $1 50, two tickets $2 00, three tickets $2 50 and four tickets $3. A night ticket is extra 25 cents, to be paid at the door. Tickets for sale at the Book Stores of Messrs. Stockton, Loomis and Read, Presbyterian Rooms, and at the door sep21:3t

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