

HERALD & EXPOSITOR.

Carlisle.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1842.

Our office is being repaired, and every thing is topsy-turvy.

We are sorry we have this week no Washington letter.

We are indebted to Messrs. BARR and GORGAS for various interesting public documents.

We have in session a Special Court of Common Pleas, Judge Blythe presiding. Our presence there interrupts the run of the pen editorial.

The lecture of the Rev. William T. Sproule, on yesterday evening a week, was worthy its author.

On next Tuesday evening, the third of the course will be delivered by Professor Durbin.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Our Legislature is doing but little. We understand that in the House, Mr. Stevens has offered a resolution which, it is thought, will pass both branches, and take the place of the Resumption Bill which has been enacted by the House, as well as that pending in the Senate.

A bill was read in the House on Friday last to annul the charter of the Chambersburg Bank, because she refused to comply with the requisition of the Governor for a loan to the State of five per cent. on her capital stock in accordance with the act of 1824. We are told that the Carlisle Bank also refused compliance with the Governor's demand. She did rightly. We have said before that our Banking system is a bad one, and who will deny it when the banks are subject to be ruined by foolish legislation. The State has well-nigh destroyed them, and now at the very moment when they are threatened with the passage of an act compelling immediate resumption, she attempts to complete their ruin by forcing them to loan money to the Executive. It is vile imposition.

The Locofocos hereabouts are not at all pleased with the conduct of their representatives at Harrisburg. They say that they want more action and less talk; and curses loud and deep are heaped upon the heads of certain prominent lococo members. The shout of "Down with the Banks!" may do very well as a rallying cry to secure a candidate's seat in the Legislature; but when it comes to the test, the Locos have always showed themselves as fond of "bank facilities" as other mortals.

Petitions to the Legislature of Pennsylvania are in circulation in this neighborhood, praying that honorable body to adjourn and go home. Men of all parties have signed these petitions.

In the Senate of the United States, in the debate concerning the New York Custom House Investigation, Mr. Buchanan said that "Samuel Swartwout was at one time the Whig candidate for the Vice Presidency." The locofocos have uttered this foul lie so frequently, that even the most honest of their party believe it to be true. General Robert Swartwout, a gallant soldier of the late war, and a true Whig, was, at one time, spoken of as a candidate for the Vice Presidency. He, however, was never nominated; and the locofocos, always ready to shift the "responsibility" have ever since asserted that Samuel Swartwout, General Jackson's pet Collector, was "every inch a Whig."

TEMPERANCE IN THE ARMY.—It gives us pleasure to state that the temperance cause is gaining friends and advocates in the Army, as well as in every other class in this community. A portion of the United States Dragoons, stationed at the Barracks, in this borough, have recently formed themselves into a society, on the total abstinence principle, and already 66 of their number have signed the pledge. They appear confident that ere long, there will not be a man on the station whose name is not appended to the pledge. This movement, on the part of the Dragoons, will do much to redeem the name of SOLDIER from the obliquity which has heretofore rested upon it. Those of our citizens who are in the practice of "lecturing" should visit the Barracks, and aid the soldiers in their endeavors to promote the cause of temperance.

The names of the officers of the society for the present year, are— President—Sergeant CHARLES HARDY. Vice President—Sergeant A. D. TREE. Secretary—JOSEPH PENNY. Treasurer—GEORGE WALL.

TOWANDA MONEY.—The money of the Towanda Bank must certainly be very worthless, as we observe that the Bradford Argus offers to take it "in payment for job work, advertising, and subscription." It is a sure sign that money is bad when folks advertise that they'll take it.

The Harrisburg papers speak in very high terms of a Mr. HAVILAND, an architect, who has pleased the people of that place by the success of his designs.

We know not how successful Mr. Haviland has been in his designs of Prisons, Churches, &c.; but we think that we have in this borough an architect who is, to say the least, in every respect, the equal of Mr. Haviland. We allude to PETER B. SMITH, Esq., one of the ablest architects in the country. If you doubt it, try him!

J. Q. ADAMS.—The correspondent of the Baltimore American reports Mr. Adams as having uttered the following in a recent speech:

"I have been accused of acrimony, in some of my relations to members here; but I ask the House, and the world, if I have not been hunted and persecuted with a fury that could only be equalled by the bloodhounds which were imported from Cuba to throttle the Indians? And am I not entitled to some little indulgence under these circumstances?"

The Washington correspondent of the New York Commercial applies to Mr. Adams the following lines, descriptive of the stout old warrior in the siege of Corinth: "I though aged, he is iron of limb, Few of our youth can cope with him; And the foemen whom singly, he keeps at bay, Outnumber the lines of every garrison."

We learn, says the Philadelphia Inquirer, from Washington, that the Whigs in Congress will make a powerful effort, during the present session, to pass all their prominent measures.

THE TENTH WEEK OF THE SESSION has exhibited more action and more disposition to carry forward public business than any three weeks that have preceded it. The House of Representatives having on Monday, apparently under the influence of the intervening Sabbath-day's reflections, hastened to lay aside the privileged question which for several days had suspended all the proper functions of that body, next got through with the call upon members for petitions, so often interrupted and so long suspended, and on the next day, the flood-gate once raised, a great body of reports from committees poured into the House. The number of these reports, proves how industriously the working members on the committees have labored during the weeks which have elapsed whilst the House, as a body, was making almost no progress; and the result is most creditable to them.

The House has also made a beginning upon the Annual Appropriation Bills, which, under the charge of the very efficient and able Chairman of its Committee of Ways and Means, have been digested and prepared with a care, precision, and minuteness of explanation, never exceeded, to say the least of it, on any former occasion. Two of these bills, having passed the House, have already become laws, the Pension Appropriation Bill being one of them. As for the remaining Appropriation Bills, and especially the Civil Appropriation Bill, if any opinion may be formed from the indications of the last week, its passage through the House will be very deliberate, if not slow, and even tedious. With this prospect before the House, desirable as we admit it to be that the Appropriation Bills should be passed at an early day, we cannot but think that, in regard to another measure yet more urgent—the Bill for the Apportionment of Representatives under the new Census—it is very desirable that its passage should be expedited by some such order on the part of the House as was proposed on Saturday by the respected Chairman of the Committee who reported the bill, viz: to make it the Order of the Day from a given day until finished, and to limit the discussion of it to a day certain, (so that it should not for too long a time obstruct the passage of the Appropriation Bills.) The time is rapidly drawing near at which some of the States have been accustomed to make their elections of Representatives to Congress, and since, as every reader knows, the action of the Legislature of every one of the States will be necessary to give effect to the Apportionment Bill after Congress shall have passed it, it is quite obvious that Congress cannot act upon the subject too soon. In addition to which, it ought to be an influential argument with members, that the Legislatures of some of the States have expressed an earnest desire that Congress will act upon the subject at the earliest possible moment.

The two last days of the past week were commendably employed, according to the injunction of the Rules of the House, in the consideration of Bills and Reports upon Private Claims. It would be a great honor to the present Congress, and would distinguish it in history, if it were, in judicial phrase, to clear the dockets of all business of this character. The ends of justice, as well as of humanity, would be thereby promoted, not to speak of the honest pride which every Representative would have in being able to say to his constituents, when he returns to his home, that, as far as depended upon him, he has left undone nothing that he ought to have done—a duty correlative and equally imperative with that of doing nothing which he ought not to do. The Senate has not been less industriously engaged in its legislative duties during the last week than the House of Representatives, and has, in addition, spent much time in the consideration of business of an Executive character, which, we suppose every reader knows, is always transacted with closed doors, and the particulars of which are rarely made public until after they have become cold, and possess interest only as history.—Nat. Int.

Amos Kendall, having purchased about a hundred acres of land adjoining the city of Washington, and built a small farm house upon it, proposes devoting a portion of his time to the pen and another portion to manual labor on his farm.

MARRIED. On Thursday the 10th ult., by the Rev. J. Heck, Mr. John Finkbeiner, of Newton township, to Miss Elizabeth Barnett, of Millin township.

On Thursday the 17th ult., by the same, Mr. Daniel S. Dunlop, to Miss Frances, daughter of Mr. Michael Heffleman—all of Newville.

Near Lieburn, on the 13th of January, by the Rev. Wm. C. Bennett, Mr. Henry Landes, to Miss Elizabeth Louchman, both from the neighborhood of Harrisburg. By the same, on Tuesday the 1st inst., Mr. Andrew Skill, to Miss Nancy Fittro, both from the neighborhood of New Cumberland.

NOTICE. Estate of James Cumings, dec'd. LETTERS of Administration on the estate of James Cumings, late of Allen township, Cumberland county, dec'd., have been granted to the subscriber residing in the same township. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them properly authenticated for settlement, and all persons indebted are requested to make payment to the subscriber.

HENRY BRENNEMAN. February 23, 1842.—67

NOTICE. Estate of Robert Calloun, dec'd. LETTERS of ADMINISTRATION on the estate of Robert Calloun, late of the borough of Mechanicburg, Cumberland county, dec'd., have been issued in due form of law to the subscriber residing in the same borough. Notice is hereby given, to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them properly authenticated for settlement, and those indebted to make payment to the subscriber.

ROBERT WILSON, Adm'r. February 23, 1842.—67

NOTICE. Estate of Urovel Fernald, dec'd. LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Urovel Fernald, late of the borough of Mechanicburg, Cumberland county, dec'd., have been issued to the subscriber residing in the same borough. Notice is hereby given, to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them properly authenticated for settlement, and those indebted to make payment to the subscriber.

JACOB WEAVER. February 23, 1842.—67

NOTICE. Estate of Adam Kenower, dec'd. LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Adam Kenower, late of South Middleton township, Cumberland county, dec'd., have been granted to the subscriber residing in the same township. Notice is hereby given, to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them properly authenticated for settlement, and those indebted to make payment to the subscriber.

JOHN PETERS, Executor. MARGARET KENOWER, Executrix of Adam Kenower deceased. February 23, 1842.

NOTICE. Estate of Jane McDaniel, dec'd. LETTERS Testamentary on the estate of Jane McDaniel late of Millin township, Cumberland county, dec'd., have been issued in due form of law to the subscriber residing in Dickinson township. Notice is hereby given, to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them properly authenticated for settlement, and all persons indebted are requested to make payment to the subscriber.

THOMAS LEE, Ex'r. February 23, 1842.—67

Public Sale of Real Estate. In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cumberland county, will be sold at public sale, on the premises, on Saturday the 10th day of March next, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, late the property of Francis Heron, deceased, to wit:

A Lot of Ground in the borough of Shippensburg, bounded on the north by land of John Raun, on the East by the E. side, on the South by a lot of David Irwin and on the West by a public road, containing about one acre, having thereon erected a

Two Story Stone Building, used as a brew house. The premises are, one third of the purchase money to be paid on the confirmation of the sale by the Court, one-third in six months and the residue in twelve months thereafter, to be secured by judgment with approved security.

WILLIAM McLEAN, Adm'r. of Francis Heron dec'd. February 23, 1842.—67

Application for Tavern License. Notice is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cumberland county, for a License to keep a tavern or public house lately kept at a tavern by W. S. Allen, in the borough of Carlisle.

DAVID BLEAN. We, the undersigned, citizens of the borough of Carlisle, do hereby certify that we are well acquainted with the above named David Blean, and that he is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers.

Application for Tavern License. Notice is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cumberland county, for a License to keep a tavern or public house, in the house I now occupy in the borough of Shippensburg.

ROBERT COCHRAN. We, the subscribers, citizens of the borough of Shippensburg, in which the above mentioned inn or tavern prayed to be licensed is proposed to be kept, do hereby certify that the applicant, Robert Cochran, is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers.

Application for Tavern License. Notice is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cumberland county, for a License to keep a tavern or public house, in the house I now occupy in the borough of Shippensburg.

STATEMENT Of the Receipts and Expenditures of Cumberland County, by the Commissioners of said County, from the first day of January, to the thirty-first of December, A. D. 1841, inclusive.

Dr. ROBERT SNODGRASS, Esq., Treasurer.

Table with columns: To balance in hands of Treasurer at last settlement, Amount of County taxes assessed for 1841, Fees due County by delinquent collectors, etc. Total: \$10,244 22.

Schedule of outstanding taxes, due County, per return of Treasurer 31st December 1841, subject to exonerations, &c., with amount assessed for 1842.

Table with columns: Townships, Years, Collectors, Amount of Du. Amount of uncollected 1841 standing. Total: \$10,244 22.

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Statement exhibiting the amount of Taxes assessed within the County of Cumberland, for the use of the Commonwealth, up to the 31st day of December 1841 inclusive, with the amount of exonerations and fees allowed collectors, the amount paid into the hands of Robert Snodgrass, Esq. Treasurer, and the balances returned by him as outstanding, and due by collectors of said date, viz:

Table with columns: Townships, Utc., Collectors, Amount of the Duplicates, Bills of deficiencies, Collectors Fees, Amount of Tax received, Balance unpaid. Total: \$10,244 22.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY, SS. We the Commissioners of Cumberland County, do hereby certify that the above exhibits a true and correct statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of Cumberland county for the term above stated, as also of the several taxes assessed for the use of the Commonwealth, &c., with the amount of exonerations allowed during the said term and also the amount of the several taxes outstanding in the hands of the several collectors, according to the best of our knowledge and judgment.

Witness our hands and seal of office, at Carlisle, the 3d day of January, A. D. 1842. ALEXANDER M. KERR, MICHAEL MISHLER, J. REHRAR, Commissioners.

Attest—JOHN IRWIN, Clerk.

Valuable Real Estate at Private Sale. The subscriber offers to sell, at Private Sale, a first rate farm, situate in Southampton township, Cumberland county, one mile and a half south of Shippensburg, containing 42 1/2 acres, more or less. A tract of land covered with Chestnut, Pine and Oak timber. The improvements on the farm are, a good

DOUBLE LOG HOUSE. A weatherboarded and painted a first rate new BANK BARN, with a new Brick Mill House, Wagon Shed and Corn crib.

Notice. Estate of Joel Kell, dec'd. LETTERS of ADMINISTRATION on the estate of Joel Kell, late of the borough of Carlisle, Cumberland county, dec'd., have been granted to the subscriber residing in the same township. Notice is hereby given, to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them properly authenticated for settlement, and all persons indebted are requested to make payment to the subscriber.

Application for Tavern License. JOHN REBUCK of the borough of Shippensburg, intends to apply to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cumberland county, for a License to keep an inn or tavern in the house in the town of his now occupancy in a tavern in said borough.

JOHN REBUCK. We, the subscribers, citizens of the borough of Shippensburg, in which the above mentioned inn or tavern prayed to be licensed is proposed to be kept, do hereby certify that the above named applicant, is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers.

Application for Tavern License. Notice is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cumberland county, for a License to keep a tavern or public house, in the house I now occupy in the borough of Carlisle.

ANDREW ROBERTS. We, the undersigned citizens of the Borough of Carlisle in the county of Cumberland, do hereby certify that we are well acquainted with the above named Andrew Roberts, and that he is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers.

Application for Tavern License. Notice is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cumberland county, for a License to keep a tavern or public house, in the house I now occupy in the borough of Carlisle.

CHRISTIAN SUCK. We, the subscribers, citizens of the borough of Shippensburg, in which the above mentioned inn or tavern prayed to be licensed is proposed to be kept, do hereby certify that the above named applicant, is of good repute for honesty and temperance, and is well provided with house room and conveniences for the lodging and accommodation of strangers and travellers.

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