

California News.

The U. S. Mail Steamer Crescent City arrived at New York at 8 o'clock on Friday morning, from Chagres, with fourteen days later news.

The C. C. brings three hundred and forty two passengers, one million of dollars in gold dust, in the hands of the passengers, and twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars in freight.

No cases of cholera have occurred for the last two weeks at Chagres. Crises and Panama are healthy.

Pathos runs to Chagres for the past two weeks have been in the most excellent condition, and travellers have been enabled to pass over with the greatest facility.

Among the failures at San Francisco mentioned the house Simmons, Hutchings & Co., Henry Howison and Finley Johnson & Co.

Up to the 27th of August, about one thousand suffering emigrants have been received at Placerville. The mortality among them was increasing; many of the emigrants daily falling victims to diarrhea and fever.

The following passengers died on board the Crescent City, between Chagres and New York:—John W. Haskell, Boston, Mass., died Oct. 9th, aged 22 years. Dr. Edward Culbert, Newbern, N. C., died on the 12th, aged 35 years.

Mayor Bignlow.—Since the annihilation of his arm every thing has gone on most admirably, and the stump has already commenced healing by first intention.

FROM THE NORTHERN MINES.—We learn that on Nelson's Creek miners are averaging about a half an ounce per day. Men are hired at a rate of wages varying from six to eight dollars.

From the south branch of the North Fork of Feather river, we hear reports that the generality of workmen are making fair wages. Rich dry diggings have been discovered between Nelson's Creek and the mouth of Butte Creek, which empties into the Sacramento.

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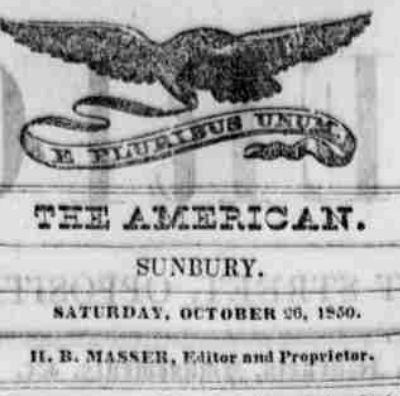
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THE AMERICAN. SUNBURY. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1850.

H. B. MASSER, Editor and Proprietor.

TO ADVERTISERS.—The circulation of the Sunbury American among the different towns on the Susquehanna is not exceeded if equalled by any paper published in North or Pennsylvania.

EDITOR'S TABLE. Business Notices.

THE MOVIE KNIGHT OF ST. JOHN, published by Dewitt & Davenport, Tribune Buildings, New York, was favorably noticed by us a few weeks ago.

WE are happy to learn that our old friend James E. Buchanan, Esq., has been elected District Attorney for York county.

FUGITIVE SLAVE CASE. The first case under the new law was heard last week before his honor, R. C. Grier, of the U. S. Court, at Philadelphia.

Judge Grier's course must receive the applause of every good citizen. His duty is to administer the law as he finds it, and to uphold its supremacy at all hazards.

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SOUTH CAROLINA

Wishes to secede from the Union. This is the only wish favorable to the Union she has expressed very lately. In the revolution and last war she was very patriotic.

While there was any fighting necessary her sons were always ready. This is the only redeeming trait in the character of her citizens. When peace was declared, she was the first to interrupt the harmony of feeling by refusing to accept the constitution formed by the National Convention.

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TREVORTON.

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EXTRACT OF A LETTER FROM THE EDITOR, DATED

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EXPLORATION OF THE RIO GRANDE

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Single copies mailed on the receipt of \$1. (post paid) addressed to DR. TURNER, Broadway Hotel, New York, Sunbury, Oct. 26.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By Virtue of certain writs of Ven. Esp. to me given at the Court House in the Borough of Sunbury, at one o'clock, P. M., on Monday the 4th day of November last, the following Real Estate to wit:—A certain

LOT OF LAND, situate in the town of McEwensville, in Delaware township, bounded on the north by Watson & Vincent, on the east by lot of Henry Reed, and on the west by Main street, containing 1/2 of an acre more or less, whereon are erected a new two story Frame Dwelling House, and a Frame Stable. Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of A. J. Quiggle.

ALSO: A certain lot of Land situate in the Town of Shamokin, in Coal township, in said county, bounded on the north by Sunbury street, east by lot No. 27, south by the Danville and Postville Railroad, and west by Range street, and known in the general plan of said town as lot No. 28. Seized taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Peter Shearer.

JAMES COVERT, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Sunbury, Oct. 12th, 1850.—16.

LIST OF JURORS.

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MARRIED.

On the 10th inst., by the Rev. J. P. Shindler, M. FREDERIC FAHRENZ, lately from Europe, to Miss MARY ANN DREHER, of Coal township.

On the 15th inst., by the Rev. Jos. I. Elwood, Rector of Christ Church, CLARENCE H. FICK, M. D. to Miss ELIZABETH M., daughter of Maj. Wm. Coli, all of Danville.

In Northumberland, on the 18th inst., by Rev. S. L. M. CONGER, STRAGER HOPT and Miss SUSANNA WETEMER, both of Harleton.

In Lewisburg, on the 8th inst., by Rev. M. J. ALLEN, Rev. DAVID FROCHT, of Chambersburg, to Miss SARAH BOWEN, of Lewisburg.

DIED.

In Union tsip, Union county, on the 21 inst., HENRY WETZEL, a Revolutionary soldier, aged about 90 years.

In Philadelphia, on the 4th inst., JOHN S. LEE, aged 34 years, formerly of Northumberland.

At his father's residence, in M'Veytown, Rev. A. TIDINGS EWING, aged 24 years.

In Bloom Tp., Col. Co., on the 4th inst., Col. JAMES McCLURE, in his 77th year. Col. M. was the first white child born between Wyoming and Northumberland, and lived and died on the spot of his nativity.

He was a Ruling Elder in the Presbyterian church, a devoted and exemplary Christian, and one of our most valued citizens. Universally respected in life, his death is deeply lamented by all who enjoyed his valued acquaintance.—Blossburg Democrat.

The wrath of an ape and the thread of a flatterer should be regarded alike.