



The Jeffersonian.

THURSDAY, MAY 31, 1860.

FOR PRESIDENT, Abraham Lincoln, OF ILLINOIS.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT, Hannibal Hamlin, OF MAINE.

FOR GOVERNOR Hon. Andrew G. Curtin, OF CENTER COUNTY.

A meeting of the Democracy of the County took place at the Court House on Monday night. Resolutions were adopted, commending Stephen A. Douglas as the Democratic nominee for President...

Found Again.

We are requested to state that Mr. Thomas Smiley has found his turtle again. Our readers will recollect that about two years ago we published an account of the wanderings of this "old inhabitant," which Mr. Smiley found, some twelve or fourteen years ago, and cut his name upon his shell...

We should not be surprised, when this roving turtle "shuffles off this mortal coil" if his ghost still linger around that spot which he seems to have taken a particular fancy.

The news from every quarter in regard to the nominations of Lincoln and Hamlin for the Presidency and Vice Presidency, is of the most cheering nature. The opposition all agree that the ticket is just the one adopted to the exigency of the times.

Of nine Opposition papers in Indiana that supported Fillmore in 1856, all are now warmly in favor of our nominees. The Fillmore organs of New York State, are pretty generally hoisting the Lincoln and Hamlin flag at their mast heads.

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The Fair. We are requested to state, by the Secretary of the Monroe County Agricultural Society, that the Fair will take place on the 25th, 26th, 27th, and 28th days of September next.

Proceedings in Court. Monday. The Court convened at 10 o'clock, A. M., all the judges on the bench. The Constables of the different townships made their usual returns.

Lynford Van Buskirk, indicted for fornication and bastardy, gave security for his appearance at next Term. Peter Lessig, indicted for the same offence, gave the like security.

E. R. Siegfried vs. Conrad Driesbach, and Peter Gross vs. Conrad Driesbach, the verdict of Jury in both cases was for the defendant.

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Commonwealth vs. Michael M. Barnett. Indictment for Assault and Battery. Tuesday. Stogdell Stokes, to the use of Perry Price vs. Peter Sees, surviving Executor of the last will and testament of Samuel Price, dec'd., and Jacob Price and David Bender, Terre Tenants.

Commonwealth vs. James Wilson. Indictment for assault and Battery, on oath of John Skelton, Prosecutor. The Grand Jury returned the Bill "Ignoramus," and direct John Skelton, Prosecutor to pay the costs.

The Question Settled?

Those eminent men, Dr. James Clark, Physician to Queen Victoria, and Dr. Hughes Bennett, say that consumption can be cured. Dr. Wistar knew this when he discovered his Balsam of Wild Cherry, and experience has proved the correctness of his opinion.

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By the Steamer Palestine, at Father Point yesterday morning, and the Arabia at Halifax yesterday afternoon, we have European dates down to the 20th instant, being one week later than our former advices. The news is of a very interesting nature.

Garibaldi's expedition in behalf of the insurrectionary movement in Sicily, had effected a landing at Marsala. One of the vessels conveying Garibaldi's troops was sunk and the other captured by two Neapolitan frigates, but his volunteers succeeded in reaching shore with their arms, ammunition, &c.

The French Minister at Naples had asked for our ships of war, and the vessels had been sent. There were vague rumors of a new French loan for military purposes.

What the People Want. No great public want can long remain unexpressed. When a condition of things has become developed so that a great public want is realized, either in theology, civil government, or physics, that very want or demand is sure to create a supply.

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A Presidential Outrage. Calhoun Benham, who was the second of Terry in the duel which the latter killed Senator Broderick, has received from President Buchanan the appointment of U. S. District Attorney for California. It is the custom of the President to examine the person of his principal's opponent to see that he wears no coat of mail or similar obstruction to the bullet.

The Defeat of Douglas at Charleston.

The Cincinnati Gazette says: "The adjournment of the Convention is an humiliating confession of defeat on the part of Douglas and his adherents. The retreat will be as disastrous as that of Napoleon from Moscow.

Union and Harmony.

The Louisville Courier the slave-code organ of Mr. Guthrie, declares that in no event, will it support Douglas, if he is nominated.

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The Fowler Defalcation. Assistant Postmaster General King, reports that the books of Fowler's financial clerk shows a deficiency in the New York Post Office of not more than \$170,000 Evening Argus.

Table with 2 columns: Location, Count. In the galleries: 3,550; On the stand: 980; Under the galleries: 5,870; On the stairs: 650; Within the railing: 1,100. Total: 11,140.

Outside the building stood an earnest, impatient, excited crowd of 12,000 men making the whole number of persons in the wigwam and around it nearly 24,000.

Contested Seats.

In the lower House of Congress, the seat of Mr. Cooper (Dem.) of Detroit, has been awarded to Mr. Howard, (Rep.) by a large majority.

Curious Case.

In the Common Pleas of Luzerne county, last week, a singular case was tried. The administrators of the estate of Eliza Harris had offered his effects at public sale.

Six Hundred Dollars Reward.

A reward of six hundred dollars has been offered for the detection and conviction of the perpetrators of the outrages upon Mrs. Riday, at Oxford, Chester county, Pa., a few weeks since—\$300 by the Commissioners of Chester county, and \$300 by the authorities of the borough of Oxford.

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HARDEN.—A Belvidere correspondent of the Newark Advertiser, says that Harden appears quite calm in his mind, and expresses hopes of salvation. At his special request, Mr. Day, of the M. E. Church, visits him frequently.

A monster ratification meeting was held in Philadelphia on Saturday evening by the friends of Lincoln and Hamlin. The North American pronounces it the most auspicious opening of any presidential campaign since the days of the elder Adams.

Forty hard-fisted laborers of the first ward in the City of New York, left the Democratic ranks, a night or two ago, and came out for the "Rail-Mauler" and "Carpenter" ticket.

Counterfeit \$3 bills on the Phillipsburg Bank of New Jersey, were offered in the Twenty-first Ward, N. Y., on the 29th inst., at various saloons.

The punishment for reading the N. Y. Tribune, in Hartford County, Maryland, is ten years imprisonment. This is a free country and no mistake.

A ratification meeting at Harrisburg on Friday night was presided over by Senator Cameron.

New York Markets. WEDNESDAY, May 30, 1860.

FLOUR AND MEAL.—Wheat flour; the sales are 17,870 bbls. at \$5 17 1/2 for Superfine State; \$5 35a\$5 65 for the lower grades of Western extra; \$5 90 a\$6 for shipping brands of round-hoop extra Ohio; and \$6 50a\$7 50 for St. Louis extra.

GRAIN.—Wheat; sales of 57,600 bush. Milwaukee Club at \$1 23a\$1 26; 3,500 bush. prime White Michigan at \$1 55 delivered. Rye; sales of 417 bush. Northern at 92 c. Corn; sales 98,700 bush. at 77 1/2c. for distilling mixed; 60a63c. for Eastern mixed.

WHISKY.—sales of 450 bbls. at 21 1/2a 22c. TALLOW.—sales of 7,000 lb. prime City at 10 1/2c. cash.

PROVISIONS.—Pork; the sales are 376 bbls. at \$1 7a\$1 25 for Thin Meas; \$1 75a\$1 87 for New Meas; \$1 10 for old Meas. Cut Meats; sales of 267 bbls. and tes. at 7 1/2a7 3/4c. for Shoulders, and 8 a9c. for Hams. Butter is quite plenty and in fair demand at 10a16c. for Ohio and 12a19c. for State.

A FLORAL DISCUSSION. BY THE BARD OF THE EASTON HALL OF FASHION.

One morning, when nature looked blooming and gay, As ever she does, in the bright month of May, In a fair, spacious garden a discussion was heard.

Going on 'mid the flowers, what it was that had stirred Up their feelings so warmly, 'twas hard to decide; But evidently all were upon the same side, Crown imperial spoke loudly, it plainly appeared.

He prided himself, on his well perfumed beard, He only, of all his proud sex, was awake For the season, (save Johnny Jump Up) so surely could take, Among the feminine flow'rets, a very high stand.

They admired his appearance, so stately and grand, And listened with pleasure, to all he could say, Not one in the company, ever once saying nay.

Johnny ventured sometimes to put in a word, That sounded a little, as though he demurred, At Crown's lengthened remarks, but being afraid Of disturbing the peace, resolved, quiet and staid,

To listen the rest of the time; while his glance By some, to him, almost unaccountable chance, Was directed Lilly and Violet who, Refreshed by sleep, and a drink of May dew, Looked so lovely and modest, Johnny thought he could gaze,

On their radiant charms, for the rest of his days. At this moment I learned what the speaking was for, For the Imperial had just again taken the floor.

They were talking of gentleman's dress; and they all Agreed that the finest, at Pyle's Fashion Hall Could be had; and wondered if one human flower Would ever refuse to acknowledge the power,