had gone down, and I could see nothing but a dark, dismal chasm. Soon I heard the spade strike upon some hard substance, and a moment after, as the digger suddenly changed positions, the dull, hollow, mournful sound of dirt falling upon the bare coffin lid struck my ear. He paused but a moment, and placing a rope beneath each end of the coffin, he called me to take one of them and assist him in drawing it up. Mechanically my hands obeyed his request, and in a moment more the dark, wooden coffin was standing by the side of the open grave. He did not stop to loosen the fasenings, but, by exerting all his strength with the aid of his spade the lid flew off, and revealed just what I had seen a few hours before, and when the earth was closed above it. The hands were clenched in the same position I had seen them, the open eyes wore the same dispairing look, and the breast was torn and bloody, as when I saw it with my spirit vision. My companion comprehended all in a moment, and quickly lifting her from the coffin, motioned me to follow him. And from that moment I felt that I was myself—had power over my own movements—and I kept pace with him, although he seemed to fly rather than walk. We soon reached the little delapidated cottage, and laid her upon the bed, opened the window to give her fresh air, and as we did so, she slowly closed her eyes, and uttered a low moan. The grave-digger grasped a phial, containing a dark liquid, and pouring it into a broken tumbler, forced open her jaws, and turned it down her throat. A spasm, like an electric shock, ran through her frame, and opening her eyes, and glancing into our faces, she gasped, "Where am I?"

A form and face of exquisite proportions, shaded by locks of soft, brown hair, is near me now, and a pair of dark brown eyes are lovingly looking over my shoulders, I feel gentle arms clasping my neck, and tears upon my cheek, as the beautiful and loving girl is reading what I have written.

She is well and happy now, and nightly upon bended knees by my side, thanks Him whose mercy has protected her, and who permitted the mysterious influence which guided me to her, and saved her from a living tomb.

The Morning Post.

SATURDAY MORNING:::::::::SEPT. 11, 1858.

DEMOCRATIC STATE NOMINATIONS.

FOR SUPREME JUDGE,

WILLIAM A. PORTER,

OF PHILADELPHIA.

FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER,

WESTLEY FROST,

OF FAYETTE COUNTY.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

CONGRESS, 1ST DISTRICT
ANDREW BURKE, City.

SENATE:
SAMUEL McKEE, Birmingham.

ASSEMBLY:
THOMAS DONNELLY, Collins,
PHILIP H. STEVENSON, Moon,
JOHN M. IRWIN, City,
ROBERT MORROW, Ross.
AUGUSTUS HARTJE, Allegheny

SHERIFF:
BARNES FORD, Upper St. Clair.

PROTHONOTARY:
ALEXANDER BLACK, Sewickley.

COMMISSIONER:
THOMAS FARLEY, Allegheny.

CORONER:
WILLIAM ALEXANDER City.

AUDITOR:
JOHN MURRAY, South Pittsburgh,

DIRECTOR OF THE POOR:
JOHN BOYLE, Indiana.

☞ DEMOCRATIC STATE COMMITTEE.—The members of the Democratic State Committee are requested to meet at the ST. CHARLES HOTEL, in the city of Pittsburgh, on WEDNESDAY, September 15th, at 7 o'clock P. M. R. BIDDLE ROBERTS, Chairman.

The following are the names of the Committee:—

SENATORIAL DISTRICTS:

1st. John Hamilton, Jr.,	15th Gen. W. H. Miller,
Lewis C. Cassidy,	Cyrus Gionfinger.
J. D. Campbell,	16th Dr. John K. Raub,
N. B. Browne,	H. M. Nortn
Hugh Clark,	17th W. A. Stable.
John H. Dolbert.	18th. Samuel Johnson.
24. John B. Rhodes.	19th. A. H. Coffroth.
2d. Florence Sullivan.	20th. J. R. Crawford
3th. Robert Tyler.	21st. J. K. Calhoun.
5th. C. A. Cooper.	22d. T. B. Searight.
6th. Samuel L. Young.	23d. W. Workman.
7th. P. R. Kerrchor.	24th. James P. Barr,
8th. Asa Packer.	David Lynch,
9th. William Elwell.	James A. Gibson.
10th. Steuben Jenkins.	25th. Hugh McSee.
11th. George White.	26th. R. P. Cochran.
12th. Maj. J. Cummings.	27th. W. P. Shattuck.
13 h. F. W. Knox.	28th. W. T. Alexander.
14th. J. B. Bratten.	

☞ DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE OF CORRESPONDENCE for Allegheny county. In pursuance of a Resolution, of the late Democratic County Convention, I have appointed the following Committee:

Henry McCullough,	Nelson Campbell,
Rody Patterson,	John Swan,
John Sampson,	James Salisburry,
N. P. Fetterman,	Wm Magee,
Will Black,	John Sill,
Henry Ingram,	Tilotom Neel,
R. O. G. Sproul,	Finley Curry,

William Whigman.

The above Committee will meet at the St. CHARLES HOTEL, on SATURDAY, the 11th day of September next, at eleven o'clock, A. M. DAVID D. BRUCE, Chairman.

☞ THE DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE OF CORRESPONDENCE have appointed meetings to be held as follows:—

MONDAY EVENING, 13th September, 7 o'clock, at Hugh McAfee's, in Temperancville.
SAME EVENING, 7 o'clock, at Public School House, in Lawrenceville
TUESDAY EVENING, 14th September, 7 o'clock, in Diamond, Birmingham.
EVENING OF SAME DAY, 7 o'clock, in Market House, Manchester.
WEDNESDAY EVENING, 15th September, 7 o'clock, at the house of Thomas Lawrence, in Port Perry, Versailles township
EVENING OF SAME DAY, 7 o'clock, in Market House, McKeesport.
THURSDAY EVENING, 16th September, at Brown's house, Turtle Creek.
EVENING OF SAME DAY, 7 o'clock, in Wilkinsburg.
FRIDAY, 17th September, 2 o'clock, P. M., at Taylor's tavern, in Monroeville, Patton township.
EVENING OF SAME DAY, 7 o'clock, at Summervill's tavern, in Texas, Plum township.
SATURDAY, 18th September, 2 o'clock, P. M., at Joseph Moon's, in McCandless township.
SAME DAY, 2 o'clock, P. M., at George W. Boyd's, in Upper St. Clair township.
EVENING OF SAME DAY, 7 o'clock, at H. Beltzhoover's, in Baldwin township.

Speakers will be in attendance.

D. D. BRUCE,
Chairman of Dem. County Committee of Correspodence

OUR CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF.

The *Gazette*, of yeterday, devotes nearly a column to the advocacy of the claims of Mr. James L. Graham, upon the voters of the county, for the office of sheriff. We presume Mr. Graham's name has peen selected from the ticket, and made a speciality, because his friends have ascertained that, strong as they pretend to think him, he needs special advocacy, to keep him from losing ground, which he has been doing every day since the Democratic ticket came into the field. We have nothing to say against Mr. Graham personally; he stands forth as a man befere his fellow citizens, but he does not stand higher, nor are his claims for election so strong upon the voters of the county, as those of Barnes Ford, whom, with great unanimity, the Democracy has selected as their candidate. Mr. Ford has been a working Democrat all his life. He is a sound, practical business man, and comes before the people, fully qualified in all respects, to fulfil the duties of the office. He resides in the country—a plain farmer, and while he has made an honest livelihood, for himself and his family, by the sweat of his brow, he has not been so fortunate as Mr. Graham has, in the accumulation of wealth. He is unblemished in his character and political antecedents. He has never been mixed up with railroad matters, and is especially acceptable to the voters of the several districts, not only on this account, but for his well known manly independence of character. In the position of sheriff, he will be an unexceptionable officer. It is not necessary for us to parade his good qualities by the column—his position as a sound and reliable Democrat, and an old and respectable citizen, known to almost every citizen of the county, give him a prestige of success which has manifestly frightened Mr. Graham and the *Gazette*. We do not wonder at it.

THE GAZETTE ON RAILROAD ANTECEDENTS.

We copy the subjoined extract from the *Gazette* of Thursday, because we deem it a most unfair method of attacking the Democrats, whose names are given as having at one time or another favored railroad subscriptions. The *Gazette* seems to have forgotten that at the time these subscriptions were made, the people of the cities and county were almost unanimously favorable to making them. Everybody thought that the building of these roads was to result in great benefit to all classes of people, and especially to property owners, and those who were opposed to making them were looked upon as opposed to a prospective general public good. Whigs and Democrats were alike enthusiastic to have railroads built. The railroad companies promised to pay the interest on the bonds, and the people, at least a large majority of them, were willing to run the risk of the value of the stock being equal to the amount of the bonds, when the latter should become due. It is not inconsistent now for any of those who favored railroad subscriptions, in view of the non-fulfillment of their contracts by the railroad companies themselves, and the disastrous result which has attended most of their enterprises in which the county had an interest—in is not inconsistent for them now to oppose and resist the payment of interest upon these bonds by all legal and constitutional means. It is foolish for the *Gazette* to parade this charge of inconsistency against the Democracy, when all, or nearly all, the people of the county at the outstart occupied precisely the same position. We have not attacked the nominees upon the Republican ticket for favoring railroad subscriptions, and yet we are safe in saying that every man upon that ticket did so favor them. Take Zacheus Patterson, the Black Republican candidate for County Commissioner, for example. He went in for railroads and especially for the Allegheny Valley, at the time the subscriptions were made, and now he pledges himself not to pay the interest, if he is elected Commissioner.—Why does not the *Gazette* pitch into Zacheus? He occupies precisely the same ground with those whom the *Gazette* has named.

There is not the least inconsisteney chargeable to any of these men for the position of resistance to the payment of railroad interest which they have assumed. The railroad companies agreed to pay the interest the purchasers of the bonds knew of this contract when they purchased, and now that default has been made in paying the interest by the railroad companies, it is eminently proper that the agents of the county should resist its payment, until the courts have decided what it is the duty of the county, in law and in equity, to do in the premises.

The *Gazette's* attempt to fasten the charge of inconsistency upon the Democracy in this behalf is simply ridiculous, for its own candidates are precisely in the same position as ours.

Intricate legal questions which have arisen in regard to this interest, fully justify all men of prudence and caution in the desire to have them judicially settled. It is not for its position of resistance to the payment of railroad interest in advance of such decision, that we object to the action of the Democratic Convention. It is because that body has made this question, which has nothing to do with Democratic principles, a test question of Democracy, that our objection arises. The Convention has said that they "*will support no man for office of any kind, who entertains the opinion that this thing can lawfully or constitutionally be done.*" Such ostracism of Democrats as this, for opinions which they may honestly and sincerely and intelligently entertain, upon a question of a purely local character, which does not appertain to the Democratic or any other political platform, is anti-Democratic, and will always be scouted by every honest adherent of our party. It is to this tyrannical and before unheard of assumption of a power which they never possessed, on the part of the Convention, to which we object, and not to the genuine doctrine of resistance to illegal taxation. It is the adoption of secondary and local issues, such as have proved so disastrous to the party which opposes us, and which can but weaken the forces of our own party, if persisted in to the exclusion of the vastly more important issues which we profess, as members of a great national organization to maintain, which we, as Democrats, refuse to acknowledge and submit to.

The weapons which the *Gazette* is using against the Democratic ticket, if they have any effect, must operate as a two edged sword, cutting full as deeply into the Republican ticket as it does into the Democratic. But, as we have shown, the position of the *Gazette* in this matter is an erroneous one. Those who were once in favor of railroad subscriptions are not by any means inconsistent in the position which they now occupy. In asking for the bonds and in selling them, they based their action upon a contract that the interest should be paid by third parties, and all they now ask is a fulfillment of this contract, or, if it is impossible to compel its fulfillment, that the courts should decide upon whom the loss equitably should fall. In order that our remarks may be understood, we append an extract from the *Gazette's* article, giving the names of some who occupy the position which the *Gazette* says is inconsistent, but which we contend is not so:

"Believing the contemplated railroad to be an improvement of great value to this city and county generally, in advancing the value of property and increasing the business of the people thereof, we do respectfully and *severally* recommend a compliance with the wishes and desires of the said grand jury."

Thomas Williams,	THOMAS DONNELLY,
George H. Keyser,	THOMAS FARLEY,
Jacob Tomer,	STEPHEN MERCER,
*William Black,**	JOHN BOYLE,
John Roth, †	AUG. HARTJE,
Benj. F. Latshaw,†	ALEX. BLACK,
James S. Hoon,	*Tillitson Neal,*
J. Kennedy,	*George Keil,*
Wm. Bagaley,	*H. B. Heagy,*
R. McAyeal,	*Geo. Duphorn,*
Francis Wilson,	*Brother to the Democratic candidate for Prothonotary.
S. Friar Marcy,	†Democratic candidate for Assembly last year.
G. Morrison,	‡Democratic Appraiser of Mercantile Taxes.
P. McGeoghegan,	

On the 18th of June, 1855, the following application was made to the County Commissioners, and we append some of the leading names:

"*To the Commissioners of Allegheny County:*

GENTLEMEN:—We, the subscribers, citizens of the city of Pittsburgh and county of Allegheny, respectfully and *urgently* request that you will *immediately* make a subscription on behalf of the county for Ten Thousand shares of the Capital Stock of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad Company, agreeably to the recommendation of the Grand Jury."

Geo. H. Keyser,	JOHN MURRAY,
J. D. W. White,	JOHN M. IRWIN,
R. A. Bauman,	

☞ RODY PATTERSON, ☜
J. R. McClintock, and others.

THE annual exploit of Holland being taken by the Dutch was performed on Tuesday last. The Republicans have actually carried Vermont! It is reported, and we have no doubt the news is true, for none except a few very old men remember the day when this little fanatical State voted Democratic! The Republicans ought to raise a loud shout over this great and extraordinary victory!

FIRST PAGE.

On the outside of this morning's paper, we republish the protest against the action of the County Convention. Also an excellent story.

THE chap who does up the Democratic communications in the *True Press*, (until recently permitted to appear editorially,) is grievously offended with the Democracy of William Wilkins, for signing the Protest which appeared in the *Post*. The Judge is set down as the friend of all administrations for the purpose of keeping quartered three hundred relatives on government. Extravagant man: Judge Shaler is pronounced antique. What a pity! Judge Hepburn "of no possible account." Put that in your pipe, Judge! Geo. P. Hamilton "merely a good lawyer, that's all." Awful charge! Geo. W. Cass "President of a Railroad Company." He is no such thing. W. H. Smith "sells sugar and molasses." Mr. Smith should quit that!—Each of the above gentlemen are charged with "base hypocrisy" and the "pensioned hirelings of Railroads." The young man is evidently in a bad humor, that he is not considered the only friend of the administration in the city.

The Atlantic Cable.

It is now said that the Atlantic Cable will not be ready to open for public use till the first of next October. Notwithstanding the public were assured that all was "right" and everything "working admirably," the electricians have not been able to put it into operation satisfactorily. They are now about to try the Hughes instrument, of whose accomplishment we have heard so much, and as yet seen so little. The Directors, moreover, invite the electricians of all nations to aid them in making the cable work practically for business purposes, upon which its value to the stockholders depends.

Eighteenth Congressional District.

The Republican Conferees of this (18th) Congressional District, composed of the counties of Cambria, Huntingdon, Blair and Somerset, met at Johnstown Wednesday evening. Twenty-nine ballots were had for a Congressional candidate, when Mr. S. S. Blair, having received a majority of votes, was declared the nominee.

We learn from Washington that the Government Wednesday concluded a "treaty" with the American Colonization Society, by which the Society agrees to take charge of and instruct, for a year after their arrival in Liberia, the Africans taken from on board the brig Putnam. Something near $50,000 is the sum the Government has to pay.

As numerous persons have made application at the office of the *Post*, for copies of the Democratic Protest against the proceedings of the Convention, which we have been unable to supply, we republish it this morning. Copies in wrappers for mailing can be had on application at our Counting Room.

THE Democratic County Committee of Correspondence will meet by adjournment this morning at 10 o'clock, at the St. Chales Hotel. Let there be a full attendance.

THE Pennsylvania Railroad gives notice that holders of second mortgage coupons, payable on the 1st of October proximo, can have them cashed on presentation at their office, less interest for the running time at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

An Old Libeller.

Walter Savage Landor, the poet and author, a man 83 years of age, has just been convicted in England of a wanton libel on a lady, Mrs. Yescombe. He accused her of perjury, of stealing from him and others, and obtaining money under false pretences. He subsequently, through the intercession of friends, made an apology, in which he withdrew all the offensive and libellous charges which he had connected and circulated against Mrs Yescombe, and added a promise that they should not be repeated. But after this he renewed his attacks, and in anonymous letters wrote the most disgusting beastliness that any brain could conceive. Suit was brought against him, and a verdict of £1,000 was rendered by the jury. The press of England, with one general assent, denounce the libeller, and applaud the verdict.

Come out for Gerrit Smith.

Edward C. Delevan, the distinguished champion ef the "Temperance" cause in New York, whose name for years has been synonymous with its progress, has written a letter in which he urges all the opponents of intemperance and the friends of a stringent Maine Liquor Law, to vote for Gerrit Smith, the Independent Republican candidate for Governor. The Republicans have shamefully deceived the Temperance men in New York, by promising them a severe liquor law, and then, after being put in power, neglecting to do it. With the aid of Mr. Delevan and the Temperance men, Mr. Smith will get almost as many votes as the *regular* Republican candidate. The road to a Democratic victory is clear in New York.

VARIOUS THINGS.

—The Medina *Tribune* says that a society of spiritualists in Yates, Orleans county, New York, having failed to cure a sick man by means of spiritual perscriptions and healing mediums, undertook, after the death of the patient to restore his corpse to life, in accordance with instructions from the spirit land. What the peculiar rites were is not stated, but the *Tribune* says there were ineffectual, and the mourning friends finally consigned the inanimate clay to its last resting place.

—General Harney leaves on the 20th for the Pacific, accompanied by Capt. Pleasanton and Father Schmidt, a Catholic priest, who has spent many years among the Indians of Washington aon Oregon.

—Louis Napoleon's boy has been named corporal in the regiment of the guards, to which he belongs, and which he was lately fusileer. The promotion was made by the Colonel, and took place the day he was two years and a half old. The "Little Corporal" marched around the Palace of St. Cloud on that day, in his new uniform.

—The Bank of America, at Memphis, Tennessee, which went under the other day had out a circulation of *one hundred thousand dollars.* Comfort, that!

—Captain De Riviere was arrested at nine o'clock, on Monday evening, at the Smithsonian Hotel, New York, for assault with intent to take life. The qearrel grew out of an article published in an evening paper by a Mr. Zenas Grant, in which he declared himself ready to give satisfaction to any friend of De Riviere disposed to vindicate his course. A challenge accordingly came to him from two Frenchmen, and was accepted, but no arrangement could be effected. Wednesday evening, Grant and De Riviere met at the Smithsonian, when the Zouave caught the other, threw him down, and held him fast. A crowd of several thousand collected around the hotel, the parties were arrested, Grant made complaint against De Reviere and he was held for trial.

Butler County Nominations.

The Democratic Convention of Butler county met on Tuesday the 7th inst, and put in nomination the following county ticket:

Assembly—E. H. Bailey, of Franklin; Thompson Kyle, of Mercer.
Commissioner—Robert Love, of Clinton.
Auditor—George Beam, of Jackson.
Trustees of Academy—S. G. Purvis, Wm. Ralph.

On motion, John Graham Esq., was declared unanimously the nominee for Congress.

On motion, it was resolved that Hon. Samuel Marshall, Lewis Z. Mitchell, Esq., and A. S. M'Bride be appointed Conferees to meet the Conferees of Allegheny county; and that they are hereby instructed to support the nominee of this Convention.

As James A. Gibson, Esq., was the last Democratic nominee for the 22d District, it is conceded that Butler county is entitled to the selection of the candidate for Congress this fall. Mr Graham is a lawyer of talent, and a sound and reliable Democrat, and will be heartily supported by the Democracy of the District. He resides in the town of Butler, and is most highly esteemed, not only for his talents, but for his unblemished moral character.

The Convention adopted a series of resolutions, a portion of which we copy:

Resolved, That the Democratic party of Butler county, in Convention assembled, do re-assert and declare that we are unalterably attached to and will maintain inviolate the principles avowed by the National Convention, held at Cincinnati in June, 1856.

2. That we avow, with renewed energy, our devotion to the Federal Union, our earnest desire to put down sectional strife, our determination to maintain inviolate the sovereignty of the States, and to defend and protect every State and Territory and the people thereof in their constitutional rights.

3. That the people of every Territory, in the formation of a State Constitution, have a right to decide at the ballot-box, by a full and fair election, upon all the provisions of that Constitution.

4. That the complicated questions, arising out of the presentation to Congress of the Lecompton Constitution, having been referred to the people of Kansas, and they having passed upon them by a fair election, are now to be considered as disposed of by the people themselves, and that there is no further cause of dispute or difference about them.

5. That the people of Kansas having refused to be admitted into the Union as a State, under the Lecompton Constitution, we, as Democrats, recognize their right to be admitted into the Union, whenever they make application therefor, and present to Congress a Constitution adopted by a majority of the citizens of said territory at a fair election, and that the member of Congress nominated by this Convention, if elected, is hereby instructed to vote in accordance with these resolutions.

6. That we hold in high estimation and full confidence, James Buchanan, as a statesman of ripe experience, purity of character and honesty of purpose, and that whatever difference of opinion may have existed as to this or that measure of this administration, our confidence in him remains undiminished.

7. That we are in favor of a tariff for revenue, and that in the adjustment of the details thereof, that the largest possible amount of protection should be demanded and given to the great interest of Pennsylvania, consistent with the rights of the citizens of other States.

9. That Governor Wm. F. Packer is a statesman of ability and experience, and is entitled to the continued confidence of the people of the State.

10. That in William A. Porter, the Democratic candidate for Supreme Judge, we have a sound judge, an enlightened jurist and an upright man.

11. That Westley Frost, the candidate for Canal Commissioner, is worthy of the support and confidence of the Democracy.

17. That a system of Common School education, affording to every man's child within the Commonwealth an opportunity to acquire the rudiments of a sound English education, is a part of the Democratic creed, and underlies the growth and prosperity of our free institutions. But while we are thus wedded to such a system, we are opposed to County Superintendents, Normal Schools, and High Schools being supported by taxation, and all other departures and innovations from what we have above expressed and believe to be the intention of its founders.

18. That the practical operations of the present Common School law in Pennsylvania has imposed burdens on the people too grievous to be borne, and has failed to accomplish its original purpose, to wit: the education of the people, and that we are decidedly in favor of so amending and reforming the system, as that it will accomplish its original intention and at the same time materially diminish its expense.

Mercer County.

The Democratic Convention of Mercer county assembled at Mercer on Tuesday, September 7th, and placed in nomination the following ticket:

For Congress—Samuel R. Mason
For Assembly—H. H. Foster, Mercer county; Arthur Robinson, Venango county.
For Commissioner—William Smith.
For Poor Director—R. C. M'Williams.
For Auditor—G. W. Morrow.

The Hon. M. C. Trout, chairman of the committee on resolutions, reported sound Democratic doctrine. We copy the following:

Resolved, That we have full confidence in the wisdom, integrity and patriotism of our worthy Chief Magistrate James Buchanan, and congratulate the Democracy of the State that she has given the nation a President who has shown himself a worthy successor of Washington, Jefferson and Jackson.

Resolved, That the firmness, decision and administrative ability with which the President and Cabinet have met, resisted, and forever put to rest the insolvent claims of Great Britain on the "Right of Search" question, challenges the administration of the world, and places the United States in a position among the other great Nations of the Earth.

Resolved, That the long vexed and threatening difficulty in Kansas having been settled by the people of that Territory, to whom, alone belongs the right to do so, we assert it to be the duty of Democrats to acquiesce in such settlement, and, instead of contending with each other over a dead issue, to endeavor to promote fraternal harmony in our ranks.

Resolved, That the charge of "extravagance" so often raised by the opponents of Democracy comes with a bad grace from a party whose ruling passion" is "the spoils." Who have never held power, but to abuse it, whose representatives have uniformly voted for all the reckless and extravagant appropriations proposed, and whose officers have ever depleted the public Treasury, when in each of it by their Galphinism, extra pay and other applicances peculiar to themselves.

Resolved, That in Wm. F. Packer, the Democracy have given the State a Governor of which her people may well be proud, and if his past is an index to his future they have much to hope and nothing to fear from his policy.

Resolved, That Wm. A. Porter, and Westley Frost, the Democratic candidates for Supreme Judge, and Canal Commissioner are Democrats well tried, and their high moral and politipal characters entitle them to the cordial and enthusiastic support of the entire Democracy of the State.

Crawford County.

The Democratic County Convention met at Meadville on Tuesday last. The following ticket was placed in nomination:

Congress—Hon. Gaylord Church, Meadville.
Senate—D. M. Farelly, Esq., Meadville.
Assembly—Samuel B. Long, Woodcock.
Associate Judges—Thomas J. Lowrey, Conneautville; E. A. Reynolds, Meadville.
Commissioner—John Shauberger, Athens.
Auditor—Henry Sacket, Saegertown.

[For the Morning Post.]

As it is pretty well understood, (indeed the spongy Kennedy asserts) that all articles abusing the *Post* and the prominent Democrats of this city, came from the stone corner inhabited by government officials. Will they be good enough to delegate "Fair Play" to give his opinion of the Democracy of R. Biddle Roberts, David Campbell, Samuel Jones, Jacob M'Collister and James Herdman, whose names are appended to the "Protest." The Democracy of Messrs. Wilkins, Shaler, Hepburn, Hamilton and others, is doubted by the clodhopper who writes for the *Press*. The majority of those mentioned were fighting the battles of the Democratic party, before the author of the article alluded to left Ireland.

THIRD WARD.

THE LATEST NEWS

BY TELEGRAPH.

Convention of Railroad Presidents.

PHILADELPHIA, September 10.—The Railroad Presidents remained in session most of the night and the greater part of to-day. The agreement of the 5th of July has been gone over, article by article, and they were agreed upon with some exceptions, the representatives of New York and Erie joining in the arrangement. The points which could not be readily adjusted were the rules which fixed the rates for all rail and water carriage. It was finally agreed that there should be separate rates for each. Recess has been taken to allow the freight agents to settle these rates if they agree and the Presidents approve. The main difficulty will be overcome. The final result will not be reached before midnight, if then. The prospects, however, are good for a satisfactory adjustment and return to fair rates.

10½ o'clock, P. M.—The Pennsylvania Railroad officially informs us that matters are progressing smoothly, and the result will, he thinks, be a good one.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—Capt. Harwood has been ordered to duty as Inspector of Ordnance, vice Capt. Adams, ordered to the Sabine.

A board of officers has been ordered to convene at an early day to ascertain by trial the best patent primer for small arms. The Board consists of Captain Gorgas and Brevet Major Laidley, of the Ordnance Corps, Capt. Pickett and Lieut. Clitz, of the Infantry, and Lieut. Maury, of the Mounted Rifles.

Illinois Politics.

BLOOMINGTON, Illinois, September 10.—The two wings of the Democracy of the Third District held separate Conventions to-day. The Douglas wing nominated George W. Armstrong for Congress. The Administration wing made no nomination, but recommended Churchill Coffing.

Suspension.

NEW YORK, September 10.—A heavy suspension in the sugar and coffee trade is reported. The liabilities are estimated at $300,000, but the assets are large.

Closing Proceedings of the Republican Convention.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., September 9.—The Committee on Resolutions reported. A motion to strike out the one extending the term of naturalization was lost by a large vote. The committee also reported that they were still considering the report of the Committee of Conference, and while there is an obvious disagreement in regard to certain theories of political faith between this and the American Convention, there is sufficient concurrence on all questions of immediate public concern to warrant a Union ticket. (Cheers.) The report was adopted by a large majority amid much excitement.

Mr. Chapin, of Lawrence, moved that the Convention now proceed to nominate a candidate for Governor. Adopted. Letters were read from Gov. King and Lieut. Gov. Selden, declining a renomination. The first ballot was then taken, and stood as follows: E. D. Morgan, 116; Timothy Jenkins, 51; James M. Cook, 35; M. Patterson, 26; M. Diven, 21; scattering, 7.

A committee from the American Convention was received with loud applause, and presented the resolutions from that body.

A second ballot stood as follows: E D. Morgan, 165; T. Jenkins, 52; M. Diven, 18. The nomination of Mr. Morgan was made unanimous with cheers. Robert Campbell, of Steuben, was then nominated for Lieutenant Governor by acclamation.

A committee was appointed to wait on the American Convention, and inquire what names they propose for the balance of the ticket.

The Republican Convention made the following further nominations: For Canal Commissioner, Hiram Gardner, of Niagara; State Prison Inspector, Mr. Everett, of Clinton.

At the afternoon session of the American Convention resolutions were adopted favoring a co-operation with the Republicans. The conference committee report was adopted, and a committee appointed to notify the fact to the Republican Convention.

The entire afternoon session was consumed in speeches against a union, the speakers generally uniting in the opinion that the Republicans had slighted the action of the Conference Committee.

The following nominations were then made: For Governor, Lorenzo Burrowes; for Lieutenant Governor, N. S. Benton; for Canal Commissioner, J. R. Thompson, of Monroe; for State Prison Inspector, W. A. Russell, of Washington.

From Arizona.

ST. LOUIS, September 10.—Col. Sayles, agent of the Post Office Department, arrived here yesterday from Arizona. He reports the existence of a very lawless state of things in that country, the pistol and bowie-knife being the only law recognized. Indian depredations were also very frequent. Col. Sayles speaks favorably of the mineral resources of the Territory, but deems the annexation of Sonora as of the utmost importance to their successful development.

News from Kansas.

ST. LOUIS, September 10.—Leavenworth dates to the 7th inst, per United States Express Company, to Boonville, on the 9th, have been received.

Orders have been received for two companies of first cavalry from Col. Sumner. The command under Major Emery, will proceed to Fort Arbuckle.

The municipal election was held at Leavenworth yesterday, and great excitement prevailed, but no serious disturbance occurred. Lampton B. Denman, Free State Democrat, was elected by about two hundred majority. Lyman Scott, Republican and Know Nothing, and Adam Fisher, Republican bolter, were the opposing candidates.

Democratic Nominations.

MILWAUKEE, September 10.—C. H. Larabee was yesterday nominated by the Democratic Convention for Congress from the third district.

Slavery Discussion.

The discussion between Brownlow and Prynne still continues in Philadelphia, but as we do not think our readers will be particularly interested in what is said by a pair of the most arrant charlatans and humbugs of the day, we decline to publish the telegraphic report of the discussion.

Fever and Ague!

A Case of Eight Months' Standing Cured by Boerhave's Holland Bitters.

Michael Kelly, No. 117 Seventh, near Grant street, Pittsburgh, says:

"Last July, while running on the river, on a cotton boat plying between Natchez and New Orleans, I was taken with Fever and Ague. For eight long months I suffered with this dreadful disease. The greater part of this time I was unable to work, and spent at least fifty dollars for different medicines, but found no permanent relief. Three weeks ago, one of my friends insisted upon my trying Boerhave's Holland Bitters, saying that a *cure* was guaranteed. After taking it for one week, I must say I was a sound man. I have been at work now for two weeks and have had no return of the Chills or Fever whatever."

I certify that the above statement is true.

THOMAS ADAMS,
Diamond House, or R. Chester's Gothic Hall.

Caution!—Be careful to ask for *Boerhave's Holland Bitters.* Sold at $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5, by the sole Proprietors, Benjamin Page, Jr., & Co., No. 27 Wood street, between First and Second streets, and Druggists generally.

DIED.

On Friday, September 10th, Rev. A. W. BLACK, D. D., in the 60th year of his age.

The friends and relatives are invited to attend the funeral without further notice, this (SATURDAY) morning, September 11th. Religious services at 10½ o'clock, at his late residence in Sewickley, Pa. Carriages will be in readiness at the Pittsburgh Depot of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, at one o'clock, P. M., to proceed to the Allegheny Cemetery.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FRENCH LESSONS.
MONS. ALPHONSE DANSE,
Professor at the Western Pennsylvania University and the Pittsburgh High School, is now ready to resume his lessons in the FRENCH LANGUAGE, for private pupils or in classes. Apply for terms, at Pennsylvania avenue, No. 198, or at H. Kleber's Music Store, 53 Fifth street. [au28:2im saw

PIANO AT A BARGAIN.—A fine 6½ Octave Rosewood Piano, from the factory of NUNNS & CLARK, New York, will be sold by the subscribers at a sacrifice. It was purchased some two years ago for $375, and looks fully as well, and is in every respect as good as a new one. Sickness in the owner's family, has prevented them from making any use of it whatever, and several cases of death having since occurred, it will be sold low as above. H. KLEBER & BRO., 53 Fifth st
N. B.—A fresh supply of Steinway & Sons' celebrated Pianos is now on the way. Notice of arrival will be given. se9

TIMOTHY SEED—150 bus, for sale by
se9 HENRY H. COLLINS.

CHEESE.—300 boxes choice cutting Cheese just received and for sale by
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HERRING—30 bbls. Herring received and for sale by [se9] HENRY H. COLLINS.

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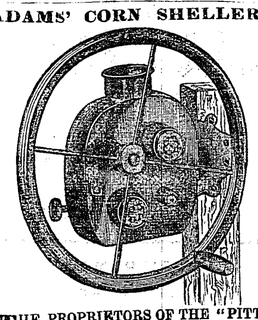
ADAMS' CORN SHELLER.



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AMBROTYPES.—A BEAUTIFUL AND DURABLE PICTURE—warranted—can be had as low as at any first class establishment in the country, at
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PUBLIC SALE.—THE SUBSCRIBER will offer at Public Sale, his mill property, with 20 acres of land, more or less, situate in Peters township, Washington county, Pa., adjoining lands with Mrs. Kerr, Harvy McMurry, and Samuel Black. There are two pair of French Burrs and Smut Machine, all in first rate running order, and also a first rate Saw Mill and Engine in good order. The property will be sold at a bargain. Millers and others will find it to their advantage to attend, as the subscriber contemplates going to the far west this fall, and if not sold, the property will be offered for rent the same day. This would make a valuable property for a Distillery, Brewery, or Malt House. Good water for milling. Terms made known on day of sale. Title good.
JOHN R. ANDREW.
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A LARGE AND WELL SELECTE stock of fall wear now received at the "People's Shoe Store," No 17 Fifth street, near Market. Our stock comprises Gent's, Ladies', Misses', Boys' and Children's wear, made of the best material, and will give satisfaction to all who will favor us with their patronage. A large assortment of Boys' and Youth's Boots.
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