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Tuesday Morning, April 3, 1832.

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.

FOR GOVERNOR, JOSEPH RITNER.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

From the Exchange of Saturday last.

Flour.—Howard-street Flour.—The receipts of the week are a fraction less than 5000 barrels. The market continues calm, and a moderate business only has been done from stores.

Conn.—42 to 44 cts. per bushel. Rye.—65 to 68 cts. per bushel.

The bill incorporating the Gettysburg Gymnasium into a College passed a second and third reading, in the House of Representatives on Thursday last.

The following appointments have been made by the late Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church for Gettysburg and vicinity.

The Chambersburg Telegraph, of last week, says:—During the past week a woman, named Elizabeth Weirich, from St. Thomas township, was committed to prison in Franklin county on a charge of having murdered her infant child.

Several articles intended for this No., have been postponed until our next.

HARRISBURG, March 29.

In the Senate, last night, the amendments by the House, to the Canal and Rail Road bill were concurred in, and the bill now only wants the signature of the Governor to become a law.

To the Columbia & Middletown canal, \$33,000. Allegheny Portage, 620,000. Frankstown line of the Juniata canal, 350,000.

Mr. Petrikin, this morning, offered the following joint resolution relative to the election of members of Congress:

That the Sheriffs of the respective counties are hereby required to omit giving notice for the election of members of Congress in their respective proclamations for holding the general election on the 2d Tuesday of October next; Provided, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to apply to the filling of vacancies which may occur by death, resignation or otherwise.

That it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, to notify at a proper and convenient season, the Sheriffs of the respective counties of the number of Electors of President and Vice-President, which the state may be entitled to elect under the new apportionment.—Chronicle.

The most important business transacted in the House for the last 3 days, with the exception of the Improvement bill, is a bill for the incorporation of several rail-roads.

This morning the House by a vote of 50 to 37 instructed the Internal Improvement committee to bring in a bill appropriating \$300,000 to be applied to the payment of work under contract on the Branch canals.

committee obtained leave and reported a bill for that purpose immediately.—Intel.

HARRISBURG, March 27.

Dickinson College.—In the House of Representatives, on Saturday, Mr. Patterson, of Washington, offered the following resolution, which was twice read, considered and adopted, viz:

Whereas the trustees of the College at the borough of Carlisle, are drawing annually from the treasury of the state, the sum of \$3,000, and it is represented that there are now only six students receiving instruction at said institution; Therefore,

Resolved, That the committee on education, be instructed to enquire into the propriety of repealing so much of the act of the 13th of February, 1826, as authorizes the trustees of the College, at the borough of Carlisle, to draw annually, from the state treasury, the sum of \$3,000, and report as soon as practicable, by bill or otherwise.

RUMOR OF CHOLERA.—The Portland Daily Courier of the 24th ult. contains the following article. Topsham is a small sea-port town of Maine, about 156 miles from Boston.

Rumor of Cholera in Topsham, Maine.—The citizens of Topsham and Brunswick have been thrown into great excitement by a supposed case of spasmodic cholera, which occurred at Topsham 3 or 4 days ago; and the question does not yet seem to be satisfactorily settled, whether it was the cholera or not. We have conversed with Dr. McKean, who attended the patient, and gather from the conversation the following particulars.

He immediately returned to the house, and inquired into the affair. He learnt, that the young man had been at home eight or ten days; that he was sick with the cholera at Hamburg; that the mate of the vessel also had it; that an English vessel lying by the side of them lost the greater part of her crew with it; that they returned by the way of New York, where they said nothing about the cholera, and entered without performing quarantine or having the vessel cleansed; that the young man then came home to Topsham, bringing his chest of clothing, &c.; that the clothes which he wore, while sick, were in the chest, and had not been cleansed; that this very girl was the first who opened the chest, handled the clothes, and took up a garlic that was in the chest and bit it.

The mother had also been affected with nausea on handling and washing the clothes. Dr. McKean then called in Professor Mussey for consultation.

Many of the symptoms of the patient were so like the cholera, and the facts stated above so suspicious, that the case might well be a startling one. The patient, however, under the medical treatment she received, began to be better in a few hours, and she had a slight relapse the next morning, she is now nearly recovered. No other case has occurred of any circumstance calculated to increase the alarm. The medical gentlemen who attended, although they do not feel entirely satisfied as to the nature of the disease, give it as their opinion that there is no cause for any further alarm.

The friends of RITNER and WIRT must not slumber at their posts, if they wish to conquer. It is the policy of the WOLF mix to lie quiet; because they carry their point by the power of an organized and disciplined faction; but the people can only succeed by activity and excitement.

MAIL ROBBER GONE.—One hundred Dollars Reward.—John Bennett, the person lately apprehended by Major Cooley, in Canada, on the charge of robbing the United States Mail, broke Gaol at Elmira from the custody of the Sheriff of Tioga on the night of the 15th inst. \$100 will be paid by the General Post Office Department for his re-apprehension and safe lodgment in any Gaol in the United States.

In addition to the above, Lyman Covell, Sheriff of Tioga County, offers a reward of \$50 for his apprehension.

white hat, large brim, square toed coarse boots, a blue camlet cloak with seal skin collar, the skirts lined with red satinnet.

We understand (says a New York paper) that the lease of the Chatham Theatre has been purchased, with the intention, it is said, of having the building converted into a church. We presume the Rev. Mr. Janeway, who, as we learn, enjoys the income of the premises, is himself the purchaser.

The current rumor of the day is, that W. T. BARRY, the Post Master General, has been nominated to the Senate as Minister to England, in place of Mr. Van Buren. It is also rumored, that the nomination is rather ungraciously received, on account of Post-Office difficulties as well before as since Mr. B. came into the Department.

Rumor goes further, and states, that it is desirable to get R. M. JOHNSON, of Kentucky, to relinquish his pretensions to the Vice-Presidency, and that to accomplish this object, he has been offered the Post-Office Department.—[Baltimore Patriot.

Great Haul for Uncle Sam.—We understand that a cargo of wool imported into New York from Bilboa by the brig Nestor, in October last, and which was advertised for sale at auction on the 7th inst. has been seized by the Collector of the Customs for fraudulent entry. We learn from a gentleman who was sent to this city to obtain information respecting the cost of wool at Bilboa during the last summer, that importations into this and neighboring ports, made about the same time, were entered at 50 per cent higher cost, and a letter from a merchant at Bilboa, received by a gentleman in this city, which came by the Nestor, states that the cargo cost more than 50 per cent higher than the price at which the entry was made.

[The above is substantially correct. The importation consisted of about 650 bales, and was on Philadelphia account.—[New York Mercantile Advertiser.

Mr. WIRT.—The Indiana Monitor, a Jackson paper, published at Vevey says:—"Mr. Wirt and Mr. CALHOUN are spoken of as aspirants. The former must be a man of superior kind—there is nothing on the records against him; popular scrutiny has found nothing in Mr. Wirt, to disapprove; a giant at the Bar, a sound politician in council, beloved by his colleagues, the most blessed and blessing of husbands and fathers—in legislation a constitutional champion, guided by an accurate moral sense, he bears away the palm of argument when contending with the advocates of expediency. At the commencement of the last war, in the Senate of Virginia, a motion was introduced to suspend the existing laws, in favor of delinquent debtors; then appeared Wirt, combating popular prejudice, the champion of the constitution and laws, against these official nullifiers, but in vain; yet Virginia, by her most eminent men, assembled in convention, have paid the tribute of eulogy to the merits of Mr. Wirt, by a specific article of their new constitution; ex post facto laws are forbidden, and the obligations of contract to be held sacred, at all times, thus doing away every kind of subterfuge, under which, dishonesty clothed in power might, under the popular, and delusive, prospect of relieving suffering humanity, evade the constitution and laws, and thereby entail upon society that anarchy which never fails to result from the abandonment of moral principle.

JOSEPH RITNER'S MAJORITY.—It will require nothing more than that the people be true to themselves, their rights and their independence of thought and action, to insure Mr. RITNER a large majority over his Masonic opponent George Wolf. In almost every county in the State, the people, especially the farmers, are alive with the real importance of this contest, and are resolved to bring all their energies to bear against the imbecile, corrupt and inconsistent incumbent. They consider it precisely as a battle for JUST PRINCIPLES, and in this respect, as being a primitive Democratic contest, such as was waged by the people in 1798. They are contending for the freedom of acting and thinking, under the Constitution; and they are resolved to contend manfully. Too long have they been the mere "chewers of wood, and drawers of water" of a selfish and unprincipled cabal of demagogues, whose sole object is office, to be gained by any means, and to be retained by any machinations! Wearied of being driven and controlled like a gang of slaves, by their Masonic masters, the people have risen in their might and majesty, to be THEIR OWN RULERS, and superintend in person, the choice of their agents, to manage their property and guard their rights.

IMPROVEMENTS have been neglected; rail roads have been overlooked, and remained stationary—yet the money has been spent, to promote the views of a faction, and subsidize the demagogues & tools of their profligacy. Never was there a cause more Democratic, and more purely patriotic, than that of JOSEPH RITNER in opposition Geo. Wolf.—Pennsylvania White.

Early Vegetable.—Mr. Platt Titus, of the Troy House, on the 17th ult. furnished for his table some well grown potatoes, of excellent quality, the product of the present season. They were cultivated by Mr. Wm. Storer, of this city.—Troy Sentinel.

MARRIED.

On Thursday the 15th ult., by the Rev. S. G. Guelius, Mr. JOHN BAKER, of Mountjoy township, this county, to Miss ELIZABETH EBERT, of Codorus township, York County.

On Wednesday week last, by the Rev. C. G. McClean, Mr. PETER B. BERGAW, of Mountjoy township, to Miss SARAH HOUGHTON, daughter of Mr. Hezekiah Houghton, of Mountpleasant township.

On Thursday last, by the Rev. Mr. Weyl, Mr. DAVID BITTINGER, (of Michael), to Miss CATHERINE MILLER, daughter of Mr. Michael Miller, both of Franklin township.

On Thursday last, by the same, Mr. CHRISTIAN HERR, of Cumberland township, to Miss JANE WILSON, daughter of Mr. David Wilson of Hamilton township.

DIED.

On Friday week last, ANDREW, son of Mr. Leonard Bricker, of Straban township, in the 13th year of his age.

On the 16th ult. Mr. SOLOMON STONESIFER, of Littlestown, in the 38th year of his age.

On Friday last, Mrs. HANNAH HORNER, wife of Mr. Robert Horner, of this Borough.

Departed this life, on Saturday evening last, after a short illness, Mrs. MARY THOMPSON, wife of John P. Thompson, Esq. the former editor and proprietor of the "Frederick Herald" in the 59th year of her age. Mrs. Thompson was among the oldest and most respectable inhabitants of this city, and was endeared to a large circle of relatives and friends by a practice of the kindest feelings of the heart, and the uniform piety of her life.—Her death has left a void which will be long and sorrowfully felt, and inflicted a lasting grief upon her bereaved husband.—Herald, March 31.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

PUBLIC SALE.

IN pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Adams County, will be exposed to public sale

On Friday the 20th of April instant, at 10 o'clock a. m. on the premises, (By adjournment)

THE UNDIVIDED HALF OF A FARM, The Estate of Catharine Mudd, deceased, situate in Huntingdon township, Adams county, adjoining lands of William Wierman, David Mumper and others.

Containing One Hundred Acres, more or less—on which are erected.

A LOG DWELLING HOUSE, Log Barn, and other necessary improvements.

Terms.—One half of the purchase money to be in hand; the balance in two equal annual payments.

HARMAN WIREMAN, Admr. By the Court, JOHN B. CLARK, Clerk. April 3, 1832. ts—52

To Bridge Builders.

PROPOSALS will be received by the Commissioners of Adams county, at the house of Nicholas Taughinbaugh, Innkeeper, in New-Chester, on Friday the 20th of April inst., for erecting a WOODEN BRIDGE over the Great Conowago Creek, near Kohler's (formerly Long's) Mill, of the following dimensions, viz:—

The Bridge to contain a single arch, the span of which will be 105 feet in the clear. Abutments to be 8 feet thick, each—10 feet high from common water-mark, and 22 wide. The wing walls on the East side of the Creek, to be at least 30 feet long and 3 1/2 feet higher than the floor of the Bridge—the filling up to be level with the floor of the Bridge. The wing walls on the West side, to be 50 feet long, with a gradual rise, and to be 3 1/2 feet higher than the filling up. Abutments and wing walls to be built on rocks or otherwise good foundations. Wing walls to be 2 feet thick. The Bridge to be 16 feet wide in the clear—12 feet high from the floor to the square. The sides and part of the ends, to be weather-boarded with white pine boards, planed, and painted a good Venetian red. The arch to be planked with pine plank, and afterwards with 2 inch oak plank—and the whole to be covered with white pine shingles.

Each person handing in a proposal, is requested to exhibit a plan. By order, D. HORNER, Ck.

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NEW STORE.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has opened a Store in the house of Mr. Robert Taylor, (formerly Lashell's), on the Turnpike-road leading from Gettysburg to York—He has on hand, and will constantly keep,

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF SEASONABLE GOODS, CONSISTING OF

Dry Goods, Groceries, Queens-Ware, Hard-Ware, and every other article usually kept in a country store.

The public are invited to call and examine for themselves. ROGER CLAXON. April 3, 1832. 4t—52

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MAGISTRATES AND CONSTABLES

NOTICE.

A SEMI-ANNUAL meeting of the Temperance Society of Gettysburg and its vicinity, will be held at the Court-House, in the Borough of Gettysburg, on Saturday the 14th inst., at 3 o'clock p. m. S. R. RUSSELL, Sec'y. April 3, 1832. tm—52

NOTICE.

THE Stockholders of the Hanover and Carlisle Turnpike Road Company are hereby notified that an Election for TWO MANAGERS, to serve for one year, will be held at the house of Mr. Daniel Kenner, in South Middleton township, Cumberland County, on Monday the 7th of May next, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 3 o'clock in the afternoon of said day. The Commissioners of Cumberland & Adams Counties are also notified to attend, at said time and place, and choose THREE MANAGERS, to serve for the like period, on behalf of the Commonwealth. By order of the Board, SAMUEL WOODBURN, Sec'y. April 3, 1832. 4t—52

List of Causes—April Term.

Anthony Dearthoff vs. David Ross, Peter Bercau vs. S. Tagort and J. Brinkerhoff, Adam Shorb, use of D. Shultz vs. John Miller, Adam Shorb vs. John Miller. April 3, 1832. tc—52

Grand Jury—April Term.

Huntingdon.—James Wilson, Joseph Kinley, (of Jos.) Wm. Coburn, jr. Huntingdon.—Thomas Stephens, Henry Bittinger. Cumberland.—Samuel Patterson, Peter Epley.

Liberty.—James Bigham. Reading.—Job Dicks, David White. Hamilton.—George Clark. Franklin.—David M. Murdie, John Hartman, Nicholas Mark, David Scott, David Beecher, Jacob Brough. Conowingo.—Jacob Wortz. Menallen.—William Rex, James Bell. Mountpleasant.—Jas. Brinkerhoff, Abraham Eckert. Borough.—David Ecker, John Slentz.

General Jury—April Term.

Berwick.—Benjamin Kepner, Benjamin Fink, Henry W. Slagle, George Wolf. Menallen.—John Mower. Franklin.—Robt. M. Murdie, David Wills, John Coburn.

Reading.—Wm. Taughinbaugh. Straban.—Daniel Benner, Jas. M. Henny, Jacob Grass, Jas. Brinkerhoff, Jacob King, Robert King, George Boyer. Borough.—David M. Creary, Michael C. Clarkson, Jacob Ziegler. Mountjoy.—Jacob Diehl, James Heagy, Francis Allison, John Wilson (of C.) Conowingo.—John Marshall, jr., Geo. Bestore, Solomon Stonesifer.

Tyrone.—Peter Studebecker, Jas. Wray. Germany.—Wm. Winroff, Wm. Gitt, jr. Hamilton.—John Dellone, Jas. Patterson, (of Samuel.) Mountpleasant.—James W. Galbreath, Joseph Rider. Cumberland.—Christian Stoner. Huntingdon.—Abraham Trostle. April 3, 1832. tc—52

THE AMERICAN FARMER.

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Those who wish to see the American Farmer, with a view to subscribing for it, may address the publisher by mail, (free of postage), who will send a specimen of the work containing terms, &c. for examination. All postmasters are agents for the work. April 3, 1832.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of JACOB AUCKER, late of Adams county, deceased, will present them to the subscriber between now and the 14th day of April next. Those indebted to said estate, will call and settle their accounts.

In order to accommodate those interested, the undersigned will attend at the House of F. LEAS, in Littlestown, on the 14th day of April next. DAVID SNYDER, Admr. March 27, 1832. 4t—51

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Given at all times for clean linen and