

Carlisle Herald.



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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1855.

LATEST FROM WASHINGTON.

We learn from Washington this morning that no Speaker was elected yesterday. The House adjourned after the seventh ballot.

Alarming reports of civil war in Kansas are coming in. The Missourians were going in by hundreds to the conflict.

THE TIME TO SUBSCRIBE.

The season is just at hand when newspapers are most interesting and when every body needs one. Congress has commenced its session and our State Legislature will convene next month.

We appeal to our friends to aid in extending the circulation of our paper. There is no man in the community, however poor, who cannot afford to pay one dollar and fifty cents a year for the Herald.

AMERICAN HOTEL.—To our friends visiting Philadelphia we can cordially commend the American Hotel, on Chestnut street, opposite the old State House, as a very desirable stopping place.

CANT AFFORD IT INDEED!—We have received a very touching story, occupying several pages of foolscap, from a correspondent who signs himself "Ciro," and who in a private note modestly suggests that if the "effort" is considered worth of publication he will charge us only \$ for it.

MEETING OF CONGRESS.

The first session of the Thirty-fourth Congress commenced on Monday last, under peculiar circumstances. The Senate contains a decided majority of the friends of the administration, but in the House of Representatives, containing 234 members, the clear democratic or administration party does not exceed 75 members.

By the papers of yesterday we learn as was feared, that no election of Speaker was effected on Monday. Both Houses met at 12 o'clock. The Senate simply organized, received the credentials of new members and adjourned.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—There is a good deal of canvassing going on to night. It is generally understood that the Republicans and Free-Soilers will concentrate to-morrow on Mr. Banks, of Massachusetts, numbering together 123, and being sufficient to elect.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3, 10 P. M.—The National Americans will to-morrow vote for Henry M. Fuller for Speaker, and endeavor to draw the entire Democratic vote to him, by conceding to them the Clerk and Printer, thus forming a union party against the Free-soil factions.

THE PRESIDENCY.—The candidates for the next President are beginning to be freely canvassed in the papers. The New York Herald, of a late date, states upon what it regards as reliable authority, that Gov. WISE, of Virginia, has recently written a letter to a friend in Philadelphia, withdrawing his claims to the Democratic nomination in favor of JAMES BUCHANAN.

MISSOURI SENATORS.—The contest for U. S. Senator in Missouri seems likely to end in a coalition of the Benton democrats and the whigs, by which each will have a Senator, as two vacancies will soon happen. The anti-Bentonites want Mr. Atchison elected, and they seem willing also to unite with the whigs, but Atchison is more objectionable to that party than Benton.

AMERICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION

The President of the American National Council has issued a call for the election of delegates by Congressional districts, to the National Convention of that party which is to assemble in Philadelphia in February, to nominate candidates for President and Vice President.

Another proclamation to the same order gives notice to the State Councils and delegates to the National Council that there will be a special meeting of said Councils, at Philadelphia, on Monday, the 18th of February for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

SECTIONAL SKIRMISHING.

Massachusetts last winter passed what was called "a personal liberty bill," the practical effect of which is to nullify the fugitive slave law and prevent the reclamation of runaway slaves. The Legislature of Georgia has now under consideration a retaliatory law. The bill, after premising that the citizens of the State of Georgia have been wronged and injured in their property by the failure of certain States to comply with the terms of the fugitive slave law, provides that whenever a slave shall escape from service, or be carried into another State, and upon demand being made for the rendition of such slave upon the Governor of said State, by the owner of said fugitive, the slave shall not have been delivered up at the expiration of thirty days following the making of such demand, then each and every citizen and body corporate of said State to which such fugitive may have escaped, shall be deemed bound as debtors to the owners of such slave to the full amount of said slave's value.

GOOD RIDDANCE.—Senator Toombs and Hon. A. H. Stephens, of Georgia, have formally gone over to the Locofoco party, and at a recent public meeting in that State announced their adhesion to that organization. This is a good riddance. For a number of years past their highest ambition was to be leaders of the fire-eaters of the South. They warrd against Henry Clay because he was not ultra enough on the slavery question to suit their notions; They opposed Gen. Taylor, for the same reason, and did all they could against Scott in the last Presidential campaign.

The New York Evening Post says a very careful counting of noses in the next Congress gives a majority of sixteen in favor of admitting Governor Reeder as the representative from the territory of Kansas in that body, and against the admission of Whitfield, who brings the certificate of Gov. Shannon. This includes no vote of any Southern State, nor does it include the vote of Valk, Kelly, or Havens, of New York, who will probably vote against the admission of either candidate.

WISCONSIN ELECTION.—Returns have now been received from all the counties in the State, except two thinly populated ones, and the vote for Governor, stated by the aggregation of majorities, may be given thus:—For Bashford, Republican, 8966; for Barstow, Democrat, 8097. This renders it pretty certain that Bashford is elected.

THE INFLUENCE OF EDUCATION.—During the year, 1854 one hundred and sixty-five men were hung in the United States for murder.—Of this number only seven could read and write. What a lesson.

Town and County Matters.

SECOND LECTURE.—The second lecture of the Union Fire Company's course will be delivered to-morrow evening by William H. Welch, Esq., of York, who was elected to the Senate from that district at the last election. Mr. Welch is reputed to be a gentleman of fine talents and literary taste from whom we may expect an interesting lecture.

INTERESTING LECTURE.—Rev. Dr. Bettelheimer, a Hungarian clergyman, who has been laboring for several years past as a missionary in the Loo Choo Islands under the government of Japan, will deliver an address in the First Presbyterian church on Friday evening which the public is invited to attend.

THE NEW HOTEL.—The Democrat is reviving the new Hotel project and proposes that it shall be erected by a joint stock association. That a new first class Hotel is needed in our borough is universally admitted, and that it would pay handsomely is not doubted. We have urged the project frequently in our columns and feel disposed to persevere until like the water and gas enterprise its realization is a fixed fact.

THE GAS WORKS.—The new gas works in the Eastern section of the borough are rapidly progressing to completion. Mr. Craft, of Philadelphia, the contractor for the Gasometer, arrived in town last week with a number of workmen, who are now industriously engaged on the work. The other buildings and machinery are also being pushed forward with energy, and the probability is that all will be ready for the manufacture of gas early in January.

NEW M. E. CHURCH.—We learn that the members of the Second M. E. Church, now worshipping in the College Chapel, have purchased a spacious lot at the corner of Pomfret and West streets with the view of erecting a new church edifice. It will probably be commenced next spring and we presume will be built in a style that will render it a fine architectural embellishment to the town.

FIRE.—The dwelling house of Mr. Benjamin Hoeler, of North Middleton township, we are sorry to learn, was burned down on Thursday night last. We learn that the fire originated from a stove pipe after the family had been in bed for some time. The house was enveloped in flames before they were aware of their danger and they made their escape with some difficulty. None of the furniture we believe was saved.

THE COUNTY TO PAY.—The suit instituted by Thos Symington, the contractor for furnishing sandstone for the new jail, was decided in his favor at the last Court, though for not so large an amount as he claimed. The commissioners had reserved 20 per cent on the amount of his contract, alleging that he had not delivered the stone with the promptitude that his agreement called for. He proved in defence that the delay was caused by the miscalculations of the architect, and the jury accordingly rendered a verdict in his favor for \$700—\$500 less than he claimed.

NIGHT SCHOOL.—Mr. Isaiah Baker proposes opening a night school for young men, and requests all who are desirous of joining it to meet him for that purpose at Marion Hall, next Friday evening. Mr. Baker is a gentleman of good character and qualifications and those young men who are debarred from the usual means of education would do well to avail themselves of his proposition.

NEW BRIDGE.—A new county bridge has just been completed over the Canedoguin Creek at James Orr's, in Hampden township, which the viewers appointed by the Court report to be built in a substantial and workmanlike manner, much to the credit of the undertaker, Mr. Finny.

STEAM SAW MILL.—The Steam Saw Mill and large body of timber land advertised for sale by W. D. Seymour, offers great inducements to any one desiring to enter into that business.

The weather has been truly beautiful for several days past.

TEACHERS INSTITUTE.—The Cumberland County Teachers Institute will meet at Mechanicsburg, on Tuesday the 25th inst. It is expected there will be an attendance of several hundred teachers and others, and the occasion promises to be one of great interest to the friends of education.

The following subjects will be discussed at the meeting of the institute by those whose names are attached and by others who feel disposed to take a part: Orthography—G. F. Cain, J. P. Rhoads, M. Hale, W. Cavanaugh, D. Shelly. Reading—J. S. Hostetter, J. Hensel, J. Hinkel, J. P. Lavery, S. B. Heiges.

Written Arithmetic—S. Eckels, H. Atherton, M. Berkheimer, J. Watson. Geography—S. Bixler, L. Muddert, S. Coover, J. Heagy, W. B. Bigler. Grammar—Etymology—G. W. Reynolds, S. Nickey, M. Weakley, S. P. Goodfear. Grammar—Syntax—A. M'Elwain, H. J. Zinn, J. B. Reback, W. Kirkpatrick.

The best method of teaching Scholars cleanly habits, and the punishment to be inflicted on those who do not keep themselves cleanly.—J. C. Kling, J. Hinkel, S. M'Kenyon, W. A. Tripper. School History, Philosophy, Physiology, Moral Science, Astronomy, Geometry, Mensuration, Surveying, &c.—to be taught in our Common Schools.—D. K. Noell, M. Sawyer, G. F. Cain, A. M'Elwain, Jas. M'Keenan.

DALLEY'S GENUINE PAIN EXTRACTOR will subdue the pain and inflammation from the severest burns or scalds in from one to twenty minutes, and that it will heal the wounds without a scar, and effectually cure Fever Sores—Piles—Salt Rheum—Inflammatory Rheumatism—Sore and Inflamed Eyes—Cuts—Wounds—Bruises—Old and Incurable Sores—Scald Head—Corns and Blisters—Erysipelas—Sprains—Swelling—Folious—Chilblains—Bites of Insects—Swelled and Broken Breast—Sore Nipples—Eruptions—and all other inflammatory and cutaneous diseases, where the parts affected can be reached.

Dr. ISAAC THOMPSON'S much celebrated EYE WATER. "Its merits stand unrivalled." This old, tried and invaluable remedy for all diseases of the eyes, after having stood the test of over Fifty Years, and the demand for it is still increasing, is now, and has been for the past two years, offered for sale in an entire new dress. Each bottle will have a Steel Plate Engraved Envelope, with a portrait of the inventor, Dr. Isaac Thompson, New London Conn., and a fac simile of his signature, together with a fac simile of the signature of the present proprietor, John L. Thompson, No. 121 and 123 River Street, Troy, New York, and none other can be genuine.

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