

From the Weekly Pilot.

The Artifices of a Desperate Demagogue.

We would call the attention of the public to the following correspondence. Those who have read the Globe, will have noticed that at paper has been, from day to day, copying extracts of violent political articles, abusive of Gen. Harrison, from one of the papers of Illinois. Among other charges, it was asserted, that Gen. Harrison had written a confidential letter intended to conciliate the Abolitionists of that State. The local disputations growing out of this controversy, has suggested to some of Mr. Van Buren's partisans the importance of giving them an opportunity to prepare a letter suited to that meridian. Hence they have addressed him a series of interrogatories so framed as to enable him to make responses to catch the popular sentiment; but much as his partisans have declaimed against General Harrison's silence, and carefully as the interrogatories are framed, that they can draw from him is that he will reply in "full season for the object that they have in view." That is, if he finds it his interest to send them a letter, just on the eve of the election, he will do it, inasmuch as the object of these interrogatories is to advance his political interest. But he avails himself of this occasion to endorse the statement of the Globe, that there was a spurious copy of Holland's Life of Van Buren circulated in Illinois, carefully avoiding, for the present, at least, all answers to the interrogatories themselves. Who could have believed that the high office of President of the United States, would ever have been so degraded? We do not hesitate to say that no spurious copy of Holland's Life has been published. And we assert this, because the genuine copy proves that any opponent could wish to prove;—since no one but a partisan of Mr. Van Buren, would ask for any other edition. The following is the correspondence referred to:

DANVILLE, ILL'S. May 23, 1840.

MR. VAN BUREN, President U. States:
You are now before the people of the United States for re-election. We claim it, as the privilege of Citizens to propose for your consideration and answer, the following interrogatories:—
1st. If re-elected, should a bill pass Congress abolishing slavery in the District of Columbia, would you approve the law?
2d. Do you approve of pre-emption laws?
3d. Did you, or not, as a member of the Convention of Amendments for amending the Constitution of the State of New-York, vote against a proposition to restrict the right of voting to white citizens?
4th. Did you, or not, vote in the same Convention to allow Negroes who were worth two hundred and fifty dollars the right of voting?
5th. Did you, or not, advocate, in the same Convention, a property qualification as necessary for all electors?
6th. Did you, or not, in the same Convention, propose and advocate the appointment of Justices of the Peace by the Governors?
7th. Have you examined Holland's life of Van Buren, of date 1835; and, if so, is it a faithful and true history of your political opinions?

Respectfully, your obedient servants,
WM. KNIGHT, W. FITHIAN,
J. C. ALEXANDER, GEO. MAY,
MILTON LESLEY, MICHAEL CLINE,
ADAM SULLIVAN, WM. MCKIBBEN,
D. H. REED, SAMUEL PARTLOW,
WM. I. MOORE.

WASHINGTON, June 22, 1840.

Gentlemen,—I have received a letter signed by yourselves and others, propounding to me several questions, to which it is my intention to reply in full season for the object you have in view. One of them is in the following words:—"Have you examined Holland's Life of Van Buren, (of date 1835,) and, if so, is it a faithful and true history of your political opinions?" It has been suggested to me, that spurious copies of this work have been put in circulation in Illinois. It is therefore desirable that you should send me the copy to which your question relates, before I answer it. This I will thank you to do at your earliest convenience. When inspected, it shall be returned to you.
I am gentlemen, very respectfully, your obedient servant,
M. VAN BUREN.
To Wm. Fithian and John C. Alexander.

Monroe County Bible Society.

Pursuant to notice a meeting composed of various christian denominations convened in the Presbyterian church, at Stroudsburg, on the evening of August 10th, for the purpose of organizing a Bible Society for Monroe County.
The meeting was organized by calling Mr. William Henry, to the Chair, and appointing Mr. John Malven, Secretary.
After some remarks by the Rev. James W. Dale, General Agent of the Pennsylvania Bible Society, in reference to the object of the meeting, a Constitution was submitted, which after having been read was adopted. These present having given in their names as members of the society, an election for officers was held, when the following individuals were unanimously selected.
WILLIAM HENRY, President.
Rev. JAMES FLANNERY, Rev. JAMES B. HYND-SHAW, and MICHAEL BROWN, Vice Presidents.
WILLIAM P. VAIL, M. D., Corresponding Secretary.
RICHARD S. STAPLES, Recording Secretary.
DAVID MALVEN, Treasurer.
Managers.—Daniel Stroud, J. W. Burnett, M. H. Dreher, John Malven, D. S. Hollinshead, Case, J. L. Staples, James Morgan, M. D. Cobeson, Stroud Burson.
Smithfield.—Joseph V. Wilson, John T. Bell, Chesnut Hill.—Joseph S. Teel, Daniel Brown, Tobyhanna.—Peter Merwine, Wm. Adams.

Pocono.—Jeremiah Mackey, John Alberson, Esq.
Coolbaugh.—Abraham Yetter, George Tribble. Price.—Peter Heller, John Price, Esq. Middle Smithfield.—John V. Coolbaugh, Thomas Grattan, M. D.

Ross.—Joseph Johnson, Joseph Frable. Hamilton.—John Keller, Esq. Peter Williams. After the election of officers, it was on motion, Resolved, That this Society approves the effort now making to supply the destitute families in Pennsylvania, with a copy of the sacred scriptures, and that we will enter immediately upon the work of supplying the destitute in Monroe County.

Also Resolved, That the clergy of all christian denominations throughout the county be respectfully requested to present this subject before their people, and to form Bible associations or make collections to aid in this object.

After an interesting address by the Rev. Mr. Cox, of the Methodist church, it was

Resolved, That the officers of this meeting, respectfully request the Marshall engaged in taking the census of this county, to co-operate with them in their effort to learn what families are destitute of the sacred scriptures.

Resolved, That the Board of Managers meet on Friday evening next, at the Methodist Meeting House.

Resolved, That a meeting of this Society be held at Stroudsburg, during the session of the September Court; the Board of Managers to notify the particular day and place and speakers, through the papers.

Resolved, That the Board of Managers be requested to adopt immediate measures to obtain additional members and donations to this society, in Stroudsburg and Stroud township; and also to enquire what families within this district are destitute of the scriptures, and to report at the September meeting.

Resolved, That the editors of the County papers be respectfully requested to publish the proceedings of this meeting.

On motion the meeting adjourned.
WILLIAM HENRY, Pres.
JOHN MALVEN, Sec.

MARRIED.

On Tuesday the 18th inst. by J. W. Burnett, Esq. Mr. Martin Walton, of Pocono, to Miss Mary Flowers, of Stroud.

DIED.

In Dutotsburg, on Sunday the 3d inst., of pulmonary consumption, Miss DELILA DUTOR, aged 29 years.

JURY LIST.

Persons drawn to serve as Grand Jurors, for September Term, 1840.

- 1 Jesse Shafer, Tobyhanna.
- 2 John Correll, Ross.
- 3 John H. Kemmerer, Hamilton.
- 4 Charles Lander, Smithfield.
- 5 William Overfield, M. Smithfield.
- 6 Andrew Buskirk, Chesnut Hill.
- 7 Peter Shoop, "
- 8 Joseph Nowman, Hamilton.
- 9 John Anglemeyer, Pocono.
- 10 Charles Saylor, Esq. Hamilton.
- 11 William Newhart, Ross.
- 12 George D. Bowman, Price.
- 13 John Pugh, Stroud.
- 14 Henry Drake, "
- 15 John Shook, "
- 16 Henry Overfield, M. Smithfield.
- 17 John Roth, Price.
- 18 Robert Albertson, Pocono
- 19 Jacob Harps, Hamilton.
- 20 Gideon Burrett, "
- 21 Bidleman Gordon, Stroud.
- 22 Abraham Fetterman, Hamilton.
- 23 John W. Huston, Stroud.
- 24 Jonathan Hartman Hamilton.

Persons drawn to serve as Petit Jurors.

- 1 Edward Hoodmacher, Chesnut Hill.
- 2 Henry V. Bush, Smithfield.
- 3 John Smith, Ross.
- 4 John Klindal, "
- 5 Peter Tribble, Smithfield.
- 6 George Eley, Tobyhanna.
- 7 Jacob Dailey, Hamilton.
- 8 Jacob Mann, Smithfield.
- 9 Francis Delong, Stroud.
- 10 John Place, M. Smithfield.
- 11 William Clark, "
- 12 John Young, Ross.
- 13 John Dietrich, Smithfield.
- 14 Charles Shoemaker, "
- 15 George Houser, Hamilton.
- 16 Charles S. Palmer, Stroud.
- 17 David Ruth, Hamilton.
- 18 Henry Meison, Ross.
- 19 William Frutchey, M. Smithfield.
- 20 George W. Brown, Stroud.
- 21 Peter Shaw, Hamilton.
- 22 Elihu Postens, Price.
- 23 William Wintemute, Stroud.
- 24 Edward H. Walton, "
- 25 Simon Frey, "
- 26 John Mills, "
- 27 David Gregory, Chesnut Hill.
- 28 Jacob Stamer, "
- 29 David West, M. Smithfield.
- 30 John Hoffman, Smithfield.
- 31 Adam Lofar, Chesnut Hill.
- 32 John Smith, Ross.
- 33 Charles Hilyard, Price.
- 34 David Yetter, Smithfield.
- 35 John Hogensheldt, Smithfield.
- 36 Abraham Yetter, Coolbach.

TEMPERANCE MEETING.

The members of the Monre county total abstinence Society, will meet at the Methodist Church, in the Borough of Stroudsburg, on Thursday evening (September 3d.) at 7 o'clock. A general attendance is requested as an address will be delivered.
C. S. PALMER, Sec.
Stroudsburg, Aug. 21, 1840.

PUBLIC SALE.

The Subscriber being about to leave Stroudsburg, will offer for sale on the 1st day of September next, at his shop in this place, a large assortment of well made TIN WARE, all new.—Also, four

TEN-PLATE STOVES,

with the pipe thereof, and a variety of other articles.

Sale will commence at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and continue from day to day, until all his stock on hand is disposed of.

N. B.—As he intends leaving this place, all persons who are indebted to him are requested to call and make payment before the 20th of September; and those having accounts against him are requested to present them forthwith.

JOHN O'CONNOR, Agent.
Stroudsburg, Aug. 21, 1840.

PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, the Honorable William Jessup, President Judge of the 11th Judicial district of Pennsylvania, composed of the counties of Luzerne, Wayne, Pike and Monroe, and Jacob Brown and John T. Bell, Esqrs. Associate Judges of the courts of Common Pleas of the county of Monroe, and by virtue of their offices, Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, and Court of General Quarter Sessions in and for the said county of Monroe, have issued their precept to me, commanding that a Court of Quarter Sessions and Common Pleas, and General Jail Delivery and court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, for the said county of Monroe, to be holden at Stroudsburg, on Tuesday, the 1st day of September next, to continue one week.

NOTICE

Is therefore hereby given to the Coroner, the Justices of the Peace, and Constables of the said county of Monroe, that they be then and there with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices are appertaining, and also that those who are bound by recognisance to prosecute and give evidence against the prisoners that are or shall be in the Jail of the said county of Monroe, or against persons who stand charged with the commission of offences, to be then and there to prosecute or testify as shall be just.

God save the Commonwealth.
SAMUEL GUNSAULES, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Stroudsburg, Pa.
August 21, 1840.

AN AMERICAN SUMMER.

The Weather and its effects.—One day we have 90 degrees of heat in the shade; the next 50. Thus, one day the perspiration is streaming from every pore; the next day all are nearly closed. Even those who have a healthy disposition of body, are subject to sickness under these circumstances.—Therefore to prevent any danger, we ought carefully to guard against a COSTIVE STATE OF OUR BOWELS. Once or twice they must be evacuated in 24 hours. If this is not effected naturally, medicine must be resorted to—BRANDRETH'S PILLS must be taken: then there will be no danger. Do not think that EVERY DAILY use of these Pills will weaken or debilitate! They do not. On the contrary, the functions of the stomach are restored, the bowels cleansed and strengthened; the appetite and digestion improved. And common sense tells us we are better able to withstand continued heat, or sudden changes than we should be, were we oppressed by a load of impure humors in the blood, always the occasion of every variety of disorder. Often a sudden dysentery occurs. Should there be a cause for this, and it does not take place, then, the blood is made the receiver of those humors, which should have been discharged by the bowels. Under these circumstances, which may be known by EXCEEDING DROWSINESS, and great fatigue on the least exertion, vegetable purging must be immediately and energetically practised, or these humors form a lining or deposit in the blood vessels which may produce epilepsy, apoplexy, consumption, &c. &c. It must be, however, borne in mind that even in dysentery and disorders of the bowels, that BRANDRETH'S PILLS are indispensable. They remove those peccant humors which produce these affections, before they have time to produce gangrene or any other fatal effect.

Sometimes the blood is so loaded with humors that it becomes in a fermentation, being that state of the body called fever, which is nothing more than an effort of nature to throw off all offending matters. This is, in fact, a call upon Reason, to assist the natural functions with purging medicine, which, if properly answered, will soon evacuate these foul humors, and restore the body to a state of perfect health.

It is at all times easier to prevent than to cure disease, because by taking a preventive course we do not debilitate the natural functions of the body, but rather strengthen and assist them. The peculiar action of

Brandreth's Vegetable Universal Pills, is to cleanse the blood from all impurities, remove every cause of pain or weakness, and

PRESERVE THE CONSTITUTION in such a state of health and vigor so that casual changes cannot effect it.

DR. BRANDRETH'S Principal Office for the sale of his Pills, is 241, Broadway, opposite the Park, New-York. Philadelphia Office is No. 8, North Eighth street.

Remember the under mentioned are the only authorized agents for the sale of BRANDRETH'S VEGETABLE UNIVERSAL PILLS. Purchase of them only in Monroe and Pike counties.

At Millford, JOHN H. BRODHEAD.
" Stroudsburg, RICHARD S. STAPLES.
" Dutotsburg, LUKE BRODHEAD.
" New Marketville, TROXEL & SCHOCH.
" Dingsman's Ferry, A. STOLL & Co.
" Bushkill, PETERS & LABAR.

Remember if you purchase of any other person or persons in Monroe and Pike Counties you will be sure to obtain a Counterfeit.
B. BRANDRETH, M.D.
August 14, 1840.—ly.

A general assortment of Russia Nail Rods, Band Iron, English Blister, Cast and shear Steel, Roled and Round Iron, for sale by WILLIAM EASTBURN.
Stroudsburg, Aug. 14, 1840.

WORTHY OF ATTENTION.

THE Subscriber not willing to be behind the times, has just received at his Store in the Borough of Stroudsburg, a large and very superior assortment of

Fresh Spring and Summer Goods;

consisting among other things of Chally, Mouslin d' Lains of various patterns, some of which are as low as 30 cts. per yard. A very elegant assortment of Chintzes, Lawns, Dress Handkerchiefs, Silk and Cotton Gloves, Parasols, &c. &c. Also, a good supply of superfine

BROAD CLOTHS,

Black, Blue, Brown, Olive, and other choice colours, being an assortment in which every one may find his choice, both as regards price and quality. Single and double milled Cassimers, Merino Cassimers, summer Cloths, Silk Satin and Marseilles Vestings, Linen Drillings of various styles, &c. &c.

The above goods are fresh from Philadelphia, and were selected to suit the taste and please the fancy of those who may wish to buy at cheap prices, goods of a superior quality.

The subscriber invites his customers and the public generally, to call and examine for themselves, when he will be happy to accommodate them at low prices for cash, or for country produce.

WILLIAM EASTBURN.
Stroudsburg, Aug. 14, 1840.

10 barrels of No. 3. Mackerel, just received and for sale, by

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Stroudsburg, Aug. 14, 1840.

5 boxes Box Raisins, just received and for sale by

WILLIAM EASTBURN.
Stroudsburg, Aug. 14, 1840.

FOR RENT OR SALE,

The house and lot now occupied by Wm. Henry near the village of Stroudsburg, Monroe county, Pennsylvania. Enquire on the premises.

HENRY, JORDAN & CO.
August 7, 1840.—3m

NOTICE.

Take notice that I have applied to the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Monroe, for the benefit of the act made for the relief of insolvent debtors, and that the said Court has appointed the first day of September next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for hearing me and my creditors at the Court-house in the Borough of Stroudsburg.

ADAM RHOADS.
August 8, 1840.

PAINTING & GLAZING.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs the public, that he is prepared to execute all kinds of Plain & Ornamental Painting, Glazing, &c.

at his shop nearly opposite the store of William Eastburn, where all orders in his line will be thankfully received and punctually attended to.

JAMES PALMER.
Stroudsburg, Jan. 15, 1839.

Paper Hanging,

In all its various branches will be punctually attended to.

J. P.

EASTON

UMBRELLA MANUFACTORY.

The subscriber grateful for past favors, would thank his friends and the public generally, for their kind encouragement, and would beg leave to inform them that he is now manufacturing a large assortment of Umbrellas and Parasols which he offers for sale at Philadelphia and New York prices.

Merchants will find it to their advantage to give him a call before purchasing in the cities. He would state that his frames are made by himself, or under his immediate inspection, and that he has secured the services of an experienced young lady, to superintend the covering department.

N. B.—As the subscriber keeps everything prepared for covering and repairing, persons from the country can have their Umbrellas and Parasols repaired and covered at an hour's notice.

CHARLES KING.
401-2 Northampton Street next door to R.S. Chidseys Tin ware manufacturing Establishment.
Easton, July 1, 1840.

FEMALE SEMINARY, AT STRODSBURG.

THE summer term of the above named institution commenced on Monday, the 4th day of May; and is conducted by Miss A. L. FRASER, an experienced and well qualified teacher.

The branches taught at this Seminary, are
Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Geography, Grammar, History, Natural Philosophy, Chemistry, Botany, Logic, Geometry, the French and Latin languages, &c. &c. &c.

The Seminary being endowed by the State, instruction is afforded at the reduced rate of two dollars per quarter, inclusive of all branches.

Having rented the spacious stone building, formerly occupied as the male Academy, the Trustees are now prepared to receive any number of young ladies that may apply, from all parts of the county.

Board, in respectable families, can be obtained on reasonable terms.

From their knowledge of the skill, competency, and success of the Principal, the Trustees, with the fullest confidence, commend the Stroudsburg Female Seminary to the patronage of the public.

JOHN HUSTON, Pres't.
(Attest) Wm. P. VAIL, Sec'y.
Stroudsburg, May 15, 1840.

PROSPECTUS

OF THE

Jeffersonian Republican,

A new Weekly Paper, to be published at Stroudsburg, Monroe County, Pa., and Milford, Pike County, Pa., simultaneously.

'The whole art of Government consists in the art of being honest.—Jefferson.

THE JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN in principle, will be all its title purports, the firm and unwavering advocate of the principles and doctrines of the democratic party, delineated by the illustrious JEFFERSON: the right of the people to think, to speak, and to act, independently, on all subjects, holding themselves responsible to no power for the free exercise of this right, but their God, their Country, and her Laws, which they themselves have created.—A free and untrammelled Press, conducted in a spirit worthy of our institutions, is a public blessing, a safeguard to the Constitution under which we live, and it should be cherished and supported by every true republican. Such, then, it is designed to make the paper now established, and as such, the publisher calls upon the enlightened citizens of Monroe and Pike to aid him in this laudable enterprise. The time has arrived when the Press should take a bold and fearless stand against the evidently increasing moral and political degeneracy of the day, and endeavor, by a fair, candid, and honorable course, to remove those barriers which sectional prejudices, party spirit, and party animosity have reared to mar the social relations of men without accomplishing any paramount good.

THE JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN will not seek to lend or follow any faction, or to advocate and support the schemes of any particular set of men. It will speak independently on all State and National questions, awarding to each that support which its merits may demand, never hesitating, however, to condemn such measures, as in the opinion of the editor is justly warranted, holding as a first principle:—"The greatest good to the greatest number."

Believing that the great principles of democracy are disregarded by the present Chief Magistrate of the Nation, MARTIN VAN BUREN, the JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN, will decidedly, but honorably oppose his re-election to the high and responsible station which he now holds.

It will firmly oppose the "Independent Treasury" Scheme, and all other schemes having for their object the concentration in the hands of one man, and that man the President of the Nation, all power over the public moneys, a power, which, when combined with that vested in him by the Constitution as Commander-in-Chief of the American forces, Military and Naval, together with an enormous official patronage, would render him more powerful than the Executive of the British Nation, and in short make our Government, de facto an Elective Monarchy.

It will ever maintain that the welfare of our Country and the preservation of her Republican Institutions should be the first and only sentiments of our hearts in the choice of our public servants; that honesty, fidelity, and capability, are the only true tests of merit; that all men are created equal, and, therefore, should alike enjoy the privileges conferred on them by the Constitution without being subject to proscription, or coerced by the influence of party.

The columns of the JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN will ever be open to the free discussion of all political questions, believing as we do, that there is no liberty where both sides may not be heard, and where one portion of freemen are denied the privilege of declaring their sentiments through the medium of the Press, because they differ from the majority.

The JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN will ever take a lively interest in the affairs of Monroe and Pike, and of the Senatorial and Congressional Districts with which they are connected.

The Farmer, the Merchant, the Mechanic, and the Laborer, will each find a friend in the columns of the JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN. Due care will be taken to furnish its readers with the latest Foreign and Domestic News, and such Miscellaneous reading as will be both interesting and instructive. In short it is designed to make the paper worthy of an extensive patronage, both from the strictly moral tone which it will ever possess, and the efforts of the editor to make it a good and useful Family Newspaper.

The JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN will be printed on a super-royal sheet of good quality, and with good type.

TERMS—\$2 in advance; \$2.25 at the end of six months, and \$2.50 if not paid before the expiration of the year. No subscription taken for a less term than six months.
RICHARD NUGENT.

DISSOLUTION.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers at Bushkill, under the firm of Wallace & Newman, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books, notes and accounts are left in the hands of Thomas J. Newman. Also all those having demands against said firm will present them to Thomas J. Newman for settlement.

WEBB WALLACE,
THOMAS J. NEWMAN.
Bushkill, June 16, 1840.

N. B. The business will be carried on as usual at the old stand by T. J. NEWMAN.

FOR SALE.

100 Cords of Wood, in lots to suit purchasers. Enquire of HENRY, JORDAN & CO.
June 16, 1840.

JOB WORK

Of all kinds neatly executed at this Office.