

"TRUTH WITHOUT FEAR"



BLOOMSBURG:

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8, 1840.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION—1840.

FOR PRESIDENT, MARTIN VAN BUREN. FOR VICE PRESIDENT, RICHARD M. JOHNSON. AND THE CONSTITUTIONAL TREASURY.

ELECTORAL TICKET.

- James Clarke, of Indiana, } Senatorial
Geo. G. Leiper, of Delaware, }
1 Col. John Thompson
2 Benjamin Millin
3 Wm. H. Smith
4 John F. Steinman
5 Daniel Jacoby
6 Jesse Johnson
7 Jacob Able
8 Geo. Christman
9 Wm. Shoener
10 Henry Dehoff
11 Henry Logan
12 Frederick Smith
13 Charles M. Clure
14 J. M. Gummell
15 G. M. Hollenback
16 Leonard Pfoutz
17 John Horton Jr.
18 William Thibson
19 John Morrison
20 Wesley Frost
21 Benj. Anderson
22 William Wilkins
23 A. K. Wright
24 John Finley
25 Stephen Baglow

We are requested by several gentlemen, to give notice, that a meeting will be held at the house of Enoch Howell, in Bloomsburg, on Saturday the 15th of August, inst. at two o'clock, P. M. of all persons favorable to the interest of the middle and upper townships, to consult upon and adopt such measures as shall conduce to their benefit.

We are authorized to announce DANIEL SNYDER, as a candidate for ASSEMBLY at the approaching election.

We are authorized to announce LEONARD B. RUPERT, as a candidate for TREASURER for Columbia county at the approaching election.

We are requested to mention that ADAM YOUNG of Sugarloaf, will be a candidate for TREASURER of the Columbia county at the October election.

The absence of the Editor, in attendance at the Lancaster Convention, must be an excuse to the little man, why we do not his week reply to the five columns of slang and abuse, in his last paper. In our next we will endeavor to do him justice, and show the true reasons of his late base and unprincipled attacks upon the private character of individuals. In the mean time, however, we can assure him, that the time is gone by, when slander and vituperation, is a passport to office, with the citizens of Columbia county.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Webb.—As the time draws nigh, when we are to elect a Senator from this district, and as Columbia county is entitled the candidate by the usages of the past, it is highly proper that names of individuals, who are thought worthy of that high station should now be brought before a public that their merits may be fairly weighed. With these views, I request liberty of presenting through your columns, the names of our democratic friend AAC KLINE, Esq. as a candidate for senator. Mr. Kline is too well known in the district, as a staunch, firm, and tried friend equal rights to require any eulogium on me to insure him a hearty support in all who are their advocates.

ISHING CREEK SETTLEMENT.

Mr. Webb—I believe it is a conceded fact by all that Columbia county is entitled to the next Senator from this district, duty, therefore, of nominating a candidate will devolve on us. I have heard several names mentioned, many of whom I do cheerfully support, but none more fully, than Doct. OWEN D. LEIB, of Sawney. He is a young man of talents, a democrat, and his location is a sure pledge that he will sustain the true interest of his county.

EAST SIDE OF THE RIVER.

Question to any professed Minister of the Gospel.

Does the doctrine of Universal Salvation and holiness lead to sin and immorality; and what reason or evidence have you to believe it does?

By one in pursuit after truth.

TO OUR DEMOCRATIC FRIENDS.

For the purpose of doing all in our power to aid in the dissemination of Democratic principles, and exposing the hypocrisy of the power-seeking party, which claims for its candidate Wm. HENRY HARRISON, we propose to publish the State Capitol Gazette until after the Presidential election, upon the following conditions:

- For a single copy, \$ 37 1/2
6 copies, 2 00
16 do., 5 00
34 do., 10 00
75 do., 20 00

Democratic editors throughout the State, will confer a favor by giving the above a brief notice, which, at any time, we will cheerfully reciprocate.

DESTRUCTIVE FRESHET.

A freshet occurred at Washington city on Thursday last week, which destroyed property to the amount of \$40,000. So violent was the storm which accompanied it that large trees were torn up by the roots, and laid prostrate. A number of houses were washed away by the flood of waters, which continued to pour down in torrents for four hours, and several individuals barely escaped with their lives. Part of the south wall of the President's house was washed away. Fences were piled up by the wind, as though they had been placed so intentionally, and the crops in the vicinity, have sustained serious injury. We have been informed that so violent and destructive a storm has never before occurred in the city of Washington, within the recollection of its oldest inhabitants.—State Cap. Gaz.

Reading Railroad Co.—We neglected to notice yesterday the complaint of a friend, that on Saturday last the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Co. refused to receive their own notes in payment for passage over their own road. What can notes be worth, that the very corporation which offers them will not accept? If considered worthless by those who know best their value, in what light should they be considered by the people?—Spirit of the Times.

A Speculation.—The New York Planet states that a lot of fourteen acres of land lying just north of the village of Poughkeepsie, changed hands during the speculation bubble of 1836, and in the course of the estimates put upon it, became plastered with mortgages to the tune of one hundred and ten thousand dollars! The ownership of it finally devolved upon the State of Indiana, at whose direction it was offered at auction on the 6th inst., when it was bid off for six thousand dollars!

Important to Merchants.—The Supreme Court of Massachusetts has decided that a note of hand is payable in any portion of the day on which it falls due, and the holder need not wait the expiration of the usual bank hour to have it protested.

Beyond a "Certain Age."—The Deputy U. S. Marshal, employed in taking the census of the fifth ward, in New York, reports that there is residing in Duane street, an old lady 112 years and 5 months of age. The old lady still retains possession of all her faculties, both mental and physical, to a truly remarkable degree.

Dr. Dyott.—The creditors of this individual, who has obtained so much notoriety as "the free banker" of Philadelphia, are making an effort to procure his pardon. The reason assigned by them for this movement, is a belief that if he is liberated, his debts will be liquidated.

Great Britain possesses 840 Steamboats, of various powers, of a force in all of 64,700 horses, in addition to 70 steamers belonging to the Royal Navy.

A Valuable Cargo.—The steamboat New England recently arrived at Chicago with fifty single ladies, assorted ages, destined for the Rock River Market. They are generally taken up and married within a week after arrival.

Execution.—Five negroes, concerned in the murder of Mr. Alex. Atkinson, were executed on the 6th inst. on the plantation of the deceased, near Brunswick, (Geo.) where the murder was committed.

The Illinois Free Trader states that the wheat crops are much injured in different sections of that State, by the rust and fly.

Not Likely to Starve.—The inspection of flour in Baltimore last week, amounted to 6,223 barrels. The stock on hand, of all descriptions, is about 12,000 barrels.—The inspections for 1840, thus far, amount to 440,384 barrels and 14,052 half barrels.

Hard Times.—Five hundred dollars per month is paid to the chief cook at the U. S. Hotel, Saratoga Springs.

Hard Cider.—Why, dear me, Mr. Longswallow, said a lady, how can you drink down a whole quart of that dreadful hard cider at a single draught? As soon as the man could breathe, he replied, 'I beg pardon, madam, but upon my soul it was so hard I couldn't bite it off.'

The hard cider newspapers are called "barrel organs," by their opponents.

HYMNICAL.

MARRIED—By Jacob Shipman Esq. on the 81st ult. Mr. JOHN FOX to Miss CATHARINE MILLER, both of Mountpleasant.

Sheriff.

TO THE ELECTORS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.

Fellow Citizens:—Being solicited by a number of my friends throughout the county, I again place my name before the public as a candidate for the Office of

SHERIFF,

and most respectfully solicit your suffrages. JOHN FRUIT. Madison, July 24, 1840.

WE are authorized to announce MICHAEL FORNWALD of Cattawissa, as a candidate for the office of

SHERIFF

of Columbia county, at the approaching election. July 18, 1840.

WE are authorized to announce Col. MICHAEL R. HOWER of Roaring Creek, as a candidate for

SHERIFF

of Columbia county at the approaching October Election.

TO THE ELECTORS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.

Fellow Citizens:—At the solicitation of many friends in various parts of the county, I hereby offer myself as a candidate for the office of

SHERIFF

at the ensuing General Election, and respectfully solicit your votes and interest for the office. If elected, I pledge myself to perform the duties of the office with fidelity and humanity. JESSE SHANNON. Bloomsburg, July 29, 1840.

TO THE ELECTORS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.

THE undersigned, at the solicitation of a number of his friends, presents himself to the citizens of Columbia county, as a candidate for the office of

SHERIFF

and solicits their suffrages. DANIEL WOODSIDE. July 31, 1840.

To the Electors of Columbia county.

The Subscribers offers himself to the Electors of Columbia county as a candidate for

SHERIFF

at the approaching election, and solicits their votes. Should he be elected he pledges himself to perform the duties of the office with fidelity and correctness. MURRY MANVIL. June 13, 1840.

WE are authorized to announce Col. ANDREW IKELER of Greenwood, as a candidate for the office of

CORONER

of Columbia county, at the approaching Election.

Mr. Webb—Please announce the name of

JOHN GROVER,

of Millin, as a candidate for the office of county

COMMISSIONER,

at the October election, and oblige a

DEMOCRAT OF MILLIN.

A SCHOOL TEACHER

WANTED,

In the Bloomsburg Academy. One competent to take charge of the English department of said School, will meet with good encouragement upon application to the School Committee.

THOS. PAINTER, President.

J. RAMSEY, Secretary.

PAY THE PRINTER? GRAIN

Of all kinds. Also BUTTER and WOOD received in payment for papers at this office.

BLOOMSBURG ACADEMY.

The next session of this institution under Mr. C. P. Waller, will commence on Monday, August third. The course will, as formerly, embrace a Classical, Mathematical and English Education. Those wishing to avail themselves of the advantages of a small school, will do well to apply soon as the number is limited. July 18th, 1840.

CAMP MEETING.

The Union Camp Meeting of the Northumberland and Danville Circuits, will be held on the ground of Mr. Davis, in Limestone; about four miles from Washingtonville, on the Milton road, and seven miles from Milton—to commence August 28.—The grove is delightful and the water good and convenient. Those who desire to get, and do good, can, by the blessing of the great head of the Church on that occasion. G. BERKSTRESSER. July 17, 1840.

Postage.

ALL persons indebted for postage must chalk up immediately and not give me any more trouble collecting, as I trust out for accommodation, not for profit. BARNARD RUPERT. Bloomsburg July 11, 1840.

NOTICE

TO COLLECTORS.

All Collectors who have not settled their Duplicates for 1839 or for previous years, must be prepared to balance them at August Court, as no longer lenity can be given.

The Collectors for 1840, will also bear in mind, that they are required by their warrants to appear at August Court, and have such abatements made as is necessary. By order of the Commissioners.

L. B. RUPERT, Treasurer.

N. B. All persons owing taxes on unseated land can pay them to John N. Wilson, of Danville, who is authorized to receive them. L. B. RUPERT, Treasurer

Notice to Assessors.

THE Assessors of the several Townships and Boroughs of Columbia county are required by the following section of the late election law to post up an alphabetical list of the taxables of your borough or township. You will therefore put up one list at the place of holding your general Election in October next, and comply with the said following section of said law.

Section 58. It shall be the duty of said assessors, on or before the first day of August, in each year, to cause at least one copy of the said alphabetical list of the taxable inhabitants to be posted up at the place where any coming election is to be held, and at such other places within such ward, district or township, as the commissioners of said county may think necessary, to afford to the inhabitants thereof an opportunity of freely examining the same, and they shall further keep copies of the said returns in their office or possession subject at all reasonable times, to the inspection of any person, without charge and shall at any time, ten days before the election, on the application of any person claiming to be assessed within their proper ward, district or township, or claiming a right to vote therein as being between the age of twenty one and twenty-two years, and having resided in the state one year, enter the name of such person upon the said return. The said assessors, on the ninth day preceding the second Tuesday of October, in each year, shall sign and certify the return of the taxable inhabitants and qualified voters residing within their respective wards, districts and townships, and deliver the same to the county Commissioners, to be by them held and handed over, without addition or alteration, to the inspectors of the elections at the time required by law.

Witness our hands at Danville July 17, 1840.

JOSEPH BROBST, JOHN M'HENRY, JOHN DEITRICH, Commissioners.

LIST OF CAUSES

For trial at August Term—1840. Hannah M'Cord and Mary Reese vs Vaniah Reese.

Thomas Shore vs Henry Rittenhouse. Ludwig Licht vs George Muehler. Daniel Mosteller vs George Longenberger, et al.

Joseph Cavinee vs Isaac Musgrove, admr. of Aaron Musgrove. Jacob Getting vs Peter Miller.

Thomas Moorehead vs John F. Manville. Samuel Parker vs William Donaldson. Christian A. Brobst vs Samuel Brobst. Isaiah Shuman vs Daniel Custenbader, et al.

D. S. Montgomery's Exec'rs vs William Montgomery. Jacob Waggoner vs D. W. M'Cormick. Mahoning township vs Thomas Hays and Henry Sanders.

Leonard Stoughten vs Patrick Flood. David Davis, Sen. vs David Robm, et al. Andrew M'Reynolds et al vs Abner Moore, et al.

April 22, 1840. The Court ordered the civil list to be ready the first day of the second week of next term.

J. EVERLY, Proth'y.

JUSTICE BLANK EXECUTIONS and SUMMONS for sale at this office.

We publish the REGISTER'S Notice below gratuitously, that the centre portion of the county may not be entirely excluded from a knowledge of the business of that office, as some, even in this section may be interested.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

TO all legatees, creditors and other persons interested in the estates of the respective decedents and minors, that the administration accounts of the said estates have been filed in the Office of the Register of the county of Columbia, and will be presented for confirmation and allowance to the Orphan's Court, to be held at Danville, in and for the county aforesaid, on Tues. day, the 19th of August next, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

1. The account of Vaniah Rees, administrator of the estate of Jane Rees, late of Hemlock township, deceased.

2. Third supplementary account of Joseph Kirkendall, acting administrator of the estate of Powell Grover, late of Millin township, dec'd.

3. The account of Elijah Crawford, Executor of the last will and testament of Jacob Crawford, late of Liberty township, dec'd.

4. The account of Collin Cameron, executor of the last will and testament of Catharine Cameron, late of Mahoning township, dec'd.

5. The account of Evan Evans, administrator of the estate of Samuel Mears, late of Roaring creek, township, dec'd.

6. First supplementary account of John Hower and Jacob Hower, executors of the last will and testament of Michael Hower, late of Cattawissa township, dec'd.

7. The account of John Pellig, administrator of the estate of Mary Oswald, late of Roaring creek township, dec'd.

8. The account of John Douth and James McMahan, executors of Benjamin Critz, late of Liberty township, dec'd.

PHILIP BILLMEYER, Register. REGISTER'S OFFICE, Danville, July 10, 1840.

List of Grand Jurors

For August Term—1740.

Bloom—Cyrus Barton, Mathew M'Dowell, Thomas Painter.

Cattawissa—Jeremiah Boon, Mayberry Gearhart, John Sharpless, Theodore Wells.

Derry—Hugh Watson.

Fishing Creek—John Allegar.

Greenwood—Jonathan Lemon.

Hemlock—George Sifers.

Jackson—Elijah Robbins.

Liberty—John Wilson.

Mahoning—David Blue, Valentine Best, Cornelius Cornelison, John Mourer, Samuel Yorks.

Madison—Richard Demott, John Fruit, John Moore.

Monteur—John H. Quick.

Roaring Creek—James A. Fox.

Orange—Emanuel Lazarus.

List of Traverse Jurors

For the first week of August Term—1840

Brier Creek—Josiah Evans, Gilbert Fowler, John Fester, Andrew Frens, John Hess, William Stall.

Bloom—Peter Biggs, George Crestler, Philip Eyer, Archibald Henry, Jacob Melich, Solomon Newhard.

Cattawissa—Reuben Stambach.

Derry—Simonton Clark, Philip Seidle.

Greenwood—Iram Derr, Andrew Ikeler, Joseph Robbins.

Jackson—Samuel McHenry.

Liberty—John Mopper, Benjamin Kanouse, Robert Simonton, John Trego.

Limestone—David Davis, Samuel Oaks.

Mahoning—Thos. Benfield, Thos. Clark, Michael Sanders.

Madison—Henry Crawford, John Manning, Green Pegg, John Welliver.

Monteur—Henry Wertman, George Willits.

Millin—John Groter, Henry Miller, Cornelius Rittenhouse.

Mount Pleasant—Lawrence Good, John Jones.

Orange—William Feister, Isaac Kline.

Roaring Creek—Anthony Dengler, Samuel Hampton, Daniel Keller, Abraham Mench.

Sugarloaf—Joshua Brink, Thomas Gibbons, Philip Krichbaum.

Jurors for the Second week.

Brier Creek—Jesse Bowman.

Bloom—John Grotz, Charles Hagenbach, Wm. Neal, Daniel Melich.

Cattawissa—Samuel Brady, Milton Boon.

Derry—David Cox, Thomas Cary, Robert McKee.

Fishing Creek—James Eager, John Stueker.

Greenwood—David Achenback, Jacob Evans.

Hemlock—Peter Appleman, Mathias Appleman, John Brugler.

Liberty—George Billmeyer.

Mahoning—Martin M'Allister, John R. Moore.

Madison—Thomas A. Funston, James Girton, William Holdren, William Johnson, Peter Shultz.

Millin—Henry Harrigere, Isaiah Longeberger, Daniel Mausteller.

Mount Pleasant—James Patterson.

Orange—John Achenback.

Roaring Creek—Aaron Berninger, John Yeager, John Huges, Levi Johnson.

Sugarloaf—John Hess; Elias Bellis.