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Bloomsburg, Wednesday, July 22, 1857.

Democratic Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR, WILLIAM F. PACKER, of Lycoming County.

JOHN G. FREEZE, Esq., HAS resumed the practice of the Law in Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pa., and will give his prompt and careful attention to all business entrusted to him in this and adjoining counties.

BOMBARDMENT OF GREYTOWN.

It will be remembered that some three years ago a nest of outlaws, pirates, slaves and thieves was demolished by American vessels at Greytown, because it had become dangerous to the commerce of all nations, and was untenable to municipal government.

Those "intense Americans" who took the side of England and Greytown against the American administration, must feel very comfortable to see themselves thus deserted by their British allies.

The Academy after full discussion, seemed to concur in the opinion that no known poisonous article from either kingdom of animals would have produced all the group of symptoms which so uniformly characterized the cases, and certainly not without involving the stomach itself in more serious mischief than is alleged to have been present in any case.

Mexican Letters of Marque.

Should Spain be silly enough to wage war upon Mexico, Mexico will retaliate by an attempt on Cuba, for which purpose, it is said, Comofort will employ the filibusters who are so desirous of setting their foot upon that fertile island.

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Public Sentiment in Kansas.

A well known and highly esteemed Pennsylvanian, who has just returned from the Territories, writes the following to a friend in this city as to the state of politics in Kansas. The facts are interesting.

Public Sentiment in Kansas.—I could interest you in Kansas affairs, but the limits of this letter will not permit. Governor Walker will have matters his way, and I feel confident that his policy will lead to a happy termination of the difficulties in that hitherto unhappy Territory.

Richard Kidder Meade, of Virginia, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Empire of Brazil, in place of William Truesdale, of Tennessee, the present incumbent.

Wyman B. S. Moor, of Maine, Consul General for the British North American Provinces, from the 1st of September next, in place of Israel D. Andrew, of Maine, resigned.

The Washington Epidemic.

The New York Academy of Medicine have recently reported upon the subject of the Washington epidemic, and are of opinion that the air was poisoned, and not the food.

The largest chain in the world is that about to be seen in the operation of raising the shipwreck at Sevastopol. It is two hundred yards long; and each link weighs three hundred pounds.

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Ex-State Treasurers Indicted.

Two indictments have been found against Mr. Gibson, late State Treasurer of Ohio—one for the embezzlement of State funds, and the other for embezzlement in the Seneca County Bank.

A valuable farm is offered for sale in Hemlock, in our advertising column to-day.

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A Monster Bakery.

A new brick building, 95 feet long by 51 wide, is now in course of erection in Philadelphia, to be hereafter used as a bakery.

At a meeting of a number of the citizens of Washington and its vicinity, held at the house of Benjamin Williams, on Wednesday, 4th day of July, 1821, for the purpose of taking into consideration the propriety of fixing certain prices for laboring hands through harvest.

For Mowing per day, 40 cents. " Reaping " " 50 " " Cradling " " 75 " " Raking and Binding " " 75 " " And other work equivalent.

Resolved, That the members of this meeting shall not work under the above mentioned prices, and we also recommend it to our fellow laborers to form the same resolution.

Always Finding Fault.

There are certain people who cannot live without finding fault. No matter what subject, or person, comes up in the course of conversation, they start some frivolous objection, or make some censorious remark.

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Harvesting in 1821.

In the "Republican Press" of July 18th, 1821, published by J. Cooper, Esq., in Danville, Mr. Cook finds the following account of a meeting of laborers held at Washington, from which it will be seen that prices then and now differ considerably.

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Philadelphia Markets.

Flour and Meal.—The market is dull, and mixed brands of Flour are offered at \$7 00 per barrel, and for home consumption at \$7 00 per barrel, and extra and fancy brands at \$7 75 per barrel. There is very little demand for export, and little stock to operate in.

Grain.—There is little demand for wheat. Sales of prime Pennsylvania red were made at \$1 55 per bushel, and \$1 00 per bushel for good white. Rye is dull. Pennsylvania is worth \$1 02. Corn is in demand. Sales of Penn's yellow at 86c., float. Oats are steady; sales of Pennsylvania and Delaware at 56c. per bushel.

Seeds.—Cloverseed is without inquiry.—Sales of prime range at \$7 50 per 64 lbs.—Last sales of Timothy at \$4 and Flaxseed at \$1 90 per 95 lbs. Sales of Red Top at \$3 50.—Herd Grass, \$3 75.

Whiskey is dull at 31s2c cents in bbls. and 31c. in hds. The Laws of Nature are just but terrible. There is no weak mercy in them.—Cause and consequence are inseparable and inevitable. The fire burns, the water drowns, the air consumes, the earth buries.

One of Gov. Slade's school mams has got into a place out west where the children never heard prayer or preaching. So, one day, when she commenced her school with a prayer, one of the youngsters went home and reported—"You never did see such a school-marm! She got down on her knees and swore with all her might!"

Great Robbery at Saratoga.—\$3,000 in Jewelry and Gold.—There was a large robbery at the U. S. Hotel, Saratoga Springs, on Sunday afternoon. The room of a family from Cuba was entered during the absence of the family, and their trunks rifled to the amount of near \$1500, and diamond and other jewelry of about the same value.

SICKNESS AT THE WHITE HOUSE.—A Washington letter states that several of the President's household are sick with intermittent fever, caused by the fog arising from the Potomac, which makes the White House damp and unhealthy.

Valuable Property.—O. Bishnell recently sold to Hon. S. A. Douglas forty acres in the northeast quarter section 28, between Palo Alto and Buena Vista streets, Chicago, west of the Rock Island Railroad, for \$160,000.

POSTHUMOUS PLEASURE.—A paper in announcing the opening of a new cemetery, says: "Mr. — had the pleasure of being first buried there."

WOODLAND CREAM.—A Pomade for beautifying the Hair.—Highly perfumed, superior to any French article imported, and for half the price. For dressing Ladies Hair it has no equal, giving it a bright glossy appearance. It causes Gentlemen's Hair to curl in the most natural manner. It removes dandruff, always giving the hair the appearance of being fresh shampooed. Price only fifty cents. None genuine unless signed FRETIDGE & CO.

THE NEW COLUMBUS MALE AND FEMALE ACADEMY. The fourth term of this institution will commence on MONDAY THE FIFTH DAY OF AUGUST NEXT, the same having been in successful operation since last October, under the charge of Prof. J. A. Parsons, with competent and reliable assistants, and have been well patronized by students from abroad, the counties of Bucks, Lancaster, Carbon, and Columbia have furnished a good portion of the school besides several from the far west having attended the same.

TOLLS AT BEACH HAVEN. COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, Beach Haven, July 1st, '57. Mr. Editor:—The amount of tolls received at this office are as follows: Previously reported, \$31276 12 June, 23555 03 Yines, 10 00 Total, \$54841 15 JOHN S. FOLLMER, Collector.

CORNER STONE LAYING. The Corner Stone of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, in Millville, will be laid, God willing, on Thursday, the 4th day of August, with appropriate religious services, in English and German. Service to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. The public are invited to attend. E. A. SHARBRETT, Pastor.

CANVASSEERS WANTED. A few competent agents wanted for the Comprehensive Geography and History ancient and modern of the World, by S. G. Goodrich, (Peter Perley); handsomely bound and profusely illustrated. Price \$3. Sold only by Agents; it whom rates and inducements are offered. Address, J. H. COLTON & CO No. 172 William Street, New York.