Lewisburg Chronicle.
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To Business Men.—The Lewisburg Chronicle, published on the Cash System, has the largest and best circulation of any Newspaper in Union County.

Pennsylvania Union Nominating Convention. HARRISBURG, Wednesday, March 26, 1856

Democratic National Convention, to nominate President and Vice President. CINCINNATI, Monday, June 2, 1856.

Republican National Nominating Convention. PHILADELPHIA, Tuesday, June 17, 1856

Anti-Slavery American Nominating Convention. NEW YORK, Thursday, June 12, 1856

Pro-Slavery American Ticket.
For PRESIDENT—MILLARD FILLMORE, of New York.
VICE PRESIDENT—ANDREW J. DONELSON, of Tennessee

Pennsylvania Democratic Ticket.

Resolved, That in the repeal of the act known as the Missouri compromise act, and the passage of the act organizing the Territories of Kansas and Nebraska, free from unconstitutional restrictions, the last Congress PERFORMED A WORK OF PATRIOTIC SACRIFICE in meeting the demands of sectional excitement by unshaken adherence to the fundamental law.

Resolved, That we fully endorse the administration of President Pierce as NATIONAL, FAITHFUL, AND EFFICIENT—fully equal to all the important emergencies which the country has had to encounter, and that he has worthily maintained her interests and honor at home and abroad.

Canal Commissioner—GEORGE SCOTT, of Columbia Co.
Auditor General—JACOB FRY, Jr., of Montgomery Co.
Surveyor General—TIMOTHY IVES, of Potter Co.

First Gun in '56!

DOWNFALL OF PIERCE.—The Election in New Hampshire, is the death-knell of the hopes of the President for a re-nomination. Senators and Members of Congress left their seats, and money was spent profusely, to make the first State Election in 1856 result in favor of Nebraskaism. Fortunately, they tho't, it was in the old Granite stronghold of Democracy, and that, too, the home of the President. But even State pride failed. A few thousand votes were thrown away on an impracticable Whig, which prevented a choice of Governor. But the Assembly, Senate, and Council are American Republican, and will re-elect Metcalf. On Senators there were but two parties.

	VOTES.	MAJORITY.
American Republicans had	33,205	—1,562
Pierce Democrats	31,643	
Total vote	64,848	
In 1852, Pierce had	29,997	—13,850
Scott	16,147	
Hale	6,695	
Total vote	53,839	

Thus showing a total increase of 11,009 votes in four years, and a change from 13,850 majority to 1,562 minority. Good-night, Frank!

[Special Despatch to the Public Ledger.]

Decision in Regard to Taxes on Bank Dividends.

HARRISBURG, March 17.—The case of the Commonwealth vs. the Southwark Bank, was decided to-day in favor of the Commonwealth, in Dauphin County Court. Under this decision all banks incorporated prior to 1850, will pay tax on dividends, under act of 15th March, 1849, instead of that of 16th March, as claimed by some banks. ALPHA.

☞ The above is the case referred to by the *Harrisburg Telegraph*, some months since, and noticed in the *Chronicle* of the 11th January last. It will be remembered that the Auditor General allowed the construction of the Banks, and if the State Treasurer had consented, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY THOUSAND DOLLARS would have been lost to the State Treasury. Col. SLIFER, however, refused to concur, and the case went to Court, which, (under Judge Pearson) decided in favor of the Commonwealth—thereby confirming, on a law point, a boat-builder, and against Auditor General BANKS, a Lawyer! Thus, Col. Slifer's firmness and superior judgment have saved the State, in a single item, **$180,000**!! But for himself, individually, that sum would have remained in the Banks, and been kept out of our Treasury!

There are other cases of Col. SLIFER's superior management of the finances, which, with his integrity, and the popularity he has won during six years' sojourn at Harrisburg, have given him much personal strength throughout the State, and render it not improbable that the nomination of Auditor General will be tendered to him by the coming Convention. We are aware that he has repeatedly declined the use of his name, believing that his family, his business, and his health require him to be more at home; but his acquiescence has been insisted upon by many. Well will it be for the tax-payers of our Commonwealth, if so faithful a sentinel be placed at the outer door of their Treasury!

Had at the Outset.

A Ratification Fillmore meeting was held in Philadelphia, 12th inst., at which it was resolved to make the approaching election for Mayor, &c., a test of their strength. Some very foolish speeches were made, H. M. Fuller leading off. Jacob Broom, M. C., said:

"The anti-Nebraska men, he was told, are going to leave the American party. *He thanked God for it.*"

A Mr. Baker (half-baked, probably) said:

"He thought that if Senator Seward was hung up as high as Haaman, he would only get what he deserves, and the deed would extort from the Goddess of Liberty but a smile."

With such leaders, it is no wonder that out of a few Slavery-infected districts the nomination of Fillmore is received coldly by all intelligent and thoughtful Freemen.

☞ THE NEW YORK TRIBUNE, since its prominent antagonism to the Nebraska iniquity, has attained a circulation doubtless beyond any mere Newspaper in the world. It now issues 372,000 copies per week—as follows:

Daily,	30,000—total	180,000
Semi-Weekly,	16,000—total	32,000
Weekly,	160,000	160,000
		372,000

UNION OF FREEMEN for the Sake of the Union.

Anti-National Administration State Convention.

Pursuant to notice, a meeting of citizens of Union county was held, at which the various opposition parties were represented. J. P. ROSS was chosen Chairman, and S. F. LYNDALL, Secretary, when on motion it was unanimously

Resolved that we recommend as a Delegate to the proposed Union State Convention at Harrisburg, O. N. WORDEN, with power to appoint a substitute.

Resolved that in appointing a Delegate without opportunity of previous consultation with other parts of this district, it is with the understanding that he have discretion so to arrange with any others who may be appointed, as to secure the most effectual representation of this Senatorial and Representative district in the State Convention.

MR. KUNKEL'S SPEECH on the Kansas question, receives the highest encomiums from all quarters. A citizen of Union county visited Washington the day after the delivering of the speech, and writes to us: "Everybody appeared to be talking about KUNKLE's great speech, made on Monday. I was proud to be able to say that he was our Representative. I talked with some good judges of what a speech should be, and all appeared to think Kunkle's the best speech of the session. I heard STEVENS of Georgia attempt to reply, but he could not measure up to JOHN, yet he made as good a speech as could possibly be made on that side of the question. He is really an able and an eloquent man, though of a very singular personal appearance. If you could imagine how a man would look who had died of some lingering disease that had wasted away all his flesh, and after death been embalmed, and then dried for ages until his skin became a dried parchment, you would have some idea of his ghostly, death-like aspect. Yet his speaking charms you, and as he warms up with his subject, his voice, at first so unearthlike, becomes musical, clear, and sharp as the peal of a silver bell."

Pennsylvania Legislature.

March 10.—Mr. Sellers read in place a supplement to the act incorporating the Lewisburg, Centre & Spruce Creek Railroad company.

Mr. Strouse presented a remonstrance from citizens of Union and Lycoming counties against the location of a State road in said counties.

March 11.—Mr. Phelps read in place an act to incorporate the borough of Milton.

Mr. Zimmerman read in place an act to incorporate the Chillisquaque Boom Company. Also an act granting to certain persons the exclusive rights of landing seines and nets on a certain part of the beach of the Susquehanna river.

March 12.—Mr. Sellers read in place a bill relative to public roads in Union county.

March 13.—Mr. Strouse reported as committed an act to provide for the completion of the Sugar Valley and White Deer turnpike road.

Mr. Salisburg reported as committed an act to change the place of holding the general and township elections in West Buffaloe Tp. Union Co.

HOUSE.—Mr. Irwin, from the Committee on Banks, made a written report against chartering any new Banks or Savings Institutions, or re-chartering old Banks which did not keep their notes at par in Philadelphia, and in favor of re-chartering all the well regulated old banks, but restricting their circulation to notes of ten dollars, as the lowest denomination.

The Commitees of Conference on the Liquor Bill have been increased by the addition of two to each, but had not perfected their labor at last accounts.

The Appropriation Bill was progressing through the House. The Liquor League men added a large sum to Common Schools, to be taken from the anticipated increased revenue from the new Liquor Law.

☞ A DREADFUL ACCIDENT occured on the Delaware river, between Philadelphia and Camden, about 9 o'clock on Saturday evening last. The ferry boat New Jersey attempted to reach the Camden side, but was delayed by ice, when suddenly a fire broke out on board, and she was turned for Arch St. on the Philad. shore. When within a few feet of the wharf, she became unmanageable, and drifted off from shore, when some passengers threw themselves into the river to avoid the flames, and were drowned, while others escaped in various ways. There was supposed to be over 100 souls on board, of whom near one half were rescued, and there have been 19 bodies recovered, leaving about 40 now missing. Such a number burning and drowning within a few feet of the shore of a populous city, was indeed heart-rending.

The Right Way.

We have before us the Montrose *Republican*, containing the Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of Susquehanna county for 1855. We see by it that *not one dollar is due from Collectors*, even for 1855, on State or County Taxes. The amount received was $15,508 87, and the *Exonerations* only $266 33. Here is a lesson for other counties. Susquehanna is not a rich county, but she has a *system* of compelling every collector to settle within the year; and the result is, no claims outstanding, and the per centage of losses by this prompt settlement only 1½ per cent. Money and trouble and anxiety would be saved if all counties would copy their example.

Mayor Conrad, of Philad., has declined being a candidate for re-election.

News, via California.

A shock of an earthquake occurred at San Francisco on the 15th ult., and caused some slight damage. It was felt throughout the State.

The appointment of Mr. McDuffie as U. S. Marshal of the Northern District, has caused much indignation. He is charged with being a professional gambler, and strong petitions have been signed for his removal. It is supposed that Pres. Pierce has been imposed upon, or made the appointment by accident.

The Indians are still committing outrages in Oregon and Washington territories. Numerous volunteer companies are mustering to act against the marauders.

The question in relation to a State Government for Oregon is to go to the people by a special election, to be held in April.

CENTRAL AMERICA.—Gen. Walker has seized all the boats belonging the Transit Company, and after annulling the charter, has granted a new charter to another Company. It is said that Costa Rica has not received Col. Schlessinger, and there is strong opposition there to the foreign party in Nicaragua. Col. Kinney has published a letter in substantiation of his claim in Central America.

FROM JAPAN.—The Schooner Page, arrived at San Francisco from Japan, has most distressing intelligence. It reports that the city of Jeddo was destroyed by an earthquake on the 11th of November. It is estimated One Hundred Thousand houses were demolished, burying about *Thirty Thousand* inhabitants beneath their ruins.

Affairs in Kansas.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—A gentleman just arrived from Kansas, reports that Gov. Shannon occupied twelve days in reaching the border of the territory from St. Louis. In consequence of the obstruction of navigation by ice, he was three full days detained on the river bank.

The Free State Legislature had assembled before Gov. Shannon reached the place of meeting.

The gentlemen above alluded to has no doubt, judging from information obtained there, that before now the officers of the new government have been arrested by the Federal authorities.

ST. LOUIS, March 18.—The Democrat has a letter from Topeka, dated the 8th, stating that the Legislature, of Kansas, had elected Gov. Reeder U. S. Senator on the first ballot, and Mr. Lane on the second. Each received 38 votes. Fifty-six members were present.

☞ Francis P. Blair, whose renunciation of the Democratic-Slavery party is an important event in political progress, was a great favorite of Gen. Jackson. On a certain question being broached to the old General, when he was President, he exclaimed:

"What does Frank Blair think? for I'd give more for his opinion than the whole cabinet's, with the Supreme Court thrown in!"

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APPEALS.

STATE and County Taxes.--Pursuant to law, we the undersigned, Commissioners of Union county, Pennsylvania, hereby give notice to the taxable inhabitants of, and all others owning taxable property or effects whatsoever within the said county, taxable either for State or County purposes, that an APPEAL, for the benefit of all interested, will be held for the several Townships and Boroughs within the county, as follows:

For NEW BERLIN Boro, at the house of M. Kleckner, on Monday the 7th of April.
For JACKSON Tp, at the house of M. Kleckner, New Berlin, on Tuesday the 8th of April.
For LIMESTONE Tp, at the house of Peter Wehr, on Wednesday the 9th of April.
For HARTLEY Tp, at the house of Wm. Elliott, on Thursday the 10th of April.
For MIFFLINBURG Boro', at the house of Cha's Crotzer, on Friday the 11th of April.
For WEST BUFFALOE Tp, at the house of J. Dockard, Mifflinburg, on Saturday the 12th of April.
For BUFFALOE Tp, at the house of James M'Creight, on Monday the 14th of April.
For KELLY Tp, at the house of James Lawson, on Tuesday the 15th of April.
For WHITE DEER Tp, at the house of James Adams, on Wednesday the 16th of April.
For EAST BUFFALOE Tp, at the house of George Wolfe, on Thursday the 17th of April.
For UNION Tp, at the house of Henry Gibson, on Friday, the 18th of April.
For LEWISBURG North Ward, at the Commissioners' Office, on Saturday, the 19th of April.
For LEWISBURG South Ward, at the Commissioners' Office, on Monday, the 21st of April.

When and where all persons and corporations, who shall feel themselves aggrieved of the enumeration and value made of their taxable property and effects, pursuant to an Act entitled "An Act to establish a uniform mode for the value of property and assessment of taxes," approved the 15th day of May, 1841, are requested to attend and state their grievances for redress according to law.

All the above Appeals will be held between the hours of 9 o'clock, A.M., and 3, P.M.

GEORGE SCHOCH,
RICH'D V. B. LINCOLN,
JACOB HUMMEL,
Commissioners.

Attest: A. KENNEDY, Clerk.
Commissioners' Office, Lewisburg, March 7, 1856

RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURES of UNION County, by the Commissioners and Treasurer of said County, from the first day of January, 1855, to the first day of January, 1856—Henry Solomon, Esq., Treasurer.

County Rates & Levies for the year 1855, showing the amount Charged, the amount Received, Abatement on State Tax, Commissions, Exonerations or Allowances, and Balance due.

DISTRICTS. COLLECTORS.	Amount Charged. State	Amount Charged. County	Abate't S. Tax.	Amount Rec'ved. State	Amount Rec'ved. County	Commissions. State	Commissions. County	Exonerations. State	Exonerations. County	Balances Due. State	Balances Due. County
Beaver Tp—Reuben Klose	$1140,61	590,02	21,62	531,00	210,00	57,05	29,35	30,48	16,18	500,48	323,89
West Beaver—Simon Kerstetter	643,20	336,87	10,08	337,50	191,00	31,16	16,84	9,73	5,14	254,73	122,89
Buffaloe—Samuel Baus	1926,21	974,77	54,83	1442,80	719,00	96,31	48,73	6,19	8,55	326,05	198,49
East Buffaloe—Bnj Winegarden	1083,34	555,46	30,97	994,67	523,88	54,16	27,77	3,51	3,81		
West Buffaloe—O P Katherman	869,42	455,26	39,37	771,23	203,44	43,47	22,76	15,35	11,89		217,28
Center—Daniel Showers	425,52	220,76	8,90	237,00	91,00	21,27	11,53	1,87	2,04	156,88	120,19
Chapman—C. Kerstetter	537,40	310,95	9,03	207,15	265,00	26,87	15,54	5,05	9,00	199,30	21,26
Franklin—Israel Bauchman	882,02	455,19	22,52	786,35	373,00	44,10	22,80	10,99	8,06	17,85	52,33
Hartley—J. T. Smith	1459,80	765,34	51,95	1161,54	340,37	72,99	38,26			176,32	386,71
Jackson—Michael Oldt	711,81	365,21	24,73	538,32	295,00	35,60	18,16	63	1,07	114,04	45,98
Kelly—Wm. Nagle	1211,92	605,22	52,50	1081,57	563,32	60,59	30,26	17,26	11,64		
Lewisburg, N.W.—A. Kennedy	518,35	296,44	24,07	465,87	272,66	25,91	14,82	1,90	8,97		
do S. W.— do	535,99	278,81	24,67	478,24	255,43	26,79	13,94	9,19	8,44		
Limestone—Tho's V. Barber	775,52	395,27	38,75	695,23	224,77	38,77	19,76	4,77	4,21		146,53
Middlecreek—Joel Bilger	345,52	180,47	13,17	292,17	102,00	17,27	9,02	3	47	22,88	68,98
Mifflinburg—A. B. Gotshall	394,16	219,14	11,58	285,65	178,00	19,70	10,95	3,63	3,64	7,60	26,55
New Berlin—Jacob Horlacher	425,84	206,89	14,43	328,55	163,00	21,29	10,34		1,44	59,57	32,11
Penns—Jacob Erdley	1703,04	882,08	50,53	1531,00	357,61	85,15	44,10	4,88	3,71	21,88	476,66
Perry—John Krebbs	651,98	251,11	15,75	385,00	120,00	32,58	17,55	69	1,55	217,98	112,01
Selinsgrove—Jer. Crouse	640,62	242,69	12,41	236,50	88,00	32,03	17,13			359,68	237,56
Union—Joe Engle	622,53	327,42	21,26	570,00	277,62	31,12	16,37	12	2,19		31,24
Washington—Ludwig Arbogust	826,14	435,87	22,99	570,00	150,00	41,20	21,79	67	2,59	291,22	261,49
White Deer—David Merkley	925,28	479,75	17,58	435,00	123,31	46,26	23,98	4,37	6,38	451,07	326,08
	$19,255,89	10,045,99	599,02	14,364,24	6188,40	961,71	502,35	132,29	121,53	3197,72	3237,41

Delinquent Collectors.

Districts. Collectors.	Year.	State T.	County T.
New Berlin—George Diehl*	1851		$20,54
Union—Wm. M'Pherson	do	43,92	155,94
West Buffaloe—Hayes pr W Ruhl	1853	8,98	66,54
Hartley—Wm. Fisher	do	209,20	222,89
Perry—Peter Troup	do	20,42	5,11
White Deer—Joel Ranck*	do	152,22	109,73
East Buffaloe—Henry Mertz*	1854		272,51
West Buffaloe—Wm. Rule	do		17,08
Center—Henry Musser	do	145,13	38,48
Washington—Henry Summers	do	83,05	125,78
White Deer—Aaron Smith	do		26,27
*Since paid in part.		$792,92	1000,46

ITEMS OF EXPENDITURE.

Auditors' Pay for 1855.

Auditors for making County Settlement for 1854, including Clerk	$37 00	
John Swineford for auditing accounts of Prothonotary and Register and Recorder's office	4 50	
J. B. Linn for auditing Prothonotary and Register & Recorder's office for 1855	4 50	
		46 00

Assessors' Pay.

Assessors for their services in 1855	186 87	
do Triennial Assessments for 1855	415 59	
		602 46

Election Expenses.

Spring Election, held March, 1855	420 58	
General Election, held October, 1855	435 85	
		856 43

Scrubbing Court House.

Joseph W. Ewing, scrubbing Court House, Public Buildings, &c., per contract	17 25

Attorney's Fees.

S. Weirick, Esq., salary as Comm'rs' Attorney	35 00

Prothonotary's Office.

Samuel Roush's fees for 1855	253 86

Register & Recorder's Office.

Wm. O. Hickok, one Deed Book, 14 quires	20 00	
J. W. Pennington, recording 24 deaths	2 40	
		22 40

Court Expenses.

Jurors' Pay and Mileage, viz.		
Grand Jurors, February Term	65 48	
Traverse do do	208 37	
Petit do do	190 37	
		564 62
Grand Jurors, May Term	65 88	
Traverse do do	286 88	
Petit do do	198 25	
		551 00
Grand Jurors, September Term	91 57	
Traverse do do	307 25	
Petit do do	34 75	
		433 57
Court Cryer's wages for February Term	24 00	
do do May Term	24 00	
do do September Term	22 00	
		70 00
Tipstaves or Constables for attending Court, February Term	35 00	
May Term	37 50	
September	22 50	
		95 00
Constable's mileage and making returns to February Term	22 63	
May Term	21 76	
September	22 91	
		67 30

Road Orders issued by Court.

Robert Candor and others during the year	279 50

Fox Scalps.

Joseph Painter and others for fox scalps	127 50

State Costs.

Costs paid in cases of Commonwealth against the following persons, viz.		
Patrick Casey	4 00	
Search, Hutchinson, M'Gregor, and others	31 49	
E. Gembering and W. Geistweit, Dec. Ses. '55	3 00	
George W. Kantz	16 12	
Gutelius, Eyer, and Gundy	86 72	
Daniel Strouse, Sept. 1853	3 43	
Rogers and Long	1 55	
John Sanders	1 41	
David Betlion vs Geo. Long, Sept. Ses. '55	1 10	
James Wolfe	56	
		150 00

Road Damages.

John Houseworth, damages for opening road thro' his land in Chapman township	10 00	
Peter Minium and John Fox, damages for opening road thro' their lands in Buffaloe Tp	13 00	
		23 00

New Bridges, and Repairs of Old.

Thompson and Fisher, for lumber, labor, and repairs at bridge across Penns creek near Yocum's mill	4 50	
Thompson and Fisher, for making new wing wall at bridge across Penns creek, per contract	165 00	
A. M. Lawshe, for M. Chappel, filling in bridge at Lewisburg	5 00	
Jacob Straub, for filling in bridge across Middlecreek in Washington Tp	1 50	
Leibkicher and Baus, for labor and repairs at New Berlin bridge	5 12	
Thompson and Fisher, for making new wing wall and other repairs at bridge across Penns creek near Yocum's mill	10 00	
Simon Oldt, for making repairs at bridge across Middlecreek, in Beaver Tp	2 50	
Samuel Ewing, Esq., in part of third and last payment for building new bridge across little Buffaloe creek, in Kelly Tp	175 00	
Samuel Ewing, Esq., last payment in full for building bridge in Kelly Tp	58 34	
Samuel Ewing, Esq., for 1833 feet 3 inch plank for floor of bridge near Wolfe's mill above Lewisburg	27 66	
George Gilbert, for making repairs at wing walls at bridge at Kline's mill in Middlecreek	1 00	
App & Son, for materials for bridge across Penns creek and Middlecreek	175 97	
Jos. & G. W. Kelly, for 5513 feet oak plank for bridge near Wolfe's mill, at $14 per thousand feet, board measure	77 18	
Nathaniel Moyer, for building a new pier to bridge across Penns creek at Long's in Penns Tp, 127¾ perches, at $1,25 per perch, per agreement	287 44	
Philip Gembering, for hauling plank, labor, and repairs at bridge across Buffaloe creek near Wolfe's mill	53 37	
Peter Boalich, for materials, labor &c. at bridge across Middlecreek below Selinsgrove	149 03	
Peter Boalich, for same across Penns creek	273 32	
Wm. Rule, for repairing bridge at Rockey's, West Buffaloe	3 12	
Jacob Rafich, for repairing bridge across Middlecreek, at Kremer's mill	24 53	
John Nesbit, for making draft Buffaloe bridge at Lewisburg	5 00	
Ab. Eisenhower, for repairs bridge in Franklin Tp	5 00	
Ab. Snyder, for labor, lumber, &c. for bridge across Middlecreek in Franklin Tp	44 84	
Christian Millhouse, for repairing bridge	47 87	
Hiram Hendricks, for repairing bridge at Benfer's	10 00	
Ch's Kraus, for filling wing wall at two bridges across Middlecreek, near Wetzel's, Middlecreek Tp	34 82	
Ch's Kraus, for filling wing wall at Kline's mill, Middlecreek Tp	55 91	
Daniel Zieber and others, for 11 340 feet oak plank, new flooring two bridges across Middlecreek, laying plank	195 10	
John Schock, for filling bridge in Franklin Tp	6 25	
Henry Solomon, repairs New Berlin bridge	1 50	
Dr. S. L. Beck, in full for ground for filling in at bridge across Buffaloe creek, in 1853	37 50	
		1943 38

Sheriff's Fees.

John Kessler, Sheriff, his bill for boarding prisoners, commitment and discharge of P. Casey, J. Bell and others	75 40	
John Kessler, Sheriff, fees for conveying Pat. Casey and Ellen Casey to the Eastern Penitentiary	124 00	
John Kessler, Sheriff, his bill for putting up handbills for Spring election for Union county Division	40 00	
John Kessler, Sheriff, for selecting, drawing, and summoning Jurors for Feb., May, and Sept., wood, &c.	100 70	
John Kessler, Sheriff, for boarding prisoners, &c.	15 88	
		355 98

Public Buildings, &c.

George Hummel, for one load pine wood for Court House, &c.	1 12	
David Mauck, 2¼ tons coal and hauling, and boards	13 99	
M. Bartlett, repairing Jail wall	1 50	
		16 61

Coroner's Inquests.

Wm. G. Herrold, Esq., for holding inquest on dead body of Lucius F. Smith, 18 July, '54	13 37	
Wm. G. Herrold, for holding inquest on the body of an unknown German drowned in the Canal	15 37	
Jacob Ribblet, Esq., inquest on body of a child in the Canal near Selinsgrove	13 12	
John A. Mertz, Esq., for holding inquest on the dead body of a child found in sink hole in Lewisburg on the 10th of Nov. '55	11 18	
		52 04

Jail Expenses.

Ed. Benner, hauling 2 tons coal from river	2 50	
Jos. Shafer, for holding prisoner P. Casey on taking him to the Penitentiary	1 50	
David Mauck, for 1 ton coal and hauling wood	5 75	
David Mauck, coal and wood for Jail	11 59	
		21 34

Commissioners' Office.

Isaac Leitzel, late Commissioner	123 62	
John D. Romig do	140 50	
Adam Stickler do	119 50	
A. J. Peters, Clerk to do	229 89	
J. R. Cornelius, for sundries, stationery, &c.	4 75	
John Swineford, Esq., qualifying Commissioners and sheriff, previous to selecting and drawing Jurors for '55	50	
J. R. Cornelius, bill for paper, Purdon's Digest, &c.	12 88	
Robert Swineford's bill for paper, pens, and one ream large office paper (? 50)	9 94	
J. R. Cornelius' bill for paper, ink &c. for Prothonotary's, Register's and Commissioners' offices	18 25	
C. D. Roush's bill for sealing wax for '53, '54, and '55	1 44	
E. Wilson, bill for candles, pasteboard &c.	6 50	
J. D. Bogar, for merchandize	13 21	
M. Kleckner do	3 11	
J. R. Cornelius, one ream paper, &c.	4 52	
E. Wilson, merchandize	2 25	
M. Kleckner do	1 59	
Jas. Mauck, 4 lbs. candles	75	
		693 20

Miscellaneous.

H. K. Ritter, agent of Lycoming Mut. Ins. Co. Assessment No. 11 for insurance of Public buildings, Jail, and Lewisburg bridge over Buffaloe creek	22 40	
H. D. Maize, postage up till Oct. 25, '55	2 48	
M. Kleckner, costs in case of self vs Samuel Moyer for a tract of land sold as the property of Jn Moyer at tax sale in '42. Arbitrated	63 23	
S. Weirick, redemption money on a tract of unseated land sold in mistake	7 23	
Wm. Elliott, tax, costs and per centage on two tracts of unseated land illegally sold as the property of Henry Weirick	13 95	
C. Pleasants, Esq. money refunded on tract of land sold as property of Henry Weirick	6 41	
Jacob Reichly, tax, costs &c. on two tracts of unseated lands, refunded	15 35	
Frank. Spyker, agent of Lycoming Mut. Ins. Co., Assessment No. 12, public buildings	22 40	
H. Miller, for serving notices on Collectors of Snyder county	10 00	
Rathfon and Forrey, redemption money	5 73	
		169 22

County Printing.

John H. Winter, printing as per contract	20 00	
O. N. Worden (for '54) do	10 00	
Merrill & Smith do	62 50	
A. J. Peters do	20 00	
Worden & Cornelius do	20 00	
Sam'l Gutelius, successor of Merrill & Smith	31 25	
do do do last pay't	31 25	
		195 00

Contested Election, &c.

Wm. G. Herrold and others, witnesses, costs for contesting Election, Union vs Snyder	325 27	
Israel Gutelius, Winters, and others, publishing Proclamation, Specifications, &c. in relation to Division and contested Election	272 00	
		597 27

Agricultural Society.

Rob't H. Laird, Treas. Ag. Soc., am't allowed by law, '54,	100 00	
do do do '55,	100 00	
		200 00

Commissioners for running County and Township Lines.

John Schrack and others, running Division line of Hartley Tp	46 00	
Ner Middleswarth and others, running Division line between Union and Mifflin counties	171 00	
James Madden and others, running Division line between Union and Snyder counties	240 99	
		457 99

Orders issued Dec. Term, 1855.

Jurors' pay and mileage, viz.		
Grand Jurors, December Term	92 50	
Traverse Jurors do	234 13	
Henry Aurand and others, witnesses in the case of Com'th vs Henry D. Rodearmel	35 86	
Geo. Searls and others, Com'th vs Jas. Wolfe	6 69	
John Hertz, for three glass and glazing in the Comm'rs' Office	62	
Geo. Rohland and others, Constables, for making returns, Dec. Sess.	8 61	
Geo. Rohland and others, Tipstaves, Dec. Sess.	20 00	
Benj. Shall, Court Crier, 6 days	12 00	
Salladé, witness Com'th vs Rodearmel	3 82	
Jacob Hummel, Commissioner, on account	33 00	
R. V. B. Lincoln do do	27 00	
A. Kennedy, Clerk for Comm'rs, to Dec. 31, '55	20 29	
		493 77
TOTAL amount of Orders issued		$9,694 26
Orders No.'s 145, 149, 153, 156, 157, 183, 185, 190, 196, and 200, amounting to $21 28, charged in Contested Election suit between Union and Snyder counties, which yet remain outstanding and unpaid, making total amount of Orders PAID		9,673 10

WE the undersigned Commissioners of the County of Union, hereby submit the foregoing account of the Receipts and Expenditures of the said County, for the year A.D. 1855, as correct and true.

GIVEN under our hands at the Commissioners' Office in the borough of Lewisburg, the 10th day of January, A. D. 1856.

JACOB HUMMEL,
RICH'D V. B. LINCOLN,
COMMISSIONERS.

Attest: A. KENNEDY, CLERK.

Treasurer's Account—1855.

Henry Solomon, Esq., Treasurer, in account with Union County, **Dr.**

1855.	To Cash received of Delinquent Collectors, viz. for the year 1854 and previous years	$4413 42
	To Cash received of Collectors for 1855	6188 40
	To amount of Tax received not assessed in duplicates but voluntarily paid	1 96
	To amount of Tax entered in Commissioners' Office against various persons (on real property)	28 26
	To amount of Taxes allowed but afterwards paid	38
	To Cash received of S. Roush, Prothonotary, fines and Jury fees	40 00
		$10,672 42

Cr.

By amount of Orders issued by Commissioners during the year 1855, and paid	$9,673 10
By balance due Treasurer at last settlement	826 95
By am't of counterfeit note rec'd of A. Kennedy	5 00
By am't of Commission of 1¼ per cent. on $10,672 42, paid to Treasurer during 1855, allowed as compensation	133 40
Balance due County by Treasurer	9 97
Interest allowed Treasurer for money advanced the County	24 00
	$10,672 42

1856, Jan. 7. Balance due County by Collectors of 1854 and previous years	$1,000 46
Balance due County by Collectors of 1855	3,237 41
Balance due by H. Solomon, late Treasurer	9 96
Balance due County, Jan. 7, 1856	$4,247 83

WE the undersigned Auditors of the County of Union and Snyder, having carefully examined and audited the foregoing accounts of the Commissioners and Treasurer of said county, DO find and report the said account of Receipts and Expenditures, and Treasurer's account, for the year 1855, true and correct as stated.

In Witness Whereof, we the said Auditors have hereunto set our hands, at the Commissioners' Office in the borough of Lewisburg, this 10th day of January, A. D. 1856.

LAIRD HOWARD, JOHN SCHRACK, A. THOMAS, — AUDITORS OF UNION COUNTY.
H. W. SNYDER, NER MIDDLESWARTH, FRANCIS A. BOYER. — AUDITORS OF SNYDER COUNTY.

Administrator's Notice.

WHEREAS, Letters of Administration to the estate of BENJAMIN SHOEMAKER, late of the township of Buffaloe, county of Union, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment; and those having claims against the same, will present them duly authenticated for settlement, at my present residence in East Buffaloe Tp, and at my residence in West Buffaloe Tp after 1st of April.—Feb. 21, 1856

pd HENRY NOLL, Administrator.

TAKE NOTICE!

THE Partnership under the Firm of J. HAYES & CO. having closed on the 10th of September last—We would respectfully request all persons having unsettled accounts with the above Firm to call upon the subscribers and settle them without delay.

HAYES, GOODMAN & CO.

James B. Hamlin,
ATTORNEY at LAW,
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Real Estate.

FOR SALE,

A new two-storey BRICK HOUSE in a desirable situation on North Third St., Lewisburg. For particulars, inquire of the subscriber, residing in it.
4w622 HENRY BENNER.

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AT Private Sale.---The undersigned offers for sale that corner lot property, situated in Smith's addition to Lewisburg, 60 feet front, (adjoining the Botanic Garden,) on which is erected a two-storey Brick House, a convenient Barn, and good Well of water. Persons wishing to purchase the above desirable residence, can call on Mr. JOHN HOUGHTON in the absence of the proprietor H. R. NOLL.
Lewisburg, Feb 25, 1856

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To suit purchasers, on reasonable terms.

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The Farm contains about 55 acres, of which 18 are cleared, and has on it a Two Story Log House, a Log Stable, Spring of Water, and Fruit trees of various kinds. It adjoins lands of John Hummel and Jacob Hartman, about 1½ mile from Guldin's Store, in White Deer tp., Union Co., Pa.

The above property is offered at Private Sale, by the subscriber,
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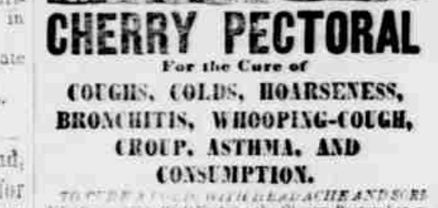

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