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FROM HARRISBURG.
No Election of U. S. Senator.

By yesterday's 2 o'clock cars we learn that three ballots took place for U. S. Senator, in the adjourned meeting of the Legislative Convention, without resulting in a choice. For Simon Cameron there were 55 votes, and the remainder of the votes were scattered upon the several candidates heretofore in nomination. Gen. Cameron has therefore lost strength since the former contest, and now needs twelve additional votes to secure his election, which there is little probability of his receiving.

Election Postponed till October!

We learn this morning the following particulars. On the first ballot 130 votes were cast, of which Cameron had 55; Buokalew 23 and the remainder scattered. On the second ballot Cameron had 54. A motion was then made to adjourn to 12 o'clock on Wednesday, which was voted down. A motion to adjourn to the third Tuesday of October was then offered and voted down, after which a third ballot took place with the same result as before. The votes were scattered on about twenty candidates. A motion to postpone to the first Tuesday in October was then offered and prevailed. This is the finishing stroke to Cameron's prospects.

A HUSBAND RAISED!—Isaac H. McCauley, of Chambersburg, and Wm. S. King, of Gettysburg, were last week appointed clerks in the Executive department at Harrisburg. The appointment of McCauley appears to have excited a perfect tempest of indignation in Chambersburg, as on Saturday last a committee of fifteen from the American party, went to Harrisburg to remonstrate against it and endeavor to have it revoked. In this how ever they failed.

MISSOURI.—The Legislature having balloted unsuccessfully for a U. S. Senator more than forty times, have at length got tired, and adjourned the Convention until called together by concurrent resolutions. As the voting has been the same on all ballots, it is doubtful if any further proceedings can be had during the present session. In the course of the discussion which resulted in the postponement, Col. Doniphan, the Whig candidate, who is a member of the Legislature, declared that he and Mr. Atchison agreed precisely on the principles of the Kansas Nebraska bill. Like Atchison, the Colonel seems to be afflicted with slavery extension mania.

ENGLISH AND FRENCH ALLIANCE.

A somewhat remarkable speech was made in the Senate of the United States, on Tuesday, by the Hon. Lewis Cass, of Michigan. The text was a remark made some time since, by Lord Clarendon, in which he referred to the Alliance between England and France, as "not confined to the Eastern question," but as "extending to all parts of the world." Gen. Cass considers this language as susceptible of but one construction, and as "a general threat of armed intervention," amounting to an avowal of "purpose, to enforce the views of France and England by armed attack upon any independent nation which declined to accept the dual dictatorship." He also refers to an address made by Louis Napoleon, to the Legislative Chambers of France, on the 24th of December last, in which he spoke of "the same anxieties and the same hopes of the two countries," and affirmed that "the same views and the same intention animated the two Governments in every corner of the globe." And why, asks Gen. Cass, this authoritative announcement by these two Governments? It was made, he affirms, to the United States, and it "was hoped that the knowledge of such a formidable combination to prevent an aggrandizement would turn us from our course, whenever we might have such a purpose, and thus accomplish the object by words instead of deeds." Gen. Cass contends further, that originally, American position and progress were spoken of in England with contempt and aversion. The aversion remains, but the contempt has given place to apprehension, and he says that "there is no question but the most practical plan to check our prosperity is now a problem of deep importance in Europe—not with the people, who cherish good will towards us, but with the Statesmen, who see the danger of our example." He therefore argues that we must not be taken by surprise, but that we should look calmly and steadily at the dangers which threaten us and be prepared for every emergency. The speech will attract more than ordinary attention on both sides the Atlantic.

PRESIDENTIAL MOVEMENT.

A letter from Harrisburg states that a number of members of the Pennsylvania legislature, embracing gentlemen in both houses, have addressed a letter to George Law, of New York, inviting him to permit his name to be used as the candidate of the American party for the Presidency. The letter is said to be signed by members who have heretofore acted with both the old political parties.

We thought after the trouble the American members had been brought in to by Gen. Cameron, they would be more cautious and sensible in their movements. This movement for "George Law, if true, is simply ridiculous. If the tried and experienced statesmen of the country are to be banished from its government, and such men as George Law are to supersede them in the high place of honor and trust, we may well exclaim that "madness rules the hour."

THE BRIBERY INVESTIGATION.

The Committee to investigate the charges of bribery in connection with the election of U. S. Senator, made report on Saturday that they had not concluded their investigation, but would if required make a partial report. No action was taken and the Committee will go on with its labors. It is said that nothing has been elicited implicating Gen. Cameron in any corrupt transaction, though some developments came to light involving the character of the millionaire patent medicine man of Philadelphia, Dr. D. Jayne.

SAM.—This mysterious individual has been carrying all before him lately in the borough and township Elections of Blair, Locoming and Clinton counties, and Pottsville.

The thermometer was yesterday only 12° above zero—nearly the coldest "snap" we have had this winter.

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THE AMERICAN PARTY.

Many men not directly connected with the so-called American party, have been, and are yet, says the Erie Gazette, disposed to look upon it hopefully. When this Party arose and promised, among other things, to purge politics of corruption, and to introduce a new era of honesty and patriotism, they not only gave it a respectful hearing, but aided in committing to it the government of towns cities and States, for the trial now progressing. The political regeneration to be effected by it is with them a hope if not expectation—and the question arises, shall they all be disappointed in a greater or less degree? Will the words of those who denounce the whole movement as a humbug and a cheat, be verified?

It depends upon the members of this organization to furnish the answer. If they should prove selfish and corrupt, their sway will be of short duration.—They will lose office and power in less than a twelve-month. For this reason, much interest is felt in the proceedings of the Legislature now in session at Harrisburg; and those proceedings are watched closely and earnestly. The Americans command a majority of the members of the two Houses, and can have every thing their own way. It is the first time they have had this power, and may be the last. It certainly will be if they do not exercise it carefully and discreetly—because while their outside friends are watching them to see if their hopes will be realized, their enemies are equally on the alert to discover something to expose and denounce.—They may by their best efforts, fail in accomplishing many desirable objects; but they can, if they choose, earn for themselves the character of honest and trust-worthy legislators. Will they do it? We shall see. Let those who have been invested with the responsibility of law-makers be true to their trust—let them, while professing to be a reforming and regenerating body, take no step which will expose their own patriotism and honesty to suspicion.

SUNDAY LIQUOR LAW.—A new law to prohibit the sale of liquors on the Sabbath has passed both Houses by large majorities, and only needs the Governor's signature which it will receive of course. Our members both voted for it.

Town and County Matters.

BOROUGH ELECTION.—The annual election for borough officers, members of council, &c., takes place this year on Friday, the 16th of March. So far we hear of no preparations for a contest, but presume that "Sam" will take a lively interest in the matter in due time. Within the last two years, particularly, very great improvements have been made by the borough authorities, which have contributed vastly to the public convenience as well as the external appearance of our ancient town, and whatever party has the sway we hope the march of improvement will not be interrupted.

THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—By the proceedings it will be seen that the new Society has effected a permanent organization. The gentlemen selected for the different posts are farmers of well known character, whose energy and experience give assurance that the enterprise will not be allowed to fail. Preparations we presume will be made without delay for a Fall Exhibition. The Society we understand have resolved to hold monthly meetings for agricultural discussions, the first of which will be held on the 6th of March. This we consider a most important matter. These meetings, affording as they will frequent opportunities for the free and full interchange of practical information among the members of the society, cannot fail to be productive of the best results. We trust they will be well attended and if the discussions are entered into in the proper spirit the happy effects will soon be known and appreciated. Every Farmer in the county ought to join the society. "Speed the noble Plough."

PULPIT ELOQUENCE.—The Rev. A. Cookman of the M. E. Church, now stationed at Harrisburg, preached three times in Carlisle on Sunday last. His high reputation

as a pulpit orator, a gifted scion of a noble stock, attracted immense audiences, particularly in the evening, when the second M. E. church was crowded to its utmost capacity. A melodious voice, with energetic elocution and glowing diction combine to make Mr. C. an attractive preacher but we did not think his sermon on this occasion one of the highest order, drawn as it was from that grand passage in the Bible descriptive of the Prophet Ezekiel's vision of the valley of dry bones. A touching allusion in the close of his discourse to his father's mysterious loss in the steamship President was listened to in breathless silence, exciting as it did the deep sympathies of the many in this community who will ever revere the memory of him who was known but to be loved and named but to be praised.

SECOND EXHIBITION.—The Second Annual Exhibition of the Big Spring Library Institute will take place in Newville, on the 7th of August next. The first exhibition of this Society was highly successful, and the coming Fair will doubtless far surpass the former. The Society is already engaged in preparations for the exhibition, which will be carried out with energy and good taste. Since the last exhibition a new and commodious Hall has been erected which will afford not only additional facilities to the exhibitors, but greater comfort to visitors. The final arrangements will be announced in due time.

We learn from the Wyandot Pioneer, published at Upper Sandusky, Ohio, that Mr. J. G. Hale, while engaged in cutting down a tree near that place on the 17th inst was struck by a limb and felled to the ground. He was conveyed to his home and after lingering in intense agony until next day he expired. Mr. H. was about forty-one years of age, and leaves a family to mourn his untimely end. He was a native of Cumberland county, Pa. and came to that county last spring.

IN MICHIGAN.—The Legislature of Michigan has passed a law which provides for the trial by jury to any slave claimed—prohibits the use of jails to retain fugitives and requires that the prosecuting attorney of each county shall, upon request, give aid and counsel to any such fugitive slave.

A steady, intelligent boy will be taken as an apprentice to the Printing business at this office.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE GOVERNOR.—We understand the Governor Pollock has made his selection of Harbor Master, Flour Inspector, and the other Philadelphia offices, but who they are we cannot say. We can say, however, without any fear of making a mistake, that the best, cheapest and most fashionable clothing for gentlemen in the United States, is to be found at Rockhill & Wilson's fine store, No. 111 Chestnut street, corner of Franklin Place, Philadelphia.

JOHN.—Good morning, Sir. How are you?

STRANGER.—Good morning, sir; can you tell me where I can find the cheapest READY MADE CLOTHING, and the best?

JOHN.—Yes, sir. We have a number of good Clothing Stores in Carlisle, but Messrs. STRANER & BROUWER at the South East corner of the Public Square, has the cheapest.

STRANGER.—Well, so everybody says in the country, I did not know but that you were mistaken, so I thought I would enquire of your town folks.

JOHN.—What kind of Clothing do you wish to buy?

STRANGER.—Well, STRANER & BROUWER they say, have excellent Over Coats for \$7.00, Dress Coats for \$5.00, and Winter Pants for \$2.50 well lined.

JOHN.—What about them? Why STRANER & BROUWER turn out the cheapest of Boy's Clothing, both for Sunday and every day that you will find in Carlisle.

STRANGER.—Well, then I'm off or Steiner & Brother. Clear the way. [Jan 10 '55]

IT SHOULD BE UNIVERSALLY KNOWN—for it is strictly true—that Indigestion is the parent of a large proportion of the fatal diseases. Dysentery, diarrhoea, cholera morbus, liver complaint, and many other diseases enumerated in the city inspector's weekly catalogue of deaths, are generated by indigestion alone. Think of that dyspeptic! think of it all who suffer from disordered stomach, and if you are willing to be guided by advice, founded upon experience, resort at once (don't delay a day) to Hoffman's German Bitters, prepared by Dr. C. M. Jackson, which, as an alternative, curative, and invigorant, stands alone and unapproached, general depot, 120 Arch Street. We have tried these Bitters, and know that they are excellent for the diseases specified above.—Philadelphia City Item. See advertisement.

NEURALGIA.—This formidable disease, which seems to buffet the skill of physicians, yields like magic to Carter's Spanish Mixture. Mr. F. Hayden, formerly of Boy's Clothing, both for Sunday and every day that you will find in Carlisle.

MARRIAGES.—On the 22d inst. by the Rev. A. H. Keaner, Mr. JOHN J. SHEARER, of Harrisburg, to Miss SARAH JANE MORRISON, of North Middletown twp.

Deaths.—In East Pennsboro twp. on the 22d inst. Mr. DANIEL SHUPP, aged 78 years.

Job Printing done at this office.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.—All persons knowing their names indebted to the subscribers, either by note or book account, are respectfully requested to call and settle the same on or before the 31st day of March 1855. After that date no books will be placed in the hands of a proper person for collection.

LEATHER! LEATHER! No. 29, North Third Street, Philadelphia. MOROCCO MANUFACTURERS, Curriers and Importers of FRENCH CALF SKINS, and Dealers in Red and Oak Sole Leather and Kip.

H. A. FRANCISCUS, MANUFACTURER OF COTTON LAPS, Wadding, Ties, Yarns, Carpet Chains, Cotton Yarns, CLAMP, CANDLE AND FLUID WICKS.

H. A. DREER, BREEDSMAN AND FLOWERIST. His new arranged and complete stock for the Spring of 1855, as follows: VEGETABLE SEEDS—in great variety, including the finest varieties of Beans, Peas, Cabbages, Cauliflowers, Lettuces, Onions, Melons, Eggplant, Tomatoes, Peas, Radishes, &c. &c.

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH SMITH deceased.—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Elizabeth Smith, late of Lower Allen township, Cumberland county, Pa. in my, dec'd, 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

ESTATE OF SUSANNA SWEETZER, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of Susanna Sweetzer, late of Shrewsburytown, Cumberland county, Pa. in my, dec'd, 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

TANNERY FOR RENT.—The Tannery, late the property of E. McCulloch, dec'd, on Market street, Chambersburg, is offered for rent. It has 12 lay-a-ways and 10 Leaches, all in good order, and the number can be increased if desired. There is also an eight horse power Steam Engine connected with it, by which all the Bark is ground. Hides pulled and worked and Leather rolled; and a new boiler from which the Leaches are heated. There is an all an hot supply of running water belonging to the Tannery. The buildings are in good order and ample for the business.

TAVERN LICENSE.—To the Honorable Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cumberland county, April term, 1855. The petitioner David Bollinger, respectfully represents, that your petitioner occupies that well known tavern stand situated in Shrewsburytown, Lower Allen township, and well calculated for a house of public entertainment, and the accommodation of strangers and travellers, and that he is well provided with the necessary requisites for keeping a public house. He therefore prays your Honors to grant him a license for the same for the ensuing year, and he will ever pray, &c.

TAVERN LICENSE.—To the Honorable Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cumberland county, April term, 1855. The petitioner James Hill, respectfully represents, that your petitioner occupies that well known tavern stand situated in Lower Allen township and now occupied as such by Peter Harlach, that he is well provided with the necessary requisites for keeping a house of public entertainment. He therefore prays your Honors to grant him a license for the same for the ensuing year, and he will ever pray, &c.

TAVERN LICENSE.—To the Honorable Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cumberland county, April term, 1855. The petitioner Joseph Black, respectfully represents, that your petitioner occupies that well known tavern stand situated in Silver Spring township, and now occupied as such by Peter Harlach, that he is well provided with the necessary requisites for keeping a house of public entertainment. He therefore prays your Honors to grant him a license for the same for the ensuing year, and he will ever pray, &c.

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NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that I have, this day, associated with me in the practice of my profession, Wm. M. Penn and Thos. M. Biddle, Esqrs. All business in future will be transacted by the above under the firm of "BIDDLE & PENN." Feb. 14th 1855. W. M. BIDDLE, Atty at Law.

SALESMAN WANTED.—An experienced Salesman is wanted in a Dry Goods Store. Apply to G. W. HOFFER.

JUST RECEIVED.—Lako White Fish, a superior article, No. 1, 2 and 3 Mackeol, also H-mulny, Beas and Crabs, for sale at W. H. GIBBS.

Sale bills done at short notice.