PITTSBURGH GAZETTE.

Absolution of Dwight and Dennie.—Some years since an Dr. Dwight was travelling through New Jersey, he chanced to stop at the stage hotel in one of its popular towns for the night. At a late hour of the same night, arrived also at the inn, Mr. Deucie, who had to make time to learn from the landlord that his beds were all paired with lodgers, except one occupied by the celebrated Dr. Dwight.—How me to his apartment, exclaimed Dennie; although I am a stranger to the Rev., perhaps I may bargain with him for my lodging. The landlord accordingly waited on Mr. Dennie to Dr. Dwight's room, and there left him to take advice himself.

The doctor, although in his night gown, cap and slippers, just ready to resign himself into the refreshing arms of Somnus, politely requested the stranger intruder to be seated. Struck with the physiognomy of his companion, he then submit his sisters brow, and commenced a literary conversation. The names of Washington, Franklin, Rittenhouse, and a host of distinguished literary characters for sometime, gave it zest and an interest to the conversation, until Dr. Dwight chanced to mention Dennie. "Dennie, the editor of the *Port Folio*," says the Doctor in a rhapsody, "is it the Addison of the United States—the father of American belles letters. But, sir, continued he, "is it not astonishing that a man of such genius, fancy and feeling, should abandon himself to the lubricating bowl!"

"Sir," said Dennie, "you are mistaken. I have been intimately acquainted with Dennie for several years, and I never knew or saw him intoxicated."

"Sir," says the Doctor, "you err. I have information from a particular friend; I am confident that I am right and you are wrong."

Dennie now ingeniously changed the conversation to the clergy, remarking that Abercrombie and Mason were among the most distinguished divines; nevertheless, he considered Dr. Dwight, President of Yale College, the most learned theologian, the first logician, and the greatest poet that America had produced. "But, sir," continued Dennie, "there are traits in his character, undeserving so wise and great a man, of the most detestable description; he is the greatest bigot and *dogmatist* of the age."

"Sir," says the Doctor, "you are grossly mistaken: I am intimately acquainted with Dr Dwight, and to the contrary."

"Sir," says the Doctor, "you are mistaken; I have it from no less an intimate acquaintance of his, who I am confident would not tell an untruth."

"No more slander," says the Doctor.

Dr. Dwight, of whom you speak!"

"And I too," exclaimed Dennie, "am Mr. Dennie, of whom *you spoke!*"

The astonishment of Dr. Dwight may be better conceived than told. Suffice it to say, they mutually shook hands, and were extremely happy in each other's acquaintance.

Proclamation!

WHEREAS, in and by the 13th Section of the Act of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, passed July 2d, 1839, it is made the duty of the Governor of this Commonwealth, to issue his proclamation at the time therein mentioned, directed to the Sheriff of the County of Allegheny, requiring him to cause to be held and conducted in such county the election of Sheriff of the County of Allegheny; that he cause to be given public notice of the time and place of holding the said election, by causing proclamation to be made in the said County of Allegheny, that the Sheriff of the said County is required to cause public notice to be given in the manner aforesaid, that an election will be held in the several districts in the said County, on the second TUESDAY of OCTOBER NEXT, at the several places of holding elections in the said districts, for the purpose of electing a person to fill the office of Sheriff as aforesaid.

The electors of the Ward, and of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the Court House, on Liberty street, between Grant and Ross streets.

The electors of the Second Ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the Burnt District Hall, corner of Second and Wood streets.

The electors of the Third Ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the house of Andrew McMasters, Esq.

The electors of the Fourth Ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the Public School House, in said ward.

The electors of the Fifth Ward, of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the Pennsylvania House, occupied by Godfrey Schell, in said Ward and town.

The electors of the Sixth Ward, of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the public School House, in said Ward.

The electors of the Seventh Ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the public School House, in said Ward.

The electors of the Eighth Ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the public School House, in said ward.

The electors of the Ninth Ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the house of Widow Flanagan, Redstone Row.

The electors of the Tenth Ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the house of J. Washington, Redstone Row.

The electors of the Eleventh Ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the house of Widow Flanagan, opposite Carriage House, on the Canal.

The electors of the Twelfth Ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the public School House, in said Ward.

The electors of the Thirteenth Ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the public School House, in said Ward.

The electors of the Fourteenth Ward of the city of Pittsburgh, to meet at the house of Mrs. Wylie, East Common.

The electors of Pitt township, to meet at the house of Daniel Hervy, on the Mechanics and Pennsboro' Turnpike, South in said township, and that the said township be divided into sections Nos. 1, 2 and 3, of the said election, which is hereby established as the several places of holding elections in the said township.

The electors of Peebles township to meet at the house of John Beltzer, in the village of —— in Liberty.

The electors of Elizabeth township to meet at the house of Wm. McCall, jr., in the village of East Liberty.

The electors of Lower St. Clair township to meet at the house of John Shafer, on the Greensburgh Turnpike, in said township.

The electors of Plum township, to meet at the house of John Sommerville, in said township.

The electors of Versailles township to meet at the house of Abraham Taylor, on the Northern Turnpike, in said township.

The electors of Penn township to meet at the house of Robert Dalzell, on the Greensburgh Road, in said township.

The electors of Franklin township to meet at the house of Jacob Holeman, in said township.

The electors of Reserve township to meet at the School House, in said township.

The electors of Ballgrin township to meet at the house of Peter Negley, in said township.

The electors of Snowden township to meet at the house of Peter Negley, in said township.

The electors of South Fayette township to meet at the house of Hays, on the farm of T Cuvilier, in said township.

The electors of North Fayette township to meet at the house now occupied by Daniel Fulton, Esq., in said township.

The electors of Moon township to meet at the house of Jacob Colbaugh, on the Franklin Road, in said township.

The electors of Findlay township to meet at the house of Sarah Crummy, in said township.

The electors of Collier township to meet at the house of Daniel Hervy, in said township.

The electors of Robinson township to meet at the house of Nathan Conley, in said township.

The electors of East Deer township to meet at the public School House, in the village of Hardscrabble.

The electors of the township of Aspinwall to meet at the public School House, in said township.

The electors of Indiana township to meet at the house formerly occupied by S. Hankey, in said township.

The electors of Shaler township to meet at John Shaw's, in said township.

The qualified voters of that part of Indiana township, in the County of Allegheny, within the following described boundaries, to wit: beginning at the mouth of Little Deer Creek, on the upper line of the farm of John Cribb, and Caleb and John Sprot to the N. E. corner of Cribb's farm thence by the same course to the Allegheny River, in a line, in such a manner as to embrace all farms or parts of farms in Conway's plan of lots, lying on the river front, within said boundaries, shall hereafter vote at the house of Conway in the borough of Sharpsburgh, at the election poll of said borough.

The qualified voters of the borough of Birmingham to meet at the house of Thomas Hood, in said borough.

The electors of the borough of East Birmingham to meet at the house of Widow Fullerton, on said borough.

The electors of Temperance borough to meet at the Public School House, in said borough.

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