

As to threatening to "blow up" our veritable neighbor by establishing the Democrat, or calling on his advertising customers to withdraw their support—IT IS ALL ALARM. We neither made such threats nor such calls. Our motto of "live and let live" has always governed us in dealing with brother-typos of every political party; and we hope the same liberal characteristic of our favorite profession may accompany us through life.

In regard to the legal proceedings instituted against him, he is entirely mistaken. It was contrary to our wishes and inclinations that we obeyed the instructions of our client in the case alluded to; and we assure our neighbor, that since then, we have on more than one occasion rejected fees, and declined giving legal advice, under similar circumstances. If he wants the names of parties he is perfectly welcome to them.

**COMMUNICATIONS.**  
**Mr. Ingram:** The next election is near at hand, and as no candidate has yet been recommended for the Legislature, we would respectfully suggest the name of DANIEL GROSS, of Bloomsburg. He is a sound democrat, and an unflinching and zealous advocate of the Removal question, and if nominated will receive a strong support from BLOOM.

**Mr. Editor:** Will you mention the name of WILLIAM S. DAVIS, of Washington, as a suitable person to represent Columbia county in the next Legislature. He is a genuine democrat, eminently qualified, and nominated will ably and faithfully represent the interests of his constituents. MADISON.

**Mr. Editor:** Many of the democrats of his township have been waiting to see nominations made for the next Assembly; and as no person has been mentioned they would respectfully suggest the name of DANIEL GROSS, of Bloomsburg. Mr. Gross has an extensive acquaintance with the people of Columbia county—he has long and zealously labored in the cause of democracy—and we think he could in a measure be rewarded for his services by placing him on the ticket for Assembly. He is well qualified, and if nominated will be elected. None need doubt but that he would prove a zealous and efficient representative. FISHING CREEK.

**Mr. Ingram:** Will you please let the public know that Mr. JOSEPH BRÖBST, merchant, of Cattawissa, will be strenuously supported for County Commissioner? He is a good Democrat, and every way qualified to discharge the duties of the office, and if nominated will be elected by an overwhelming majority. CATTAWISSA.

**MASSACHUSETTS.**  
 This State contains 701,331 inhabitants, Boston, 80,325. Most of the other larger towns, about one dozen in number, contain from 5 to 15,000 each, except Lowell, the "City of Spindles," which has 18,000; Nantucket has 9,000.

**Public Lands.**—The President of the U. States has issued a Proclamation, ordering a sale at Auction, commencing on the 9th October next, of certain public unappropriated land, in the following places:  
 At Laporte, in the State of Indiana.  
 At Helena, in the State of Arkansas.  
 At Opelousas, in the State of Louisiana.  
 At St. Stephen's, in the State of Alabama.  
 At Chocoma, in the State of Mississippi.  
 At Milwaukee, in the Territory of Wisconsin.  
 The sales will be kept open for two weeks.

The amount of Broad Cloths imported into the United States in 1835, was \$5,374,562. In 1836, it was \$8,926,282.  
 He is an unwise man who in times like these does not take a newspaper.—[West Res.  
 And he is an unjust man, who in time like these, does not pay for his newspaper.  
 And he is both unwise and unjust who continues his newspaper because he imagines he can't afford to take it, and yet spends twenty-five cents every day for cigars and other foolery.

**Civil War.**—There have been 2,114 engagements between the Christians and Carlists in Spain since 1833, causing the death of 314,158 persons.

**Exciting the Slaves.**—An Englishman, named Matthew Holmes, was committed to the jail at Franklin, Louisiana, on the 11th ult, for using language calculated to inflame the slaves, and to lead to insubordination. The laws of that state are death to any man who declares sentiments calculated to excite the slaves against their masters.

**MINER'S BANK OF POTTSVILLE.**—On Tuesday last Joseph Thomas, Esq. tendered his resignation as Cashier of this Institution, which was accepted, & Charles Loeser, Esq. was chosen by the Directors to supply the vacancy.

**Necessity the Mother of Invention.**—A woman was brought up before the Boston Police on Friday, against whom it appeared that she had pinched an infant child black and blue, to afford a pretext to beg rum to wash its bruises.

**CONTRAST.**—The kingdom of Greece with a million and a half of souls, has only 85 licensed practitioners of physic. The town of Chicago, on Lake Michigan, with 8000 inhabitants, has no less than forty of the medical fraternity!

**An Institution that deserves Credit.**—The Board of Directors of the Sussex Bank, in New Jersey, have passed a resolution authorizing their President and Cashier, to purchase five thousand dollars worth of silver in the city of New York, and pay out the same at the counter of the Bank, in small sums, with a view of furnishing the citizens of that county with small change necessary for their ordinary business.

Coinage of gold at the Mint during the month of July, 1837:

Remaining uncoined 30th June	\$109,215
Deposited for coinage	61,510
	170,725
Amount coined in July	104,490
Remained uncoined 31st July	\$66,235

BALTIMORE, August 5.  
**THE BANKS.**  
 The following is the concluding paragraph of the letter of the New York correspondent of the Merchant, which we take from that paper of yesterday. We lay it before our readers as one of "the signs of the times." We know no one subject upon which so great an unanimity of opinion exists, as that of an early resumption of specie payment by the banks. Excepting the speculators and shavers, there is but one voice on the subject.

"The North River Bank this day paid \$65 and costs upon a suit brought against them before the case went to trial. Suits are multiplying every day upon these suspended banks. Bill holders begin to look up since the decision in the case of Wind vs. the Commercial. A storm is brewing. The only way for the banks to escape it is to resume at once. You cannot pick a jury out of five hundred men, that would give a verdict in favor of a bank that will not redeem its notes on demand."—Republican.

**HYMENIAL.**  
**MARRIED.**—On Thursday last, in Bloomsburg, by the Rev. Geo. C. Drake, Mr. JOHN OVERDORF, to Miss MARY ANN DURNIL, both of Rush township, Northumberland county.

On Tuesday last, by the Rev. D. S. Tobias, Mr. AARON FREY, to Miss MARGARET ZIMMERMAN, both of Millin township.

On Thursday last, by the same, Mr. ARNOLD JONES, to Miss MARY ANN BRASS, both of Limestone.

On the 10th inst. by the Rev. Mr. Dill, Mr. GEORGE B. BROWN, Merchant of Danville, to Miss SARAH A. GEARHART, of Rush township, Northumberland county.

**DEMOCRATIC DELEGATE MEETING.**

The Democratic citizens of Columbia County, friendly to, and supporters of the present administration of the General Government, and opposed to the present Antimasonic Governor, Joseph Ritner, and his misadministration of the affairs of the state, are hereby notified to meet at the usual places of holding township meetings for the election of Inspectors of the general election and township Assessors, on Saturday the 2nd of September next, for the purpose of choosing two delegates to represent each election district in County convention, at the house of Daniel Gross in Bloomsburg on the following Monday, at 12 o'clock of said day, for the purpose of selecting and nominating candidates to be supported by the democratic party at the next general election for Member of Assembly, Sheriff, Coroner, Commissioner, Treasurer, and Auditor.

ISAAC W. MUSGRAVE,  
 JOHN P. DAVIS,  
 JOHN S. FOLLMER,  
 HIRAM DERR,  
 CHARLES KALER,  
 Standing Committee.  
 August 19, 1837.

**WANTED.**  
**A Journeyman Potter**  
 WILL meet with employment and liberal wages by making immediate application to the subscriber, at Elytown.  
 HUGH THOMPSON.  
 Aug. 19, 1837.

**Purdy, Welch, Macomber & Co's. Zoological Exhibition.**

THE citizens of BLOOMSBURG, & vicinity, are respectfully informed that the splendid collection of LIVING ANIMALS AND BIRDS, from the Zoological Institute, New-York, will be exhibited in this village, on SATURDAY, the SECOND OF SEPTEMBER NEXT, for one day only.

This magnificent collection of rare Beasts and Birds from Europe, Asia, Africa, and North and South America, embracing the most valuable and extensive variety of Animals ever offered to the American public. The Exhibition is accompanied by the celebrated BOSTON BRASS BAND, which will announce the arrival of the Grand Cavalcade; and the whole will be arranged in a splendid Pavilion, prepared expressly for the accommodation of 60,000 visitors at one time. Seats will be provided for Ladies and Children. The living specimens of Natural History contained in this paragon of Menageries, in part consist of the following, viz: the Unicorn, or one horned Rhinoceros; Polar or White Bear; Eland, from Central Africa, Black Ostrich; Kangaroo; Gnu, or Horned Horse; Hinolostan, or Great Sloth Bear; Grisly Bears from the Rocky Mountains; Helicans, Vultures, Hyenas, Zebra, Lama, Camel, Dromedary, Elephant, Buffalo, Leopards, Tigers, Lions, and numerous other rare and interesting Animals, which will be exhibited at

**BLOOMSBURG, ON SATURDAY, The 2d of September Next, FOR ONE DAY ONLY.**

On entering the village, the Boston Brass Band, mounted on the splendid stud of trained horses, will play the most lively and spirit stirring airs. At half past 2 o'clock P. M. Mr. Van Amburgh enters a large cage, the inmates of which are a Lion and a Lioness, a pair of Asiatic Leopards, and African Leopards, and a Royal Asiatic Tiger—forming them in most astonishing and terrific groups. He then enters a cage containing a Lion and a Lioness and a Royal Tiger, accompanied by an Infant, tearing in its arms a Lamb, thus exhibiting the astonishing power of man over the brute creation, and exemplifying the Scriptural announcement, that "the lion and the lamb shall lie down together, and a little child shall lead them."

For further particulars see bills at principal hotels.  
 Admission only 25 cents.—Children under 10 years of age half price.  
 Aug. 19, 1837.

**NEW GOODS.**

**The Subscriber**  
 HAS just received from Philadelphia, a fresh assortment of GOODS, which have been purchased very low, and are now offered to customers at reduced prices. An excellent article of Coffee is now offered at twelve and a half cents per pound—first quality of New Orleans Sugar at ten cents, and second quality at eight cents per pound. He has also a large and full assortment of

**Iron & Hollow-Ware,**  
 Which he offers at the lowest prices. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine his assortment.  
 All kinds of country produce will be taken in exchange for goods.  
 C. B. FISHER.  
 Bloomsburg, Aug. 19, 1837.

**COMMISSIONER.**

WE have been authorized to announce STEPHEN BALDY, Esq. of Cattawissa, as a candidate for County Commissioner at the next election.  
 Aug. 19, 1837.

**ATTENTION!**

THE Independent Troop will meet at the house of John McReynolds in Hemlock township, on Saturday the 9th of September next, at 10 o'clock, A. M. armed and equipped for drill.  
 By order of the Captain.  
 T. W. DRAKE, O. S.  
 Bloomsburg, Aug. 19, 1837.

**ADVERTISEMENT.**

BY REQUEST.  
 my Dier Elizabeth  
 I feel sorry to learn that I am not permitted to come and see you openly, but my mind and my heart is with you every day, yes every hour O I hope the time will arrive, when we may join hands and hearts and pass on in peace, cheering each other on our far journeys on until the gates of everlasting life shall be opened and admit us to the glorious presence of our Lord I will conclude with a few sayings  
 "let my name in graven stand  
 both on your heart, and on your hand  
 seal me upon your arm and wear  
 that pledge of love for ever there  
 "that I do not forget you  
 N B do not be uneasy about the bearer of this letter for nothing will be said  
 and I will remain your lover till death  
 J German

Answer to the Prose.  
 I let your heart I never felt for  
 your hope is gone a stray  
 by joining hands and hearts two  
 Copper for Dross will Never Do  
 Answer to sayings  
 I let your name in graven stand  
 your oath you took and Lyes have told  
 you sealed it upon your heart and ware  
 that pledge of the Devil is ever there  
 Elizabeth

**Great Shooting Match.**

**MARKSMEN ATTEND!**  
 THE following Articles will be shot for at the public house of S. Brobet, in Cattawissa, on **FRIDAY NEXT,** the 18th of August inst. to wit:  
 One Fat Steer, weighing 800 lbs. \$60 00  
 Three Eight-day Clocks, at \$20, 60 00  
 One Thirty-hour Clock, 15 00  
 Three good Watches, 45 00  
 \$143 00  
 The price of Targets will be One Dollar each.—Marksmen will be restricted to 100 yards when shooting off-hand. Marksmen, and others, from the neighbouring counties, are invited to attend.  
 JOHN NELSON.  
 Cattawissa, August 9, 1837.

**SHERIFFALTY.**

To the Electors of Columbia county.  
**FELLOW-CITIZENS:** At the solicitation of many friends throughout the county, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of **SHERIFF,** at the next general election, and would feel grateful for your support.  
 JOHN FRUIT.  
 Madison, June 3, 1837.

**TO THE ELECTORS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.**

**FELLOW-CITIZENS:** At the request of my friends I offer myself as a candidate for the **Office of Sheriff,** at the ensuing general election, and solicit your votes and interest. Should I be elected I shall endeavor to merit the favour, by a correct and faithful fulfillment of the duties of the office.  
 WILLIAM RICHART.  
 Madison, July 29, 1837.

**SHERIFFALTY.**

**FELLOW-CITIZENS:** At the solicitation of a great number of my friends and well-wishers, I again offer myself as a candidate for the **Office of Sheriff** of the county of Columbia, at the next general election. If you would be so good as to give me your votes, there shall lack nothing on my part to do my duty with accuracy and fidelity.  
 WILLIAM KITCHEN.  
 Danville, June 24, 1837.

**SHERIFFALTY.**

To the Electors of Columbia county:  
**FELLOW CITIZENS:** At the urgent solicitation of numerous friends, I offer myself as a candidate for the office of **SHERIFF.**  
 Should I be so fortunate as to receive a majority of votes, and procure my commission, I pledge myself to execute the duties of the office with fidelity and impartiality.  
 ELIAS McHENRY.  
 May 13, 1837.

**SHERIFFALTY.**

To the Electors of Columbia county:  
**FELLOW CITIZENS:** At the solicitation of a number of my friends I have been encouraged to offer myself as a Candidate for the office of **SHERIFF,** at the ensuing General Election. If I should be so fortunate as to obtain a majority of your suffrages, I pledge myself, so far as my abilities will admit, to perform the duties of the office with integrity and humanity.  
 PETER KLINE.  
 Roaring Creek, May 20, 1837.

**SHERIFF'S SALES.**

BY VIRTUE of sundry writs of Venditioni Expensas to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the court-house, in Danville, on Monday the 21st of August next, at ten o'clock, A. M., (being the first day of the court,) the following Real Property, to wit:  
**A certain Tract of Land,** Situate in Mt. Pleasant township, Columbia county, in the possession of Philip Stetler, containing Fifty acres, more or less, whereon is erected one



**SAW-MILL,**  
**A LOG HOUSE,**  
 AND A  
**LOG BARN,**

Adjoining lands late of Daniel Stetler, Matthias Shipman, Peter Laubach, Barnard Stetler and Zeboath Stetler. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Charles Stetler, at the suit of David Petrikin.

**HOUSE & BARN,**  
 AND  
**A STABLE**  
 About Thirty acres are cleared, and on the premises is an Apple Orchard. Seized, taken in execution, & to be sold as the property of Samuel Thomas, jr.

**A LOG HOUSE,**  
 AND  
**A LOG BARN.**  
 About Forty acres is cleared land, with an Apple Orchard. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of George Wertman.

**ALSO: BY ADJOURNMENT,**

**A certain Tract of Land,** situate in Roaring creek township, Columbia county, adjoining lands of J. Cooper, Wm. G. Hurly, A. Starks, Leonard Roup, George Stine, and others, containing seventy-seven acres, whereon is erected a



About forty-six acres are cleared. Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Jacob Roup.  
 BY  
 ISAIAH SALMON, Sheriff.  
 Sheriff's Office, Danville, July 29, 1837.

**STONE-COAL,**

OF a superior quality, just received and for sale by the subscriber.  
 C. B. FISHER.  
 Bloomsburg, July 22, 1837.

**SHERIFFALTY.**

To the Freemen of Columbia county.  
**FELLOW-CITIZEN:** At the request of many personal friends, I solicit your votes at the approaching election for the **Office of Sheriff.**  
 Should a majority of your suffrages elevate me to the station I pledge myself to discharge the duties of the office with correctness and impartiality. In asking your support, the subscriber is prompted by a desire to promote the public good; and he hopes that his large family, his poverty, and his inability to support himself by labor, may obtain him the votes of those who can feel for the wants of an honest and qualified neighbour.  
 ISAAC C. JOHNSON.  
 Orangeville, July 29, 1837.

**PROCLAMATION.**

WHEREAS the Hon. ELLIS LEWIS, President Judge of the courts of Oyer & Terminer and General Jail Delivery, court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and of Common Pleas, and Orphan's Court in the eighth Judicial district, composed of the counties of Northumberland, Union, Columbia and Lycoming, and the Hon. William Montgomery and Leonard Rapert, Esquires, associate Judges in Columbia county, have issued their precept bearing date the 23d day of April, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven, and to me directed, for holding the several Courts of

Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Common Pleas, and Orphan's Court, IN DANVILLE, in the county of Columbia, on the third Monday of August next (being the 21st day) and to continue one week.

Notice is therefore hereby Given, to the Coroner, the Justice of the peace and Constables of the said county of Columbia, that they be then and there in their proper persons at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, with their records, inquisitions, & other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done: And those who are bound by recognizances, to prosecute against the prisoners that are or may be in the jail of said county of Columbia, are to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance, agreeably to their notices.

ISAIAH SALMON, Sheriff.  
 Sheriff's Office, Danville, July 15, 1837.

**TO CREDITORS.**

TAKE NOTICE that we have applied to the Judges of the court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, for the benefit of the insolvent laws of this commonwealth, and the said court have appointed **Monday the 21st day of August next,** To hear us and our creditors at the court house in Danville, at which place you may attend if you think proper.  
 CASPER HAWK,  
 JOHN LUNGER,  
 ABM. SHOEMAKER.  
 July 29, 1837.

**JOHN S. INGRAM, ATTORNEY AT LAW,**

TENDERS his professional services to the citizens of Columbia county. He will feel grateful for business entrusted to his care. Office in the same building with the "Columbia Democrat."  
 Bloomsburg, May, 1837.

**NEW MONTHLY MAGAZINE.**

On the first of July, 1837, will be published, beautifully printed, on good paper, and stitched in a wrapper, extra large royal octavo, the FIRST NUMBER of a new Periodical Work, entitled **The Gentleman's Magazine.**

THE announcement of a new periodical, in the present state of affairs, may create some feeling of surprise; but having contemplated an alteration in the nature of a very popular monthly publication, "Every Body's Album," the proprietors deem it best to proceed in the perfected arrangements, and produce a periodical embodying the most wholesome points of the old work, but conducted with sufficient energy and talent to ensure the success of their new arrangements. The respectable and extensive subscription list of the Album, to which this work is designed as a successor, will at once place THE GENTLEMAN'S MAGAZINE in a circulation equal to that of any other monthly work in the United States, and guarantee the continuance of its publication, with the certainty of payment to the enterprise of the proprietors.

The contents of the Gentleman's Magazine will, in every respect, be answerable to the meaning of the title. We do not pretend, in our literary pursuits, to fly as "eagles soar, above the ken of man," nor shall we be content with merely skimming the surface of the ground; our pages will not be filled with abstruse predictions, nor shall we display the brilliancy of our critical acumen in matters "cavare to the million." In short, we do not mean to be profoundly learned, nor philosophically dull. We wish to produce a gentlemanly and agreeable book—an epitome of life's adjunctives—a literary mélange, possessing variety to suit all palates, and sufficient interest to command a place upon the parlour table of every gentleman in the United States.

In the varied and ample page of contents attached to each number of the Gentleman's Magazine, original articles will be found, from some of the most celebrated writers of the day.—Essays, Humorous and Didactic—Graphic Delineations of Men and Manners.—Free and Spirited Translations of the lighter portions of the Literature of continental Europe.—A Series of Original Biographical Notices of the principal stars in the Dramatic hemisphere. The Current Literature will be reviewed in full, and liberal extracts made from rare and valuable works. An Original copy Right Song, not otherwise to be obtained, will be given, with the music, in every number.

The Gentleman's Magazine will contain seventy-two extra sized octavo pages, of two columns each, forming, at the close of the year, two large handsome volumes of One Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty-eight columns, each column containing one third more than an octavo page of average proportions. Several engravings will be given in the course of the year; and the proprietors pledge themselves that the Gentleman's Magazine shall be the largest & the cheapest monthly work in the United States. TERMS.—The subscription to the Gentleman's Magazine will, for a single copy, be invariably Three Dollars per annum, payable in advance—a \$5 note may procure two copies to the same direction, or five copies for \$10. Address,  
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