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COUNTY MEETING.

A general County Meeting of the Democratic Whig Party of Monroe County, and others who are favorable to the election of HENRY CLAY, to the Presidency, and all who are in favor of a Protective Tariff, will be held at the Public House of John Shively, in the Borough of Stroudsburgh, on TUESDAY the 6th day the cheapest mode of furnishing information to of FEBRUARY next, at 7 o'clock, P. x.

A general attendance is particularly requested as a Delegate will then be appointed to the 4th of March Convention, and a conferee elected to choose a Delegate to the National Convention at Baltimore.

January 18, 1844.

We are indebted to Senator HUGHES, for his polite and early transmission to us, of public documents.

Whig Meeting in Old Northampton.

We have received a letter from Easton which states, that the Democratic Harrison men of Old Northampton, turned out in their old fashioned manner, on the occasion of their County Meeting, on Tuesday last.

The Court House was crowded with the hardy yeomanry, and the best spirit imaginable prevailed. A. E. Brown and John H. Keller, Esquires, were appointed Delegates to the 4th of March Convention, at Harrisburg, with instructions to support the Hon. John Banks, as olutions friendly to Henry Clay, for the Presidency, were also adopted ; and George Weber and Josiah P. Hetrich, were appointed Conferees to meet the Conferees of Monroe, Pike, Wayne, and Carbon, to select a Delegate from this Congressional District, to the Whig National Convention, to be held at Baltimore, in May next. The meeting passed off in the most harmonious manner, and every one felt sanguine of the success of our principles at the next election. Jacob Weygandt, Esq. presided.

Great Luck

Several "fishermen" in the neighborhood of short space of a few hours, caught upwards of Twenty-five Hundred, fine, fat "suckers." No that, certainly.

Legislature of Pennsylvania. Correspondence of the Daily Chronicle

HARRISDURG, Jan. 12, 1844. IN THE HOUSE Petitions were numerously resented on various subjects.

L. Wilson, (late Clerk to the Board of Canal tion of the same message has been referred. monwealth.

Mr. Tustin, from the Internal Improvement ties. Committee, reported a Bill authorising the ghany Aqueduct. Mr. Hinchman, from the Committee on Cor-

porations, reported a Bill relative to the Minis- the presentation and reception of petitions. ers, Trustees, &c., of the German Reformed Congregation of Germantown.

Mr. Cummins, of Fayette, submitted a joint Resolution, authorising the members of Senate and House of Representatives, to subscribe for newspapers, not exceeding the sum of \$10, as their constituents. Laid on the table.

The Resolution relative to the Oregon Territory, coming up in order, was read a second and third times, and passed.

Mr. Roumfort's resolution to amend the State Constitution, passed committee of the whole, and was referred to the Judiciary Committee. The Bill to repeal the Act of 1842, which exempts members of Fire and Hose Companies, from performing military duty, was discussed a short time, and then referred to the Committee on Military System.

A supplement to the Chesnut Hill and Phil adelphia Turnpike Company passed second and final reading. Also a Bill to enable the Commissioners of Delaware County to borrow money. Also a Bill to incorporate sundry Baptist congregations, in Chester, Montgomery, and Philadelphia Counties, called the Central Union Association, of Independent, or Congregational Baptist Churches passed committee of the whole and second reading.

A communication was received from the Executive, in reply to a resolution of the House, asking him for the Reports of the Departments, the 4th instant, and several planks were torn the nominee of the party for Governor. Res. son for not sending printed copies of the same -no Clerk hirs as his reason for not giving written copies, and the fact that the Senate was in possession of the originals, as his reason for not sending these. Mr. McManus moved to refer the communication to the Committee on Printing. A warm discussion, opened by the Honorable Speaker, followed, in which Messre. Cooper, McManus and others, participated. The remarks of Mr. Cooper were peculiarly pungent and forcible in exposing the fallacy of the grounds assumed by the Attorney General in his celebrated " opinion," declaring the election of State Printer invalid, because the same took place at an adjourned Session of the Convention.

January 16, 1814.

This morning a message was received from Stroudsburg, started out a few days since, on the Governor, giving his reasons for declining an excursion to Brodhead's Creek, and in the to appear before the Committee of Investigation, in obedience to a subpana requiring him to tes-

The Governor thinks the Legislature have

for its protection.

He argues that if he is bound to attend be-

The Speaker laid before the House a Com- annual message has been referred, then he is suspension of the rules, to allow his colleague munication from the Secretary of the Common- likewise bound to obey the whim or caprice of to explain. wealth informing that he has appointed Thos. any other committee to whom any other por- [Here there was a desultory debate, in which advertisements for the Jeffersonian Republican, Commissioners.) deputy Secretary of the Com- And thus he might be kept in constant busi- others participated, which the Speaker decided ness, to the great detriment of his official du- to be out of order.]

> A motion was made in Senate to discharge suspend the rules. Mayor, &c., of Piusburg to rebuild the Alle- the Committee from the farther consideration of the subject.

> > The House has been principally engaged in

January 17, 1844.

IN THE HOUSE, the morning has been taken up in the presentation of petitions, which are ordered hereafter to be presented only on Mondays and Thursdays; and a Bill authorizing he crection of a house for the employment and support of the poor, in the county of Lozerne, passed final reading.

On motion of Mr. Roumfort, the Committee on Banks was instructed to incorporate the principle of individual liability into every Bank charter reported by them.

IN SENATE, the principal matter worthy of notice is the Report of Mr. Sterigere, from the select Committee, to whom were referred the peitions of certain citizens of Bucks co. asking that the seat of Mr. Chapman may be contested.

The Committee report against the prayer of the petitioners elaborately, and recommend that he Senate take no action on the subject, on the ground that the petitioners have not complied with the law in their application to the fact. It was reported with an amendment. Senate.

Mr. Crabb moved to postpone the subject, he thought it was due to the petitioners to have the Report printed.

Terrible Calamity.

The steamboat Sheperdess on her passage from Cincinnati to St. Louis, struck a snag

WASHINGTON NEWS.

SATURDAY, Jan. 13, 1844. The Senate did not sit to-day. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

After the reading of the journal, Mr. Bidlack presented a resolution in relation to the fine of one can complain of such "fisherman's luck" as no right to demand the appearance of a co-or- General Jackson from the Legislature of the dinate branch of the Government before them, State of Pennsylvania; which was agreed to. any more than that branch has to compel their | Mr. Giddings, of Ohio, rose to a privileged attendance. They are distinct, each possess- question, for the purpose of calling the attention ing its own privileges, which are necessary of the House to an article in the Globe of last evening.

> A difficulty occurred, several members obfore this committee, to whom a portion of his jecting, when Mr. Schenck then moved for a

> > Messrs, Holmes, Thompson, of Miss., and

which were ordered.

The Clerk then called the roll, and the following is the result : Yeas 92, nays 57.

So the rules were not suspended. Mr. Hughes offered a resolution calling upon he Secretary of the Navy for information in Milford on relation to the growth of hemp, which was amended by Mr. Cave Johnson, so as to embrace the lot in this city, and then adopted.

Mr. Wilkins reported a bill in relation to fugittve slaves, &c., in the District of Columbia, county, described as follows. One piece or amendatory of the act now in force-adopted. The report of the minority was also ordered be printed.

Mr. Holmes introduced a resolution calling with upon the Secretary of the Treasury for information in relation to indemnity under the treaty with Mexico.

Mr. Sample introduced a resolution, calling on the War Department for information, which was agreed to.

Mr. R. D. Owen rose to correct the Journal He said, it stated that he reported House bill No. 10, without amendment, which is not the

Mr. Tibbatts gave notice that he would on Monday next, or on some other early day, ask leave to introduce a bill to amend an act, entitled " An act to provide for the better security of the lives of passengers on board of vessels propelled in whole or in part by steam," approved July 7th, 1838.

The Speaker here announced the order of the day-the Report on the Rules.

Mr. Beiser took the floor, and concluded his low land. One other tract surveyed in the name gument, which he commenced yesterday. of John Shields, containing Mr. Cobb made an able and eloquent speech pon the subject, and passed a handsome eulogiam upon the Northern Democracy for the and numbered on Commissioners books 23 --devotion heretofore evinced in favor of South- One other surveyed in the name of Samel Kirern rights, and hoped they would not now de- kendall, containing

Win. Hunter has been found guilty of manslaughter at Sunbury, Pa. for the killing of John Vandling. John Devany and Robert Hunter. charged with the same crime, have not yet been tried.

We see it stated that Daniel O'Connell has ent Mr. Robert Tyler a chair, which has been upwards of 300 years in the O'Connell family. It is made in the antique style of those days, and formed of old Irish black oak, polished in the finest manner.

DIED,

In Stroudshurg, on Wednesday morning the 17th inst., Mr. Joseph Starner, aged about 30 vears.

ACARD.

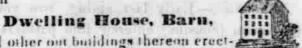
MR. AND MRS. JOHNSON, thankfully acknow!-The question then recurred on the motion to edge the substantial kindness shown to them and family, at the donation party on the 11th Mr. Winthrop demanded the yeas and nays, inst., by their friends of Stroudsburg and vicinity.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be sold at the Court House in

Saturday the 10th day of February next, at 2 o'clock, p. M. The equal undivided one fourth part of all those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in Lackawaxen township, Pike

tract of land containing Two Hundred Acres,

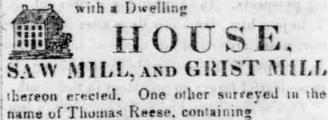


and other out buildings thereon erected, on which is an improvement or Farm of

ONE HUNDRED ACRES

or thereabouts, with Orchard, &c., surveyed on warrant to William Cross. One other surveyed in the name of Thos. Brown, containing

Four Hundred and Three Acres.



111 Acres,

of which twelve (12) acres are improved mead-

Gen. Jackson's Fine.

The Bill, to refund to Gen. Jackson the fine imposed upon him at New Orleans, during the tion when the House adjourned. last war, by Judge Hall, passed the House of Representatives, at Washington, on the 8th of January by a vote of 158 to 28. Those who opposed the Bill, did so on the ground that it contains a censure on the Judge who imposed alleged, was overpaid by "mistake" to John B. the fine. That is the only objection which exists to the Bill, and had it been omitted, it would have passed unanimously. As it is, it has still to pass through the ordeal of the Senate, and we have no idea that that body will agree to censure a Judge who did nothing but what he honestly conceived to be his duty.

A Murderer Executed.

Horn, alias Hellman, the German, who was lately convicted of the murder of his wife, was executed at Baltimore, on Friday last. Thousands of spectators, it is said, were present to witness the end of this murderer of two wives.

Political.

The nominations of James M. Porter, as Secretary of War, and David Henshaw, as Secretary of the Navy, have not yet been acted on him for the annual reports of the Heads of De-It whe Senate, but it is thought that they will partment. not be confirmed.

The Hon. William C. Rives, of Virginia, a pupil of Thomas Jefferson, has published a long letter, in the Richmond Whig, in which could vote to confirm the election of Printer .he strongly avows his preference for Henry Clay over Martin Van Buren.

one of the severest gales of wind, within the recollection of the oldest inhabitants. It commenced blowing very severe about 11 o'clock, A. M. and continued unabated until about 10 P. M. It took off a large portion of the roof of H. S Mort's harn-about one fourth of the roof of R. Eldred's dwelling house, and blew in one of

Mr. Laning summitted a resolution authorising the Speakers of the two Houses to approve the Bonds, which was under considera-

IN SENATE, Mr. Babbitt made his debut as a Senator, and was regularly sworn in. He comes from the 27th Sen. District.

A long discussion was had upon a motion to require re-payment of some \$917, which, it is Bratton, as Printer at the last Session, and the whole subject was finally referred to the Committee on Accounts.

On motion of Mr. Sterigere, the Speaker added the name of Sherwood to the investigating Committee on Printing.

A motion was made by Mr. Crabb instructing the Committee on Banks to inquire into the expediency of removing the obstacles in the way of a resumption of business by the Girard Bank. Yours, dec.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 13, 1844.

In the HOUSE, nearly the whole day was occupied in a discussion upon the question of whether Isaac G. McKinley is duly constituted and elected State Printer; the subject having come up again incidentally, upon a motion to refer to one of the Standing Committees, a communication received from the Governor, in reply to a resolution of the House, calling on

Messrs. Brady of Franklin, and Whitmore of the city, spoke ably on the subject, desiring a full developement of all the facts alleged by the Governor, in relation to frauds, before they

Messrs. Cooper and Rounfort considered the State Printer already entitled to the benefit of a contract with the Government, and it would On Saturday last, Milford was visited with require the proof of fraud to annul it. That he was to be presumed innocent, until proved guilty

> No decision was had on the subject. The Speaker laid before the House the first annual report of the Engineer of the Erie Ca nal Company.

> IN SENATE, a number of petitions were presenled

the windows of the Presbyterian Church. Al- ter of the Commercial Bank of Philadelphia; ing the volk in the shell, put in salt, and mix with chusetts are annually reported to the Secreta-

In a minute or two the water rose to the lower deck, and those who had retired to their berths were thus unexpectedly deluged. A

portion of those on the deck were saved by getting into the yawl, others hastened to the hurricane deck, and the boat drifted down stream when she struck another snag and was thrown on her beam ends on the larboard side. Drifting from this snag she again lurched to the starboard, and at each lurch several persons were washed off and drowned. Many perished with he cold. The hull soon afterwards sunk, and he cabin floated down stream and lodged on a har, from which some passengers were taken by the steamboat Henry Bry. Others were rescued by ferry boats belonging to St. Louis, but the St. Louis Gazette and New Era, estimate the number of lives lost from seventy-five to one hundred. One man lost \$3,000 in money and another thirty negroes. Several children were frozen to death before they could be taken

Fire.

ishore.

A fire broke out on Friday night last at Bear Creek, nine miles this side of Wilkesbarre, and consumed the public house occupied by Mrs. Wagener. It commenced in the second story of the building from a coal grate, and so rapid was the spread of the flames that not an article of furniture was saved. The loss of the highly esteemed landlady, who kept one of the best houses on the road, was very great and will be severely felt.

Important Legal Decision.

The Lewistown Republican says :- An adourned Court of Common Pleas in Franklin, Venango co. on the 23d ult., his Honor, Judge Church presiding, it was decided, that when property had been levied on by an execution from the hands of a Justice of the Peace, and a bond given and the property returned to the defendant, according to the provisions of the law passed in 1842, to prevent the property from being sold for less than two thirds of its value, it was still liable and might again be levied on by another execution on another udgment.

the friends of the late Charles Ogle have brought suit against the propagators of the libel upon his character, (by the fabrications lately published of tions concerning his celebrated speech in the thing to it." House of Representatives in 1840.) The result of the suit cannot fail to establish the detestable falsehood of the statements, which the National Intelligencer had some time since occasion to expose, concerning Mr. Ogle's speech.

Important Remedy for Cancers.

Colonel Ussay, of the Parish of De Soto, informs the editor of the Cado Gazette, that he has recommended to him by a Spanish woman, a native der the present administration.

Mr. Crabb reported a Bill to extend the char- legg and break it, then pour out the white, retain-

The morning hour expired, and the Speaker presented several Executive communications, which were appropriately referred.

Mr. Adams moved to suspend the rules to allow the debate on the rules to continue, ob- and numbered 20. One other in the name of ections being made-the House, on motion of Mr. Cave Johnson, went into Committee of the Whole, Mr. Winthrop in the chait

ength in favor of the improvement of the Wes- in the name of John Scott, containing tern waters, and in favor of Western interests. Mr. A. Stuart moved that the committee rise.

The Speaker took the Chair. Mr. Burke asked the leave to withdraw from the files of the House certain papers in relation to a private claim, which was granted.

Mr. Cave Johnson introduced a resolution calling upon the Secretary of the Navy for information for the reasons why the call in August, 1842, had not been answered before.

Mr. Campbell objected, and said that the resolution cast a reflection upon the Secretary. Mr. Cave Johnson then moved a suspension of the rules; which was decided in the negative. A desultory debate here took place between Messrs. Weller, C. Johnson, and others, which was inaudible. The House then adjourned.

Governor of Pennsylvania.

ngton county, having been much entreated to of land, situate, lying and being in the townreconsider his refusal to be considered as a candidate for the office of Governor, has declared that he will in no possible contingency allow his name to be used for that office; and lows, viz: No. 109, surveyed on a warrant has desired the editor of the Washington (Pa.) Reporter to reiterate this deliberately formed and irreversible determination.

The Cincinnati Enquirer says :

"The Whig doggerelists are at work again, and such music as we will hear next fall, we may never hear again."

To which Prentice replies :

"Such music as you will make next fall may never be heard again. The music of a pig hung in a gate, of a puppy held up by the ear, his pretended death-bed declarations and retrac- or of a cat suspended by the tail, will be no-

> GOVERNOR OF OHIO .--- The Whig State containing Convention of Ohio have nominated David Spangler, of Coshocton, as the Whig candidate for Governor.

DEPUTY SECRETARY .- Thomas L. Wilson, Esq., late Secretary of the Canal Board, has fully tested a remedyfor this troublesome disease, been appointed Deputy Secretary of State un-

The births, marriages, and deaths in Massa-

409 ACRES.

227 ACRES.

and numbered 21. One other surveyed in the name of Philip Nicklin, containing

449 ACRES,

Abraham Ball, containing

439 ACRES.

Mr. Jameson took the floor, and spoke at and numbered 38. One other tract surveyed

107 ACRES.

One other in the name of Joseph Rust, con-

227 ACRES,

and numbered 22.

laining

Seized and taken in execution as the property of William R. Holbert, at the suit of William Overfield, and will be sold for cash.

JAMES WATSON, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Milford, ¿ January 16, 1844.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be sold at the Court House in Milford on

SATURDAY THE 10th DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT, The Hon. T. M. T. McKennan, of Wash- at 2 o'clock, P. M. the following described trac's ship of Lackawaxen, in the county of Pike, and state of Pennsylvania, and numbered on the Commissioners books of said county, as tolgranted by the state of Pennsylvania to Abraham Bachman, containing

406 Acres and 88 Perches.

with an allowance of six per cent. ALSOanother tract of land No. 110 surveyed to Dauiel Heister, on a warrant granted as aforesaid, containing

Four Hundred and Five Acres, with allowance. ALSO ---- an equal undivided half part of a tract of Land containing THREE HUNDRED ACRES. surveyed to Jacob Gutshalk, and numbered 116. and joins the last mentioned tract. Also, a certain tract of land surveyed to William Cram.

401 Acres and 86 Perches,

and numbered 117, and joins the last mentioned tract, together with the appurtenances. Seized and taken in execution as the proper

y of David Beecher, and will be sold by mo or cash.

JAMES WATSON, Sherid Sheriff's Office, Milford,) January 16, 1944. §

JOB WORK

We learn from the Bedford (Pa.) Enquirer that

of the country. The remedy is this .- Take an

