

THE COLUMBIA DEMOCRAT.



BLOOMSBURG:

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 1838.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR: GEN. DAVID R. PORTER. (OF HUNTINGDON COUNTY.)

We are under obligations to the Hon. James Buchanan, of the U. S. Senate, and the Hon. David Petrikin, of the House, for various public documents, for which we tender them our thanks.

A whig county meeting was held in this village on Saturday last. It was a small affair. From the great exertions previously made to drum up the party, we were prepared to see a large meeting for them, but it was as slim as their proceedings were simple.

The whig meeting lately held in this place, adopted a resolution lauding General Harrison, & professing to go for him as their first choice, while they denounce the anti-masonic central committee for sustaining him, and call upon the anti-masons to submit to a decision of a national convention which they know is to be convened for the express purpose of nominating Henry Clay. The anti-masons must feel highly delighted with the encomiums bestowed upon their candidate, by their whig allies, when it is so apparent, that their only object is to drive Harrison from the field, and substitute their masonic friend in his stead. Will the anti-masons submit is the question.

We learn by a slip from the Wilkesbäre Advocate, that at a special Court, held in that borough on the 10th instant, a new trial was granted to the two Gilligans, who were convicted of Murder in the first degree in January last. The principal ground for the decision was the inadmissibility of the deposition of Fagan, taken before Esquire Pery.

Bradley, who was convicted of murder in the second degree, and who did not apply for a new trial, was sentenced to ten years imprisonment in the Eastern Penitentiary.

We have received the first number of the "Potsville Emporium," published by our old friend John S. Ingram, Esq. It is a well printed sheet, and from the appearance of its Advertising columns it will be well supported. We wish him success.

The Election Law.

The following amendment to the election law of this state passed the Legislature at the late session. It is important that publicity should be given to it.

"That no inspector, judge, or other officer of any election shall be eligible to any office at such election, nor shall any person holding an office under the general or state government be an inspector, judge, or other officer of any such election, nor shall any person holding an office under the government of the United States, be allowed to serve as a member of City Council, Commissioner of a District or Burgess."

WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENCE, OF THE 'COLUMBIA DEMOCRAT.'

WASHINGTON, May 10, 1838.

To the Editor,

Sir—The President sent into the House of Representatives this morning, a message stating that the Treasury had not available funds to meet the demands on it, and asking the immediate action of Congress on the subject. The report of the Duelling Committee, as it is called, came up in order, and Mr. Underwood, of Kentucky, having the floor, spoke for more than an hour—Mr. Thomas then took the floor, and after a very lucid and strong statement of his reasons for the motion, moved to lay the whole matter on the table, and to print the reports of the majority and minorities of the committee, their journal, evidence, and all documents relating to it. The vote for laying on the table was, yeas 102—nays 79. For printing the reports, yeas 124—nays 73. For printing documents, yeas 189—nays 4. So this business is laid aside for the present, as there was no prospect of ever getting a direct vote on the resolutions.

ITEMS.

No less than three suicides from intemperance occurred at Vernon, near Rome, New York, within one week in the month of April.

The Sirius steam ship is said to have carried out 17000 letters. More than 20,000 are said to have been mailed in the "Great Western."

An unknown gentleman, soon after arriving in the stage at Lancaster, N. Hampshire, a few days since, retired to a room, and destroyed himself, by cutting his throat. About \$60 were found on his person, and a note payable to a firm in Boston.

A person being asked what was meant by "realities of life," answered real estate, real money, and a real good dinner.

The annual dividends paid by the banks very opportunely to stockholders in New York, amount to \$864,000.

Intermarrying with a Vengeance.—It is said that a Mr. Williams, of Doncaster, York county, England, had two daughters by his first wife, who was deceased. The elder daughter married Mr. John Wiley, the son, and the younger married Mr. John Wiley, the father, a widower. The elder Wiley had a daughter by his first wife, whom old Mr. Williams married, and by her had a son; therefore the elder Wiley's wife could say, my father is my son, and I am my mother's mother; my sister is my daughter, and I am grandmother to my brother. This beats all.

"Served him right."—The New York Star says—A man by the name of Johnson, yesterday, between two and three o'clock, P. M. came home to his residence in Division street, intoxicated, and after sitting down to dinner, in a few minutes rose from the table and turned too and beat his wife in a shocking manner. She, after a short time submitting to his violence, seized an axe in the corner in self defence, and nearly severed his arm from the body. Her passions, which were justly aroused at the time, having now subsided, she is doing all in her power, in conjunction with the physician, to alleviate the distress consequent upon the severe wound she inflicted.

On Thursday, the 10th inst. a prisoner, by the name of Judson, made his escape from Mount Pleasant State Prison, N. Y. but was caught and returned to prison the same day. On the Monday morning following, when the prisoners were brought from their cells, Judson jumped off the dock into the river and succeeded in drowning himself.

At a public meeting of the citizens of Brandon, Tennessee, it was resolved, to give twelve hours notice to all gamblers in that place to decamp, and a committee of ten persons were appointed to look after such as were dilatory in obeying the mandate.

One hundred and thirty vessels arrived at Liverpool from America during the month of March.

The militia of the state of New York numbers 184,000 men.

The Pittsburg papers state that some of the iron manufacturers of that city have determined to build an iron steamboat.

In Wheeling Va. the daughter of Mr. Sciarra, a French juggler, making an ascension on a rope to the top of a house, fell and was killed; she was only nine years old.

The father deserved a summary punishment.

The Pittsburg banks have been paying specie, for some time past, for all sums under five dollars.

By a law of Michigan, the Banks of that state are required to resume specie payments on or before the 16th of June.

The Firemen of Lancaster had a grand parade on the 10th inst. It is said to have been one of the most splendid pageants ever got up in that city.

A Mysterious Death.—An inquest was held on the 2d inst. on the body of a white man found dead in the woods about a mile from Port Deposit. He appeared to have been dead some days, and was much disfigured in the face, though not much swollen; his head lay on a rock, and one side of the face appeared to have been bruised & cut, which had caused it to bleed freely, but whether from a blow or falling on a rock, could not be ascertained. A number of persons went to see him, but he was not recognised, nor was anything found on him by which a clue to his name or residence could be had. He appeared to be from 30 to 35 years of age, about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, sandy hair and red whiskers; he had on a striped pair of pantaloons, black beavercoat, blue cloth coat with conceals metal buttons, and a short mixed blue cloth box coat and white hat. No money or papers of any kind were found about him. He was decently interred.

HYMENIAL.

MARRIED.—On the 12th inst, by the Rev. William J. Eyer, Mr. SOLOMAN LEIDIG, to Miss SUSAN ZIMMERMAN, both of Cattawissa Valley, Schuylkill county, Pa.

ARTILLERY.

We are requested to give notice, that an adjourned meeting of the members of the BLOOMSBURG Artillery Company, will be held at the house of Charles Doeber, on Friday evening next, for the purpose of making arrangements to procure a Uniform, and to do any other business necessary to forward the organization of the company.—All who are willing to aid in the formation of an Artillery Company are requested to attend.

May 19.

GLAD TIDINGS

To the Distressed & Afflicted! TOBIAS'S HEALTH EMPORIUM And Family Drug Warehouse.

HEALTH, "The poor man's riches—the rich man's bliss." THE subscriber would respectfully announce to his friends and the public that he has opened a general assortment of

Drugs & Medicines, at his Drug and Chemical Store in Bloomsburg, and that he will be happy to supply the wants of those who may give him a call. Among his assortment are:

Alcohol, Mustard
Aqua Ammonia, Muriate of Tin
Aqua pepper, Mace
Arsenic white, Nippel Shields
do. yellow, do Shells
Allonatto, Opodeldoc liquid
Agaric, do Stora
Aqua Fortis, Pills German
Blue Mass, Guinine
Black Tin, Radix Calcicum
Barley pealed, do Senega Snake
Borax, do Squilla
Bronze white, Resin plaster
do yellow, Steel powder
Carb Ammonia, Stodien bitters
Cinnamon, Stone yellow
do rotten
Cochineal, do black
Crab's eyes, Sand paper sorted
Cloves, Solution of tin
Dragon's blood, Spt. Eather Sulph.
Ginger, do Niter Eather
Gum Assafetida, do Hartshorne
do Opium, Vials all kinds
do Aloes, Wafers red and black
do Arabic, Kreosote
do Barbadoes Aloes, Window Glass all sorts
Camphor, Whitening
Gum Copal, Sandet Salts
do Myrrh, Cologne Water
Horse Lance, Black Nery
Isinglass Russia
Lamp black

ALSO, Allspice, Black Peppr, Red Peppr, Iron Root.

D. S. TOBIAS, Bloomsburg, May 19, 1838.

BLOOMSBURG IRON FOUNDRY, AND Threshing Machine MANUFACTORY.

THE subscribers respectfully inform the public in general, that they have erected the above mentioned establishment for all kinds of

IRON CASTINGS, to order, and also to manufacture THRESHING MACHINES and PORTABLE HORSE POWERS; all of which they will make of the best of materials, and in the most workmanlike manner, and will dispose of them on reasonable terms.

L. H. MAUS & Co. Bloomsburg, May 19, 1838. GOLD LEAF, SILVER LEAF, and COPPER LEAF, For sale at Tobias's Drug Store in Bloomsburg.

LOOK HERE, DYEYERS AND PAINTER, If you want to Buy CHEAP, OAM Wood, ground; Chrom. Green; Drop Lakes; C Fusic; Logwood; Madder; Spanish Brown, for sale at Tobias's Warehouse in Bloomsburg.

LOOK OUT SHARP!! GLUE, NONE better in the known world, for sale at the cheap Ware House, by TOBIAS in Bloomsburg.

DYEYERS OPEN YOUR EYES. BENGAL Indigo; Spanish do. Verdigris, blue Vitriol; White do, for sale cheap and good, at the Bloomsburg Ware House, by D. S. TOBIAS.

EYE WATER & EYE SALVE WHICH I can recommend to any body, for sale at Tobias's Health Emporium.

MILLINERS, Will you be so kind as to look at this!! WHITE Glue; Flake White; Oxalic Acid, for sale at the Health Emporium by D. S. TOBIAS.

BLACK INK, Red Ink, Blue Ink, Durable Ink, for sale at the cheap Health Emporium, by D. S. TOBIAS.

MERCURIAL Ointment, Sulphur do. Simple do. Pericpitated do. Red, Cetrin do, Tartar Emetic do, and all other kinds of Ointments, for sale at the Health Emporium, by D. S. TOBIAS, in Bloomsburg.

Oil of stone White, do. red, black, sweet, Castor and all other kinds of Oils, for sale at Tobias's Health Emporium.

Gentlemen and Ladies come and look at the handsome

BEARS OIL, FRENCH double rectified, and scented with the Otto of Rose, for sale at Tobias's Health Emporium.

ORANGE Mineral, Prussian Blue, Rose Pink, Red Lead, Sugar of Lead, Stone Yellow, Stone Rotten, Umber, Venition Red, Vermilian, Capel Varnish, White lead dry, White Lead in kegs, Resin, for sale uncommon cheap, at Tobias's Drug Store, Bloomsburg.

SALARATUS, Glauber Salts, Epsom salts, for sale at the Cheap Health Emporium.

STARCH, Snuff Beans, Sand Paper of all kinds, Spirita Terpentine, Cocoa prepared Chocolate for sick people. A fresh supply for sale at the Health Emporium in Bloomsburg, by D. S. TOBIAS.

To Bridge Builders,

THE Commissioners of Columbia county will enter into contract with the lowest and best bidder for building a BRIDGE across BRIER CREEK, on the great State Road, at or near Bowman's Mill's, on Thursday, the 24th day of May instant, at the house of Gerlock Bomboy, in the village of Bloomsburg.

It is proposed to take bids for building said Bridge on two different plans, the Commissioners to have the selection of either, after the biddings are closed.

First—For Building a STONE BRIDGE,

with two Arches, forty-five feet long between the abutments, and eighteen feet from out to out.

Second—For building a WOODEN BRACE BRIDGE,

with Stone Abutments nineteen feet long, six feet thick and eight feet high, from low water mark, with one or more wing walls. The Superstructure to be forty-five feet long between the abutments at the foundation, and sixteen feet wide from out to out; and to be put under a good shingle roof to extend ten feet beyond the face of the abutments.

IDDINGS BARCLAY, CORNELIUS CLACKNER, JOSEPH BROBST, Commissioners office } Danville May 19, 1838. }

PALM Soap, 3 or 4 kinds of shaving Soap, Wash Balls, and Ladies' soap, for sale at the cheap Drug store, by D. S. TOBIAS, in Bloomsburg.

SMOKED HERRING, Sugar crackers, and Water crackers, for sale by D. S. TOBIAS, in Bloomsburg.

Ladies look at this,

GILT Book Boxes, Silk do. Paper do. Gilt Beads, Fancy do. cut do. plain do. Ladies' Wax, Gilt Thimbles, Hooks & Eyes, Needle cases, all kinds of Smelling Bottles, very handsome; Breast Pins, Ear rings, Finger rings, Pomatum, Snuff Boxes, Hair Brushes, Pocket combs, Lead Pencils, black and red; for sale at TOBIAS'S Health Emporium.

POTASH for boiling soap, Gum Elastic Shoe Black, and Horse Lances, for sale by D. S. TOBIAS' Drug Warehouse in Bloomsburg.

BRANDETH'S PILLS, For Sale by D. S. TOBIAS, Agent.

BLUE SMALTZ, White Frosting, Iceland Moss for consumptive People; Segars, Common, Spanish and Half Spanish; and a thousand other articles too tedious to mention, for sale at TOBIAS'S Health Emporium.

Swains Panacea, For sale at Tobias's Health Emporium.

New Goods AND GREAT BARGAINS!!

THE subscribers respectfully inform their customers and the public generally, that they have just received and are now opening at the BLOOMSBURG ARCADE, A Large and Choice Assortment of NEW GOODS,

selected with care, and suitable for the season; which in addition to their former stock, presents to the consumer, as large a variety, as can be found in any of the country stores.

Their present stock embraces almost every article in demand in the market, in the DRY GOOD LINE.

They have also an extensive Assortment of HARD WARE,

Queens Ware, GLASS WARE, CEDAR WARE;

Fish Salt, Iron, Steel, Paints, Drugs, Dye Stuffs, &c. &c. &c. All of which they offer to sell very low for Cash, or in exchange for Country Produce. RUPERT & BARTON, Bloomsburg, May 12, 1838.

FRUIT AND CANDIES.

REASONS, all kinds of Candies, Rock candy, all kind of Nuts, Oranges, Figs, Prunes, Lemons, &c. &c. &c. for sale by D. S. TOBIAS.

Evans' Camomile Pills, Warranted to be genuine. Anderson's Pills, & all other kinds of Pills. Fly Stone, to kill Flies with. Fish Seed, to catch fish with. TRUSSES, Spunges, for sale at TOBIAS'S Health Emporium.

POLISHING POWDER, to clean and polish all kinds of Metal, and Horse Powder, for sale at the cheap Drug store, in Bloomsburg, by D. S. TOBIAS.

WANTED—AN APPRENTICE to be PRINTING BUSINESS. A smart active lad, from 14 to 16 years of age, will receive good encouragement, upon application at this office.

A Young Lady, Qualified to Teach the English Branches, is desirous of engaging in a School for the Summer.—Application to be made at this Office.

NEW GOODS.



THE subscribers have just received, at their old establishment, in Bloomsburg, a new and general assortment of Goods, laid in with great care, and suitable for the present and approaching seasons; which, with their former stock, they flatter themselves, presents as various a choice of goods as can be had in any part of the country, and which they are disposed to part with at the lowest price for Cash or in exchange for Country Produce.—Their Stock of

DRY GOODS consists of all varieties of the manufactures of Silk, Flax, Cotton, and Wool, and their numerous combinations, in England, France and America.

Superfine, Fine, Common, and Coarse Cloths, Cassimers and Sattinets;

Cotton Goods from the Coarsest to the Finest texture; among the latter an assortment of French Chintzes, Muslins and Calicoes of new and superb patterns; Silks and Silk Vestings; Shawls, Handkerchiefs, &c., Irish Linens, dressed and undressed, French Lawns and brown Hollands.

Groceries & Liquors, Sugar, Coffee, Chocolate, Tea, Spices of all kinds, several kinds and qualities of Brandy, Spirits, Rum, Whiskey, Wine and Molasses.

HARDWARE, Knives and Forks, Cutlery, Saddlery, Coach and Wagon mountings and trimmings, Scythes, Mill and cut Saws, Tools for Blacksmiths, Shoemakers, Saddlers, Tailors, Carpenters and other mechanics.

CHINA, GLASS AND QUEEN'S WARE.

Crockery Ware, Cedar Ware; Willow and other BASKETS, and a thousand and one other articles which it is impossible separately to mention.

Paints, Drugs and Dye Stuffs. FISH, OIL & PLASTER. IRON AND STEEL

of all kinds and qualities of foreign and domestic manufacture. Don't throw away good bargains by neglecting to call on WILLIAM McKELVY & Co. Bloomsburg, May 12, 1838.

SPRING FASHIONS. BERNARD RUPERT, TAILOR.

HAS just received the Spring Fashions from Philadelphia, and is ready to make all kinds of garments in the newest and most fashionable style. Bloomsburg, May 5, 1838.

A New Landlord; SWAN HOTEL, ORANGEVILLE.

Bloom Township, Columbia County, Pa. THE subscriber embraces this opportunity to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has taken the house formerly occupied by JACOB DOMBOY. He invites his friends from Orangeville, and travellers, to honor him with their custom, and assures them that no pains shall be spared to make their stay at his house as agreeable as possible.

HIS BAR. Shall at all times be supplied with the Best and choicest Liquors, and Tables shall be larded with all the delicacies the market affords—his stables shall be clean and airy, and an attentive hostler will at all times be ready and willing to take care of the horses. A variety of the latest and most interesting newspapers shall be procured to wait the pleasure of his customers. In short nothing shall be left undone to deserve a liberal share of the public patronage. SAMUEL RICKER, Orangeville, April 28, 1838.

White Italian Mulberry, FOR SALE AT TOBIAS'S HEALTH EMPORIUM, IN BLOOMSBURG.