

nor, as well as upon all other occasions, manifested a most praiseworthy regard for the union and harmony of the Democratic party. Had he been as ambitious for distinction as some others we might mention, and given his friends permission to have used his name, his strength in the convention, we are credibly informed would have been highly honourable. As it is, Colonel Bigler stands before the people of Pennsylvania, as one of the most faithful guardians of their public interests that they have ever had in the Legislature, and before the Democracy of the Union as one of its most ardent advocates:

**COL. WILLIAM BIGLER.**

This gentleman declined a nomination for Governor, under circumstances which do him great credit. Without being ambitious of the high honor, he steadily resisted the wishes of his friends who were desirous of bringing his name before the Democratic Convention, and had it distinctly understood that he would not be considered a candidate under any circumstances, and he was immediately withdrawn when nominated.

We learn that the water would be let into the Main Line of Pennsylvania canal on the 10th inst.

**THE LUMBERMEN.**—Our river is now in good navigable order, and a large quantity of lumber is on its way to market. Our citizens are beginning to improve in the business, and we hope the day will soon come, when not a stick will leave our country until it has passed through a saw-mill. We wish them good luck and fair prices, for none are more deserving.

The contributions for the relief of Ireland throughout our country, is still progressing. The amount will reach over a million of dollars.

**FEDERAL CONVENTION.**—We learn by late advices that the Federal delegates met in convention at Harrisburg, on the 9th inst., for the purpose of putting in nomination a candidate for Governor. Their deliberations resulted in the selection of Gen. JAMES IRVIN, of Centre county.

Now, that the candidates for Governor of the two parties are fairly before the people, we propose to make the child's bargain with the Whigs. If they promise to say nothing about the *Loco Foco* trade British Tariff, which is overflowing our country with the hard money of Europe, we will say nothing about Gen. Irvin's vote in favor of taxing the poor man's Tea and Coffee, in time of peace! What say you?

It has been decided by the Supreme Court of the United States, that "the States have a right to regulate the trade of, and licensing of, the sale of ardent spirits." Thus the law authorizing the "people of the several counties, townships and towns to decide upon the granting of licenses, is pronounced legal by the highest tribunal of the Union."

**APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT.**  
By and with the advice and consent of the Senate:  
David Todd, of Ohio, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary near his Majesty the Emperor of Brazil, vice Henry A. Wise, so called at his own request.  
John R. Clay, Charge de Affaires at Peru.  
Richard Rush, of Pennsylvania, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to his Majesty the King of France.  
George W. Hopkins, of Virginia, Charge de Affaires of the United States to the Queen of Portugal.

**MAJOR GENERALS.**  
Thomas Hart Benton, of Missouri.  
William Cummings, of Georgia.  
**BRIGADIER GENERALS.**  
George Cadwalader, of Pennsylvania.  
Ezra D. Hopping, of New York.  
Franklin Pierce, of New Hampshire.

**WAR AND MAIL STEAMERS.**  
Among the numerous bills which happily passed both Houses last night, was the important bill proposed by Mr. King, of Georgia, at the last session, in relation to the employment by the Government of sea steamers.  
This bill provides, first, for the construction of four war steamers of the first class.  
Secondly, a line of mail steamers from New York to Liverpool, consisting of five ships of not less than 2,000 tons each.  
Thirdly, a line of mail steamers from New York to New Orleans, touching at Savannah, in Georgia, and Havana, with a branch line from Havana to Chagres, comprising five ships of not less than 1,500 tons each; and the ships of both lines to be constructed under the directions of the Navy department.  
Fourthly, a line of steamers from Panama on the Pacific, to Oregon, touching at the intermediate ports.

All these ships to be subject to the order of and purchase by the Government at any time; and all to be commanded by naval, and a certain number of passed midshipmen as watch officers, and for improvement in the management of steamships.

**ITEMS.**

**Indian Troubles.**—We learn that that portion of the Stockbridge Indians who have become citizens, and those who are not so, have had disturbances which are likely to prove serious. The trouble arose in the attempt of the collector to distract for taxes—this was resisted by the Indian party, and the collector, reinforced by the citizen party, made a second attempt, and partly succeeded. The Indians rallied again and recovered the property. Thus the matter stands at present—both parties taking breath for another attack. We learn that about fifty Oneidas armed, have gone up to assist the Indians.—*Green Bay Advocate.*

**Oregon.**—From letters received at this place, says the Independence Expositor, we are inclined to think that there will be a very large emigration to Oregon this spring. There are many persons in this country, now, who design going, and many others in different quarters are making preparations also. Companies for Oregon have started regularly from this place for the last four or five years, and those have always succeeded best on the trip who got the earliest start. The first company should start at least by the 10th of May, and sooner if grass is sufficiently grown to allow them to advance. The others should then follow as soon as convenient. It would always be better for the emigrants, if they would go in smaller companies than they have usually done heretofore. From thirty to fifty wagons in a company, are amply sufficient for safety, and add greatly to the comfort, as well as despatch in travelling. In large companies, the divisions which are always occurring, are very annoying, besides, they must necessarily move slower than if divided in small parties.

**Export of Corn.**—The Albany (Geo.) Courier says: Gen. James Hamilton is preparing to ship a cargo of corn from this place to Annapolis, and from thence to Europe. It was produced at his plantation a few miles from Albany. This is put up in neat two bushel sacks. This is the first shipment of grain which has been attempted from this section, but if the European prices continue as at present, it will not be the last. We can afford to raise corn at fifty cents per bushel.

**Ocean Steam Navigation.**—The city of Bremen has subscribed \$100,000; the government of Prussia \$100,000; the free city of Frankfurt \$20,000, and other cities sums corresponding to their abilities, toward the establishment of the steamship line between New York and Bremen.

**Short Honey Moon.**—A man named Jones, killed his wife the week before last, in Saint Clair county, Ala. He was only two or three weeks married. He made an attempt to escape, and is believed that it was the result of insanity.

The U. S. Senate has passed a resolution placing the United States Frigate *Macdonald*, and the sloop *Jamestown* at the disposal of Captains De Kay and Forbes, for the purpose of conveying provisions to Ireland, for the relief of the sufferers there.

The Governor of Florida has received a requisition from the War Department for a company of ninety volunteers, to garrison the forts at Pensacola—the regular troops now there being ordered to Mexico.

Col. McClung, now at Monterey is still suffering severely, and the attending physician was of opinion that he could not survive.

**CONTAGIOUS AND EPIDEMIC DISEASES.**—Water must be adapted to the nature of the fish, or there will be no propagation of the species. The soil must be adapted to the seed, or there will be no increase. The climate must have those matters in it which will white and keep alive epidemic or contagious poisons, or they will become extinguished, as a lamp that is unprovided with oil. So it is likewise with the Human Frame; it cannot be materially affected by contagious or epidemic diseases, unless there be those matters floating in the circulation which offer the appropriate soil.—By purifying our bodies with the *BRANDRETH PILLS* which have affinity with those impurities upon which contagion feeds, we may always feel secure, whatever disease may rage around us. True, we may have it, but it will soon be over, our sickness will be the affair of a day or two, while those who have been too wise to use this simple and excellent remedy, either die, or have weeks, perhaps months of sickness.

**LIVER COMPLAINT** is generally accompanied with pain in the right side, extending up to the top of the right shoulder; variable appetite, occasionally a disordered stomach, yellow tinge of the skin and eyes, and often a swelling over the region of the liver, together with many other symptoms of loaded and corrupt state of the blood.  
Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills will be found one of the very best medicines in the world for the cure of all diseases of the Liver; because they expel from the body those morbid humors which, when deposited upon this important organ, are the cause of every variety of Liver Complaint. From three to six of the above named Indian Vegetable Pills, taken every night on going to bed, will, in a short time; give such manifest relief, that no argument or persuasion will be necessary to induce a perseverance in their use, until the liver is restored to a healthy action, and pain or distress of every kind is driven from the body.  
Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills also aid and improve digestion, and purify the blood; and, therefore, not only remove every vestige of the Liver Complaint, but at the same time, give new life and vigor to the whole frame.

**Beware of Counterfeits.**—The public are cautioned against the many spurious medicines, which in order to deceive are called, by names similar to Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills.  
THE ONLY GENUINE AND ORIGINAL INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS HAVE THE SIGNATURE OF WRIGHT WRITTEN WITH A PEN ON THE TOP LABEL OF EACH BOX. To counterfeit this is forgery, and all others should be known as forgers.

**TRIENNIAL VALUATION OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY FOR 1847.**

Townships.	REAL ESTATE.		Horses, cattle, &c. over four years.	Mortgage monies, &c.	Furniture over \$500.	Pleasure carriages.	Trades, and occupations.	WATCHES, &c. over \$20.	Saddles, &c. &c.	Aggregate State tax.	Aggregate County tax.
	Seated.	Unseated.									
Borough,	25,968	2,537	1,412			595	3,760	4		\$110 68	\$239 80
Jordan,	26,762	21,492	4,634	430		765	2,520	1		162 74	375 58
Brady,	48,890	17,889	7,380	1,250	200	260	1,700			236 95	548 76
Beccaria,	27,616	20,295	5,207	2,510			1,700	1		172 48	401 30
Morris,	10,877	36,547	3,073	75		50	580	1		181 05	420 71
Woodward,	12,120	21,758	2,380			145				109 20	254 82
Pike,	63,988	8,384	8,180	15,000		842	2,497	4	220	276 22	622 24
Lawrence,	49,757	8,705	8,700			400	2,490			213 13	490 76
Burnside,	26,572	12,305	5,032	590		40	1,035	2		138 50	310 01
Penn,	26,601	10,009	4,913			315	800			130 20	208 88
Fox,	3,315	7,839	320				250			35 17	82 06
Bradford,	34,661	10,835	8,070	779			875			165 00	386 54
Decatur,	16,307	13,441	3,381				727			101 50	236 00
Bell,	20,450	23,433	3,741			50	825			145 84	339 40
Chest,	17,774	21,229	2,852				525			127 14	296 66
Karthauss,	9,277	9,046	1,858			20	505			62 25	144 94
Covington,	15,820	10,645	3,806	300			1,015			95 02	221 73
Ferguson,	11,727	3,250	1,818				180			51 04	119 09
Huston,	6,718	25,512	1,243	150			10			100 89	235 43
Girard,	6,273	10,515	1,789				592	1		58 50	134 18
Goshen,	6,325	6,104	875				370			41 02	95 71
Boggs,	19,244	8,240	2,799	1,350		160	1,976			102 42	236 89

We, the undersigned, Commissioners of Clearfield county, in accordance with the provisions of the 11th Section of the act entitled "An act to provide for the ordinary expenses of the Government, payment of the interest of the State debt," &c., approved the 27th day of July, 1842, publish the foregoing statement. Given under our hands, at our office in Clearfield, this 24th day of February, A. D. 1847.

SAMUEL JOHNSON, }  
ABRAHAM KYLAR, } Comm'rs.  
JAMES A. REED. }

Attest—H. P. THOMPSON Clerk

Offices devoted exclusively to the sale of Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills, wholesale and retail, 169 Race Street, Philadelphia; 288 Greenwiche Street, New York; and 198 Tremont Street, Boston.

Agent for Clearfield & other counties, see advertisement in another column.

**DIED.**—Recently, in Ferguson township, Mr. ———— McCracken, at an advanced age.

**CRANS & BROTHER,**  
Curwensville, Pennsylvania,  
HAVE, and will keep constantly on hand, a large assortment of Dry-Goods, Hardware, Queensware, Groceries, Drugs and Dye-Stuffs, Tin-ware, Books & Stationary, Hats, Caps and Bonnets, Boots and Shoes, Tobacco and Segars, Umbrellas, Carpet and Carpet and Cotton Yarn, Connectionaries, Paints, Oils, Teas, &c. &c.,

All of which they are prepared to sell on the most reasonable terms.  
CRANS & BROTHER are the Agents for the sale of Dr. Jaynes' celebrated family medicine.  
Goods exchanged for Lumber, Produce and Furs, for which the highest prices will be given.  
March 12, '47—tf.

**TO COLLECTORS.**

THE several Collectors of County and State tax in Clearfield county, for years preceding 1847, will take notice that coercive measures will be taken against them immediately after the ensuing May court, unless the several balances of County and State tax remaining unpaid by them are paid off on or before that time. Those interested will save cost by paying attention to this notice.  
By order of Commissioners,  
H. P. THOMPSON, Ck.  
Comm'r's Office, Clearfield, March 13, 1847.

**Co-Partnership Notice.**

THE subscribers have this day entered into partnership, under the name of "Crans & Brother." Their business will be conducted at the store lately occupied by Worrell & Crans, in Curwensville, Clearfield county, Pa.  
WILLIAM J. CRANS,  
Philadelphia.  
L. JACKSON CRANS,  
Curwensville.  
March 1st, 1847.

**NOTICE.**

THE subscriber respectfully informs all his customers that he is about closing his business in this place, and desires them to call and settle their respective accounts immediately.  
M. A. FRANK.  
Clearfield, March 11, 1847.

**School Taxes.**

ALL persons owning either real or personal property in the township of Morris, who may think themselves wronged by the late Triennial Assessment, may attend at the Centre School house, in said township, on Saturday the 15th day of May next, between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock of said day, at which time the Board of Directors will meet—otherwise a tax for School purposes will be laid according to said assessment.  
By order of the Board,  
Attest, CH'N EMIGH, Pres't.  
S. C. THOMPSON, Sec'y.  
Morris township, March 9th, 1847.

**Dissolution of Partnership.**

THE partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the name of "Worrell & Crans," was dissolved Feb. 26th, 1847, by mutual consent. The business will be conducted as heretofore, at the old stand in Curwensville, by William J. Crans, who is the only person authorized to settle the business of the late firm.  
CHAS. S. WORRELL,  
WM. J. CRANS.  
March 1st, 1847.

**DR. JAMES LOCKE,**

**SURGEON DENTIST,**  
WILL visit Clearfield and Curwensville regularly hereafter several times a year.  
All operations upon the TEETH warranted to answer the full expectations of the patient in every case, otherwise there will be no charge.  
Teeth made on trial, if desired.  
His next visit will be at the September court. mar. 6—6m.

**SHERIFF'S SALES.**

BY virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas*, issued out of the court of Common Pleas of Clearfield county, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the court house, in the borough of Clearfield, on Monday the 3d day of May next, the following described property:—A House and Lot, situate in the town of Curwensville, and known as No. —, and bounded on the north by the Erie turnpike. Seized and taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of John Scott.  
ALSO,

BY virtue of a similar writ to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the same time and place, a certain tract of land situate in Bell township, Clearfield county, bounded by lands of James McGhee, John Smith, and the Suquehanna river, containing 230 acres, with a house, barn, and about 50 acres cleared hereon. Seized and taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of George Johnston and Hugh Fullerton, with notice to Philip Johnston and James M. Johnston, terre tenants.  
ALSO,

BY virtue of a similar writ to me directed, will be sold at the same time and place, the following property:—A certain lot of ground situate in the town of Curwensville, known as No. —, with a Tavern House and Stable thereon, with the appurtenances. Seized and taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of John Draucker, by JOHN STITES, Sh'ff.  
Sheriff's office, Clearfield, March 6, '47.

**COMPOSITION**

**For Rendering Boots, Shoes, &c., Water-proof.**  
The subscriber hereby makes known to the public that he has for sale a Composition, without the use of tallow, Rubber or Gum, which will render Boots and Shoes and Leather of every description Water-Proof—permanently Water-Proof, against wet or damp, by proper application, besides softening and improving it.  
This composition is patented both in this country and in Europe, and is one of the great and truly beneficial discoveries of the age.  
Price per dozen boxes, \$3, single box 25 cents.  
As a guarantee of the character and genuineness of the composition the subscriber will refund the money should it not give entire satisfaction.  
He is also prepared to render cloths of every description, Awning, Sailcloth and Cotton Duck completely water-proof, secure against mildews and rot.  
Apply at the United States Water-Proofing company, No. 11 Walnut street, Philadelphia, to STEPHEN B. RICHARDSON, Philadelphia, Feb. 17, 1847.  
One Agent in each of the towns in this state will be appointed to dispose of the Composition, on whom liberal terms will be made on application as above.

**Militia Election.**

THE enrolled Militia of the Sixth Regiment, Second Brigade, Tenth Division, P. M., will take notice that an Election, by companies, will be held on Saturday the 27th day of March, next, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 6 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of electing one LIEUTENANT COLONEL, for said Regiment, in the room of Lieut. Col. Howe, resigned.  
The companies will hold their elections at the following places:—  
1st company at the house of Robert Ross, Curwensville.  
2d company at the public house of Thomas Hemphill, in the borough of Clearfield.  
3d company at the house of James Rea.  
4th company at the house of Abraham Pearce.  
5th company at the house of Capt. Barrett, Luthersburg.  
6th company at the house of Jas. Mc Girk, Philipsburg.  
7th company at New Washington school house.  
The commanding officers of the above named companies will superintend said elections.  
JOHN BURKET, Brig. Insp.  
2d B. 10th Div. P. M.  
Brig. Inspector's office, Warksville, Centre co. Feb. 27, }

**DRUGS! DRUGS!! DRUGS!!!**

**THOMPSON & CRAWFORD,**  
Wholesale Druggists;  
No. 40 Market Street, (South side below Second,) PHILADA.  
OFFER for sale a large stock of Fresh Drugs, Medicines and Eye-Stuffs, to which they call the attention of Country Merchants and Dealers visiting the city.  
Coach, Cabinet, Japan, Black, and other Varnishes of a superior quality. Also, White and Red Lead, Window Glass, Putty and Oil—cheaper than ever.  
J. T. & C. are also proprietors of the Indian Vegetable Balm, celebrated throughout their own and neighboring States, as the best preparation for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, &c. Money refunded in every instance where no benefit is received.  
Philadelphia, Jan. 20, 1847. 3m.

**Meeting of County Comm'rs.**

PERSONS having business to transact with the board of Commissioners of Clearfield county, will take notice that said board will be in session on Monday the 3d day of May next.  
ATTEST,  
H. P. THOMPSON, Ck.  
March 6, 1847.

**TO MILL OWNERS.**

THE attention of mill owners and others is respectfully invited to *Bryce's Patent Water-wheel*, (made of cast iron,) which has been recently introduced into this county. The subscriber feels confident that they are superior to any other wheel now in use in this country, and he desires all persons interested to see them in operation and judge for themselves. He would refer to the following gentlemen who have them in their mills, viz:—James Shaffer, John Miller, Jacob Coleman, and James Mix, on the Sinnemahoning; E. & W. F. Irwin, Clearfield; Levi Lutz, Frenchville; and Wm. Irvin, Curwensville.  
A. COWLES.  
Clearfield, Jan. 16, 1847.

**NOTICE.**

IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Letters of Administration have been granted to the subscribers on the Estate of Adam Wheeler, late of Jay township, Elk county, dec'd—therefore, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment to the subscribers, and those having demands will present them duly authenticated for settlement.  
JOHN McCracken,  
ISAAC D. PASCO,  
Administrators.  
Caledonia, Jan. 16, 1847.