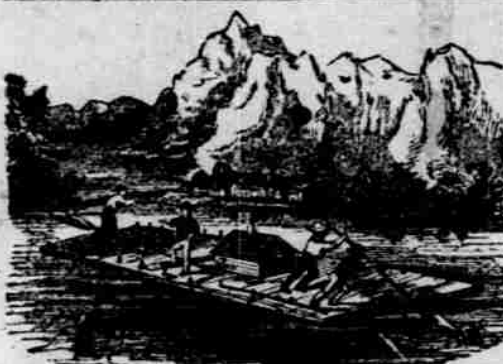


Raftsmen's Journal.



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CLEARFIELD, PA., APRIL 29, 1868.

White Men Disfranchised. The Copperhead Legislature of Ohio, is determined that Republicans shall never again acquire power in that State...

Upon the announcement of the passage of this most iniquitous and unjust law, the disfranchised students of the Ohio Wesleyan University met and adopted a series of resolutions denouncing the bill...

The action of a Democratic Legislature in disfranchising white men, is a fit commentary on the loud professions of the leaders of that party in favor of a "white man's government." It is, moreover, a significant confession that the greatest enemy of Copperhead Democracy is enlightened education...

"Sneaks." The Lock Haven Democrat calls the members of the "Grand army of the Republic" Sneaks. During the war, while the copperheads "sneaked" off to Canada...

TRUTH WILL OUT.—In the New York Legislature while a bill to suppress obscene books, paper, etc., was under discussion, Mr. Patrick Keady Copperhead Representative from Kings County, opposed the passage of the bill...

POOR COMFORT.—The Copperheads are rejoicing over what they call a victory in Georgia. As the effect of it, however, is to prevent that State from participating in the Presidential election...

AN OLD SOLDIER GONE.—Capt. Andrew Kraus, a soldier of the war of 1812, died at Harrisburg on the 24th inst., in the 73d year of his age.

IMPORTANT ENTERPRISE.—A project is on foot to connect Pennsylvania and New Jersey, by a bridge across the Delaware, between Camden and Philadelphia.

Visible Admixture. Our friend Goodlander—either from a sense of his own frailty and weakness, or that of his party friends—uniformly manifests great solicitude on the subject of "amalgamation" by printing all cases of the kind that fall under his notice.

Miffin county does not stand alone in this respect. The same state of facts, we are reliably informed, exists in Clearfield. It is said that in Lawrence township a colored "Democrat," who is married to a white woman, invariably presents himself at every election...

When "niggers" vote the Copperhead ticket, and go into the army as substitutes for Copperheads, they smell as fragrant as "new mown hay," and their skins are as straight and their heels as short as those of the Chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee or any body else.

GUILTY.—Whatever may be the judgment of the High Court before which Andrew Johnson is now on trial, the verdict of History is already rendered and recorded. It matters little with what technical offences he may be charged, or of how many of them he may be found guilty...

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ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION.—The English Prince Alfred, who is on a visit to Australia, was shot in the back and dangerously wounded on the 12th of March.

THE ABOLITION MOVEMENT.—The abolition movement was started at Chillicothe by natives of Virginia and Maryland, and not by New Englanders.

Decision in Bankruptcy. CLEARFIELD COUNTY CASE. The Pittsburgh papers contain the report of an important decision in Bankruptcy, in a case from this county.

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Rev. Henry L. Baugher, D.D., President of the Pennsylvania College, Gettysburg, died at his residence in that place on Tuesday evening, April 14th, in the sixty-fourth year of his age.

PUBLISHED IN FULL.—The argument of H. B. Swoope Esq., in the Robinson-Shurgart contested election case, is published in full in the Harrisburg Telegraph of Monday. It occupies nine columns of that paper.

A Little of Everything. Anthony Trollope, the novelist, is in Washington. Tilton and Forney have been honored with K. K. letters. A new Presbyterian Church is in process of erection in St. Mary's, Elk county.

The prospect of an abundant yield of fruit all over the country never was more promising. The health of the Hon. Thaddeus Stevens has greatly improved within the last two weeks. Manager Logan's speech on the impeachment of the President occupies twenty-three columns of the Globe.

The aggregate of the debt, provable under the Bankruptcy Law, upon which a creditor, or a combination of creditors, can compel a debtor into Bankruptcy, must be not less than two hundred and fifty dollars. In this case the petitioners are Burns & Smucker, who obtained a judgment in the Court of Common Pleas of Clearfield county, upon an award of arbitrators, for the sum of \$3,567.11.

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The Philadelphia Fraud. Philadelphia Democracy grows jubilant over the decision of the Court of Common Pleas in the late city contested election cases, and those nondescript publications which call themselves Democratic newspapers chuckle as if in some way the interests of the party had been vindicated or bolstered up.

Hon. B. F. Wade Threatened. Washington, April 20.—Hon. Benjamin F. Wade received the following anonymous letter this morning, post-marked Winchester, Kentucky, April 17. I copy, verbatim et literatim.

This communication is to notify you that you are marked and watched by the K. K. K., & that should you and your infamous associates succeed in your fanatical & hellish design of foisting yourself as so called President on an unwilling people by actual force, that your fate will be before one month, that of the late lamented A. L.

Why is it?—Whilst it is generally conceded that the production of the precious metals is in excess of the demands of American and European markets, the question may be asked, why then, does their price not cheapen? A reason for the continuous demand may be found in the fact that Asia is a constant absorbent of these metals.

AGENTS WANTED for Dana's authorized and authentic life of Ulysses S. Grant, comprising a complete and accurate history of his eventful and interesting career, with an authentic narrative of his invaluable military services, adding also an impartial estimate of his character as a Man, a Soldier, and a Statesman.

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THE FOURTH SESSION of the present Scholastic year of this Institution, will commence on Monday, the 4th day of May, 1868. Pupils can enter at any time. They will be charged with tuition from the time they enter to the close of the session.

TERMS OF TUITION: Orthography, Reading, Writing and Primary Arithmetic, per session, (11 weeks.) \$5 00 Grammar, Geography, Arithmetic, and History \$8 00 Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry, Mensuration, Surveying, Philosophy, Physiology, Chemistry Book-keeping, Botany, and Physical Geography \$9 00

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WANTED AGENTS.—Soldiers, Teachers, Clergymen, Merchants, or any who desire to improve the lives of Gen. H. B. Swoope, by H. B. Swoope, Chairman of the Military Committee in Congress.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT of the United States, for the Western District of Pennsylvania: In the matter of the Estate of JAMES M. MASTERS, deceased, IN BANKRUPTCY.

ORDINANCE.—Whereas twenty of the residents and owners of lots, out lots, and tracts of land adjoining the Borough of Clearfield, have, by petition, applied for the admission of said section into said Borough: And Whereas, under and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, passed the 3d day of April, 1839, the Burgess and town council of any Borough shall have power, and by virtue of this Act are directed and required, on petition of any number not less than twenty of the free hold owners of lots, out lots, or other tracts of land in any section lying adjacent to said Borough, to declare, by ordinance, the admission of the section on which such petitioners and others reside.

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