

### JEFFERSONIAN REPUBLICAN

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FOR GOVERNOR, PETER S. MICHLER,

OF NORTHAMPTON.

# Whig State Convention.

A State Convention, to be composed of Delegates from the city of Philadelphia and the several counties equal to their representation in the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, 9th day of MARCH next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of selecting candidates for Governor and Canal Commissioner to be supported by the Whigs and the friends of the Protective Policy at the next ensuing election, and to transact such other business as may not be held until November, 1848, and the Gobe deemed important to the success of the Whig

> J. P. SANDERSON. SAMUEL D. KARNS, JOSEPH KONIGMACHER, MORTON McMICHAEL, GEORGE ERETY. H. JONES BROOKE, THEO. D. COCHRAN, JAMES FOX, JAMES MARTIN. WILLIAM BUTLER, J. J. SLOCUM, JOHN R. EDIE, EDGAR COWAN, JOHN B. JOHNSON, WM. J. HOWARD, Whig State Committee.

The proceedings of the meeting held in Pike county, were received too late for insertion in this week's paper. They will appear in our

#### The County Meeting.

turn out of our political friends on the occasion. torily contested.

### The Lady's Book.

The February number of Godey's Lady's Book is a gem. It contains no less than nineteen beautiful illustrations, some of which are executed by the best artists in the Union .--Among the others is a splendid Mezzotint Fashion Plate, the first of the kind ever executed in America-it alone is worth double the price of the number. The reading matter is excellent, and has twelve extra pages.

Godey's reprint of Blackwood, and the London Ladies' World of Fashion, are continued, and improve with each succeeding number.

# Columbian Magazine.

This famous New York monthly, for February, has made its appearance, and is equal to the very best of its predecessors.

NEWSPAPER LETTERS .- Mr. J. Brown, 2d Ass't. P. M. General, in a letter to the Boston Transcript, states that publishers of newspapers may transmit their bills for subscription due, free of postage, according to the provisions of Sec. 156 of Post Office Regulations.

# Later from the Army.

We have dates from Tampico to the 14th icans before them for many miles.

off, though the Mexican soldiers seen in the ging a well in the Lower part of Lownds coundesert between Saltillo and San Luis, to de- considerably before they were aware what i stroy the water tanks in case the American ar- was. After they discovered it was a human his men were killed.

were at San Luie.

Prentice says there are Whigs enough going to Mexico to whip the Mexicans, and a suffilocofocos.

The Legislature of New Jersey, on Thursday of last week, re-elected the Hon. J. W. MILLER, U. S. States Senator.

MORE " AID AND COMFORT."- A resolution was offered in the Missouri Senate on the 8th inst., for firing twenty-nine guns in honor of Palo Alto, Reseca de la Palma and Monterey: and rejected by the unanimous vote of the Locofocos! Will Mr. Polk have these negative voters tried under the second section? --- Balt. Patriot.

#### Iowa.

says:--- The Legislature of Iowa failed to meet Ohio, Mr. Thurman, had last session, made a in joint session on the 5th inst. to elect Senators in Congress. The election stood adjourned rated many extracts from the federal papers to that day, but the Loco-Foco members of the published during the last war with England .-Senate, fearing the result, refused to meet the As all the papers which he quoted from were House in joint session, and it is now probable from two States, namely, Massachusetts and will be held at Harrisburg, on TUESDAY, the that no election will take place at the present Pennsylvania, he inferred that he had been fur-

will be without Senators for two years to come, because the next session of the Legislature will Messrs. Buchanan and Bancroft. vernor cannot make temporary appointments, cancies can be said to have taken place.

lowing statement in the St. Louis New Era:

attempt at bribery was made by S. T. Marshall, and who held a seat in Mr. Polk's Cabinet .-committee of investigation was appointed and Buchanan's of Lancaster, Pa. Marshall taken into the custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms.

day, Mr. Olmstead moved to amend the Jour- on to show that the so called democratic party, nal, so as to exclude Mr. King's statement (!) was spotted all over with Federalism, it was to This was refused; not, however, without a be found in its ranks in every one of the North struggle, the vote being 17 for and 19 against ern and Middle States; and commencing with the motion.

By reference to a call in to-day's paper, it and pending the inquiry, Marshall was taken and active formerly in the federal party. But will be seen that a Whig County Meeting will from the custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms, by a it was said, he remarked, that these men had be held in Stroudsburg on the 23d instant, at writ of habeas corpus. issued by one of the Su- all repented; he never knew of their changing which a Delegate will be appointed to the Har- preme Judges. The power of the Judge to or- their principles or renouncing their former docrisburg Convention. We hope to see a fair der the discharge in the case is most peremp- trines.

> how anxious are the Loco-Focos to deliver the sort of a people they used to be thought; nameguilty and to stifle all inquiry into the guilt.

> stands in a very equivocal position in relation their country at the north, for their country's to this inquiry. At any rate the Hawk Eye re- good. [Much laughter.] It was probable they

> "We believe on the highest kind of testimo- tuous set of folks in the world. ny that Gen. Dodge's real friends have offered bribes to several members of the Legislature, to induce them to vote for Dodge as U. States cially Mr. Sawyer of Ohio, who voted for the Senator."

> Flour in New York, a few days since, sold at \$7 per barrel, and wheat at \$1 50 per bush- He referred to the causes assigned by the Presel. The spirit of speculation was rife.

Ten first class ships have been chartered a New Orleans by the U. S. Government, to proceed to the Gulf. These, with the fifteen chartered previously, have been engaged at an average rate of from \$15,000 to \$22,000 piece, which will make the round sum of be tween \$225,000 and 330,000 for their three months service.

# Petrified Human Body found.

We gathered the following facts from a gen-Gen. Taylor and Gen. Quitman had en- tleman of intelligence and undoubted veracity, be relied upon as substantially correct.

neighborhood of Saltillo are now supposed to ty, Ga., within about a mile of the Florida Line, have been the advanced party of some 1,500 or the workmen found a human body, completely 2,000 men kept in position on this side of the turned to chalk. They had mutilated the body my should move in force in the direction of body, they succeeded in getting nearly or quite San Luis. Gen. Taylor had sent forward Col. all the parts. Our informant with several other May to examine the mountain pass between gentlemen of the vicinity visited the spot, and Monte Morales and Labradores, and on his re- examined it carefully. They say there is not turn he took another pass leading to Lenares, the least doubt of its being a human body .where he was attacked by a large body of the There were several teeth still remaining in the enemy, and his rear guard cut off by rolling jaw, and the appearance of three having been stones down into the pass. Col. May's loss extracted while the subject was living. The had not been ascertained, nor whether any of body when found was imbedded in a stiff clay about thirty feet from the surface. The sur-Generals Taylor and Paterson with 6,000 rounding country is a flat pine forest, heavily men were at Victoria; Butler Wool and Worth, timbered, no stream of water of any magniwith 8,000, at Saltillo. The Mexican force in tude within ten miles. Our informant was the field is said to be 50,000 - 30,000 of whom strongly of opinion that this body had belonged Cooper and Guager, I vacant. to one of the antediluvian race .- Albany (Ga.)

Sweet or Olive Oil is said to be certain cure cient number remaining at home to whip the for the bite of a Rattlesnake. Apply it internally and externally.

We commend the following extract of a recent letter of " Oliver Oldschool," to the attention of certain editors who indulge in the ridiculous practice of stigmatizing the Whigs as " Federalists:"

"A very sharp, cutting, pungent speech was made in the House upon the navy appropriation bill, by Mr. Culver, of New York, who waked up his adversaries and greatly amused his political friends, and occasionally the other side. Mr. C. undertook to repel the charge of federalism, enumerating a host of old federalists in different States who are now whitewashed The St. Louis Republican of the 16th ult democrats. He said that the gentleman from speech upon the war, in which he had incorponished with them by the two members of the If this should be the result, then the State Cabinet from those States, who must have been familiar with those papers; he alluded to

But Mr. Culver said there were some things which had escaped the gentleman's noticeas, the office never having been filled, no va- federal doctrines which he would now supply him with. He would read him some extracts We stated yesterday that Marshall who stood from an oration delivered by one James Buaccused of bribery had been liberated by ha- chanan, at Lancaster, Pa., on the 4th of July, beas corpus. On this subject we find the fol- 1815. The author of the oration bore the same name and came from the same place as the The statement of Mr. King, upon whom the gentleman who was now so famous a democrat, was placed on the Journal of the House. A He did not know that there were two James

Mr. Culver then read several extracts from the oration, which attracted no little attention After these proceedings, on a subsequent from both sides of the House. He then went Maine, he went through the States, mentioning The Committee proceeded to inquire into the many of the most active and prominent politifacts, and while the Committee were so engaged cians of that school, who were as prominent

Mr. Culver then adverted to the war and its The whole history of the business shows causes; spoke of the people of Texas, what ly, a lawless, roistering, drinking, gambling, It is well known that Gen. Dodge's name bowie knifing, repudiating set of men, who left had now become the most staid, sober and vir-

> Mr. C. spoke of the course and votes of some of the members upon the other side, and espe River and Harbor Bill, but who when Mr. Polk vetoed it, had not the courage to stand up against the executive, and so voted against it next time. ident in his last annual message, for the war. namely, because she did not pay us what she owed our citizens: charged Mr. Polk with telling only a part of the story, and suppressing important facts. He then stated the condition the negotiations were in between this country and that of Mexico at the time Mr. Tyler entered into the intrigue with Texas which broke off those negotiations.

But if non-payment of debts constituted cause of war, what would become of those Polk States, Mississippi, Arkansas, Illinois and Texas.

Appointment by the President without the adtered Victoria on the 9th ult., driving the Mex- who was an eye witness; they may therefore vice and consent of the Senate. - Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna, to be Lieutenant General and The Mexican army is believed to be not far A few weeks since, while engaged in dig- Commander-in-Chief of the Mexican forces .--The appointment, though not confirmed by the American Senate, has been agreed to by the Mexican Congress, -- and all the other accomplished and skilful officers whom the President admitted to Vera Cruz, with the Mexican lead er, have been in like manner accepted by Mexico .-- [Troy Whig.

#### Occupation of the Members of the Legislature.

A friend, says the Harrisburg Daily Intelligencer, has furnished us the following for pubication, which may interest some of our readers 51 Farmers, 12 Lawyers, 5 Merchants, 4 Carpenters, 3 Surveyors and Scriveners, 3 Blacksmiths, 3 Doctors, 3 Printers, 2 Cabinet makers, 2 Innkeepers, 2 Shoemakers, 1 Tinsmith, I Conveyancer, 1 Saddler, 1 Miller, 1 Artist, 1 Teacher, 1 Tailor, 1 Stone Mason, 1

Hollow Horn---Where supposed to exist feed half peck potatoes twice a week, and treat your caule kindly in food and shelter.

Toads are the best protection of Cabbages against lice.

#### Indian Disturbances.

Accounts from the Upper Missouri River state that a battle took place on the 16th of December, near Council Bluffs, between a band of Sioux Indians and a band of the Omahas, in which sixty of the latter were killed before the conflict terminated. The Sioux had a few days before murdered a number of Omaha women and children whilst the men and marriors were a lodge of the Omahas was attacked by a party of the Ayonas, and four men killed.

#### A Thrilling Scene.

The Baltimore Sun tells an exciting story of a young gentleman of that city, who unexpectedly became the hero of a startling scene, a few nights since. It appears the gentleman's wife was sick, and awakening in the night, the lady aroused the husband, and requested him to hand her some medicine, which had been left on the table. Unfortunately, the lamp had gone out, and he was, it seems, lying upon his left side, and the table directly before his face; accordingly, extending his right hand to feel for the bottle, he placed it upon the hand of a man upon the table. With admirable presence of mind, he instantly tightened his grasp, and firmly holding on, at once called out-"There's a man in the room!" His wife screamed, and cried aloud for assistance upon others in the house, unwilling to move; while her husband, feeling the risk of moving from his position, and unable to turn, so as to get at a loaded pistol beneath his pillow, shrewdly enough, however, exclaimed sternly to the man-" If you dare to move, I'll blow your brains out." The noise accasioned by such an occurrence, with the crying and screaming of one or two children in the room, who had been woke up by it, soon brought in two or three of the other members of the household, with lights, when our McPherson, thence along the same south thir. excellent friend was discovered holding in the ty-seven degrees west one hundred and fifty vice-like grip of his right-his own left hand, eight perches to a stone on the line of land now which had been stretched out on the table, and rendered insensible by the interception of the circulation caused by the pressure of his head. thence along or (nearly so) the courses of the With his daring and presence of mind, at marvellous discount, the gentleman slid under the blankets to enjoy his laugh by himself.

OLD BRINE --- If sweet and good, and has kept your old pork good, it will keep the new without boiling. If the brine is full of matter which ing it has received from the old pork, it cannot extract the best juices of the new, and is quite as

### MARRIED.

On the 28th ult., by John Heller, Esq, Mr. James B. Shuman and Miss Eleanor Smith, all of Lehman township, Pike county.

# DIED,

In Stroudsburg, on the 4th inst., after a lingering and painful illness, Sarah Hasbrouck, in the th year of her age.

In Ross township, Monroe county, on Tuesday the 3d inst., Mrs. Frantz, wife of Jacob Frantz, Esq.

# WHIG COUNTY MEETING.

The Democratic Whig citizens of Monroe county, are requested to assemble in general County Meeting, at the Court-house in Stroudsburg, on TUESDAY the 23d of February inst. at half-past six o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of appointing a delegate to the 9th of March Gubernatorial Convention, and attending to such other matters as may be considered of advantage to the Whig cause. February 4, 1847.

#### CHEAPEST IN THE WORLD! Steam Refined Sugar Candies, namely: 12 1-2 Cents per pound, Wholesale.

J. J. RICHARDSON, No. 43 Market street, Philadelphia, takes pleasure in informing the public, that he still continues to sell his very SUPERIOR STEAM REFINED CANDY at the low price of \$12,50 per 100 pounds, and the quality is equal to any in the United States.

He also offers all kinds of goods in the Confectionary and Fruit line at corresponding low prices, as quick sales and small profits are the can possibly be had elsewhere. From our exorder of the day.

to be satisfied. Don't forget the number, 42 your interest. MARKET STREET, PHILADELPHIA. J. J. RICHARDSON.

August 27, 1846.

# SOAPS.

Fine scented Soaps for washing and shaving Philadelphia, Aug. 27, 1846. -also the celebrated shaving cream, for sale JOHN H. MELICK. cheap, by Stroudsburg, January 1, 1846.

### English and German Prayer Book for Children.

The subscriber has just published an edition of a new book calculated for the juvenile reader, bearing the above title. It is intended for families and Sabbath Schools. For sale at the the hours of 10 A. M. and 7 P. M. of said day. office of the Republican, and by the publisher the house of Joseph J. Postens, in the Borough at Bethlehem. Price per dozen \$1,25 -- single of Stroudsburg, when and where all persons in copy 12 1-2 cents. JULIUS W. HELD.

October 30, 1845.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Pluries Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Pike county, to me directed, will be sold at public vendue, or outery, on

Monday the 15th day of February, 1847, at 1 o'clock, P. M., at the Courthouse in Milford. in said county, all those two certain tracts of land, situate in the townships of Lackawaxen and Palmyra, in the county of Pike and State absent on a hunt. Four days before this event of Pennsylvania, one of them surveyed on a warrant granted to Jonas Seely, containing

# Eight Hundred Acres,

more or less; about forty acres of which is improved land, with a

#### Frame House, and FRAME BARN thereon erec

ed; being the premises upon which Solomon Westbrook now resides. The other, a tract surveyed on a warrant granted to-Robert Sms Hooper, containing 402 Acres and 53 Perches,

with the usual allowance for roads, bounded on the north-east by land surveyed to William White, Elizabeth Chapman, Thomas Bullman and others, with about two acres of improved land, and a small

Frame House and Barn, and a Sawmill thereon erected. The above tracts taken in execution as the property of Solomon Westbrook. ALSO:

A messuage or tract of land situate in the lownship of Delaware, in the County and State aforesaid, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a large oak tree standing on the bank of the River Delaware, marked on three sides, being the original corner of William Allen's survey, and also a corner of land now or late of Daniel W. Dingman, north fortyeight degrees west fifty-six perches to a stone heap for a corner, thence north thirty-seven degrees east sixty-two perches to a black oak tree. also a corner of Nathan Emory's land, thence along the same north 47 degrees west one hundred and sixty-eight perches to a stone on the line of land taken up in the name of William or late of Garret Brodhead, thence along the same south forty-six and a half degrees east one hundred perches to or near the main road, said road south thirty-seven degrees west thirty-six perches to a stone, thence along the line of Soferine Westbrook's (now Margaret Westbrook's) land south forty-five degrees east one hundred and twenty-four perches to the aforesaid River, thence up the same the several courses thereof to the place of beginning, contain-

## 212 ACRES,

being the same tract of land which Solomon Westbrook, the elder, conveyed to John Westbrook in fee by deed dated the 17th day of April 1819, excepting and reserving out of the same eight acres on the north corner sold to Nathan Emory, and three acres on the east side being woodland sold to the heirs of Soferine Westbrook, deceased, upon which is about

100 Acres of Improved Land, with a two story

FRAME HOUSE, Two Barns and a Wagon House thereon erected. Taken in execution as the

property of John Westbrook. The above described property will be sold

to the highest and best bidder for cash only. LEWIS ROCKWELL, Sheriff. Sheriff's office, Milford, Dec. 19, 1846.

### Great Bargains, in Hats and Caps, At the old established

CHEAP HAT & CAP STORE No. 196 Market St., 2d door below Sixth, PHILADELPHIA.

We extend a general invitation to the citizens of Monroe, and its vicinity, as well as to all others, to our Store. We have on hand a large and complete assortment of Hats and Caps of every style and variety, which we are selling full one-fourth lower than the usual prices,

Extra superior Beaver Hats, from \$2,50 to \$3,50 2.00 to 3.00 Brush . Silk 1,25 to 2,00 Moleskin " 2,50 only,

Good Hats as low as \$1,25 and upwards. A so, a complete stock of Caps, cloth, fur trimmed, glazed, silk oil cloth, velvet and fancy Caps; fine Otter, Shetland Fur Seal, Musk Rat, Hait Seal Caps, &c. &c., at lower prices than they tensive sales, we can sell for a smaller prent Call or send your orders, and you cannot fail than others can. Call and be satisfied, it is Merchants, Storekeepers, Hatters and others.

usual price \$4.

who buy to sell again, supplied on reasonable terms. Be sure and call at No. 196 Market Street, second door below Sixth Street.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphan's Court of Monroe county, to examine, resettle and make distribution in the matter of the account of Jonas Hanna, Administrator o the estate of Elizabeth Michael, late of Middle Smithfield township, Monroe county, deceased. will attend to the duties of his appointment of Monday the 8th day of February next, between terested may attend.

SAMUEL S. DREHER, Auditor

January 7, 1847.