

Democratic Banner.

CLEARFIELD, Pa. March 14, 1846.

THE BREAK UP.

The last eight or ten days of warm weather, with some rain, has had the very natural effect to swell the river and its tributaries, though as yet several heavy gorges of ice continue firm and unshaken.

A Bio 'Un.—On our return from the 4th March Convention last week, in company with the Bellefonte delegation, we took the 'middle route' from the Junction to Bellefonte.

Wm. B. Foster, jr.

By the proceedings of the late 4th of March Convention it will be observed that the above named gentleman was triumphantly re-nominated as the democratic candidate for Canal Commissioner.

The Foreign News.

The last arrival, bringing dates four days later than the Cambria, contains nothing of special importance, other than the continued pacific tone of the British press and people.

An extensive battle had been fought in Algiers between the English and natives—in which the former are said to have gained a signal victory.

The French people, under the lead of M. Thiers, in the House of Peers, are beginning to express dissatisfaction at that government interfering with England against the United States.

Our correspondent, a friend to equal taxation, should remember that neither Col Bigler, nor ourselves, ever asserted that his bill was perfect—but on the contrary, in his letter to a gentleman in Philadelphia, Col. Bigler expressly admits it to be imperfect in its details.

That we are not alone in our views of this measure, the following extract from the Philadelphia Daily Keystone, will clearly show, as would numerous similar articles from other papers, had we space for them.

SENATOR BIGLER.—We publish on our fourth page a very excellent and able letter from Senator Bigler, upon the subject of a sinking fund, for the extinguishment of the public debt.

Col. Bigler deserves great credit for taking the lead in this measure, and we feel confident that he will be able to mature such a system as will remove every objection from the minds of our citizens.

Senator Bigler is chairman of the finance committee of the Senate, a post of vast labor and responsibility, but he is able and willing to perform the labor, and thus contribute to elevate the character of the State, and liquidate its just debts.

We have paid particular attention to the course of Col. Bigler, during the time he has been in the Senate, and although a young man, he has evinced talents of a high order. No person visiting Harrisburg, can fail to observe the influence he exercises in the Senate.

The following letter, together with a communication from J. C. BARRETT, Esq., have been on hand for several weeks. After a consultation with the author, he has kindly consented to withdraw the letter:—

LUTHERSBURG, Jan. 10, 1846.

Mr. J. C. Barrett—Sir: I am willing to be qualified, that I never received a letter from you, or any other person, respecting the matter at variance between you and Mr. WELLY.

Yours, &c. P. W. BARRETT.

For the Democratic Banner.

Messrs. Moore & Thompson.

In some of your late numbers I see you highly laud a bill, introduced into the Senate by Col. Bigler, to pay the entire debt of the State.

There is also another very unequal feature in this section of the bill. Two farms living side by side, whose tax on their property would be \$200 each. One dies the year the law passes, the other lives thirty years after.

The section allowing persons to pay off their share of the State debt at any time they may find convenient, I think very good, except that clause which says, that if the person so paying dies within three years, his heirs shall still be subject to the extra tax laid in section second.

Important from Yucatan.

We have just received two letters from Campechy, dated 4th February, which were handed to a passenger who kept them till yesterday.

We are all here perfectly convinced that the annexation of Texas is one of those events which rarely occur, and which tend to make happy an unfortunate nation.

The Yucatecos are anxious to get it from the United States, and we have determined to send a committee to Washington, so as to propose to the Government of the United States, to protect us and give us aid, in case Mexico should once more attempt to impose upon us.

Our own banner with the five stars is now waving all over the peninsula, and we have sworn to keep it up as long as we have an arm to defend ourselves with, and never to allow the Mexican flag to show its colors again in our free and independent nation.

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Mexico does not deserve to hold in its possession such a state as this—and if we can only obtain protection and aid from the United States, we will consider ourselves happy, and free from the tyrannical proceedings of that Government.

Our people are disposed to enter into arrangements with the United States, will be of some advantage to them. There is no contrary feeling—there are no divisions of parties—we are all joined, and our wish and determination is one throughout the country.

At Vera Cruz they have approved of our determination in separating from the Mexican Republic, but we must now wait until April next, when the Chambers will meet at Mexico, and we hope by that time we may have entered into some arrangements with the U. States Government.

We also have before us several printed circulars which confirm the sentiments and opinions expressed in the above extracts.

The Union and the Oregon Notice.—The Washington Union of Tuesday last, has the following article on the Oregon question:

The more we hear from England, the more we see at home—every new fact of argument which comes to us, is only the more calculated to impress us with the policy of carrying out the measures so explicitly recommended to Congress in the President's message.

What more cheering than the decided vote which was taken in the House of Representatives on the notice resolutions? If the Senate had marched up to the same object with equal unanimity, who can doubt the salutary impression which it would have produced beyond the Atlantic.

If the notice could be carried out with as little qualification as possible, upon the principle of the preamble of Mr. Crittenden's resolutions, and in the spirit of most of his remarks of Thursday last upon executive power and responsibility, always protesting of course, against his views upon the arbitration; and if these measures could be carried out in considerable unanimity in the Senate, or in the form of the resolutions of the House of Representatives, or in some similar form, who does not perceive the immense moral force which such a majority would impart to our proceedings in regard to England.

CANADA.—A Montreal paper states that at Quebec the greatest activity prevails in preparing the defence of the garrison. Workmen are engaged in deepening the ditches of the Citadel, and the artillery in mounting guns and conveying ammunition to the different service magazines.

READ AND UNDERSTAND! The time will come when this medicine, Brandreth Pills, will be appreciated as they ought, and deserve; it will be well understood that Dr. Brandreth has the strongest claims upon the public.

Every individual who makes a trial of the Brandreth Pills, concedes them to be the best medicine they ever used. They are indeed a medicine a-bout which there is no mistake. Their value in a climate so changeable as ours cannot be sufficiently appreciated.

Those persons who are stockholders and were not original subscribers, are requested to produce their transfers, or the certificates relating to them, to the board on said day, so that a more regular list of stockholders can be prepared.

Brandreth Pills is a medicine which harmonizes with nature. Use the medicine which harmonizes with nature, which mildly but surely removes all impurities from the blood, which strengthens the feeble, and yet reduces those of too full a habit to a healthy standard.

DIED.—In Goshen township, on the 5th inst. Mr. JOHN BOWGARDNER, aged about 40 years. In Pike township, on Thursday last, Mr. ELIAS HOON, aged about 50 years.

Borough Ordinances.

The following ordinances were passed by the Burgess and Council of the borough of Clearfield, on March 11, 1846.

An Ordinance relating to feeding and milking Cows.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and town Council of the borough of Clearfield, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That no inhabitant of the borough of Clearfield be allowed to feed their cows, horses or dogs on the streets or pavements in front of their houses; nor shall any inhabitant be allowed to milk their cows on the streets, or in front of their dwellings, under the penalty of not less than fifty cents nor more than two dollars, for each and every such offence, to be recovered for the use of the borough agreeably to law.

An Ordinance relating to laying Stone coal on the pavements and side-walks.

Be it ordained and enacted, &c., That no inhabitant of the borough be allowed to place stone-coal on any part of the pavements or side walks of said borough, to remain any time longer than ten hours, under the penalty of one dollar for each offence, to be recovered for the use of the borough agreeably to law.

JOSIAH W. SMITH, Burgess. R. WALLACE, Clerk.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that Letters of Administration have been granted to the subscriber on the estate of Joseph Hull, late of Lawrence township, dec'd, and that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment immediately, and those having claims against the same, will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

WM. TATE, Administrator. Feb. 10, 1846.

CAUTION.

THE public are hereby cautioned against interfering in any way with the following property, now in the possession of Peter Lamm, of Girard township, as said property was sold at Constable's sale and purchased by us on the 9th Feb. 1846, and is in his possession on loan, viz:

A lot of shingles, a lot of square timber, a lot of scantling, one oak log, a lot of boards, a lot of oak plank, 1 plough and harrow, one sleigh, 1 grind-stone, 1 sledge, 1 bar, 1 pick, 1 mason hammer, four chairs, 2 wash-tubs, 1 spade, one shovel, 1 set of blacksmith tools, 1 timber sled, 1 two horse sled, two set of harness, 2 set do. one brown mare, 1 cutting box, 1 buggy, two buffalo robes, 1 iron kettle, 1 cook stove, 2 beds, 1 saddle and bridle, 1 boy's saddle, 2 trunks, 1 work bench, and 10 bushel potatoes.

JACOB MAURER, SOLOMON MAURER, WILLIAM SCHMIDT. Feb. 19, 1846.

BLACKSMITHING.

Hallemback & Hoover

WILL commence the above business on the first of April next, in the shop at present occupied by John Beaumont. Farriers and others by giving them a call will have their work done in a good and substantial manner, and on reasonable terms.

JAS. HALLEMBACK, MARTIN L. HOOVER. Clearfield, 6th March, 1846.

ELECTION OF TRUSTEES.

THE stockholders of the Clearfield Academy are requested to meet at the Academy, in Clearfield, on Saturday the 14th inst., at 2 o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of electing Trustees and Auditors for said Academy for the present year.

Those persons who are stockholders and were not original subscribers, are requested to produce their transfers, or the certificates relating to them, to the board on said day, so that a more regular list of stockholders can be prepared.

By order of the Board, R. WALLACE, Sec'y. March 6, 1846.

PROPOSALS.

Union Canal Office, Lebanon, Feb. 20, 1846.

PROPOSALS will be received at this office until the 20th of March, 1846, for sawing and delivering on the landing in the mouth of Swatara creek, at Portersmouth, on the Susquehanna, by the first day of June next, the following bill of lumber, viz:

697,000 feet good common white pine plank, 2 inches thick and 16 feet long.

63,500 feet white oak scantling, 3 by 6 inches, 16 or 20 feet long.

90,500 feet white oak scantling, 4 by 6 inches, 16 or 20 feet long.

W. LEHMAN, Rest. Eng. of the Union Canal Company

NOTICE.

ALL persons are hereby notified not to sell or buy, remove or meddle with a blacksmith shop, or other buildings, or timber belonging to the place now occupied by John F. Williams, in Bradford tp. Clearfield county, as I am determined to deal with all persons trespassing on said premises as the law directs, without respect to persons.

GEORGE GLENN, Mechanicsville, Centre co. Feb. 2, 1846.

Notice

IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons interested that Letters Testamentary on the estate of Potter Goll, late of Jay township, Elk county, dec'd, have been granted to the subscriber. All persons having any claims against said estate are hereby requested to present them for settlement, and all persons being indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

ANN M. GOFF, Jay, Dec. 18, 1845.

TO ALL CONCERNED.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that on account of his health he intends to suspend the business of Blacksmithing in the borough of Clearfield, for a year or so from the first of April next, and therefore wishes those having dealings with him to come forward on or before the 1st of May and make settlement. Those that cannot pay will be required to give their notes.

JOHN BEAUMONT, Feb. 10, 1846.—pd.

Popular Remedies.

THE most popular remedies of the present day are those which cleanse and purify the blood, and which are known to be innocent in their qualities. Such remedies as Antimony, Mercury, Zinc, and having recourse to bleeding in disease, are now, it is hoped, going out of fashion, and Vegetable Remedies will be soon the popular medicine.

Sold by the following Agents in Clearfield co. E. & W. F. Irwin, Clearfield. John Irwin, Curwensville. David Irwin, Luthersburg. James McGill, Philipsburg, Centre county. OFFICE—No. 241 Broadway New York. J. B. BRANDRETH, M. D. Jano 1, 1845.—1 j.

Notice.

ALL persons having claims or demands against the estate of Samuel Harrier, late of Bradford township, deceased, are requested to make known the same to the subscribers without delay, and all persons indebted to the said estate, are requested to come forward and settle without any delay.

EDWARD WILLIAMS, WM. WOOLDRIDGE, Administrators.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims or demands against the estate of Archibald Campbell, sen. dec'd, are requested to make known the same to the subscribers without delay, and also all persons indebted to said estate are required to come forward and make payment immediately.

ARCH'D CAMPBELL, JOHN SHIREY, Administrators. Bradford tp. Jan. 24, 1846.

COOPERING.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of the borough and county of Clearfield that he has commenced the above business in this place, where he will be pleased to fill all orders in his line, on the shortest notice and in the best manner.

THOS. ROBINS, Dec. 26, 1845.

DRUGS, Patent Medicines, &c., for sale at the Drug Store of C. D. WATSON, 28th Nov.

BLANKS

Of every description neatly printed and for sale at this office.