

Democratic Banner

CLEARFIELD, PA. JULY 10, 1847.

FOR GOVERNOR,
FRANCIS R. SHUNK.
FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER,
MORRIS LONGSTRETH,
of Montgomery county.

Democratic Meeting.
The Democratic Voters of Clearfield county are requested to meet at the court house in the borough of Clearfield, on Saturday the 17th day of July, inst., at 4 o'clock, P. M.—for the purpose of appointing two DELEGATES to attend the Senatorial Convention. By order of Standing Committee,
J. H. HEMPHILL, Secy.

THE FOURTH OF JULY.
A very large concourse of people attended the celebration of the 4th of July at Wolf Run, on Saturday last. The number that took dinner, it is said, was between three and four hundred. The Sunday Schools of our borough repaired to the grove on Cole Hill, near the residence of Mr. Gulich, where they spent the afternoon in appropriate and agreeable exercises. The day was very pleasant, but as we worked very hard, of course we are unable to give any particulars as to the transactions out doors.

OXEN DROWNED.—A MYSTERY.
During the last rise in the river (which was some time in the forepart of May) a yoke of oxen were found in the river some where in the neighborhood of Gallows harbor landing. They had on a yoke and a log chain, and from appearances must have been drowned. It was supposed that they belonged to some of the neighbors, and that in attempting to cross the river thus yoked together, they had been swept off, and that it would be but a few days until the owner, missing his property, would make known his loss. Strange to say, however, there has been no owner yet found for the lost oxen—no person heard of as having lost such cattle. It is pretty clearly ascertained, we are informed, that they did not belong to any person in that neighborhood—and apprehensions are beginning to be entertained by many, that they are from a distance, and that there might have been some person lost with them. From such reflections we have been requested to make the matter public, so that the mystery may be solved.

The Meeting.
By reference to the call, it will be seen that the Standing Committee has appointed Saturday next (17th inst.) for holding a county meeting for the purpose of appointing two Senatorial Delegates. The convention is expected to meet early in August—hence we will be too late if we postpone the appointment until the September court.

This meeting may be thought by many to be of but little importance, and not worth attending. This is not the case. But if it were of but little importance, it should, for that very reason, be more punctually attended. It is these 'failures' that inspire the opposition, and it should therefore be felt to be the duty of every democrat to turn out to such meetings—and it is hoped that on next Saturday every man who can, will attend.

Advices a little later than we give in another column from Mexico, state that Gen. Scott would not move from Puebla on the 16th of June as intended, but would wait further reinforcements, as the resistance to his entering the capital was growing very formidable. It is said the Mexicans have a very large army to defend the city, supported by from 70 to 90 cannon. If this be so, who is to blame? Clearly it is attributable to the Federalists in Congress fighting off the Ten Regiment bill to the very last week of the session, when they might have passed it the first week. And had they done so, all the men that are now in Mexico, or on their way thither, might have reached the seat of war in April. If Gen. Scott had had sufficient force to follow up his victory of Cerro Gordo, and marched straight forward, without giving the discomfited enemy time to rally, he might have entered the capital without firing a gun. Now, however, a great battle will most likely be fought, and perhaps hundreds of our brave soldiers, and thousands of the insatiable Mexicans laid low. Let the Federal members of the last Congress think of this—and let the patriotic portion of the rank and file of their party, also think of it.

By the arrival of the steamship Calcedonia, at Boston, late intelligence is received from Europe. The only news of importance is the fall in the grain market. This is occasioned by the favorable prospect of the crops. Hops are entertained that grain will soon come down to moderate and fair price, and remain so.

Organize!
The proceedings of the Democratic Standing Committee will be found in another column, to which we invite the attention of the friends of Democratic measures. The proceedings are very judicious, and only need to be carried out to ensure the triumphant success of all the Democratic candidates, so far as our own county is interested.

Our democratic farmers, more than any other part of the community, should take an interest in, and devote some time, if necessary, for the promotion and preservation of the important Democratic measures established by the present administration. While the new Tariff places the farmer on an equal footing with the rich manufacturer, and secures to all classes a fair and just protection, the Independent Treasury is no less potent in guaranteeing to all classes an "equality of privileges." To render these blessings permanent, it is only necessary for the people to give their support to Democratic men and measures.

Gen'l Taylor's last Letter.
Gen. Taylor has given to the public several letters in reply to the question, whether he will be a candidate for President, and the last one we notice, is to a relative, the editor of a neutral paper in Cincinnati, called the "Signal," which spoils all the anticipated glory of the Federal party. In this letter the old hero says that "in no case will he suffer himself to be made the candidate of any sect or party." This, of course, will cause the Federal party to look around for somebody more accommodating, and we may expect to hear of them offering a liberal reward for an "AVAILABLE." No doubt they would be willing to give a high price—even as much as to surrender their very suspicious opposition to the war—for a man that will carry them through triumph.

Gen. Taylor, however, states that he is willing to be made President, "after the conclusion of the war," if called to that post by the people, without distinction of party, and until then he declines defining his position politically.

MEETING OF THE Standing Committee.
The Democratic Standing Committee of Clearfield county met on the evening of the 2d of July, and on motion, C. KRATZER was appointed Chairman, and Wm. J. HEMPHILL, Secretary. After which the following proceedings were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, To secure the triumphant election of the candidates of the Democratic party in this county it is only necessary that the party should act unitedly and harmoniously—and in order to secure this union and harmony we believe it is only necessary that the wishes of the majority of the party should be fully, fairly and clearly expressed. Therefore

Resolved, That the system practiced last fall, of the Democratic voters voting directly for the candidates of their choice at a Primary Election, is believed to be the fairest and best means of ascertaining the popular will, and the same is hereby adopted and recommended for the action of the party this fall.

Resolved, That the following named persons be and hereby are appointed Committees of Vigilance for their respective districts:

Beccaria township. J. W. Wright, Jacob Leonard, Andrew Shoff, William Muller.

Bell. George Walters, Charles Ellis, Wm T. Gilbert, R. Mahaffy, B. Tozer.

Boggs. Thomas Beers, James M. Shaw, James C. Barrett.

Bradford. George Barger, George Kyler, A. K. Wright, John Shirey.

Brady. B. Bonal, Dr. Wilson, Martin H. Luther, E. Long, Jeremiah Miles, A. L. Schnell, R. C. Taylor.

Burnside. Joseph McMurray, Jacob Nell, David Sunderlin, Henry Barnhart, Reeder King.

Chest. S. J. Tozer, Giles Tucker.

Covington. F. Coudriet, Adam Huey, M. Schnell, S. Maurer.

Decatur. John Hughes, John Shaw, Joseph McClarren.

Ferguson. Dr. J. P. Hoyt, James McCracken, John Hockenberry, sen.

Fox. John I. Bundy, James Moorhead.

Garard. Abraham Kyler, G. B. Smith, Goshen. Jacob Flegel, Leonard Bumgardner, Robert Shaw.

Huston. Wm. Morgan, Dr. Wm. Hoyt, Ismael Nichols, Philip Havener.

Jordan. George Erhardt, Robert Patterson, David McGeehen, David Wise, jr., James T. McCracken.

Karlsruhe. James Gunsaullas, George Bucher, Daniel Moore.

Lawrence. James A. Read, Col. Chas S. Worell, John Jang, S. Ardery, Joseph Irvin, N. K. McMullen.

Morris. Abraham Kyler, Jacob Wise, Abraham Brown, Henry Smeal, John W. Irvin, Wm. Hunter.

Penn. Samuel Johnston, Jas. Ferguson, Jonathan Evans, Patrick Daily.

Pike. Anthony Kratzer, Alex. Caldwell, John D. Thompson, Isaac Bloom, jr., L. Jackson Crans, Benjamin Bloom, sen., Michael Wise, D. Thomas Dunlap.

Woodward. Christian Shoff, Thos. Henderson, Wm. Alexander.

Clearfield Borough. Isaiah Fullerton, Wm. Bigler, Wm. L. Moore.
On motion, it was **Resolved,** That Saturday the 28th day of August next, between the hours of 2 & 8 o'clock, be, and is hereby appointed, as the day for holding the **Primary Elections** in the several election districts of this county.

Resolved, That the Committees of Vigilance be requested to give timely written and verbal notice to the Democratic voters of their respective townships, of the time and place of holding said elections, and to adopt such other measures as they deem best calculated to secure the **fullest and fairest** expression of the wishes of the party.

On motion, it was ordered that the above proceedings be signed by the Chairman and Secretary, and published.

C. KRATZER, Ch'n.
Wm. J. HEMPHILL, Secretary.

The BRANDRETH PILLS are entirely vegetable and made on those principles which long experience has proved correct. It is now no speculation, when they are resorted to in sickness, for they are known to be the best cleansers of the stomach and bowels, and in all dyspeptic and bilious cases they are a great blessing. Let every family keep these PILLS in the house. If faithfully used when there is occasion for medicine, it will be very seldom that a Doctor will be required. In all cases of cold, cough, or rheumatism, the afflicted owe it to their bodies to use these PILLS.

INDIGESTION, WEAK NERVES, LOWNESS OF SPIRITS, &c.—Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills are a natural and therefore a certain cure for all kinds of nervous diseases; because they completely cleanse the stomach and bowels of those bilious and corrupt humors which not only paralyze and weaken the digestive organs, but are the cause of weak nerves, low spirits, &c. Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills are also a direct purifier of the blood, and therefore not only impart health and cheerfulness to the mind, but also give new life and vigor to the whole frame.

Beware of Counterfeits of all kinds! Some are coated with sugar, others are made to resemble in outward appearance the original medicine.

The only original and genuine Indian Vegetable Pills have the signature of William Wright written with a pen on the top label of each box. None other is genuine, and to counterfeit this is forgery.

Agent for Clearfield, R. Shaw. For other agencies in Clearfield & other counties, see advertisement in another column.

Principal Office, 169 Race Street, Phila.

DIED.—In Penn township, Clearfield county, on Sunday the 4th of July, JAMES MOORE, aged about 46 years.

The deceased was a leading member of the Society of Friends, and one of our most useful and exemplary citizens—deserving and possessing the esteem and confidence of all who enjoyed his acquaintance. His death was very sudden and unexpected. He ate his breakfast on the morning of that day as usual. About noon, when his wife returned from meeting, he was lying on the bed, sleeping, as she thought. Without wishing to disturb him, she went out, and after some time returned, just in time to see him sinking into the embrace of death. "Such a life!"

Going it alone in opposition to all Monopoly! AND NO PUFF!

NEW GOODS AT CLEARFIELD BRIDGE.

THE subscriber has just received a large stock of very desirable goods, selected with great care, and particularly adapted to the wants of this section of the country. In this assortment will be found

Groceries, Dry Goods, Cloths and Cassimeres, Tinware, Hard-ware, Queens-ware, Drugs and Medicines, Dye-stuffs, etc., and a complete assortment of

Boots and Shoes, of superior quality, all of which will be disposed of on very reasonable terms for Cash, Lumber, or Country Produce.

The public are respectfully invited to call and examine this stock of goods and judge for themselves, before purchasing elsewhere.

JAMES FORREST.
Clearfield Bridge, July, 1847.

COLLECTORS TAKE NOTICE.

THE several collectors of County and State tax in Clearfield county for 1846, and for all former years, who have not settled up their duplicates, are hereby notified that their accounts will be put to the hands of the Sheriff immediately after the coming August court. Those interested will save cost by attending to this notice immediately, as it will be adhered to strictly.

By order of Commissioners,
H. P. THOMPSON, Ck'k.
Comm'r's Office,
6th July, 1847.

Sheriff's Notice of Inquisition.

ALL persons interested are hereby notified that by virtue of a writ of partition or valuation in my hands, I will proceed by Jury of Inquisition convened on the premises; on **Thursday 5th August next**, to make partition or valuation of a tract of about 116 acres of land, on Shaverscreek, in West township, Huntingdon county, late the estate of James Conerlin, dec'd.

JOHN ARMITGE, Sh'f
of Huntingdon county.
Sheriff's office, Huntingdon, June 28, 1847.

FALL ELECTION.

WE have been authorized to announce Capt. HENRY B. BELSEL, of the borough of Clearfield, as a candidate for the Legislature—subject, however, to the action of the Democratic party of Clearfield county. July 3.

LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the Post Office at Clearfield, Pa., July 1st, 1847.

Brown, John	Luziere, John
Barrett, Michael	Moore, Almerin
Flegal, Jacob	Moore, Andrew
Groon, George	McCoy, Dennis
George, Joseph	Murtime, Miss H.
Gilliam, Charles	Perke, Edward
Hitchens, Wm.	Robison, Sarah
Kiddy, Joseph	Swan, John
Kingsbury, Daniel	Wait, &c., James
Lewis, J. W.	Williams, Beriah

WM. L. MOORE, P. M.

Mary Cooper, by her next friend, John Wodde, vs. Christopher C. Cooper.

CLEARFIELD COUNTY, SS:
The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to Christopher C. Cooper, GREETING:—Whereas, Mary Cooper, formerly Mary Young, by her next friend, John Wodde, did, on the 3d day of December last past, prefer her petition to our Judges of the Common Pleas of the county of Clearfield, at a Court held at Clearfield in and for said county, praying that for the causes therein set forth, she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you the said Christopher C. Cooper. We do, therefore, command you, the said Christopher C. Cooper, as before we commanded, that, setting aside all business and excuses whatsoever, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Clearfield, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the county aforesaid, on the 30th day of August next, to answer the petition or libel of the said Mary, and to show cause, if any you have, why the said Mary, your wife, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of General Assembly in such case made and provided. Hereof fail not.

Witness, George W. Woodward, Esquire, President of our said Court, at Clearfield, the 28th day of June, Anno Domini, 1847.

WM. C. WELCH, Prothy.
You, Christopher C. Cooper, are hereby required to appear on the 30th day of August next, to answer the complaint mentioned in the above writ. JOHN STITES, Sh'f.

NEW STORE.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has purchased the GOODS remaining in the store of McGirk & Perks, at Philipsburg, and intends carrying on the mercantile business at their old stand. He has replenished the old with an entire stock of

New and Seasonable Goods, consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Queensware, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps and Bonnets, Paints, Oils and Dye-Stuffs.

Together with all such articles as are generally kept in a country store.

Also, A large assortment of **DRUGS & MEDICINES**, warranted genuine. Persons sending to the store for medicines may rely upon the accuracy of his compounding, and filling all prescriptions with care.

All kinds of country produce received in payment.

CHARLES R. FOSTER,
Philipsburg, June 26, 1847.

DR. JAYNE MEDICINES.

KRATZER & BARRETT'S, Clearfield, Pa.—and I. L. BARRETT, & Co., Clearfield Bridge.

Are the regularly authorized agents for the sale of the above valuable medicines, and have on hand a very large supply.—They also intend keeping constantly on hand a full supply.

June 10, 47.

ATTEND!

FAIR NOTICE is now given that the subscriber wants money, and **MUST HAVE IT!** Persons knowing themselves indebted will save themselves trouble by attending to this notice—as he is determined to have his books settled without further delay.

HENRY LORAIN.
May 20, 1847.

\$5 Reward.

STRAYED from the subscriber, residing near the borough of Clearfield, about the 16th of June, last, a **Dark Bay Mare**, 7 years old, with a black heavy mane and tail, rather below the common height, heavy bodied, and carries her head down when travelling. The above reward, and all reasonable charges paid, for the delivery of said mare to

MARTIN NICHOLS, sr.
Lawrence tp. July 3, 1847.—pd.

CLOVER SEED and **BACON** for sale by **CRANS & BROTHER**, Curwensville, May 11, 1847.

JOHN F. WEAVER,
Attorney at Law,
CLEARFIELD, PA.

Dissolution of Partnership.
THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, trading under the firm of "Bigler, Boynton & Powell," was dissolved by mutual consent in April last.

The business will hereafter be carried on by Wm. Bigler, Wm. Powell and John F. Weaver, under the firm of Wm. Bigler & Co.

WILLIAM BIGLER,
JONATHAN BOYNTON,
WILLIAM POWELL.
June 26, 1847.

NEW & CHEAP SUMMER GOODS.

BIGLER & CO., are now disposing of their large and well assorted stock of **SUMMER GOODS**. Their selections were made with particular regard to the wants of the community, and for neatness, cheapness, and service, their entire stock, from the garret to the cellar, will compare with any other assortment that is now, or ever has been in the county.

They have a large supply of the usual variety of

Dry-Goods, Groceries, Queens-ware, Hard-ware, Boots and Shoes, Drugs, Paints, Oils, etc.,

Their supply of fashionable **BONNETS, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS and SHOES, &c.**, are particularly worthy of notice.

All of which they will dispose of upon terms as accommodating as they have done in times past.

June 19, '47.

Sheriff's Sale.

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 30th day of August next, a certain tract of land, situate in Gibson township, Clearfield county, bounded as follows:—commencing on the line of division between Daniel Miller and James Mix's land, thence along said line N. 52° 25' 10" E. 10 to a hemlock corner on the north side of the Sinnemahoning creek, thence again N. 54° E. 167 ps. to a rock oak, thence N. 218 ps. 9-10 to a post on the northern boundary of tract No. 5470, thence east along said line and by tract known by No. 5469 311 ps. to the northeast corner of the tract, thence by No. 5468 and 5467 S. 640 ps. to the corner of the tract, thence west by Nos. 5392 and 5391 W. 445 ps. to place of beginning, being part of two tracts of land surveyed on warrants known by Nos. 5470 and 5471, with a frame house, saw and grist mill, log barn and bearing orchard, and 125 acres cleared thereon. Seized and taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of James Mix.

ALSO.

BY virtue of a writ of alias levavi facias sur mechanics lien, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Clearfield county, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the same time and place, a certain **Grist-Mill or Mill-House**, message and tenements, situate in Boggs township, Clearfield county.—Seized and taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of David Adams, by

JOHN STITES, Sh'f.

Sheriff's office, Clearfield, June 19, '47.

BOOT & SHOEMAKING.

JOSEPH GOON,

HAVING succeeded in the above business even beyond his most sanguine expectations, takes the present occasion to return his thanks to the public for their generous support. He is now prepared to manufacture either **BOOTS or SHOES**, in a style as good, as neat, and as permanent; as they can be manufactured elsewhere in the county—and all on the most accommodating terms. He only asks a continuance of the patronage he has heretofore received, but is at the same time prepared to supply any increase of custom that may be given him.

He may always be found at the shop formerly occupied by R. Shirk, on Market street, one door west of Rich'd Shaw's store.

May 20, 1847.

Attend to this!

GEORGE RICHARDS RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Clearfield and vicinity, that he has located in this place, where he has commenced the

Tailoring Business.

Which he intends carrying on in all its branches—pledging himself to do his work as well, as neat, and as **CHEAP**, as it can be done elsewhere in the county.

He occupies the shop on Front street, formerly occupied by M. A. Frank, and nearly opposite Hemphill's hotel, where he hopes to merit and receive a liberal share of public patronage.

He will receive regularly the latest fashions.

April 12, '47.