

**THE NEXT LEGISLATURE.**  
The next Legislature will probably stand as follows:

<i>Senate.</i>	
Democrats	13
Whigs and Anties	20
<i>House of Representatives.</i>	
Democrats	53
Whigs and Anties	44

giving the Democrats a majority of five on joint ballot—unless the difficulty as to the county of Philadelphia defeats the return of the democratic members, and deprives the people of Pennsylvania of a democratic U. S. Senator. Upon this subject we give below, an article from the American Sentinel.

"The majority of the return judges of the county, ten in number, having refused to receive the return of the election in the Northern Liberties, in consequence of some irregularity in making the return of the Seventh Ward, reported the democratic candidates for Senate and Assembly as duly elected. The minority, consisting of seven, certified to the election of the Whig members. Three of the return judges of the Third Congressional District, refusing to receive the returns of the Northern Liberties, certified the election of CHARLES J. INGERSOLL; the other three, receiving the Northern Liberties return declared CHARLES NAYLOR, the present member, elected. The whole day, from ten o'clock in the forenoon, until late in the evening, was occupied in the discussion of the law relative to the duties of return judges, the examination of witnesses, and summing up and making out the returns.—Messrs. INGERSOLL, NAYLOR, and C. BROWN engaged in the discussion, in behalf of themselves and their political friends respectively. We have since learned, that the whig judges had their returns transmitted by the Sheriff to the Governor on Friday night, by express; and that on Saturday morning the democratic judges deposited theirs with that officer. Much excitement existed during the whole of Friday, in the vicinity of the State House, among the friends of the opposing candidates; and some anxiety has since been felt by our own friends, lest advantages may be taken by the opposition of this circumstance, as it is known that they have a decided majority in the Senate, and nearly equal the democrats in the House of the country members should be temporarily excluded from their seats.

Of the right of the democratic members to their seats there can scarcely be a doubt. It is admitted, we believe, that they have a majority, even if the Northern Liberties returns are included. But the election for U. S. Senator is fixed by law for the 2d Tuesday in December, precisely one week after the meeting of the Legislature; and there is no telling to what length such men as THOMPSON STEVENS, exasperated by defeat and thirsting for revenge may venture to go.

**THE TABLES ARE TURNED.**

The banks having resumed specie payment in the Middle, Eastern and some of the Southern and Western States, we find their paper at par with specie, and the exchanges are suddenly becoming regulated.—There is no National Bank—the Treasury is sustained independent of the banks, and yet, contrary to all Whig predictions and forebodings, business and trade are getting active, the country prosperous, and all as it should be.

We must trust to our faithful and excellent Administration, the officers of the Treasury, and those who are connected with the finances, to exercise a proper vigilance in discharging their duties, for the want of necessary laws. It would have been better had Congress passed the bill reported by Mr. Wright, or some similar bill, which required heavier bonds, and which also imposed a penalty on officers who used the public funds; but the Opposition prevented the passage of such a law through the House, insisting that the public money should be used for private purposes instead of being kept to pay public debts. Every day's experience is satisfying the country, that the President was right in his recommendation—that the bill which passed the Senate—ought to have become a law—that the public funds ought not to be used for private purposes, and that public officers should be held to a rigid accountability.

The whole country is becoming satisfied and united on this subject; and none will hereafter advocate the use of the public money for speculative purposes, except those who wish to use it. Few people desire that the public treasure should be placed in the hands of speculators. They had rather their funds should be kept to pay the public liabilities. We all perceive that the banks are resuming without the use of the public money—and without a National Bank.

*Hartford Times.*

**Losing a vote.**—The Boston Times says "so great was the anxiety to get out all the voters at the recent election in Maine, that in one instance a man was taken from a sick bed, and actually died before he reached the polls."

**A chance for single ladies.**—In Scott county, Iowa, where a residence of four days, the last single lady found a market on the 19th ult. A correspondent writes, "our gentlemen are three to one, and so anxious are our settlers for wives, that they never ask a single lady her age. All they require is a teeth."

**COLUMBIA COUNTY ELECTION RETURNS,**

OCTOBER, 1838.

**OFFICIAL.**

	Governor.	Senators.	Assembly.	Com'rs.	Treasurer.	Auditor.	For Annals.	Against Annals.						
Bloom.	174	123	74	222	109	174	65	225	83	203	104	102	114	151
Brier Creek.	193	110	170	131	158	144	159	140	169	109	157	205	35	208
Cattawissa.	164	204	154	207	158	202	152	204	154	205	157	205	35	298
Derry.	232	43	218	53	255	36	213	38	128	138	210	10	116	63
Fishing Creek.	91	22	86	29	87	27	77	36	88	15	86	15	22	82
Greenwood.	135	62	70	129	73	119	58	142	98	82	60	92	78	80
Headlock.	110	37	83	64	99	40	64	89	79	57	80	55	45	86
Liberty.	155	27	150	27	160	23	149	22	84	89	140	23	141	15
Limestone.	86	36	78	44	93	31	86	56	73	45	88	34	70	23
Madison.	247	76	223	91	265	57	240	65	240	73	241	72	228	79
Monroe.	192	39	133	91	179	51	138	82	203	27	155	25	111	65
Mount Pleasant.	90	36	86	42	93	34	78	48	87	35	82	33	46	53
Mt. Union.	55	26	29	59	38	49	35	60	36	55	33	52	6	71
Orangeville.	182	43	135	83	153	61	125	79	127	48	144	20	104	36
Paxton.	169	39	98	49	105	43	88	62	107	37	105	31	108	22
Roaring Creek.	95	26	65	26	94	24	92	26	91	27	90	23	50	58
Sago.	186	92	182	91	185	90	187	78	188	51	185	87	73	143
Sago.	120	18	84	40	83	48	68	68	79	44	81	42	121	5

**RECAPITULATION.**

David R. Porter,	2616														
Joseph Ritter,	1088	Majority,													1,528
David Pettkin,	2146														
William G. Hurley,	1480	Majority,													606
William Colt,	2367														
John Bowman,	1260	Majority,													1,117
John McHenry,	2076														
John Laubaugh,	1487	Majority,													567
Jeremiah Welliver,	2114														
William S. Davis,	1340	Majority,													774
Sebastian Hower,	2211														
Alexander Mears,	1115	Majority,													1,096
For the Amendments,	1556														
Against the Amendments,	1505	Majority,													50

The following Statement of the Votes polled for Governor, at the late election, we have gathered from the Harrisburg, and other papers from different portions of the State. Though not all official, yet we believe them nearly correct, and that the official majority will not vary much from that which we now give.

COUNTIES.	GOVERNOR.		REPRESENTATIVES.	
	PORTER'S Majority.	RITTER'S Majority.	Democrats.	Federalists.
Adams,	1535	3310		2
Alleghany,		1400		4
Armstrong,	1271		1	2
Beaver,		542		2
Bedford,	149			4
Berks,	7101	3215		1
Bradford,	1836	1621		3
Bucks,	4553	4146		1
Butler,		62		1
Cambria,	141			1
Centre,	1159			4
Chester,	4527	4976		1
Cleatfield,	278			1
Columbia,	2610	1088		2
Crawford,	423			2
Cumberland,	430			2
Dauphin,	2165	3943		2
Delaware,	1203	1731		2
Erie,		1212		1
Fayette,	2582	1931		2
Franklin,	277			2
Greene,	1768	1027		1
Huntington,		919		2
Indiana,		418		1
Jefferson,	180			1
Juniata,	1049	863		3
Lancaster,		3054		6
Lebanon,	1542	2227		1
Lehigh,	2460	2349		2
Luzeerne,	3132	2592		2
Lyeomingi,	2406	1555		1
Mercer,		631		2
Mifflin,	185			
Monroe,	811			
Montgomery,	4558	8748		3
K'Keen,	213			
Northampton,	1055			3
Northumberland,	2144	1164		1
Perry,	1914	682		1
Philadelphia city,	3156	7203		7
Philadelphia county,	7952	6187		8
Pike,	521	117		1
Potter,	263			1
Schuylkill,	2271	1508		1
Somerset,		1393		1
Susquehanna,	1231	1098		1
Tioga,	673			
Union,		676		
Vanango,	1140			1
Warren,	390			
Washington,		51		3
Wayne,	1082	538		
Westmoreland,	4561	2365		2
York,	4193	3557		3

**Population.**—Spain has an average of 63 individuals to the square mile, Scotland 72, Denmark 76, Massachusetts 78, Connecticut 73, Rhode Island 62, New York 44, New Jersey 28, Maryland 26, Pennsylvania 29, New Hampshire 28, Vermont 28, Ohio 23, South Carolina 18, Virginia 17, Tennessee 17, North Carolina 15, Maine 12, Indiana 18, Georgia 9, Alabama 6, Louisiana 5, Mississippi 3, Illinois 3, Missouri 2. No go.—A young lady sentenced to "Blackwell's Island," New York, for six months, finding an empty coffin there on her arrival, jumped into it, and remaining until night, made her escape. She was retaken several days afterwards, and sent back.

"Ministers of the Gospel" are excluded from all civil offices in New York, by the Constitution.

**Base attempt to hoax.**—Some letter writer has stated without the least shadow of truth or presumption of its truth, that the Hon. Henry Clay, died recently at Cincinnati, from drinking cold water.

**Resignation of Lord Durham.**—We learn from the New York Journal of Commerce, that Durham has resigned his office as Governor General of the Canadas, in consequence of the proceedings of the British Parliament already noticed.—This important act was announced by his Lordship at Quebec on Saturday week, and as might have been expected, created much excitement.

Pencil marks may be rubbed from paper with the corner of a silk handkerchief, as well with a piece of India Rubber.

**Bloomsburg Artillery.**  
Will meet at Snyder's Hotel on Saturday, the 27th inst. at 9 o'clock A. M. for Military Exercise and Drill, with Uniform and Muskets.

**LIST OF LETTERS**  
Remaining in the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Oct. 1st. 1838.

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| Mr. Bartley Esq.   | Paul Hopper        |
| Samuel Beitelman,  | Joseph Hopper,     |
| John Bower,        | John Ingram Esq.   |
| Daniel Buss,       | Samuel Jacoby,     |
| John Caldwell,     | Mr. Kahler,        |
| Lew W. Coon,       | Mark Kliner,       |
| Joseph Coleman,    | George Lantz,      |
| Robert Caticant,   | John C. Morris,    |
| John Cox,          | Dr. Cahen Mayer,   |
| D. M. Davis,       | Joseph Maust,      |
| Elizabeth Dunham,  | Lewis H. Maus,     |
| George W. Decker,  | Col. John Parrel,  |
| Isaac Dribbleis,   | Jane Rigg,         |
| John Edger,        | John Richards Esq. |
| John Elliot, 2     | Sidney S. Slater,  |
| Rev. J. W. Eyer,   | Monse Staecheer,   |
| C. B. Fisher, 4    | E. & M. Springer,  |
| Joseph Fahr,       | Jane Smith,        |
| Daniel Grose Esq.  | Ann Wynett,        |
| Solomon Hackman,   | Clara Wells,       |
| Wm. G. Hurley Esq. | Sarah Washington,  |
| William Hillborn,  | George Zigler,     |
| Abraham Houpt,     |                    |

Persons calling for letters on the above list, will please say they are advertised. Bloomsburg 2. 1838.

**DOUGLASS SWABY,**  
**Physician & Surgeon,**  
Informs the citizens of Bloom and vicinity, that he has located himself in the village of Bloomsburg, where he will always be ready to attend to all calls for his professional services.  
Office next door to Robinsons Stage Office. Oct. 12 1838.

**RUSHIAN BRISSELS & HEELBALLS**  
For sale at Tobias' Health Emporium Bloomsburg.

**NIGHT CANDLES,**  
By the Box, and one box will last a whole year. For sale by Tobias' Health Emporium Bloomsburg.

**FRICITION MATCHES.**  
Warranted to be good, also LOCO FOCO MATCHES, good. For sale at Tobias' Health Emporium Bloomsburg.

**PEPPER SAUCE.**  
Expressly for Tavern Keepers. For sale at Tobias' Health Emporium Bloomsburg.

**PROSPECTUS**  
For a weekly newspaper to be published at Columbus, Luzerne county, Pa. under the name of the LUZERNE & COLUMBIA REPORTER.  
To satisfy a very natural enquiry in the mind of those who may be about to become the patrons of a new establishment of the kind here contemplated, viz: What are to be the political features of this paper?—we unhesitatingly answer, the most purely Democratic; the principles of Thomas Jefferson, will be recognized by the Editor, as the platform on which the political principles of the REPORTER will be based. The prominent measures of the administration of General Jackson, will find a ready defence in the columns of our paper, and present National Administration, will find in our columns as ready an advocacy.

Though we shall at all times aim at a temperate course, yet we shall never shrink from an unequivocal and fearless expression of our views upon the great topics which may at any time agitate our country.

The REPORTER will be of the size of our largest country papers. The first number will be issued as soon as a sufficient number of subscribers shall be obtained to warrant the undertaking. To facilitate this object, every person holding a subscription paper is requested to make return to RUFUS BARTON, at Columbus, Luzerne co., by the 25th of October, 1838.

**TERMS OF THE REPORTER.**  
TWO DOLLARS per annum, payable semi-annually on the delivery of the first paper, and if not paid within the year, invariably. Two Dollars and Fifty Cents will be charged. Subscribers will please designate the Post-Office or place to which their papers shall be forwarded.

**Astonishing Facts. A certain Remedy for the Fever and Ague.**  
WARRANTED a prompt and effectual cure. For sale at Tobias' Health Emporium, Bloomsburg.

**Improved Aperient Seidlitz Powders,**  
Held in high estimation for indigestion, heart burn and bilious affections. For sale at Tobias' Health Emporium, Bloomsburg.

**J. HAWLEY'S**  
**Vegetable Anti-Bilious Pills.**  
These pills are found to be a most certain and effectual preventive of fever, jaundice bilious, and other cholics, and indeed, of all diseases caused by obstruction or affections of the stomach, liver spleen, or intestines. For liver and stomach complaints and all diseases connected therewith, such as by cholera, dysentery, dyspepsia or indigestion, loss of appetite, headache, giddiness, and for fever and ague, these pills are a sure preventive. Also, for soft rheum. They cleanse the stomach, remove throes from all vitiated bile, purify and refine the blood.—Does a person feel a loss of appetite and a bad taste in the mouth, with a flatulency of the stomach, a few doses of these pills are sure to remove all such difficulties, speedily set matters to right. Heaviness, dull, sleepy and sluggish inaction, with or without a yellowness of complexion, these pills will surely and speedily remove all such ailments, and timely use of these pills may prevent the occurrence of any such formidable disease.

Also—Hawley's Vegetable Salve, known throughout the Union. This salve when used has a peculiar quality in restoring an action of the affected parts, by softening and opening the pores and creating perspiration, reducing fever &c. It dissolves, excels, and entirely prevents the blood from settling in the flesh of bruises, or wounds, of any description, and is a sure preventive of mortification, and may be made use of for cuts, sores, burns, rheumatism, pain in the back, breast or side.

The above articles for sale by D. S. TOBIAS, Agent. Bloomsburg, October 13.

**Take Notice**  
The subscriber has left his Book accounts and Notes in the hands of Idings Bartley, Esq. for collection. All persons indebted will please call immediately and settle, or there will be cost, as delays are dangerous. C. B. FISHER.

**For Sale.**  
One Two Horse Wagon and a Sled with Cast Shoes, both nearly new, which will be sold Cheap on easy terms, by calling on IDINGS BARKLEY.

**TO THE PUBLIC.**  
THROUGH a lingering and irremediable disease, my health at length became so impaired, that I became unable to attend to all the requirements of my official duties.—By persuasion of my numerous friends, I consented at last to keep an apothecary, thinking it would be the most becoming, easiest for me to engage in at the present time; and since (or while) I have established a shop, I would humbly solicit the support of my friends and the public in general, on account of my great sickness. And especially, would I request the merchants of this place, to give me all possible chance of selling those articles belonging to my line of business, for which they may receive my sincere thanks. A few articles only which are to be found in my Health Emporium are advertised. There will be kept a constant supply of such articles as may be called for; but in per chance, a call should be made for such as I am not in possession of, immediate preparation will be made in order to obtain them.

Further, do I earnestly invite Physicians of this place and its vicinity, to give me a call, as I intend to sell very reasonable. There will be kept constantly on hand, all kinds of Medicines, Patent and others, warranted to be genuine. All kinds of Paints, Glass, Dye-stuff, &c. &c. Also a variety of Confectionaries, Raisins, Nuts, Herring, Sugar and Water Crackers, Confections, Lemons, Figs, Prunes, Perfumeries, &c. &c. All articles in the Health Emporium, I intend to sell cheaper than they can be bought at any other place in the county. Your Friend and well wisher. D. S. TOBIAS.

Health Emporium, Bloomsburg Sept. 22  
**NEW GOODS.**  
**THE LATEST ARRIVAL**  
JUST received, and for sale at the Arcade, in Bloomsburg, a fresh supply of MOLASSES, SUGAR, RICE, BEND IRON, BAR IRON, SPRING STEEL, CAROLINA MOSS, &c. &c.  
Inquire at the store of RUPERT & BARTON. August 11, 1838.

**TANMARINDS.**  
To make a pleasant drink for sick people. For sale at D. S. TOBIAS' Health Emporium.

**LEMON SIKUP**  
Which answers the same purpose as the Lemons do. For sale at Tobias' Health Emporium Bloomsburg.  
**LOOK HERE!**  
**DYERS AND PAINTER.**  
If you want to Buy CHEAP, CAM Wood, ground Chlorine, Green Drop Lake Powder, Logwood, Madras Spanish Brown, for Tobias' Health Emporium, Bloomsburg.

**Don't Suffer too much!—Here's Remedy!**  
**Pile Ointment.**  
It almost immediately removes the pain and allays the inflammation, and by attending to the full directions, the sufferer will be speedily relieved from