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Tuesday Morning, February 21, 1832.

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Table with columns for 1832, FEBRUARY, SUN RISES, SUN SETS, MOON'S PHASES. Includes dates from 21st to 27th.

"THE SUPREMACY OF THE LAWS." Domestic Manufactures, Internal Improvement, and Home Industry.

Democratic Anti-Masonic Nomination FOR PRESIDENT,

William Wirt, of Md. FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,

Amos Ellmaker, of Pa. BALTIMORE MARKET.

From the Patriot of Saturday last. FLOUR, Howard-street.—The weekly receipts are about 8000 bbls. Sales of parcels from stores have been made during the week at 5 25, 5 20 and 5 18 1/2 per bbl. on credit, in some cases with and in others without interest added. The principal transactions have been at 5 18 1/2. Some sales for cash have been made at 5 12 1/2. To-day a lot of 200 bbls. was sold at 5 25, on 90 days without interest. We know that some parcels can be had to-day at 5 12 1/2 for money, and for purchases on time the market ranges from 6 to 12 1/2 cents higher. In relation to the wagon price we find that the principal part of the dealers have been paying \$5 per bbl. throughout the week, and the remainder \$5 to 5 12 1/2.

WHEAT.—Sales of fair to good red have been made at 90 to 95 cts. per bushel. Family flour white wheat would command \$1 10 to 1 15 per bushel. At the City Mills parcels of red wheat received from the wagons at from 95 to 100 cents per bushel.

CORN.—On Thursday and to-day sales of parcels of white were made at 38 cents, and we quote accordingly. Yellow will not bring 40 cents to-day—39 is considered a fair quotation.

RYE.—A sale of a prime lot was made on Thursday at 73 cents. We quote that price to-day for good lots.

OATS.—We quote as in quality at 30 to 33 cts. CLOVERSEED.—The wagon price ranges from \$5 37 1/2 to 5 75, as in quality.

FLAXSEED.—Remains as per last report—\$1 62 1/2 per bushel from store; and 1 50 from wagons.

The Mail.—Arrivals and Departures. FROM BALTIMORE—Arrives every day, between 9 and 10 o'clock A. M., from Baltimore, and immediately departs for Chambersburg.

CHAMBERSBURG—Arrives every morning at about 8 o'clock—and leaves at about 9 o'clock A. M. for Baltimore.

YORK—Arrives every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 9 o'clock, A. M. and departs at the same hour every Wednesday, Friday and Sunday morning.

HAGERSTOWN—Arrives every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at about half past 6 o'clock P. M. and departs at 9 o'clock, A. M. every Wednesday, Friday and Sunday.

FREDERICK—Arrives every Wednesday at about 12 o'clock, and departs immediately for Carlisle.

CARLISLE—Arrives every Thursday at about 11 o'clock A. M. and departs immediately for Frederick, by way of Emmittsburg.

HARRISBURG—Arrives every Tuesday evening about 6 o'clock—and departs every Wednesday morning about 8 o'clock, by way of Heidlersburg, York Springs, &c., for Harrisburg.

DOINGS OF THIS WEEK.—The "Gettysburg Troop" parades to-morrow, at 10 o'clock A. M.

The "Gettysburg Guards" will also parade at the same hour. They will also "dine at the house of Mr. James Gourley, where such citizens of the Borough, and others, who feel disposed to participate with them are respectfully requested to leave their names." [By the by, we are indebted to the Masonic Sentinel, and its twin-brother, the Compiler, for this information, which Brother Boaz the Quakerly, would not permit "us to publish 'thy authority'—we have inserted" it, therefore, "gratuitously, for the benefit of such of our readers as may not have the opportunity of seeing" it "elsewhere."] The "Petersburg [York Springs] Invincibles," intend also parading at the same hour, at their usual place; which is Petersburg, we presume.

A ball is to be given at Mr. McClelland's on to-morrow evening.

A Tract of Land, the Estate of Hugh Denwiddie, deceased, situate in Cumberland township, in this county, 5 miles from Gettysburg, and 1 from the State Road leading to Emmittsburg, containing 260 acres, will be offered at public sale, on the premises, next Saturday, at 12 o'clock, M.

The dwelling house, in the Borough, occupied by Mr. Hugh Denwiddie, will also be offered at public sale, next Saturday, at the tavern of Philip Heagy, Esq., at 3 o'clock P. M.

Orphans' Court, next Tuesday.

An Anti-Masonic State Convention will be held at Harrisburg to-morrow.

The American Farmer.—The following are the Contents of this highly valuable paper for last week:—

Letter from Dr. J. E. Muse, on Wheat Degens.

Rating to Cheat on Chess—Barberry and Wheat—On the Hessian Fly—On the Value of Lino as a Manure—Cultivation of Corn on Hillsides—American Grapes—Pears, Inquiry—Definitions of Botanical Terms and Characters—Letter from Peter Ellis on the New Theory of Bats in Horses—On Wills—Making—On the Destruction of Snakes, Foxes, Owls and Hawks—Singular Method of Taking the Bear—Stocking Fish Ponds—Singular Circumstance—Editorial—Prices Current of Country Produce in the New York and Baltimore Markets—Advertisements.

Persons disposed to patronize the "FARMER," can examine a No. by calling at this Office.

The Rev. DAVID MCCONAUGHY, of this Borough, we learn, has accepted the appointment of President of Washington College, in this State, and will enter upon the discharge of his duties in that capacity, at the commencement of the next Session. His loss here, cannot but be felt and regretted by his extensive friends and acquaintances, and more especially by those who have been under his Pastoral care. Go when he will, he has our best wishes for his and his family's prosperity, as well as for the Institution over which he is called to preside.

According to a letter received by a citizen of this Borough, from his friend, in Hartwick, Oswego county, N. Y., the thermometer at that place, on the mornings of the 26th and 27th of January last, stood at 20 degrees below zero, and did not rise higher than 10 degrees above zero at noon, on either day.

In the House of Representatives last Tuesday, Mr. Oliver reported, An act laying a tax on dogs in the counties of Adams, Crawford and Mercer, and for the preservation of sheep.

On the same day, "the bill, an act to incorporate the Franklin rail road company, was read a third time and passed." And the bill to erect a new county out of parts of York and Adams, was considered in committee of the whole, Mr. Davis in the chair, and reported negatively.

REMOVAL.—It is rumored that the York Gazette has rejoined the Van Buren flag. Does the Compiler intend following suit?

"WHAT A GROWING PARTY!" The Washington City "Journal," and the Hagerstown "Herald," supporters of the Grand Master of Kentucky, have lately become extinct!

Poulson's Advertiser of last Thursday states that a letter from BAMA, of the 4th January, received by a respectable mercantile house in Philadelphia city, says:—"The English brig June, from Montevideo for Havana, was run on shore by her crew, about thirty miles north of our port, they having murdered all the officers a few days before! The mate was an American. The crew have been apprehended, and are now on board the English frigate Druid, lying in this port."

MR. CLAY AND MR. ADAMS.

"We understand that the rumor is current in Washington, that Mr. Clay is about to redeem the famous pledge he made in 1823, nine years ago, to expose certain things put forth at that day by J. Q. Adams. There is something peculiar about the deeds committed by some of the great men in past years, and the People are truly anxious to have the truth of it, the whole truth and nothing but the truth; which it is expected Mr. Clay will give, and no longer "keep the promise to the ear and break it to the sense."

The above article is copied from the "Cumberland, Md. Advocate," a Jackson paper. Whether there is any truth in the rumor or not, we are not prepared to say. Some of Mr. Clay's partisans have lately shown very hostile feelings towards Mr. Adams, and probably, too, with the countenance of Mr. Clay himself. However, be that as it may, we feel assured, that Mr. ADAMS will not shrink from any position which Mr. Clay, or any of his partisans, may make.

The following is copied from the Pennsylvania Whig of Wednesday last:— Stephen Simpson, Esq. Philad.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 6th, 1832.

Sir.—Be pleased to send me the Pennsylvania Whig, and pass the enclosed to my credit.

The cause of Anti-Masonry is rapidly advancing in this County—next fall we will give RIFNER a considerable majority, and unless the friends of Mr. Clay should unite with those of General Jackson, the Hero must be defeated. My impression is that there will be an amalgamation to defeat Anti-Masonry in the contest for President, as well as in that for Governor. One thing is certain that in the local elections both in Pennsylvania and New York, the Clay and Jackson Masons have united—Every independent man should look to it, and the honest man has but one course left for him to pursue. The time is close at hand if indeed it has not already come when there can be no neutrality between Masonry and Anti-Masonry.\*

\* We hope this impression of our respected Correspondent is fallacious. Why should Patriot peril the Country, and the Constitution for—Masonry?—No—this cannot & must not be. [Ed. Whig.]

ELEVATED SENTIMENTS.—Mr. Webster, in his just censures upon the instructions given by Mr. Van Buren to the Minister to England, speaks in language becoming a statesman and a man, of the danger of mingling party politics with foreign relations.—This sentiment may well apply to the concerns of our own government, in which party is too much the governing principle.

I entirely forbear, Mr. President, from going into the merits of the late arrangements with England, as a measure of commercial policy. Another time will come, I trust, more suitable for that discussion.—For the present, I confine myself strictly to such parts of the instructions as I think plainly objectionable, and reprehensible; whatever may be the character of the agree-

ment between us and England, as matter of policy: And I repeat, sir, that I place the justification of my vote on the party tone, and party character of these instructions.— Let me ask, if such considerations as these are to be addressed to a foreign Government, what is that foreign Government to expect in return? The ministers of foreign courts will not bestow gratuitous favors, nor even gratuitous smiles, on American Parties.— What, then, I repeat, is to be the return? What is Party to do here, for that foreign Government, which has done, is expected to do, or is asked to do, something for Party here? What is to be the consideration paid for this foreign favor? Sir, must not every man see, that any mixture of such causes, or motives, in our foreign intercourse, is as full of danger, as it is of dishonor?

I will not pursue the subject. I am anxious only to make my own ground fully and clearly understood; and willingly leave every other gentleman to his own opinions.— And I cheerfully submit my own vote to the opinion of the country. I willingly leave it to the people of the United States to say, whether I am acting a factious and unworthy part, or the part of a true-hearted American, in withholding my approbation from the nomination of a gentleman as minister to England, who has, already, as appears to me, instructed his predecessor at the same court, to carry Party considerations, to urge Party merits, and solicit Party favors, at the foot of the British throne."

PITTSBURG, Feb. 15.

TREMENDOUS FRESHET.—We were, on last Friday, visited with the most awful flood ever known in this section of the country. The waters were, by actual measurement, two feet and two inches higher than the celebrated flood of 11th November, 1810, generally known as the "Pumpkin Flood."

The present freshet inundated the lower part of our city, and the whole of the first bank of Allegheny Town. The aqueduct was considered to be in the greatest danger for about 12 hours, as the waters rose near a foot up the weather-boarding, but strange to say, this valuable structure resisted the pressure of an immense quantity of drift wood, and the whole force of a torrent which was hurried along at the rate of 8 miles per hour.

The destruction of property in this county is immense, and the damages sustained in our immediate neighborhood, amount to not less than 300,000 dollars. It is, truly distressing to witness the devastation of property in the Borough of Allegheny, a number of houses having been overturned, and families forced to fly for their lives, leaving in some instances, all they possessed a prey to the angry element. We have not yet heard from abroad, but presume there have been terrible ravages along the banks of our rivers. There are rumors current that lives have been lost, but being vague and contradictory, we sincerely trust that they will prove to be wholly incorrect.

We have been informed that the canal in the vicinity of Blairsville has been totally destroyed by the late freshet.—Times.

The Columbia Spy, of the 9th inst. gives a detailed account of the recent freshet at that place, and the destruction of the Columbia Bridge. The whole length of the bridge was 5690 feet, of which about one third is gone, and the remainder more or less injured. It was commenced in 1812, and made passable in 1814, and never before, received any serious injury from ice. The cost was about \$232,000.—Much injury was done to private property near the river. The Spy says:—"There is reason to believe that the injury sustained by the public works is very light—one side of the east end of the bridge at the head of the canal basin, was undermined and the wood work is in a reclining situation; the small bridge over Shawnee run—was raised from its foundation, but otherwise is not much damaged.—The outer wall of the canal between this and Marietta, withstood the pressure in a manner which speaks volumes in its favor."—Harrisburg Reporter.

SHARP.—The Harrisburg Chronicle, (Wolf) after saying that the report which we mentioned in our last "of the bridge at that place being injured," was a "false alarm," says it "was injured in the coping!"—[York Republican.]

A GOOD SIGN.—We have just observed that a bill has been presented to the Legislature of Maryland, to incorporate the "Grand Lodge of Independent Odd Fellows," and has been returned by the Clerk of the Senate, endorsed "WILL NOT PASS." This is right and good, and reflects great honor on the Senate of our State. The Odd Fellows are twin brothers of Free-Masons, and this refusal of a charter for them, augurs well for the success of our cause, and the downfall of secret associations.—Hagerstown Free Press.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 17.

In the Senate, yesterday, the following bills were severally read a third time and passed, viz: the bill to incorporate the Norristown, Berks and Lehigh rail-road company; the bill granting aid to Jefferson college; the supplement to the act extending the charters of the Monongahela bank of Brownsville, and the bank of the Northern Liberties; the bill for the relief of John Kroan, John Santee, Thomas Montgomery, Robert Casbolt, old soldiers; and Catherine Bonnix, widow of an old soldier; and the bill relative to the charter of the United Hebrew Beneficent Society of Philadelphia. The supplement to the act to establish the La Fayette college at Easton, Northampton county, was read a second time and passed. The bill to authorize the election of four su-

perisors in Antrim township, Franklin county, was passed in committee of the whole, Mr. Kern, in the chair, said bill was also passed on second reading.

In the House, yesterday, the bill to incorporate the Pennsylvania Coke and Iron Company, after considerable discussion, passed on third reading, 51 to 46.—Repor.

Agreeably to a memorandum kept by the Rev. Dr. Cathart, of York, one hundred and nine murders were committed in the United States within the year 1831. Some of these were of the most appalling kind, such as parents by their children, children by their parents, husbands by their wives, and wives by their husbands, &c. A large proportion of them are regarded as the consequence of an intemperate use of ardent spirits. A statistical account of crime lately published in England, gives the number of murders perpetrated in that country during seven years ending with 1830, as only one hundred and three—averaging fifteen a year in a population about equal to that of this country. The disproportion is strikingly great and discreditable to these States, and the cause or causes furnish fruitful subjects for reflection.—Lancaster Examiner.

A bill has passed the Legislature, and only wants the Governor's signature to become a law, granting licenses to Oyster Cellars in the city of Philadelphia to retail spirituous liquors. This will in effect add vastly to the number of grogshops and tipping houses in that city, and consequently furnish additional opportunities for the demoralization of the young and idle. Such a consequence, however, does not weigh a straw in the estimation of city politicians, when compared, with the importance of securing votes to the King, Sutherland and Wolf masonic faction. The granting of tavern licenses in Philadelphia is notoriously used as a political engine; and the licensing of oyster cellars will unquestionably be used in the same manner.—Ibid.

From the United States Telegraph. APPORTIONMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The bill on this subject, has at length been ordered to an engrossment for a third reading, and the ratio, from the numerous votes that have been taken, by yeas and nays, on this question, may now be considered as finally decided by the House at 47-700. We give below a statement showing the number of Representatives which each State will be entitled to according to the new ratio, and the fractions of unrepresented population which will remain.

Apportionment of Representatives under the fifth census, at a ratio of 47,700.

Table with columns: State, No. Members, Fractions. Lists Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Vermont, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio, Indiana, Mississippi, Illinois, Louisiana, Missouri, Alabama.

MARRIED.

On Thursday last, by the Rev. Mr. Weyl, Mr. WILLIAM NEWMAN, of David, to Miss LYDIA TROSTLE, daughter of Mr. George Trostle, both of Franklin township.

On the same day, by the same, Mr. JOHN TEDY, of Jacob, to Miss SUSANNA LICHTY, both of Franklin township.

DIED.

On Thursday last, Mrs. SARAH S. PAXTON, of this Borough, aged about 58 years.

On Wednesday the 1st inst. Mrs. JANE WITHEROW, wife of Mr. John Witherow, of Frederick county, Md. in the 44th year of her age.

On Tuesday the 2d inst. at Chambersburg, Mr. DANIEL HARPER, printer, son of Mr. G. K. Harper, aged 26 years.

Saturday Morning Visiter,

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ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

As the subscriber intends declining the mercantile business in Oxford, about the 15th of March next, he requests all persons indebted to him for goods sold in Oxford, to make immediate payment to his brother, JESSE DICKEY, who is authorized to receive the same. He would also inform those with whom he has settlements to make, that he will attend in person at Oxford for one week prior to the 15th of March, at which time he intends settling out the balance of his Goods to his brother, Jesse Dickey, who will continue business at the old stand in Oxford.

He would also take this opportunity of returning thanks to his friends and customers, for the liberal encouragement he received whilst engaged in business in Oxford.

THOMAS DICKEY. Oxford, Feb. 21, 1832. 4t-46

DR. J. GILBERT, OFFERS FOR SALE, At the old stand a few doors South of Mr. James Gourley's Tavern, Baltimore Street, Gettysburg,

A FRESH AND GENERAL SUPPLY OF DRUGS AND MEDICINES. Paints & Dye-Stuffs.

AMONG WHICH, ARE THE FOLLOWING:

DRUGS & MEDICINES.

Table listing various drugs and medicines: Acid Sulphuric, Nitric, Muriac, Tartaric, Lemon, Ether, Assafoetida, Antimony, Balsam Copaiva, Borax crude and refined, Blue Pill, Carb Ferri, Ammonia, Magnesia, Calomel, Cream Tartar, Camphor, Calcined Magnesia, Flor. Sulphur, Gum Guaiac, Arabic, Draggon, Mannna, Mustard Seed, Nutmeg, Oil Wormseed, Cloves, Castor, Sweet, Cubeb, Mint, Juniper, Opium, Rhubarb, Red Precipitate, Snake Root, Sarsaparilla, Sal Ammoniac, Sals Epsom, Glauber, Senna, Tartar Emetic, Venice Turpentine, Varnish Copal, Black oil.

PAINTS.

Table listing various paints: Terra De Sienna, Chrome Yellow, Green, Rose Pink, Prussian Blue, Lampblack.

DYE STUFFS.

Table listing various dye stuffs: Logwood chipped, Indigo, Allum, Copperas, Red Saunders, Red Tartar, &c. &c. &c.

PATENT MEDICINES.

Table listing various patent medicines: Batemans Drops, Medicamentum, Whites Tooth ache drops, Golden Tincture, Pills Lee's, Dyo's, Lyon's, Fisher's, Hooper's, Anderson's, Quinine, Opodeldoc, Godfrey's Cordial, &c. &c. &c.

The above articles he will sell as low for cash, as can be had at any other shop in the place.

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PUBLIC SALE.

In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Adams County, will be exposed to public vendue, On Saturday the 25th of February next, at 12 o'clock, M. at the premises,

A TRACT OF LAND,

late the Estate of HUGH DENWIDDIE, deceased, situate in Cumberland township, Adams County, Penn., about five miles from Gettysburg, and one from the State Road leading to Emmittsburg, adjoining lands of David Horner's heirs, Robert McCreary, Andrew Walker and others, containing about Two Hundred and Sixty Acres, with a large proportion of good Timber—and

A LOG HOUSE,

and Double Log Barn, and other necessary Buildings thereon. Said Property is in high state of cultivation, and is very productive. A large proportion of the cleared land consists of excellent Timothy Meadow. The title is indisputable; and the Farm is PATENTED.

There are two wells of good water—one of which is near the house. The property will be shown on application at the premises, or by the Subscribers. The terms of sale will be made known on day of sale, by

HUGH DENWIDDIE, Adm'r. DAVID DENWIDDIE, } By the Court,

JOHN B. CLARK, Clerk. January 24, 1832. 4t-46

DOCT. S. M. TUDOR, OFFERS his Professional services to the public generally, and can always be found at his father's residence, at the house formerly occupied by James Harrison, within one mile and a half of Hampton, Fair Mount, June 14, 1831.

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