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DAILY MORNING POST.

PITTSBURGH, SATURDAY, SEPT. 17, 1842.

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comply their object without any violation of faith by voting for the Harrison Democrat's Ticket.

We cannot for a moment entertain the opinion that any RESPECTABLE PORTION EVEN OF THE ANTI-MASONIC PARTY will lend themselves to the purposes of the DISORGANIZERS.

We have no notion that these things will or can injure Mr. Hugh Mitchell or Mr. John Forsythe with Antimasons in this campaign.

The Gazette seems very anxious to get up a controversy in relation to Mr. N. B. Craig, and has been nibbling for two or three days past at our notice of Mr. C's extraordinary "card."

The Democratic Convention of Philadelphia, which met on the 29th ult., passed a resolution instructing the democratic candidates for State Senate, and Assembly, if elected, to vote for the Hon. James Buchanan for U. S. Senator.

The Robbery in Hayti.—It turns out that the old woman whose money drawer was robbed, is indebted for that favor to a graceless son of her own.

Macon's opinion of party.—Nathaniel Macon, the Patriarch of North Carolina Democracy, gives this definition of a party:—A party is nothing more than a union of certain people, for some great political object.

A member of Congress from Indiana franked two rolls of wall paper to his wife marked "Pub. Doc."

Crawford County.—We are gratified to learn from an extra of the "Democrat" that our friends in Crawford have settled their political difficulties, and that peace and harmony again prevails in that sterling little county.

The Convention adopted a resolution pledging its members to use all fair and honorable means to secure the election of the ticket nominated.

We are informed by a gentleman on whose knowledge of the matter reliance can be placed, that the principal object of the whig members had in view, in breaking up the Legislature, was to force the "Liberty men" to abandon their organization and transfer their strength to Corwin.

The signs around us are certainly satisfactory. The languor and gloom are disappearing, the noise of the loom and the sound of the hammer are again heard, and men seem to be rising from the depression and adversity which have so long kept them to the earth.

The same welcome intelligence greets us from every section of the North. The papers from every commercial city, north, east, south and west, have ceased their doleful groaning about "hard times" and now talk of "revivals of business."

Pennsylvania Hall.—The Court of General Sessions of Philadelphia has granted a rule upon the County Commissioners to show cause why a jury should not assess the damages done by the burning of Pennsylvania Hall.

Vermont Election.—The Star that never sets as the whigs have it, in dancing about in a most erratic manner, and if it does not become more steady in its course, it will soon be lost from the Federal galaxy.

The returns thus far shows that the federalists have lost since 1840, about 14000. In 1829, 78 democrats, 96 whigs and one abolitionist were elected, and in 7 towns there is no choice.

Low Enough.—The St. Johns (N. B.) News says, that "tenements within the last few weeks have actually been offered for nothing."

A Prophet in Maryland, predicts that next winter will be the most severe one experienced for many years.

The Gazette is mistaken in its surmise as to the authorship of an article which appeared in our paper yesterday, signed "Stability."

The communication of "6 to 6" will be published on Monday.

The Abolitionists have substituted Benjamin Forsythe as their candidate for Recorder in place of Mr. Sheridan.

The Weather, during the first of the week it was excessively hot—during the middle of the week it was wet—it is now cold. The clerk has been busy.

They had a cat-fish in the Natchez market which measured 53 feet in length, if the papers can be believed.

MORMONISM. Messrs. Editors.—In looking over your columns of the 15th inst. I found the following words: "We should like to know what Elder Page has to say for Joe Smith's sake."

Ist. I have been acquainted with him, politically and religiously, for much of the time of several years. As a politician I know him to be a sound democrat, according to the true spirit and policy of our illustrious revolutionary fathers of 1776.

The excitement lately got up by J. C. Bennett, is not the first by twenty-nine in twelve years; for how? Ask the catch ponies, by publishing an "Exposé of Mormonism," which professes to be the most easy and expeditious means of catching a penny these hard times.

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City News.

Theatre.—Messrs. Mulard & Co. seem to be going ahead in fine style. They have very good shows considering the times.

Misses. Editors.—In your paper of the 14th inst. I observe a favorable notice of our Pittsburgh Mechanics, in connection with the Cannon.

Malicious Mischief.—We are glad to see some people entered the foundry of St. Clair, Nelson a few nights since and broke up some cores which were prepared to cast Pipe new Water Works.

The Cherry Alley case, which has been in dispute for so many years, at last settled; the city council has agreed to pay T. Fairman 7000 dollars, removing his house.

ARRIVED. Cleveland, Hemphill, Bester, ...

EDUCATIONAL CARD.—Wm. M. Watson, M.D. immediately relinquishing his present position, has determined to resume the practice of medicine and surgery, in all of which he was eminently successful.

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