

THE ANTI-MASONIC STAR AND REPUBLICAN BANNER.

presented, through the representatives of the people, and receive due consideration.

The measures of the government should always be influenced, by those high and patriotic motives which led to the formation of the constitution.

To limit the boundaries of legislation to laws which shall affect, in the same degree, the interests of all parts of the community, would destroy the legislative power, both in the general and state governments.

My claims to consideration rest alone on a sincere and constant endeavor to discharge the trusts committed to me, with an exclusive reference to the public interests.

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GETTYSBURG, PA. WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1831.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

From the Patriot of Saturday last. FLOUR.—Howard-street.—We stated in a postscript to our last report, that some lots had been offered from stores at \$5.75 per brl.

WHEAT.—Supplies continue to arrive freely from the Susquehanna—part of which has been sold, and part stored for better prices.

CORN.—In the early part of the week sales of several parcels of prime Maryland were made at 70 cts per bushel.

OATS.—Are dull. We note a sale of a cargo of Maryland this week at 31 1/2 cents per bushel.

HIDES.—We note a sale of a parcel of prime La Plata Hides at 16 1/2 cents; and a sale of a lot of 300, wormed, at 15 cents, cash.

MR. WHITTLESLEY'S REPORT. Owing to a press of other matter, we have been compelled to omit the conclusion of the able and interesting Report of Mr. Whittlesley, on the "Abduction and Murder of William Morgan," until this week.

In taking a cursory glance at the transactions relative to the fate of a free citizen, and following them through all their windings and turnings, we are led to the ultimate conclusion, THAT IT WAS

WILL EFFECTED.—That no such atrocious and diabolical design could have been so conceived and accomplished, without the mystic and sworn aid of Masonry, is as apparent as noon-day.

We submit the "Report," to the consideration of the people, confident that it will not fail to gain an attentive perusal. We should be pleased to have it in our power to put a copy into the hands of every individual in the county.

IN ORDER to show our readers the real character of the Masonic institution, we shall give nothing but what we, judging from our experience in Masonic wisdom, sincerely believe to have been conceived and executed in strict accordance to its requirements.

COUNTY CONVENTION.—In another column will be found the proceedings of our county convention. In consequence of Monday's being general parade day, several of the township delegates who, being on parade, were unable to attend.

THE FOREIGN NEWS.—We give to-day an interesting summary of the late news from Europe. The most important and interesting to us and a majority of community, is the state of Poland.

JOSEPH TAYLOR, who was indicted for the murder of David Blunbaugh, had his trial at the April term of our Court. He was acquitted of the charge laid in the indictment, but the jury recommended that he should be indicted for voluntary manslaughter.

JUDGE McLEAN.—In another column will be found an able letter from this distinguished American—in a reference to which, the Baltimore Patriot justly says—It is no bad index of the writer, plain and honest, sound and unassuming.

LIGHT AND TRUTH. John L. Bunce, Esq., a mason, editor of the "New Hampshire Post," published the evidence given on the trial of Adams, at Lockport, which he commented upon the next week as follows.

And God said let there be light and there was light.—We last week published the evidence of two witnesses, as given on the trial of Elisha Adams, at Lockport for conspiracy and depriving William Morgan of his liberty and probably of his life.

THE BROTHERS, it seems, could not stand this exposure of light and truth, and began to devise some means of bringing Mr. Bunce under the government of the cable-tow or of inflicting the penalty of his obligation upon him.

Certain folks about these parts, have become rather boisterous because we published "THE TRUTH," as given on the trial of Elisha Adams. We this week publish more of the same kind, being an affidavit of the Rev. Perly Hall, of Berkshire, in the county of Franklin and state of Vermont.

THE LANCASTER HERALD says.—The following affidavit is copied from the "Hamilton Citizen," published in Madison county, N. Y. It is an evidence of the charity and Republican feeling extended by rich masons over POOR MEN who are anti-masons.

At a meeting of the Republican Anti-masonic Delegates from their respective townships, held in the borough of Gettysburg, on Monday the 2d of May, 1831, the following persons appeared as delegates:

Resolved, That we deem all Secret Societies incompatible with the permanent existence of our free institutions. Resolved, That, in the opinion of this Convention, the disclosures of the Oaths, Obligations, and Ceremonies of Freemasonry, made by Capt. WILLIAM MORGAN, (now deceased), and by the Le Roy Convention, are sustained by such weight of direct and circumstantial evidence, as to command the full belief of every impartial inquirer.

Resolved, That the following persons are chosen delegates to the State Convention to be held at Harrisburg, on the 25th inst. Maj. JNO. WOLFORD, JAMES CUNNINGHAM, Esq., & JOHN G. GUBERNATOR, Esq.

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NOW'S THE TIME! Office of the Contractor for the Md. State Lotteries. Baltimore, April 25th, 1831.

BRILLIANT SCHEME: 1 prize of \$10,000 2 prizes of \$200 1 2,000 4 100 1 1,000 8 50 1 600 100 8 1 400 2000 4

CLARK'S, N. W. corner of Calvert and Baltimore Streets, N. E. Corner of Charles and Baltimore Streets, and N. W. corner of Gay and Baltimore Streets, BALTIMORE.

PUBLIC HOUSE. The subscriber has taken that old TRAVELLER'S STAND, (FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY GEO. LASHLELLS.) On the York and Gettysburg Turnpike Road, 5 miles from Gettysburg, and 24 from York.

WANTED. AN Antimasonic Editor and Printer, an enterprising, upright man, to take command of a Free Press, in one of the principal towns of Alabama.

THE SATURDAY COURIER. PHILADELPHIA, APRIL 23, 1831. It is gratifying to learn that the "COURIER" has met with very general favour among our patrons in the neighbouring country, and also in distant states.

THE CASSET, Or Gems of Literature, Wit and Sentiment. We call the attention of the public to the notice below of this valuable publication: EMBELLISHMENTS.

THE SHIPWRECK, or the Hermit of the Rock; illustrated by a beautiful engraving, "The Miniature." The Mexicans in 1830, by a Mexican Citizen. No. I. Mexican Population. No. II. Mexican Politics. No. III. Mexican Resources. The Smugglers, a Nocturnal Adventure. Description of the Bank of England, with a plate. Description of the Bridge and Castle of St. Angelo, the Vatican and St. Peters, Rome.

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