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FOR GOVERNOR, PETER S. MICHLER, OF NORTHAMPTON. Subject to the decision of the 9th of March Convention

Wing State Convention.

A State Convention, to be composed of Delfrom the city of Philadelphia and the egales several counties equal to their representation in the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, will be held at Harrisburg, on TUESDAY, the 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 be deemed important to the success of the Whig cause.

> 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 County Meetin

#### Matters at Washington.

The three million Bill, to enable the President to purchase a piece of Mexico, was discussed in both houses without final action. Mr Calhoun, on Tuesday, delivered his views in relation to the Mexican War. He is in favor of abandoning all offensive operations, and establishing a line from the Rio Grande up that River to El Passo, and thence to the Pacific, near the head of the Gulf of California. This he would hold subject to a treaty of peace .-

This could be held with five regiments; and by establishing custom houses at the Mexican ports, he would collect enough revenue to pay the expenses of this plan.

In the House an effort was made to expe the reporter for the Union; but failed by a vote of 11 to 131. He had reported the remarks o members incorrectly, and it was believed by some intentionally so.

On Saturday, a resolution that had been pending for several days, in the Senate to expel the editor and reporter of the "Union," for gross abuse of Senators in the columns of that paper was taken up.

Mr. Westcott addressed the Senate at grea length; and gave as his impression, that the ar ticles in the Union were the result of a preconcerted attack by the administration upon Mr Calhoun. The attack of Mr. Turney yesterday confirmed this impression, and it was Mr. W.'s belief that the democracy of this administration consisted in nothing more than "loaves and fishes," from Lieut. General down to a mere second lieutenant. If the people of the United States were only aware of the corruptness which exists at the seat of government, they would tumble the President and his departments, the Congress, and the whigs and democrats, heels over heads, together, into the Potomac, and they would do right.

Mr. Mason opposed the resolution, as abridging the freedom of the press and as a violation of the constitution.

#### I. O. of O. F. At a special meeting of Fort Penn Lodge, No. 134, of the I. O. of O. F. held at their hall in the Borough of Stroudsburg, 12th inst., the following preamble and resolutions were adopted, and or- ult. and arrived on the 10th tost. making her dered to be published.

Whereas the N. G. having announced to of the I. O. of O. F. of Middletown Lodge, ject of Ireland.

N. Y which happened on the 11th inst. at this place, who whilst on his way from Milof our Borough, was visited with an apoplectic fit. He was received at the Hotel of Mr. Hollinshead, in a state of insensibility, in which he remained, notwithstanding all the efforts of medical skill and the kind attention of Mr. Hollinshead and family, until he expired at 2 o'clock P. M. In his death we are furnished with another instance of the mournful truth "that in the midst of life we are in death " Therefore, Resolved That although the dec'd ple of Ireland. was an entire stranger, still he was our Brother, that the members of Fort Penn Lodge, No. 134, do most sincerely and deeply regret this dispensation of Divine Providence in the sudden death of a worthy member of our order. and cannot refrain from an expression of our sympathy for the widow and relatives of the

Resolved, That a committee of four of our order be appointed to render every necessary assistance in conveying the remains of our deceased Brother to his family and friends at Port Jervis.

deceased.

Resolved, That the thanks of this order, are due to Stroud J. Hollinshead and his family for their kind attention and particular regard 10 the deceased, in administering every comfort that humanity could demand and sympathy suggest during his brief and mournful illness-and it is a source of gratification to assure his be-

FOREIGN NEWS. Arrival of the Sarah Sands.

This new Steamer left England on the 20th passage in 21 days.

Parliament was opened on Tuesday, Jan'y our order the sad intelligence of the sudden 19th, by the Queen in person. The speech death of JOSHUA L. WENTWORTH, a member from the throne is chiefly devoted to the sub-

The European Times say :

The ports are probably to be immediately o ford, travelling by stage, and within four miles pened for the free admission of foreign corn of every kind, by which the duty of four shillings sterling will be abolished. The navigation tion and sale of certain property belonging to laws are to be suspended, by which corn wil be admitted in vessels of every nation : and sugar is to be allowed in distilleries.

> These measures will be carried, as the protectionists have promised to give them their support. They have been forced from the Government by the awful condition of the peo-

certain that no supplies of oats (the staple arti- thoroughly aroused. The issue they make is cle of the shipment to the South) can be ex- " Ser O no ser"-" to be or not to be." pected that article being worth quite as much, if not more at Edinburgh, than in the London market.

England, Ireland and France, notwithstanding city of Mexico, affairs there requiring his prethe immense quantities shipped from the Uni- sence. ted States.

The corn and provision markets in England and Ireland are exceedingly animated, and prices are still kept-up at the extreme rates quoted by previous arrivals.

In consequence of the high price of malt, the London brewers have raised the price of male liquors; and gin, rum and whiskey have also advanced considerably. Bread has also ad vanced 11d being charged for the 4lb loaf. An office has been opened in London to grant letters of marque and reprisal, according to decrees of the Mexican Government against the United States: Three privateers have, i is said, already been despatched. The rates of Insurance on American vessels have in consequence been increased. Trade in the Mauufacturing districts of England remains in a very dull state.-Most of the mills were working short time, on account o the very high price of cotton.

#### IMPORTANT FROM MEXICO.

Hypothecation and sale of the Church Property -Santa Anna reported to have been shot by his Soldiers-Distress in the Mexican Army -Great Excitement.

Telegraphic Correspondence of the Pa. Inquirer. Washington, Feb. 9.-8 P. M.

The Southern mail of this evening, brings the Picayune Extra, of the 2d inst., containing news from Anton Lizardo to the 20th ult. Letters received state that the Mexican Congress on the 9th, after a stormy debate, approved the first section of a bill authorizing the Government to raise fifteen millions by the hypothecathe Church. Santa Anna opposed this, and it is rumored that his opposition so exasperated his soldiers, that they had shot him.

This report needs confirmation, but many circumstances render it not improbable. The army was in great distress.

The passage of the law created the greatest excitement in Mexico. The churches were The advices from Scotland are of a similar closed, and every indication of mourning and character to the reports from other parts of resistance evinced by those who support the the kingdom. Not only wheat, but all spe- religious establishments. The Mexican Concies of corn, is rapidly rising there ; and it is gress and Mexican press everywhere appeared

It is stated on the authority of dates not so late as contained in the Picayune extra, that Santa Anna had withdrawn 15,000 men from Food of every kind is scarce and dear in San Luis and marched with them towards the

#### **Public Plunder.**

We learn that Mr. Power, the new Whig Canal Commissioner, has discovered the most enormous frauds upon the public works. Take a single item. The collectors on the Columbia Rail-road have returned about \$2,600,000 bushels of salt, as western freight. Salt pays less toll than almost any other article, and dry goods and other articles, paying double toll, are weighed and returned as salt. Now the whole amount of salt actually transported from Philadelphia does not exceed 600,000 bushels-the balance returned is a fraud upon the Common-

We call the attention of our Whig friends to the meeting which is to be held at the Court House, on Tuesday evening next. We hope to see as many of our little band of Monroe Whigs there, as can possibly make it convenient to attend. It is not often that they are called upon to give their attention to matters of so much importance as at present. The Convention which is to assemble at Harrisburg, on the 9 h of next month, and to which a Delegate is to be appointed by this meeting, will have to business. We, therefore, once more call upon our friends to turn out. Several distinguished speakers from a distance, it is understood, will be present and address the meeting.

#### Sudden Death.

A stranger died in Stroudsburg, on Thursday afternoon last, under the following peculiar circumstances. He left Milford on the morning of that day in the Stage, in apparently excellent health and spirits, and ate a very hearty breakfast at Bushkill. When about four miles from this place, he complained of feeling unwell, and requested that the curtains of the Stage might be raised. He then attempted, with the assistance of a passenger, to take off his coat, but whilst doing so he fell down inensible, and never spoke afterwards. As soon as the Stage reached Stroudsburg, he was taken into Hollinshead's Hotel, where every care and attention was paid to him, but without avail. The physician who was called in declared his case to be apoplexy, and declared it to be hopeless. From letters, on the person of the deceased, it was found that his name was JOSHUA L. WENTWORTH, and that his home had been at Port Jervis--where he has a wife living. Some friends of his, at that place, on receiving information of his death, came here and took his corpse home on Saturday. When those friends reached Stroudsburg, they made it known that the deceased had been a member of the Order of Odd-Fellows; whereupon, the Lodge here, immediately convened, passed appropriate resolutions, and made the necessary arrangements for performing their last sad duty to a departed brother. They accompanied the corpse out of town, in procession, when it left. It was the intention of the deceased to spend some time in this place, in taking Daguerreo. No. of Districts type likenesses. Mr. Hollinshead and family Accepting Districts deserve great praise for their kindness and attention to the stranger previous to his death, Scholars and for the preparation for his funeral, which Cost of teaching per quarter he made before it was known that his friends would come to claim him. Such disinterested conduct will not soon be forgotten.

We see that there is a religious denomina-

1848, there will be a political denomination

The debate was continued pro and con, by Mr. Butler, Huntingdon, Yulee, Hannegan, Archer, Calhoun and others.

It was finally decided by a vote of 27 to 21 that Mr. Ritchie be expelled.

The reporters were spared by the withdrawal of the resolution relating to them.

In the House, the venerable John Quincy Adams appeared, and was introduced to his seat by Mr. Johnson, who has occupied it since nominate candidates for Governor and Canal the commencement of the session. Mr. J. con-Commissioner, to be supported at the ensuing gratulated Mr. Adams on his ability to resume election, besides transacting other interesting his seat in the House; and expressed a gratification at complying with the declaration made at the time the seat was selected, that he would surrender it immediately on the appearance of the venerable member from Massachusetts.

> Mr. Adams replied to the courtesy of Mr. Johnson, and expressed a high sense of pleasure at the manifestations of respect and esteem bestowed upon him by members of all parties, who were crowding around to welcome his return.

> A message was received from the President asking provision to be made for the appointment of field officers under the ten regiment bill .---Mr. Polk recommended a tax on tea and coffee, and a reduction in the price of public lands, in order that liberal provision might be made for the vigorous prosecution of the existing war with the republic of Mexico. He likewise recommends the acceptance of the continued services of the volunteers already in the army in Mexico, whose term of service may expire prior to the cessation of hostilities.

> He refers to the protracted refusal of the Mexican Government to accept proffers of ar honorable peace, and to the measures general ly which have been adopted, and remarks that it is necessary that our arms in that quarter should be reinforced to their fullest extent.

The message was long, and on various sub jects, all tending to forward the prosecution o the war

On motion of C. J. Ingersoll, the message was referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.-Bucks Co. Intelligencer.

**Comparative View of the Common** Schools of Pennsylvania-1835 and iy, so far as they have transpired, are very sim-1846.

reaved relatives and friends, though he died among strangers, his last moments were visited with all the considerations and tender care that could be desired, had he have been in the bosom of his family.

Resolved, That the thanks of the order are due to our townsman, George Malven, for his kindness in promptly carrying the sad intelligence of the death of our brother to his relalives at Port Jervis, and his perseverance in doing the same by night, notwithstanding the obstacles he had to encounter by fording high water and the badness of the roads.

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to correspond with the Middletown Lodge in reference to the sudden death of our departed Brother; Committee, Bro's Gray, been repealed, Staples and Miller.

Resolved, That the officers and Brothers to investigate the affairs of the Bank returned assemble to-morrow morning at precisely 7 o'clock, and accompany, in procession, the remains of our friend to the limits of our Borough.

Resolved, That a copy of the above resolutions be forwarded to the widow of our deceased Brother, and also a copy to the Middletown Lodge.

The N. G. appointed a committee of six to take charge of and watch with the corpse during the night? Committee, Bro's Clements, Staples, Franke, Wintemute, Huston, and Phares.

Saturday morning, 7 o'clock, the officers and Brothers assembled at the Hotel of Mr. Hollinshead, and proceeded in procession with the body of the deceased, as far as the bridge across Brodhead's creek, when, after a most solemn and impressive prayer by the Rev. Mr. Gray, the friends of the deceased, with the body, moved on with sorrowing hearts to their destination, and the members of the Order returned to our village.

A Harrisburg correspondent of the North American says :- It is pretty well understood as follows : within the precincts of the Executive chamber, that a treaty is in progress between Harrisburg and Washington, having for its object the union of the Locofoco factions of the State, the settlement of family jars, and the consequent retention through the October elections of the power which they now hold. The terms of this trea-

ple. Governor Shunk is to withdraw his name 1835. 1846. for re-nomination in the State Convention on 807 1,225 the 4th of March. For this pro his guid is to 536 1.067 be some honorable and profitable berth in the 762 7,096 8,464 gift of the President-a foreign mission if pos-808 32,514 338,805 sible. Thus the Shunk faction, the only really 1,13 1,23 formidable one, is to be accommodated, and the 84 101 Convention is then to throw overboard all notable aspirants, and take up, a la Baltimore Convention, some Pennsylvania James K. Polk. whose political vices, virtues and history, being equally negative, may be presented in any and every light, most acceptable to varied views of the Democracy.

Plainfield Bank Charter Repealed. A slip from the Trenton Gazette informs us that the charter of the Plainfield Bank has

The committee of the Legislature appointed at noon on Tuesday. When the House met at three o'clock, Mr. Mc Lean presented brief report, stating that the committee had not ascertained that the Bank had ever been law fully organized, and that in their opinion its af fairs were managed improperly, and in a way inconsistent with the safety of the public.

The Committee will make a detailed report as soon as they can prepare it, accompanied with the evidence given by the persons they examined. Most of the persons to whom they applied for information, gave it readily and fully. The bill to repeal the charter passed unanimously in both Houses. Joseph C. Hornblower, John S. Darcy, Daniel Dodd Jr. and Joel Dunn, are appointed Receivers or Trustees for the creditors and stockholders, and are invested with immediate legal control and possession of all the monies, property and effects of every kind of the company.

The acccounts, says the Newark Daily Advertiser, as given by the officers by the committee have not yet been reported but are about

ASSETS.	And a start with
Specie,	\$9,000
Specie Funds	6,500
Notes receivable	85,000
Other Assets,	100,000
a beerg also in grandilly 1	\$200,500
LIABILITIES	Solution of a
Circulation	\$115,000
Capital stock	100,000
Depositors and interest acc	ounts
about	2,000

Pain or distress of any kind, whether of gout, rheumatism, headache, toothache, or any other kind of ache, is in all cases caused by impure humors of the blood, which nothing save vegetable purging, (purifying) can remove; because by no other means can said impurity be driven from the

wealth.

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills have no superior, if indeed they have an equal, in removing every description of pain; because they carry off, by the stomach and bowels, all morbid and corrupt humors, (the cause of disease) in so easy and natural a manner, that the body is actually restored to health as if by magic. Four or five of said Indian Vegetable Pills, taken once in twenty-four hours, on going to bed, will in a short time not only drive pain or distress of every kind from the system, and restore the body to a state of sound health, but the blood and other fluids will be socompletely purified, that rew life and vigor will be given to the whole frame.

Beware of Counterfeits .- The public are cautioned against the many spurious medicines, which in order to deceive are called by names similar to Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills

For sale by George H Miller, Stroudsburg, who is the only authorised agent for that place; see advertisement for other agencies in another column. Office and general depot, 169 Race st., Phil'a.

## 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.

# NOTICE

The subscriber will attend in Stroudsburg, at the house of S. J. Hollinshead, on Wednesday and Thursday, the 17th and 18th of March next, for the adjustment of unsettled accounts. Should he be prevented from attending on those days, he will be there on the 24th and 25th of the week following.



No. of Schools Teachers

No. of days schools open Appropriation for 1847, \$200,000.

These results are indeed gratifying, and car not but gladden the hearts of all true friends of education." But a few years will elapse ere tion in Boston, the members of which are call- the reproach of ignorance will be wiped from ed the "Come-Outers." On the 4th of March, off the Keystone State.

throughout the country, having a first-rate claim A bill to abolish capital punishment has been postponed by the Legislature of Ohio. to the title of the Go-Outers .- Louis. Journal.

The Mayor of New York has remitted \$800 by the Hibernia, in aid of the Irish poor.

2,000 \$217,000

Excess of liabilities, \$17,500 This statement does not indicate a very 'rotten institution,' but the Committee were not satisfied that the assets really belonged to the bank, It is also ascentained that not a single mentary upon the above mentioned Estate, have share of the Stock was owned in the State, been granted to the undersigned. All persons and that the Directors who are required by the indebied to the said Estate are requested to charter to own five shares at least just before make immediate payment, and those having their appointment had five shares assigned demands to present them, duly authenticated, to them, which were afterward surrendered to the John B. LaForge, at his office in Milford, Pike owner again. Two of the Receivers took a county. private conveyance at Rahway in the night for

Plainfield, and are now probably in possession of the funds unless temoved before they arrived. January 18, 1847.

stant employment at Boating Coal during the coming season, at liberal prices. Apply at this E. A DOUGLAS. Office. Supt. & Engineer.

In the matter of the Estate of Francis Al. Smith, late of Milford township, Pike county, dec'd. NOTICE is hereby given, that letters testa-

> HANNAH S. WELLS, Executrix. J. B. LAFORGE, Executor.