

Carlisle Herald.



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THE LARGEST AND CHEAPEST NEWSPAPER IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY

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FROM HARRISBURG.

We learn from Harrisburg that an organization was yesterday effected in the House by the election of Henry K. Strong, Whig, of Philadelphia, as Speaker over Wright, democrat, by a vote of 75 to 18.

In the Senate, parties are in a dead lock. Mr. Hendricks, of Schuylkill, is the Whig caucus candidate for Speaker, and Mr. Hamlin, the democrat.

JUDGE HELFENSTEIN'S DONATION.

The poor of Carlisle are said to be included among those who are to receive the benefits of Judge Helfenstein's munificent donation of coal lands, but we do not hear yet of any arrangement made with any of our citizens by which the donation is to be made available.

It is said that the land to be devoted to these praiseworthy objects is in two tracts, and embraces about 600 acres of the best anthracite in the State; the one tract for the destitute poor, is to be capable of producing 306,000 tons per annum when properly developed.

FOREIGN INFLUENCE.—The foreign vote in the United States has been for some time past attracting much attention. A Know-Nothing paper in Washington, D. C., states, upon what authority we know not, that it amounted to 253,548 in New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Louisiana, Missouri, Illinois, Ohio, Wisconsin, Iowa, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Delaware, New Jersey and California; which States gave President Pierce 120,094 majority and 152 electoral votes.

THE EIGHTH OF JANUARY MILITARY CONVENTION.—We learn that the President of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad Company has agreed to permit the men of the War of 1812, to pass over that road, free of charge, to the Convention that is to assemble at Washington on the 8th of January.

ELECTION IN NEBRASKA.—An election for delegate to the present Congress took place in Nebraska territory, on the 12th ult. The candidates were Bird B. Chapman, late of Ohio; N. B. Gidding, late from Missouri; and Hadley D. Johnson, independent democrat. We have report that Johnson has been elected.

GOV. REEDER OF KANZAS.

It is now stated that the great Pro-Slavery, Nullification interests at the South and South-West have demanded of the President, or are about to demand of him, the expulsion of Gov. Reeder from his post in Kansas. The threat which they use is that, upon a refusal, the whole nullifying party of the South will, at once, desert the Administration.

"Popular sovereignty" in the Territories is, says a contemporary, a strange anomaly. It seems now to mean a right for every man in a neighboring State to stay in the Territory long enough to vote. It seems to mean anything that will uphold the power of slavery or extend its area, but never to allow an adherence to those compromises and regulations by which any territory is secured to freedom.

PENNSYLVANIA TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—This body, composed of Teachers and County Superintendents, and friends of Education, held its fourth semi-annual session in Lewistown, Pa., on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Carefully prepared reports were presented by Committees, on the following subjects: "On the importance of the Study of the Ancient Languages, as a discipline for the mind," by Mr. O. C. Davies, of Lancaster; "on Physiology, as a branch of Common School Education," and "on the Ventilation of School Houses," by Mr. J. N. Loughlin, of Millin; "on the Co-education of the Sexes," by Mr. J. H. Brown, of Philadelphia; "on Normal Schools," by Hon. Thos. H. Burrows, of Lancaster.

VIRGINIA.—The Democrats of the Old Dominion do not give the rather unwise Wise a very hearty support. Four prominent members of Congress, all Democrats, refuse to sustain him. The general feeling is that he will be defeated. He has been too much of a political weather-cock to command the support of any party.

Mr. George Zinn has been elected as Editor of the American, a new K. N. paper in this borough.

THE MORMONS.—POLYGAMY.

For a long time the charge of polygamy was disclaimed by the Mormon advocates as a slander, and its practice stoutly denied. Growing more bold in their outrages, and probably instructed by some new "revelation," the charge is now not only fully admitted, but the practice is boldly defended by their leaders.

"She is larger than Sarah Ann or Elizabeth, (my other wives), and I say it without invidiousness or impropriety, is decidedly handsome. Her person is of good size, very round, full chest, bright flaxen hair, and a soft blue eye. She enters into the duties of her situation with wonderful alacrity, and is very happy, as are also Sarah Ann and Elizabeth. You may be surprised at this, but you will be still more so when I assure you that all my present wives are anxious that I should get another—one who is fitted by education and physically adapted to take charge of the business of the dairy.

It would seem that after all, Polygamy is not a perfect safeguard against lewdness and immorality. Elder Hyde, in his lecture, finds it necessary to bear down upon sundry "men and women who commit lewdness, and go and boast of it, and laugh in the face of heaven," and winds up with the following curse:

"The day shall come when their flesh shall rot upon their bones, and as they are walking it shall drop and become a nauseous stink upon the highway. Now go and boast that you can get all you want for a dress pattern, or a yard of ribbon; go and boast of it, and the Lord Almighty shall cure you all the day long. [Voice in the stand, 'Amen.'] And when you step chunks of flesh shall drop off your bones, and stink you enough to sicken a dog."

To which, we are told, "the whole congregation responded, at the top of their voices, Amen!" What the end of all this folly and fanaticism is to be, is difficult to predict. One thing, however, is certain—that there is serious trouble in store for our National Government.

PITTSBURG.—The annual election for municipal officers is causing considerable political excitement in Pittsburg. The old line Whigs have re-nominated P. E. Volz, the present Whig Mayor. The Know Nothing party are said to have nominated for Mayor, Mr. B. C. Morgan. The Democratic Convention has declined making any nomination, but signified its willingness to aid a section of the Whigs in re-electing the present Mayor, Mr. Volz.

THE HON. JAMES T. MOREHEAD, long one of the most prominent actors on the political stage of the republic, died at his residence in Covington, Ky., last week. He was always popular in Kentucky; whose people honored him with numerous positions of trust and responsibility, among which we may mention those of Governor and United States Senator. He was an ardent Whig, and a devoted friend and supporter of the illustrious Clay.

MURDERS, EXECUTIONS AND CASUALTIES.

During the year 1854 there occurred in the United States 682 murders, of which 74 took place in New York, 50 in Texas, 47 in Louisiana, 46 in Kentucky, 45 in Virginia, 64 in California, 43 in Ohio, 39 in Georgia, 33 in Missouri, 26 in Tennessee, 19 in Pennsylvania, 32 in Mississippi, 19 in Massachusetts, 15 in Maryland, and so on. There occurred, also, 84 executions, of which 15 were in California, 14 in Louisiana, 8 in South Carolina, 7 in New York, and 4 in Pennsylvania.

The Daulphin Coal Estate, Railroad, &c., was sold at auction, at Lebanon, Pa., on Friday, under foreclosure of the second mortgage bonds, subject to the first mortgage of a million of dollars. It brought a nominal price, and was bought in by Mr. Barlow, of New York, in behalf of all interested.

FOREIGN PAUPERS.—The "out-door" visitors of the Guardians of the Poor in Philadelphia, report that they have relieved, during the last month, 1991 persons, of whom 1393 were foreigners, and principally Irish.

MIRACLE OF SCIENCE.—Reader, just look at Dr. C. L. Kellings' advertisement, which is a truly astonishing announcement to those afflicted with Tumors, Cancers, &c. Read it, and if any of your friends are afflicted, try him, he is doing strange things.

THE SANDWICH ISLANDS. It is said will soon be annexed, and they will soon be wanting a Governor, Congressmen, and other American institutions. The natives will have to give up all their old habits too, and will be anxious to obtain American clothing. It would be a good thing for them if some enterprising American would set up at Honolulu a cheap and fashionable Clothing Store, in that of Hookhill & Wilson's, 111 Chestnut street, corner of Franklin Place, Philadelphia.

Marriages.

On the 25th ult. by the Rev. A. H. Kremer, SAMUEL LEMMON, of West Pennsboro, to Miss SUSAN BOLDSCHEER, of Frankfort tp. On the same day by the same, Mr. PETER R. KEFAUVER to Miss ELINOR G. AULD, both of Centreville, Dickinson tp. On the same day by the same, Mr. ARTHUR HALFORD to Miss ELIZA J. HAILLAN, both of Stoughton town.

A CARD.—The undersigned desires to express his grateful acknowledgments to the thorough patrons of the CARLISLE HERALD, for the kindness and liberality with which his annual address was received on the 1st inst. The substantial tokens of their regard will be gratefully remembered. He also solicits the patronage of the community at his "Benefit," which takes place on Friday evening at the American Museum, in Education Hall, when his friends may look for an attractive entertainment. Very Respectfully, GEO. L. GOUCHER.

TO THE LADIES.—We are now selling at great bargains a very large and handsome stock of Worked Spencers, Col-lars, Stoves, Jaconet and Swiss Edgings and Insertings. Call soon as we are determined to sell cheap. WELSH & CAMPBELL.

EXTRA BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, in sacks for family use. Also, Cranberries, Honey, Beans, &c. just received at the Family Grocery of J. D. HALBERT.

STORE ROOM FOR RENT.—A convenient store room for rent. There is not a better situation in town for business. Enquire at this office. Jan 3

FOR RENT.—The Blacksmith Shop on the corner of Pitt street and Dickinson Alley in this borough, within half a square of the Rail Road Hotel, formerly occupied by Mr. Boyle, is offered for rent from the 1st day of April next. For terms enquire of ROBERT NOBLE. Jan 3

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—The subscribers proposing to dissolve partnership on the 1st of February next, respectfully request those indebted to them to call and pay up, and those having claims against us are requested to present them immediately for settlement. We still on hand, a very large and splendid stock of GOODS, which we will dispose of at prices "cheaper than the cheapest." JENNY & BROTHERS. Jan 3

PROCLAMATION.—Whereas the Hon. James H. Graham, President, Judge of the several Courts of Common Pleas in the counties of Cumberland, Perry and Juniata, and Samuel Woodburn and John Rupp, Associate Judges of the said Court, in the said county of Cumberland; by their precept to me directed, dated the 15th of Decr., 1854, have ordered an adjourned Court of Common Pleas to be holden at Carlisle, on the 19th day of February, 1855, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to continue one week. Notice is therefore, hereby given to all persons interested to be then and there in attendance. JOSEPH McDARMOND, Sheriff. Carlisle, January 3, 1855.

Counting House Almanac for 1855.

Table with columns for days of the week (Sunday to Saturday) and months (January to December), showing the day of the month for each date.

New Advertisements.

VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY OFFERED FOR SALE AND POSSESSION GIVEN IMMEDIATELY.—A large double TWO STORY HOUSE, with Stabling and Bath Rooms. The lot of ground contains a great variety of choice garden fruit trees. This property is situated on East street, bounded by the Letort Spring. Also, Two Stone and one Frame DWELLING HOUSES, situated on Bedford street, north of the Lutheran Church, and in an improving part of the town. Also, a small FELD. For terms apply to CARLISLE, Dec. 27, 1854. W. M. PENROSE.

ESTATE OF JOHN MILLER, DECEASED.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of John Miller, late of Monroe township, Cumberland county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county, to the subscriber, residing in the same township. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them for settlement to Dec. 27, 1854—Signed PETER MILLER, Executor.

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Will be sold at public sale on the premises, on WEDNESDAY, the 17th of January next, at 12 o'clock, at noon of said day, by the Executor, the following two pieces of land, used as one farm, late the property of William Kutz, deceased, situated in South Middleton township, about two miles from Carlisle. One of said pieces adjoining lands of Robert Irvine, — Bauerman, Daniel Spotts and George Wise, containing FORTY FOUR ACRES and THIRTY THREE PERCHES, situate measure. The other piece, near the first described, adjoining lands of the said George Wise, lands formerly of Jacob Lehman, Craighead's heirs and others, and containing about THIRTEEN ACRES and THIRTY PERCHES. The improvements which are all on the larger piece of land, are a Two Story DWELLING HOUSE, and a B-A-S-K and Spring House. Both pieces are first rate limestone land, in good cultivation and well fenced. On the smaller tract there are about TWO ACRES of TIMBER LAND. The conditions of sale will be made known on the day thereof by DAVID KUTZ, Ex'r. of William Kutz, dec'd. Dec. 27, 1854—pt

HERE IS WHAT YOU NEED AT PRESENT.—The subscriber respectfully informs the ladies and gentlemen of Carlisle and vicinity that he has now on hand at his Hair Dressing and Shaving Room on West street, an elegant assortment of LADIES BRAIDS and Gentlemen's WIGS, and can furnish to order at shortest notice every kind of Hair Work of the best quality. He also begs leave to inform his friends and customers that he keeps constantly on hand a supply of the "Schemminger's" Wash for the hair, manufactured by himself; the excellence of this Wash is testified to by all of his customers who have used it to be one of the best articles known for cleansing the hair of dandruff. He also manufactures a Hair Restorative, known as the "Crown Balm" for giving new growth to the hair on bald heads. Ample testimony exists of the efficacy of this excellent Restorative. While the Schemminger cleans the hair of dandruff and prevents it from coming out, the Crown Balm supplies a new growth to those who have had the misfortune to lose their hair. The public is invited to call, examine, and purchase these invaluable articles, as he is confident they will render satisfaction. SHAMPOONING attended to in the best style as usual, at his old rooms on West Main Street, near Maiden Hall, Carlisle, Dec. 27, 1854. W. M. BURKES

CARPENTERS and Builders are invited to examine the assortment of Locks, Latches, Bolts, Hinges, Screws, Gases, Putty, Oil, Paints, &c. All for sale cheap at M. M. BURGESS. March 13