

COLUMBIA DEMOCRAT.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 1863.

Your information in regard to Catta was and the "Winnebago Chief" was entirely correct. Cameron was here, and the number of thousand dollars which he paid as secret service money is mentioned in confidential circles. The place where, the time when and the person to whom the money was paid will soon be susceptible of legal proof.

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From J. B. Lippincott & Co., 22 & 24 N. Fourth street, Philadelphia—we have—"Book of Days" part 10—May 1st to 15th. Illustrations and biographies unusually entertaining. Price 20 cents a part.

Also "Chamber's Encyclopedia" part 55—from "Good John Mason" to "Great Britain." Among the articles are "The Gordons," "Gotha," "Gothic architecture," "Gout," &c. &c.

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To the Public.—In consequence of the Stamp Tax of the United States Government, there will be an additional ten cents in the recording of every instrument. Also an increase in the price of Letters of Administration, or Testamentary, of at least Eighty-five cents—and increasing as the estate is more valuable.

Also an increase in the fees for passing an account of at least twenty cents.

These Stamps must be bought, paid for and furnished by the Regis'r & Recorder, and therefore, heretofore all fees must be each in advance.

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You will observe that Dr. John finds great fault, because several Democrats on the East side of the River have held a meeting in the cause of common schools, and on the subject of County Superintendent. Such things cannot be tolerated. We have no County Superintendent among us; and Columbia county must pay his salary out of her school fund, to keep up a black republican newspaper in Wyoming county. We shall take care at the next election to have a Democratic County Superintendent who will attend to his business. It is well that you have raised the question.

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Daily and hourly change is becoming scarcer, and the more postal currency and shimpasters we have, good, bad, indifferent and counterfeit, the less rifle we are likely to have. The business of the country is actually destroyed for lack of small change. Money is lost and debts contracted, owing to the impossibility of making small payments. We suggest, that as shimpasters are illegal and worthless, not to speak of the ease and facility of counterfeiting them; that the Banks shall issue bills of the denominations of 1 and 5 dollars, whose circulation will very materially help to destroy and push out of existence the illegal shimpasters of irresponsible parties.

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An unjoined Congregational Meeting was held in St. Paul's church on Monday evening, December 22nd. Ephraim P. Lutz, Chairman, presiding.

A statement having been read by the Chairman of the Committee, appointed by the vestry for that purpose; a motion was made that the Pews of St. Paul's Church, sold at public sale, to the highest bidder."

Which was seconded, and after some discussion unanimously agreed to. It was then moved,

That the sale be made on Saturday the 3rd day of January A. D. 1863, beginning at one o'clock in the afternoon, and to be adjourned if Pews not all sold.

Agreed to.

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At Lincoln county, Missouri, December 8th, died, Joseph Lewis Blennerhassett, aged 51 years, youngest son of the late Herman and Margaret Agnew Blennerhassett, of "Blennerhassett's Island."

Local history has stored away the name of Blennerhassett, and along with that of Aaron Burr and his romantic story, it will go down to posterity. Every schoolboy has endeavored to rival Wirt, in that splendid burst of impulsion & eloquence, beginning, "And who was Blennerhassett?" The Island house, the resort and crucible, the library and the garden, have been the theme of many an hour of musing.

Burr and Blennerhassett's magic names! watchwords of party now, amid our terrible trials, they scarcely awaken the memory.

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By figuring a little at Old Abe's Free Nigger Proclamation, we find that the number of slaves he attempts to free, are about three millions, and those portions of slave territory which are excepted, and where he continues to hold them in slavery, contain about one million. Of course that one million is a military necessity, upon which he desires "the gracious favor of Almighty God."

Then again, he frees all the niggers he can reach, and retains in slavery all he can reach. Another military necessity, and a fine illustration of the "Pope's Bull against the Con." The niggers and abolitionists in Boston held a jubilee over their Fourth of July; but beyond that we have not observed any special demonstrations. So we go.

United States Internal Revenue.

NOTICE is hereby given that the duties and taxes under the Excise Law of the United States, for the year ending June 30, 1862, in the county of Columbia, at the time and places of entry of the Court docket, in Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania, Thursday & Friday, 6th and 7th of January, 1863, at Gettysburg, Saturday, Jan. 8th, 1863, at Koontz's Hotel, Gettysburg, Sunday, Jan. 9th, 1863, at York, Pa., Monday, January 10th, 1863, at Jonathan Clark's, Tuesday, Jan. 10th, 1863, at Huntingdon, Wednesday, Thursday, Jan. 11th, 1863, at Franklin, Pennsylvania, Friday, Jan. 12th, 1863, at Alexander Hedges' Hotel, etc.

NOTICE is also given, that all persons who neglect to pay the duties and taxes assessed upon them, and to whom individual notice has been given, will be liable to be sued for payment of the same, viz:

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 6th and 7th of January, 1863, at Gettysburg Hotel.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 11th and 12th of January, 1863, at Jonathan Clark's Hotel, Gettysburg.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 18th and 19th of January, 1863, at Franklin, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 25th and 26th of January, 1863, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 1st and 2nd of February, 1863, at Alexander Hedges' Hotel, etc.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 8th and 9th of February, 1863, at Franklin, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 15th and 16th of February, 1863, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 22nd and 23rd of February, 1863, at Jonathan Clark's Hotel, Gettysburg.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 29th and 30th of February, 1863, at Franklin, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 7th and 8th of March, 1863, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 14th and 15th of March, 1863, at Jonathan Clark's Hotel, Gettysburg.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 21st and 22d of March, 1863, at Franklin, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 28th and 29th of March, 1863, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 4th and 5th of April, 1863, at Jonathan Clark's Hotel, Gettysburg.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 11th and 12th of April, 1863, at Franklin, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 18th and 19th of April, 1863, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 25th and 26th of April, 1863, at Jonathan Clark's Hotel, Gettysburg.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 2nd and 3rd of May, 1863, at Franklin, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 9th and 10th of May, 1863, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 16th and 17th of May, 1863, at Jonathan Clark's Hotel, Gettysburg.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 23rd and 24th of May, 1863, at Franklin, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 30th and 31st of May, 1863, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 6th and 7th of June, 1863, at Jonathan Clark's Hotel, Gettysburg.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 13th and 14th of June, 1863, at Franklin, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 20th and 21st of June, 1863, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 27th and 28th of June, 1863, at Jonathan Clark's Hotel, Gettysburg.

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Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 26th and 27th of September, 1863, at Franklin, Pennsylvania.

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 3rd and 4th of October, 1863, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

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