

THE AGITATOR.

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WELLSBOROUGH, PA., WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOV. 21, 1860.

UNITED STATES SENATOR.

Nearly fifteen years ago David Wilmore stood up in his place in the House of Representatives at Washington, and inaugurated the struggle against the extension of slavery into free territory...

Our readers will not fail to read the Prospectus of the New York Tribune for 1861. It has done more to educate the masses than any other paper in the world.

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LOCAL MATTERS.

New Advertisements. The Tribune—H. Greeley & Co. List of Letters—A. S. Brewster, P. M. Law and Collection Office—J. Emery.

To CORRESPONDENTS.—"R. G.," Keeneyville. Next week. "Dodym's Dolittle Doludrums" must send us his real name.

A few loads of good dry wood, eighteen inches long, will be taken on subscription at this office, if delivered immediately.

Subscription lists are now in circulation to raise funds for the erection of a suitable engine house. About \$200 have been already raised for that purpose.

Our friend Vermilyea, of the "Isaak Walton House," Gaines, has issued his "kards" for a Ball on Thanksgiving night. Of course those who like to "trip the light fantastic toe" will be there with their girls, and a good time may be expected.

We wish our readers to understand that we print Business Cards, Ball Cards, Wedding Cards, &c., better, cheaper and faster than they can be done any where else in the county.

We have another new Oyster Saloon in town, the "Red Jacket." John Kirkpatrick has fitted up the rooms over C. L. Wilcox's Store, and waits upon his old and new customers in his usual obliging style.

Up to this time we have no reliable returns from the election in the Southern States. Missouri is claimed by both the Bell and Douglas men, while Virginia and Maryland are claimed by the Breckinridgers and Bell men.

We have official returns from forty-five counties of this State, and expect to have full returns for next week's paper. We will probably hear from the Pacific States by that time, and will publish all the returns together.

Do not forget the Prize Declaration of the Students of the Wellsboro Academy, to be held at the Methodist Church to-morrow (Thursday) evening. A committee of five of our citizens will award the prize to the successful competitor.

We have received from Messrs. Oliver Ditson & Co., Publishers, No. 277 Washington street, Boston, the following pieces of New Music just published by that firm, from whom they can be had, postage paid, by sending 25 cents for each piece, in money or stamps.

We have received the first weekly issue of the West Branch Bulletin, now published by VAN GELDER & CAMPBELL. Mr. O. S. Burdick, formerly of the Wellsboro Free Press, is announced as local editor.

The Bulletin is now enlarged and improved, and will doubtless command a fair share of the public patronage. We have a slight acquaintance with all of gentlemen connected with the paper, and know that if energy, industry and talent can make a paper live in Williamsport, the Bulletin is bound to flourish.

At present, says the Mercury, "by the Constitution of the United States, the citizens of the Northern States can enforce the collection of debts due to them by the citizens of the Southern States, in all our courts of justice."

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A correspondent at Coudersport informs us of a most distressing accident by which Eli Rees, Esq., Treasurer of Potter County, lost his life. It seems that on Saturday last Mr. Rees and a Mr. Daniel Reed were engaged in examining a tract of timber about twelve miles south-west from Coudersport on the road leading to Shippen, Cameron county.

Mr. Rees was an upright and honest man, a good citizen and neighbor, a sincere friend and a devoted husband and father. He leaves a large family to lament his untimely end. Cut down in the prime of life as he was, his death has created a profound sensation in the community of which he was a resident.

A GOLDEN EAGLE SHOT, on the 29th ult. at Muncy, Lycoming county, by Benjamin Warner, Jr., of that place. He was making a comotion among the crows when first seen, but was soon brought down by a bullet, which killed him without disarranging any of the wing or tail feathers.

INCENDIARISM IN POTTER COUNTY.—John M. Kilbourn, Esq., of Pike township, Potter county, lately prosecuted sundry persons on Pine Creek for violations of the license laws. He had just completed a large new frame building intended for a Temperance Hotel, and had moved a part of his furniture and provisions into it.

This unhappy occurrence creates no surprise anywhere. Threats were made while the prosecution alluded to was pending, that Mr. Kilbourn would not be allowed to live in his new house. And men and women who are in the habit of drinking whiskey and following other evil practices, are not likely to hesitate to commit the vilest of crimes.

A friend in another county writes to us asking if it be true that a literary paper is to be started here. We don't know. All we have heard about it is contained in the following article which we clip from the Democrat of Sept. 26th last.

PROSPECTUS OF A NEW PAPER IN THIS COUNTY. "As our county cannot claim the merit of publishing a literary paper, we take great pleasure in informing our readers, that there is to be one 'in the field.' We are always glad to welcome a new comer for public favors, but especially one of a literary character and of a high moral tone.

As our friend does not fully understand the cost of getting out a paper of the dimensions he intends to, we would inform him that the 'Banner' will have to be in columns, or in pages—one or the other. The cost of setting up 32 columns per line—say 4,000 ems in a column, at 30 cents per 1,000 ems—will amount to \$38.00.

"PEACEABLE SECESSION." On this point Daniel Webster spoke in his last great speech in the Senate, on the 7th of March, 1850. Here is: "Mr. President—I should much prefer to have heard, from every member on this floor, declarations of opinion that this Union could never be dissolved, that the declaration of opinion by anybody, that, in any case, under the pressure of any circumstances, such a dissolution was possible."

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We clip the following excellent parody from the Muncy Luminary. It was read by Robert Hawley, Esq., at a recent Wide-Awake Celebration in that place. We set Robert down as a decided 'brick'.

A funny old stream is the River of Salt, As it flows through the valley of tears, Where defunct politicians, the lame and the halt, Repose from their troubles and fears.

And when the flood rises, what strange craft are shown Adrift on the high, briny tide! Then the conqueror goes up, and the victors come down, With their symbols of sorrow and pride.

A terrible flood swells that river just now, And his 'double Dutch' Dutchman, 'Little Dog,' The People come down with Old Abe at the prow, The Loos goes up—on a Hall!

And queer sights are seen in that salt river land, Since the Curlew is lifted in air, For the sold and the seller, a mongrel band, Are gathered, 'in the limbo,' there.

There's a Foster, and Paeker, and gay Dickey Vaux, There's a Black and 'the favorite Son,' There's a Tancey, a Wise and a Cobb, on the Stocks, By fusion, confound and confound.

There's a Breckinridge, too, with a sorrowful 'Mug,' And a Bigler, with mouthful of 'Pap,' And the smallest of Grant, 'yep'd' 'Little Dog,' Fast asleep on his dear nummy's lap!

There's a Bell that is cracked 'twill never be rung, And a General sipping his grog, With his 'double Dutch' Dutchman, 'Little Dog,' And the ghost of the Pedlar's dog!

And strange sounds will come from the captives anon, When the wind howls down the river in air; Loud rattle and rattle the fleas they battered upon, At the cost of the People, so dear!

But their sighs will be vain, for the fiat is said They shall live over this people no more, The races of Tyrant and despote are dead, The reign of Corruption is o'er.

Let them rest, from the blast of adversity's gales, From office and station and dog they battered upon, The land is well till'd—'tis fenced with good rails, 'Every inch is the freest Free Soil.

REPUBLICANISM ESTABLISHED IN LIBERTY. I would inform you that on the 6th of November, 1860, the honest farmers of Liberty township came out to the polls in a body, determined, before they left their homes, to establish the Republican Party, by giving it their united support; and they did it finely, although the Douglasites strained every nerve to outnumber us in voters.

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There can be no such thing as peaceable secession. Peaceable secession is an utter impossibility. Is the great Constitution under which we live covering this whole country—is it to be thawed and melted away by secession as the snows on the mountain melt under the influence of a vernal sun disappear almost unobserved, and run off? No, sir! I will not state what might produce the disruption of the Union; but sir, I see as plainly as I see the sun in heaven what that disruption itself must produce.

Peaceable secession! Peaceable secession! The concurrent agreement of all the members of this great Republic to separate! A voluntary separation, with alimony on the one side and on the other! Why, what would be the result? Where is the line to be drawn? What States are to secede?—What is to remain American? What am I to be? An American no longer? Am I to become a sectional man, a local man, a separatist, with no country in common with the gentlemen who sit around me here, or who fill the other house of Congress? Heaven forbid! Where is the flag of the Republic to remain? Where is the eagle still to tower? Or is he to cower, and shrink, and fall to the ground? Why, sir, our ancestors, our fathers, and our grandfathers, those of them that are yet living amongst us with prolonged lives, would rebuke and reproach us; and our children and our grandchildren would cry out shame upon us, if we of this generation should dishonor these ensigns of the power of the government and the harmony of that Union which is every day felt amongst us with so much joy and gratitude.

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW. Wellsboro, Tioga Co., Pa. Will devote his time exclusively to the practice of law. Collections made in any of the Northern counties of Pennsylvania. nov21, 60.

LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the Post Office at Wellsboro, Pa., November 19, 1860. Borden, Franklin; Lockwood, R. C. Esq.; McDonald, Miles; Mack Donald, Ellen; McKey, Sidney; Mealy, Michael; Miller, Yacht; Mooney, Henry; Orvis, Miss A. A.; Owen, Oborn; O'Connell, Daniel Esq.; Peters, D. J.; Phelan, Miss Abalya; Putnam, J. W.; Parker, P. R. Agent; Robinson, Mrs. P.; Ramsey, J. B.; Rigley, J. William; Serrano, William; Seranton, Samuel; Short, L.; Seeley, W.; Smith, A. John; Todd, Andrew; Williams, J. W.; Webster, A. L.; Wilkinson, Joseph; White John S.; Williams, Charles Esq. 2; Wells, Frank P.; Wheeler, Noah J. 2; Willoughby, Eli Esq.; Willis, Worden Y.; Yoorkman, Mr.

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say that they are advertised. A. S. BREWSTER, P. M.

THE TRIBUNE FOR 1861.—PROSPECTUS. The XXth Volume of the Weekly Tribune commenced with the issue of Sept. 1. During the past year the Tribune has been obliged to devote quite a large proportion of its space to politics, but we shall soon be able to resume our usual course almost entirely for months if not for years, and devote nearly all our columns to subjects of less interest, but more abiding interest. Among these, we mean to pay special attention to:

I. EDUCATION.—The whole subject of Education, both Popular and General, will be treated in our columns throughout the year 1861, and we hope to elicit in that discussion some of the profoundest thinkers and the ablest instructors in the country. It is at once our hope and our resolve that the cause of Education in this State should receive an impetus from the exertions of the Tribune in its behalf.

II. AGRICULTURE.—We have been compelled to restrict our elucidations of this great interest, throughout 1860, and shall endeavor to atone therefor in 1861. Whatever discovery, deduction, demonstration, is calculated to render the reward of labor devoted to cultivation more ample or more certain, shall receive prompt and full attention.

III. MANUFACTURES, &c.—We have every intention or enterprise whereby American Capital and Labor are attracted to and advantageously employed in any department of Manufactures, or of the Mechanical Industry as a real contribution to the Public Good, insuring ample, steady, more convenient, more remunerating, markets to the farmer, with fuller employment and better wages to the Laborer. The progress of Mining, Iron Making, Steel Making, Cloth Weaving, &c., in our country, and the way in which they are reported by us with an earnest and active sympathy.

IV. FOREIGN AFFAIRS.—We employ the best correspondents in London, Paris, Turin, Berlin, and other European Capitals, to transmit us early and accurate advices of the great changes here silently but earnestly preparing. In spite of the year 1861, Domestic Politics, our News from the Old World is now varied and ample; but we shall have to render more perfect during the eventful year just before us.

V. HOME NEWS.—We employ regular paid correspondents in California, at the Lakes of Darien, in the Rocky Mountain gold region, or wherever else they seem requisite. From the more accessible portions of our own country, we derive our information mainly from the multifarious correspondents of the official Press, from our exchanges, and from the cheapest general newspaper, with the full and most authentic summary of useful intelligence, that is anywhere afforded. Hoping to "make each day a critic on the last," and print a better and better paper from year to year, as our means are steadily enlarged through the generous co-operation of our many well-wishers, we solicit, and shall labor to deserve, a continuance of public favor.

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TO THE SICK. Consumption is cured by Dr. Jackson. Rheumatism successfully treated by Dr. Jackson. Rheumatism is cured by Dr. Jackson. Salt Rheum is cured by Dr. Jackson. Skin Diseases are cured by Dr. Jackson. Pimples of the Face are cured by Dr. Jackson. Dysspepsia is cured by Dr. Jackson. Liver Diseases are cured by Dr. Jackson. Neuralgia can be permanently cured by Dr. Jackson. Scrofulous sore eyes cured by Dr. Jackson. All diseases of the Kidneys cured by Dr. Jackson. Protrusion of Uterus is cured by Dr. Jackson. Physical Weakness is cured by Dr. Jackson. In fact all chronic diseases which are cured successfully treated by Dr. Jackson.

IN WELLSBORO, Pa. Stage House, Wednesday, Nov. 21. G. A. Goodrich House, Thursday, Nov. 22. WELLSBORO, Pa. Stage House, Friday, Nov. 23. COVINGTON, Pa. Covington Hotel, Saturday, Nov. 24. BLOSSBURGH, Pa. Hall's Hotel, Sunday, Nov. 25. MANSFIELD, Pa. Stage House, Monday, Nov. 26. ADDISON, N. T. Doolittle Hotel, Wednesday, Nov. 28.

TO THE HEIRS OF IRA BAXTER, DECEASED. Tioga County, Pa. In the Orphan's Court, for the County of Tioga, held at Wellsboro on the 22nd day of September, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty, in the matter of the estate of Ira Baxter, deceased, on motion of Henry Sherman, Esq., Attorney, the Court granted a rule on the heirs and representatives of Ira Baxter, deceased, to appear before the Court on the 22nd day of the month of October, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause why the said rule should not be granted, and to answer the said motion, and to be bound by the Court in the premises, at which time and place you can appear and be heard. W. D. BAILEY, Clerk of Orphan's Court. Oct. 31, 1860—61.

APPLICATION IN DIVORCE.—To James Harrower, 2d. You are hereby notified that Hannah Harrower, your wife, by her next friend, David S. Buckles, has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Tioga county for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and that the said Court has appointed Monday, the 3d day of December, at 2 o'clock P. M., for hearing the said Hannah Harrower in the premises, at which time and place you can appear and be heard. S. I. POWER, Sheriff. Oct. 31, 1860w4.

APPLICATION IN DIVORCE.—To Ernie Kiff. You are hereby notified that the said Ernie Kiff has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Tioga county for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and that the said Court has appointed Monday, the 3d day of December, at 2 o'clock P. M., for hearing the said Ernie Kiff in the premises, at which time and place you can appear and be heard. S. I. POWER, Sheriff. Oct. 24, 1860w4.

APPLICATION IN DIVORCE.—To Ira Hall. You are hereby notified that the said Ira Hall, your husband, has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Tioga county for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and that the said Court has appointed Monday, the 3d day of December, at 2 o'clock P. M., for hearing the said Ira Hall in the premises, at which time and place you can appear and be heard. S. I. POWER, Sheriff. Oct. 24, 1860w4.

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