

The Daily Morning Post.

THUR. PHILLIPS & W. H. SMITH, EDITORS. PITTSBURGH, WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 1845.

The difficulties of the late Oregon meeting in Philadelphia, appears to be a happy event for the editors, as it has created an excitement among them which affords a very suitable excuse for letting the storm of abuse that have been engendered since the meeting of the President's friends to understand the merits of the question, and from the crowding kept up by all the papers that appear to have an interest in the dispute, we doubt much whether they have any precise notion themselves of what they quarrel about.

Where such unanimity of feeling prevails on the great principle of national right, a little extra enthusiasm on the part of individuals may be allowed, and particularly in a case such as the one under consideration, where so many of the actors are anxious to serve the country in some official capacity. We do not doubt the patriotism of any of the gentlemen, but we cannot resist the reflection that if there were not a goodly number of officers in the neighborhood of Philadelphia to be filled by the administration before the quarter how unlikely it is to advance their prospects of favor in which they desire to propagate.

More RELIANCE.—The people of Philadelphia are still making efforts for the relief of the sufferers by the fire in this city. On Monday evening a meeting of the Sons of Temperance was held at the Chinese Museum to continue the collections, and a Concert was given at the same place, the proceeds of which were to be applied to the relief of our unfortunate countrymen.

Our COIN.—There is a beautiful row now among the coins at Columbia. It appears that the first Legislature passed an act authorizing the mint to strike the Ohio cent, and to purchase a new quantity of the same, and to issue them in the amount of \$15,000 for a quarter bill the time under water, when a number of better ones could be obtained for half that sum.

The MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.—A Washington letter published in the New York Express says that a line of two telegraph wires is about to be constructed across New Jersey, between Philadelphia and New York. The enterprise is at the risk and for the benefit of the proprietors in New York did not arise from an unwillingness of capitalists to embark in the enterprise. The means were offered to construct a complete line from Washington to New York, but not on terms which the proprietors thought it their interest to accept. The letter refers to the fact that the capital offered them but one-half.

The Portland Bulletin describes what it calls a "Sea Bear," which may be found beneath the waves along the coast of Maine. Off Frenchman's Bay the fishermen frequently drag samples of it attached to their kellecks or anchors. It adheres by roots to the mud in deep water, has a vegetable stem about three feet in length, to which the animal portion, which is about the size of a pig, is attached. It is difficult to determine exactly where the vegetable emerges into the animal, but it is by no means so difficult to perceive that the lower portion in reality is a vegetable and the upper part of an animal nature.

The Constitution says: We understand that the President has appointed Dr. J. H. Tate, Consul to Buenos Ayres. He is represented to us a gentleman of fine talents, and well qualified to represent our Government in the important station to which he has been appointed.

The United States Journal (Chicago Madisonian) understands that the appointment of Charge to New York, has been tendered to the Hon. B. A. Biddick, of Pennsylvania.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT.

ROBERT H. MORRIS, Deputy Postmaster in the city of New York, in place of John Lorimer Graham, removed.

ELLY MOORE, Marshall of the southern district of New York, in place of Siles M. Stillwell, removed.

MICHAEL HOFFMAN, Naval Officer in the city of New York, in place of Jeremiah Towle, removed.

MISCELLANEOUS ESCAPE.—After reading the following extract from a letter of John Q. Adams, to a friend in Ohio, the public will wonder how the old man's carolary artery escaped the imminent danger that threatened it.

DEATH OF A BANKER.—We find the following in the Detroit Free Press, of the 31st relation to the failure of the Bank of St. Clair. It will be understood by the terms of the assignment that the managers take care of themselves and their friends, while the note-holders—the poor workmen—are made to bear the heaviest portion of the loss.

A LARGE SEAMOUNT.—The Montreal Times gives the following description of the wreck of the steamship "The Ontario," which was wrecked at the mouth of the St. Lawrence between the two cities.

FOR THE POST.—THE DUTY OF COUNCILORS.—I have just expected that the gentlemen who are to be appointed to the Council of the City of Philadelphia, should know how heavily the people of Philadelphia are weighed down by the Philadelphia meeting, and the quarter how unlikely it is to advance their prospects of favor in which they desire to propagate.

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OFFICIAL RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

The receipts into the Treasury during the quarter ending the 31st ult., were, as nearly as can be ascertained: From Customs \$6,375,578 71

From Lands 455,532 20 From Miscellaneous sources 20,000 00

EXPENDITURES.—The expenditures during the same period have been: Civil list, Miscellaneous and Foreign Intercourse \$1,708,407 96

On account of army \$1,131,806 56 Indian Department 22,830 07 Fortifications 88,415 50 Pensions 1,066,199 15

NAVY.—The Navy Department has received from the Secretary of the Treasury \$4,126,686 94 for the interest on the public debt.

TEXAS.—We have little to add to the summary already given of the late Convention, which was held at Austin, Texas, on the 10th inst.

THE LIGHTNING RAILROAD.—The Lightening Railroad, which was projected by the late Convention, is now being constructed by the State of Texas.

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Commercial News.

Five thousand bushels of wheat in store, sold at 80 cents. A good demand exists for brands of flour that will bear inspection, but the fact that flour is mostly in first hands, struggling low, has been a great disadvantage.

PRODUCE MARKET AT CINCINNATI, May 2.—Flour—Sales of 100 bbls. at retail at \$3 73 per bbl. inspected—320 do city mills at \$3 63, and 500 do do at \$3 80.

THE RIVER AT CINCINNATI on the 1st was on a stand. A rise, however, was expected, on account of the heavy rains.

RECEIVED THIS MORNING, direct from East—A large quantity of the best quality of OLD PENNILLS, comprising a large variety and the most splendid collection of the kind, in use in the State.

DISOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—A partnership heretofore existing between E. W. LYND and B. H. BICKLEY, in the business of a Hardware Store, has been dissolved.

PROPERTY FOR SALE.—A VALUABLE lot of ground in the city of Pittsburgh, situated on Third street, between Wood and Smithfield streets, containing in front 23 feet and running parallel with Wood at 94 feet.

ANIMAL MAGNETISM, by Tests.—A PRACTICAL Manual of Animal Magnetism, containing an exposition of the methods employed in producing the phenomena, and the application of the same to the treatment of Diseases.

THE President and Directors of this Bank have this day declared a dividend of two per cent. on the capital stock, payable to the stockholders on or after the 7th inst.

REPORT

Of the Auditors elected by the Citizens of the city of Pittsburgh, to audit and settle the accounts of the OVERSEER OF THE POOR of said City, and the Collectors appointed by them from the 1st of April, 1844, to the 1st of April, 1845.

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By cash paid compensation for selling one year's services, 288 00 By balance on hand, \$5401 91

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