

EBENSEURG, PA.

THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1850.

FOR CONGRESS, GEN. JOSEPH M'DONALD

OF CAMBRIA COUNTY, Subject to the decision of the Democratic Congressional Conference.

STATE NOMINATIONS. FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER, WILLIAM T. MORISON. Of Montgomery County,

> FOR AUDITOR GENERAL, EPHRAIM BANKS. Of Mifflin County.

FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL, J. PORTER BRAWLEY, Of Crawford County.

County Nominations.

COMMISSIONER. JAMES SKELLY. Of Summerhill Township.

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY MICHAEL HASSON, Of Ebensburg.

COUNTY SURVEYOR THOMAS M'CONNELL, Of Summerhill Township.

> AUDITOR. JOHN BEARER, Of Susquehanna Township.

THE SENTINEL, has much the largest ci culation of any paper published in this county -and as an advertising sheet offers superior inducements to merchants and business men generally. Those desirous of making use of to allude, the meeting was unable to ac- swered by a few ayes, and a few noes .do so by either sending their notices direct, or through the following agents:

John Crouse, Esq., Johnstown. E. W. Carr, Evans' Buildings, Third s

Messrs. Murray & Zahm have received a fine assortment of New Goods. which they are putting up in their new Store Room, which they have just erected for the better accommodation of their customers, and where we know they will be pleased to see their friends. Their goods

lot of goods, together with a large assortment of stoves, &c., which he is prepared had been done by the party, as the county their democratic fellow citizens. To the day of June, 1850, agreeably to the call to sell low. See his advertisement, and give him a call.

Fourth of July.

Our military friends of the Summit and Loretto have made preparations to celebrate the Anniversary of our National Birthday in an appropriate manner. We are pleased to see this evidencee of the right kind of spirit on the part of our citizens, and hope their festivities will be numerously attended. We hear of nothing of the kind about Ebensburg however.

Whig State Convention.

The Whig State Convention which asnominated the following ticket:

Canal Commissioner-Joshua Dungan, of Bucks.

of Washington.

said to have broken up in the greatest speaking of this letter, says: more and three more again for James favors, &c. take another drink.

The Democratic County Convention .

proceedings of the County Convention candidate he is. lieve having been nominated upon first respect. ballot. We do not remember to have evsented in convention than upon this occasion, and after the ticket had been thus ceive why some of the delegates should Commissioner is at hand. have thought proper to avoid the appoint. ment, or at least the settlement of the an intelligent and highly respectable body vention. question, of Congessional Conferees, vention. That an effort was made to faction. procure the adjournment of the conven dent, and Messrs. Maguire and Carroll, best interests of the people. which we also publish; but as a majority all duties usually performed by the county ity, with impartiality and fidelity. convention, we leave the matter to the judgment ofour democratic friends to say who was right or who was wrong, and have no doubt but that they will concur with the ges and practices of the democratic party

ges of the party. Court, was called expressly for the purpose the fact. A motion for adjournment was of electing delegates to the State Conven- made by one the of Secretaries (Mr. Mation to nominate a candidate for Canal guire) and immediately followed by one Commissioner, which, owing to the various causes to which it is now unnecessary upon adjourning was put, and only andelegates from the several townships of the room; and the convention remained in the Portage Railroad as he V. B. Palmer, Esq., New York Philadel phia did appoint congressional conferees, which duties imposed upon them by the usage him and the Canal Boaad. the convention meeting here on last Tues and practice of the party. The appoint- (Signed) JAMES MYERS, Pres't. day were unwilling to ratify, and which ment of congressional conferees, and that Francis Bearer, they no doubt thought all wrong, and ac- year has always been made by the county cordingly appointed conferees without any convention assembled in the month of June reference whatever to the action of the to form a county ticket, and ever since our John M Colgan, April meeting. As will be seen, these connection with the present congressional Robert Brown, conferees are instructed to support a Cambria county man from first to last, and we from any quarter. The majority of the are well selected, and will be sold cheap. have no doubt that they will discharge the convention remained in session in the perduty assigned them with fidelity. The formance of thier duties, and have each performed that duty, & this can be seen by tion exceeded their powers in appointing et and appointing Senatorial Conferees. referring our readers to the published proceedings of the county conventions which a county meeting in an unusual manner dent, and Thomas A. Maguire of Johnsassembled in this place in the years 1844, and at an unusual time, to represent the town, and James Carroll of Carroll, ap-1846 and 1848.

> To Correspondents .- The article of Moi Meme cannot appear. It is rather "too much pork for a shilling." Besides we would remind the writer that editors communications.

framed a Constitution by which the bounsembled in Philadelphia on the 19th inst., daries of the State are defined and slavery prohibited.

Letter from Wm. T. Morison.

Auditor General-Henry W. Snyder, The following letter from Wm. T. Mor ison, our candidate for Canal Commission-Surveyor General-Joseph Henderson, er, to Thomas C. M'Dowell, Esq., of egates appeared and took their seats in Richland-John T. Stull, J. S. Wissen-Hollidaysburg, shows the position he oc- Convention-These may all be good enough men to cupies before the public, relative to the Allegheny-Henry Scanlan, P. Braniff. Summerhill-James Burk, A. Long. sacrifice upon the altar of whiggery, and factions which divide the democratic party we suppose it was for this purpose they of the State. It is frank, manly, and to were nominated, as there certainly can be the point, and will commend itself to the no hopes entertained of their success .- heart of every sincere democrat in the Conemaugh Borough-C. P. Murray, White-David Mills, Wm. Burgoon. The Convention was not near full, and is State. The Hollidaysburg Standard, in

greatest enthusiasm. Three more and that his nomination was brought about by three more again for Harry Clay. Three a series of pledges, and promises of future

West. Nine more for Clay and the Com- such insinuations would be treated with promise, which met with about half a scorn and contempt; but with those who dozen hisses. Three cheers were then have not the pleasure of a personal ac- White-David Mills, William Burgoon. lowing nominations were then made; proposed for the State and National Ad- quaintance with that gentleman, they The Convention proceeded to appoint County Commissioner-JAMES SKEL- but two in the entire block, lying between pealed to the law, and it would have been ministrations, but they fell dead upon the might have the effect intended by those Representative Conferees, to meet the LY, of Summerhill. car, as only two persons responded—the who make the charge. It was to silence nomination candidates for Assembly. mass of lookers on being of the Clay and all such efforts on the part of those who whereupon John G. Given, John B. Hoo- Deputy Pros. Attorney-MICHAEL kind of cheers were then given for Cha's Mr. McDowell addressed him a letter, ask-Gibbons, the friend of Harry Clay, and ing to know if there was any foundation Smith. the crowd adjourned to a side room to or truth in the assertion that he was iden- James Mr. Rime, and James Burk, were appointed Senatorial Delegates to the next State Convention, every house on Dupont street, from Wash- (Bunker Hill)—for in the morning, and James Burk, were appointed Senatorial Delegates to the next State Convention,

In anonther column will be found the as becomes the man and the party whose the candidate for Senator.

which assembled in this place on Tuesday | We commend Mr. M.'s letter to the ast, and which was full, every township people of Pennsylvania, as a fearless refu- County Commissioner -- JAMES SKELin the county being fully represented .- tation of the charge of being the candidete The proceedings were conducted with har- of a faction, whilst it is at the same time, mony, and the ticket settled upon gave such an avowel of principles as every honmuch satisfaction, every candidate we be- est man in the community will honor and

MAYFIELD FARM, June 14, 1850. er seen the Democracy more ably repre- To Thomas C. M Dowell Esq., Holliburg Pa.

inst., congratulating me upon my nomina- next State Convention, whereupon John bled at Ebensburg, on the 25th day of found, and nearly every man is making harmonionsly settled upon, we cannot con- tion for the responsible position of Canal C. O'Neill was duly elected Representa- June, 1850, do certify, that a motion to an ounce per day.

of gentlemen, I feel deeply grateful.

ble member of the great Democratic party duly elected and instructed to support ber of the citizens of Loretto and the vition after the ticket was settled upon, is and to that party alone am I pledgad, both from first to last the nomination of a cinity assembled to concert measures for an evident from the statements of the Presi- by principle and profession, to promote the Cambria county man.

the Democracy of Pennsylvania at the bal- yearof the convention did not regard the resolu- lot box, I shall enter upon the duties of Ebensburg Borough -- James Murray, tion as having been adopted, they remained the office with fixed determination to disin session until after they had discharged charge those duties, to the best of my abil-

Yours truly, Wm. T. MORISON.

A CARD.

The undersigned, as Presiding officer majority of the convention, that the usa- of the Demeratic county convention assembled at Ebensburg on the 25th day of ought not to be set aside for trivial causes, to make a brief statement, relative to a June 1850, deems it but right and proper or to gratify the disappointed views of in- part of the proceedings of the convention. dividuals, but that every thing depends on He has understood that the Secretaries of a strict adherence to the time honored usa- the convention have stated that an adjournbefore the appointment by that body The meeting called at the last April of congressional conferees. Such is not from Mr. Donoughe, to proceed to elect congressional conferees. The question of the county committee for the ensuing Edward Irwin, district, will this appear to have been done Andrew Donoughe, conferees in the usual way, or in permit- On motion, JAMES MYERS, of Eb-

JAMES MYERS.

county in a congressional conference.

several election districts of Cambria coun- Conventionty met at Ebensburg, on Tuesday the Allegheny-Henry Scanlan, P. Braniff. expect the postage to be paid on all such 25th day of June, 1850, agreeably to the Carroll-James Carroll, James Kennedy. call of the Democratic County Cmmittee, Cambria-Wm. Kittell, Wm. C. Diver. for the purpose of nominating a County Clearfield-Henry Delozier, George Rut- ter and important intelligence from Cal-The citizens of New Mexico have Ticket, and appointing Senatorial Con-

On motion, JAMES MYERS, of Eb. dent, and Thomas A. Maguire, of Johns- Edward Irvin. town, and James Carroll, of Carroll, ap- Ebensburg Borough-James Myers, G.

credentials, whereupon the following Del-

Carroll-James Carroll, James Kennedy. Susquehanna-Francis Bearer, William Cambria-Wm. Kittell, Wm. C. Diver. Glass. Clearfield-Henry Delozier, Geo. Rut- Washington-John M'Colgan, Andrew continue to be of a favorable nature.

Robert Brown.

Edward Irvin.

guire, George N. Smith. Richland-John T. Stull, J. S. Wissen-

Summerhill-James Burk, A. Long.

Donahue.

The Convention then proceeded to nominate the County Ticket. The following nominations were made:--

LY, of Summerhill. NELL, of Summerhill.

Deputy Pros. Attorney-MICHAEL HASSON, of Ebensburg County Auditor-JOHN BEARER, of

Susquehanna. On motion, Resolved, That the Convention now proceed to appoint Repre-Dear Sir:-Your letter dated the 3d sentative and Senatorial delegates to the Democratic County Convention, assem- out \$4000. Some large, lumps have been tive delegate, and Adam Moses of Blair adjourn was put and carried, before any For the high honor thus conferred, by county, Senatorial delegate to said Con- action was taken to appoint Congressional thy.

The Convention then proceeded to after the adjournment. I can safely say that I have made no elect conferees to meet conferees from and discharging all the duties imposed pledges to any one to obtain the nomina- Bedford and Westmoreland counties to upon them by retiring from the con- tion; nor do I belong to any clique or put in nomination a candiddte for Congress, when George C. K. Zahm, Tho's I claim to be an independent but hum- M'Kiernan, and John M'Ginley, were

The following gentlemen were appoint- verary of American Independence. Should my nomination be ratified by ed a County Committee for the ensuing

Chairman, John C. O'Neill, John A.

Allegheny-Geo. Delany, Patrick Shiels. Cambria-Stephen Lloyd, Jr., Mathias explained from the Chair, on motion it to be very promising in spite of the cold S. Harr.

Carroll-James Kennedy, John Flick. Clearfield -- Andrew Burgoon, George Rutledge. Conemaugh tp .- Edward Irvin, John

Conemaugh Borough - John Murray, Smith Sergeant.

Johnstown-James Potts, Thomas A. Maguire.

ment of the convention had been carried Richland-Lewis Dunmire, Jno. J. Hor- A. Walters.

Washington-John M'Gough, James M.

White-John Burgoon, David Younkin. published in the Mountain Sentinel; and The road is in fine condition. Major

On motion, Resolved, That we approve of the apthis medium for extending their business can complish, and to perform this duty it was The chair did not consider the question as pointment of Wm. S. Campbell, Esq., by P. M'CAFFRY, M. D., Secretary. found necessary to call a convention of carried, and asked for a division of the the Canal Board, and that as long as he

William W. Harris, Henry Delozier, George Rutledge, George Gates, David Mills, Anthony Long, William Glass, George Harncame,

COUNTY CONVENTION.

James Davis.

A convention of delegates from the sevfied that they will meet the approbation of met at Ebensburg, on Tuesday, the 25th conventions assembled in former years party I am perfectly willing to submit the of the Democratic County Committee, for to frame a county ticket, had always also question for decision, whether the conven- the purpose of nominating a County Tick-

> ting conferees who had been selected by ensburg borough, was appointed Presipointed Secretaries.

The delegates for the several election districts were then called upon for their COUNTY CONVENTION. credentials, whereupon the following del A Convention of Delegates from the egates appeared and took their seats in

Conemaugh Borough-C. P. Murray, Robert Brown.

ensburg Borough, was appointed Presi- Conemaugh Township-George Gates,

Harncame.

The Delegates for the several election Jackson-Wm. W. Harris, James Davis. districts were then called upon for their Johnstown Borough-Thomas A. Maguire, G. N. Smith.

The Convention proceeded to appoint Conemaugh Township-George Gates, Representative Conferees, to meet the Conferees of Bedford county, to place in the cry of fire. The United States Ho- over, the parties were taken into custody confusion. In the language of one of the newspaper reporters, the scene was indethe Williamsport Convention, it has been the will be the w scribable. Nine cheers for Henry Clay insinuated in many quarters that he was Jackson-Wm. W. Harris, were ap- and in the street, the flames had spread ensue; but Mr. Willis has quietly appealed and James Cooper were given with the the peculiar pet of this or that faction, and Johnstown Borough-Thomas A. Ma- pointed, and instructed to support Dr. Wm. to the adjoining buildings on either side. to the laws, laying the damages at ten

Conferees, with instructions to support scattered senses, the Verandah, opposite of provocation with respect to the subject-Cooper. Three more for Harry of the By those who know Wm. T. Morison, Susquehanna-Francis Bearer, William Thomas C. M'Dowell, of Blair county, the Eldorado was soon wrapped in flames, matter of his quarrel with Mr. Willis; as the candidate for Senator.

nominate the County Ticket. The fol- the fire was spreading with equal force (club law) is very well calculated to ben-

Conferees of Bedford county, to place in Deputy Surveyor-THOMAS M'CON- Montgomery streets, were destroyed. In his cause, in preference to resorting to the NELL, of Summerhill.

Mr. Morison has furnished such an answer Thomas C. M'Dowell, of Blair county, as sented, on the ground of its not being em- the block not a single building is left braced in the call for the Convention .- standing. The block below this towards Those who favored the proposition, pro- the bay fared but little better, seven housceeded to the election of said Delegates es only left on it. Then it will be seen (the dissenting Delegates protesting, and that the very heart of San Francisco is not voting.) wherupon John C. O'Neill burned out. was appointed Representative Delegate, Upon the three several blocks men Deputy Surveyor-THOMAS M'CON- and Adam Moses recommended as Sena- tioned, but nine buildings are left standtorial Delegate.

The Convention then adjourned sine

THOMAS A. MAGUIRE, & Secretaries. JAMES CARROLL,

conferees, and that such action was taken

THOMAS A. MAGUIRE, JAMES CARROLL.

4th of July.

appropriate celebration of the 74th anni-

The meeting was orgaized by the ap- say:- The Trinity river, it is stated, has pointment of COL. JOHN KEAN, Pies- fallen so low that a large amount of Gov ident, Dr. J. Pfoff and H. A. Byrne Esq. ernment stores, which were to be sent up Vice Presidents, and Dr. M'Caffry and it, have now to be shipped for the Brazos

Wm. Brown Secretaries. The purpose of the meeting having been ter Creek and the Lower Brazos, are said was resolved, that a committee of arrange- and wet weather. Cotton is quite back. ment of five members, and a committee of ward, but with favorable weather may

invitatom of six members be appointed. produce a medium yield. The planters The following gentlemen compose the in that district are generally abandoning committee of arrangement: Messrs. Au- cotton for sugar. The Brenham Star says

The committee of invitation eonsists of at present. the following named gentlemen: Dr. M'- The Western Texan records a burglary Caffry Chairman, Dr. J. Pfoff, H. A. at San Antonio. Some \$800 worth of Jackson-W. W. Harris, Peter Singer. Byrne, Esq., Col. J. Kean, P. Shiels, and jewelry was abstracted from the store of

It was further resolved, that the above ult. Part of the articles had been recov-Summerhill-Ja's Burk, Jacob Pringle. named committees be requested to meet at ered, and there was every prospect of de-Susquehanna- Henry Lloyd, Francis this place on on the 24th inst. at 6 o'clock tecting the robbers.

> then on motion the meeting adjourned. JOHN KEAN, Pes't.

Outrage at Sault Ste. Marie.

We learn from the county. The April meeting however, session until they had discharged all the has done, the Democracy will sustain both Sault that an armed band of British sol- rendering the peonage system. Mr. Audiers, commanded by Capt. Cooper and brey's train passed through El Paso on Lieut. Balfour, stationed opposite the the 27 of April. He lost forty mules in Sault Ste. Marie, on the Canada side, one night by a severe storm near the Pecrossed over to the American side, on the cos. Mr. Wiggin's train, from San Annight of the 14th inst., to arrest deserters, tonia, was met at the Pecos on the 14th This band entered a boarding house of a ult. Mr. - with axes and clubs, cutting The Southwestern American says that down the doors and knocked down Mr. it is computed that 2000 negroes have F. The soldiers entered the room of Mrs. been added to the agricultural force of F., and knocked her down and gagged Washington county in the last twelve her. They also threatened the lives of months. several of the boarders.

ernment.—Detroit Free Press.

LATER FROM CALIFORNIA! Arrival of the Crescent City. Tremendous Fire at san Francisco! Loss, \$500,000!!

NEW YORK, June 21. The steamship Crescent City, Capt. Stoddart, arrived this morning, with la-

The Grescent City arrived out at Chagres in eight and a half days from New

She brings \$150,000 gold dust in the hands of her passengers. A destructive fire had taken place at

San Fracisco-loss, half a million.

cers is also very good.

Another Fire.

The fire spread to the Eldorado on one thousand dollars. John M'Colgan, James M. Riffle, and side and to Delmoncio on the other. Be- We are of opinion that Mr. Forrest has James Burk, were appointed Senatorial fore the people had time to collect their received, one way and another, a good deal thence spreading along Kearney and but we doubt whether this unceremonious Washington-John M'Colgan, Andrew The Convention then proceeded to Washington street. At the same time resort to the argumentum bacculinum down Clay street, till finally every house efit his side of the question. He had ap-Clay and Washington and Kearney to better, perhaps, to let the law vindicate the meantime destruction equally as great at all times illegal, and generally doubtful and rapid was going on along Kearney remedy, of assault and battery. John M'Colgan, James M. Riffle, and A proposition was made to appoint direction was in taking away its food, June, and a great fighting anniversary, tified with any faction. To that inquiry Conferees, with instructions to support from which a number of Delegates dis-ington to Jackson, was torn down. In before his rencounter with Mr. Forrest, he

A mass of gold and quanz, weighing 60 lbs., was found near Marepose, and sold for \$1000.

Several recent and important discoveries have been made on the Makolumni. Out We, the undersigned, Secretaries of the of one hole three men in two days took

Chagres and Panama were very heal.

The miners have have generally done well, and more bullion may be expected during the coming six months than altogether heretofore.

From Texas.

On Saturday evening, June 22d, a num- Cotton-Sugar-Arrival of Major Neighbors from Santa Fe-Fight with the Indians-Captain Marchant Woun-

Galveston papers, to the 17th inst. river. The sugar and corn crop, on Oysgustine Little, Chairman, P. Braniff, W. that never since 1836 have the prospects Brown, H. Scanlan and Col. J. Kean. for the crops been so gloomy in Texas as

a Mr. Garner, on the night of the 17th

P. M., to enter on their respective duties. Lieut. Mechlin arrived in San Antonio Resolved, also, that a notice of these on the 20th ult., from El Paso del Norte, proceedings, being first duly signed, be having made the trip in twenty-six days. Neighbors encountered strong opposition to the mission in Santa Fe. The New Mexicans have an innate animosity to Texas. Some confound Texans with Indians-others dread retribution for their passengers from the cruelties in 1840, and many dislike sur

By the express from the station on the We also learn that Lieut. Russell, of Leona, the Western Texan learns that the U. S. Army, was present at the time Capt. Marchant, of the 3d Dragoont, with and witnessed the outrage, and, to all ap- twelve men, left the fort on the 17th ult., pearance, encouraged the British soldiers in pursuit of a party of Indians who had to do what was done. He threatened the been discovered in the vicinity. On the citizens, if they interfered to prevent the 19th, he came in sight of the Indians, arrest of the deserters, or stop their law. eight in number, near the Rio Frio. He less proceedings. If this is so, Lieut. pursued them promptly-the Indians re-Russell should be cashiered, and we are treated to the ravine near the bank of the glad to know that the proceedings have river, where they made a stand-and on been reported to the United States gov- the approach of the party, fired. At the first fire Capt. Marchant was wounded .-On the receipt of the intelligence at the Leona, a conveyance was immediately sent out to bring in Capt. M., but he had not arrived at the station when the express left, and it is impossible to know at present the extent of the injury received by him, but it is thought to be a severe wound. The same party of Indians a few days before captured, robbed and whipped two Germans who were on their way in from El Paso. They started in company with Lieut. Mechlin's train, and had fallen-

Edwin Forrest and N. P. Willis-

It is generally known that Mr. Forrest and Mr. Willis, on account of the domes-The steamer Isthmus arrived at Pa- tic difficulties of the former, with which nama from San Francisce, on the 10th. the latter has been mixed up as the cham-She brought 134 passengers and \$300,- pion of Mrs. Forrest, and the expounder of the Jamieson letter, have been on the The Crescent city brings dates to the worst possible terms of late. On the 17th 24th of May. Reports from the mining instant, Mr. Forrest found Mr. Willis in portions of the country North and South, Washington Square, in New York, and then and there knocked him down, sans The general rate of health at the pla- ceremonie, and with a gutta percha whip or cane, gave him some fifteen or twenty blows, well laid down-so says Mr. Ste-The whole population was aroused by vens, who was present. The affray being