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WILLIAM F. PACKER, LYCOMING COUNTY.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL 29, 1857.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR. WILLIAM F. PACKER, LYCOMING COUNTY.

FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER. NIMROD STRICKLAND, CHESTER COUNTY.

IN EARNEST.

We notice in a number of our exchanges the above heading, calling on their subscribers to square up. We have adopted the same plan by leaving the accounts of quite a number of delinquent subscribers and advertisers in the hands of a proper officer for collection.

Pennsylvania Sold.

For the past ten days it has been very evident that a combination, sufficiently strong, had been entered into at Harrisburg, to force through the Legislature, the Bill for the sale of the Main Line.

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George N. Smith. Just before going to press we received a copy of the remarks of this gentleman on the proposition to submit the question of the sale of the Main Line to a vote of the people.

The Meeting. In another column will be found the proceedings of the meeting, held in the Court House, on last Friday evening, in opposition to the sale of the Main Line.

The Emigration Westward. Cambria, like the neighboring counties, is affected with the western fever. A number of our citizens in various sections of the county have already emigrated.

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CURIOUS PHENOMENON.—Lieutenant Hatter, in his recently published work entitled "My Last Cruise," notices a curious phenomenon which was seen at sea. It was a brilliant meteor, which, although visible for not more than a second, presents a most perfect representation of the human eye.

PUBLIC MEETING! In Opposition to the Sale of the Main Line of Public Improvements!!! A large and enthusiastic meeting of the citizens of Ebsenburg, irrespective of party, was held in the Court House, on Friday evening the 24th inst., to express their views in opposition to the passage of the bill now before the Legislature, for the sale of the Main Line.

President. MAJ JOHN THOMPSON, JR. Vice Presidents.—JAMES ROSS, JOHN A. BLAIR, ISAAC CRAWFORD, LEWIS HOOVER, JAMES MYERS, REES JNO. LLOYD.

On motion, Dr. Wm. A. Smith explained the object of the meeting, in a brief and interesting speech. The following named gentlemen were then appointed to report resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting: Dr. Wm. A. Smith, Capt. James Murray, Isaac Evans, Hon. Philip Noon, William Wherry, Daniel O. Evans, Thomas B. Moore, Ewan Griffith, Rees John Lloyd, James Myers, William Kittell, John Williams and Hon. Richard Jones.

Whereas, a Bill for the sale of the Main Line of the public improvements is now pending in our State Legislature, which we believe if suffered to become a law would be destructive to the best interests of the Commonwealth, and injurious to the people for whose benefit it was originally constructed, and having learned with alarm and regret that this bill, so hastily concocted, and without any petitions from the people thereof, has just been passed by the House of Representatives, we cannot, as citizens of Pennsylvania, feeling deeply for her welfare and the interests of her people, permit so infamous a bill as the one alluded to, to become a law without expressing our strong disapprobation of it, and appealing to the Senate, and the Executive, to prevent the scheme from being consummated.

Resolved, That the citizens of Cambria county, hastily assembled as they have been, in mass meeting, and without respect to party, hereby deliberately express their decided disapprobation of the bill now before the Legislature for the sale of the Main Line of Canal and Rail Road, and cannot too strongly condemn the course of those Representatives who have betrayed their constituents and the State, whose interests they were elected to guard and watch over.

Resolved, That we are opposed to hasty legislation, and that the hurried manner in which this bill has been forced through the House of Representatives, before its provisions could be made known to the people and in which a tyrannical majority voted down all amendments calculated to protect the interests of the Commonwealth, irresistibly forces us to the conclusion that corrupt and mercenary influences are stronger with some men than love of country.

Resolved, That we are opposed to the sale of the main line at this time, especially when the Commonwealth is to derive no benefit from it for a period of thirty-three years, save the bare payment of five per cent interest on the purchase money, and when no party but the Pennsylvania Rail Road would be permitted to become the purchaser under the bill.

Resolved, That we are opposed to the bill also for the following reasons: 1st. It permits the main line from Hollidaysburg to Pittsburg to be closed, which cannot but be destructive to the interests of its citizens who have invested their capital in coal, salt, iron, lumber or agriculture, the trade in which is increasing, and is a violation of the pledged faith of the State to its citizens.

Resolved, That we cordially endorse the course of our representatives, G. NELSON SMITH and W. O. REAMER, in opposing the passage of this most unjust and injurious measure; and that we tender to the Hon. HENRY D. FOSTER our sincere thanks for his steadfast, manly and able opposition to it, and that we hereby call upon our Senator, Hon. JOHN CASSWELL, to resist its passage in the Senate, by all fair and honorable means.

county, and that a copy thereof be transmitted by the President of this meeting to the Governor and to each member of the Legislature.

TO THE PEOPLE OF PENNSYLVANIA. Come to the Rescue! Your Taxes are about to be Entailed upon you Forever!!

There is now pending before the House of Representatives a bill for the sale of the Main Line of the canal and railroad belonging to the Commonwealth, which is the most stupendous fraud upon the public revenues, and upon the best interest of every tax payer, that has ever been proposed in the Legislature of Pennsylvania, and strange as it may seem, there is at this moment strong indications of its passage.

This bill proposes to sell the Main Line, extending from Philadelphia, including all the rolling stock, machine shops, depots, collector's offices, lock house lots, and other property along the line, not including the tonnage tax, for the sum of \$7,500,000, if purchased by individuals, or if purchased by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, including the tonnage tax, for the sum of \$9,000,000.

1856, were \$1,222,973 45 Add tonnage tax, 222,227 68 Total receipts, \$1,445,201 13 Expenditures for same period, including 10 per cent on cost of locomotives and improvement of machinery and structures, not properly chargeable to any one year, \$87,461 44 Profits over expenditures, \$567,739 69

Being the interest on a capital of \$11,764,793-00 at five per cent, (the rate of interest required by the bill,) which it is proposed to sell for \$9,000,000.

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The idea of a sale of the public works for the purpose of reducing the State debt is a popular one, and is now being seized upon by professional brokers and demagogues to mislead you, and increase your burthens. Do not be so deceived. The bill now before the Legislature, does not mean it is intended to reduce the debt. On the contrary it will increase taxation.

Proposed Sale of the Main Line. A bill is now before the House of Representatives for the sale of the Main Line of the Public Works, which is drawn so unfairly and unjustly against the interests of the Commonwealth, and the passage of which would inflict so lasting a blow at the prosperity of our State, that we felt compelled to issue an extra, on Saturday, calling attention to it. The matter of the extra will be found in this number of our paper.

The tonnage tax on the Harrisburg and Lancaster and Pennsylvania railroads, amounting, last year, to 249,621 42 And the tax on the stock of the two Companies, estimated at - - - 100,000 00 Making a total of - - - \$741,617 84 And in return she will receive in the shape of interest annually - \$450,000 00 Showing a yearly loss of - - - \$291,617 84

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The Hon. R. J. Walker is in New York, making preparations for his departure to Kansas. It is said that he has entered into the matter in the most determined spirit, and will exert himself to the utmost, to restore peace and prosperity to the Territory. He will leave for the scene of his new labors, on the 11th of May. His object is purely patriotic, as in a pecuniary point of view, he cannot but be a great loser.

WHITE TEETH, PERFUMED BREATH AND BEAUTIFUL COMPLEXION—can be acquired by using the "Balm of a Thousand Flowers." What lady or gentleman would remain under the curse of a disagreeable breath, when by using the "Balm of a Thousand Flowers" as a dentifrice, would not only render it sweet, but leave the teeth white as alabaster? Many persons do not know their breath is bad, and the subject is so delicate their friends will never mention it. Beware of counterfeits. Be sure each bottle is signed FETTERIDGE & Co. N. Y.

On the 8th of April, in Cambria township, LAURA MALYNA D., only daughter of Rev. David, and Rachel D. Anusley, aged 1 year and 28 days. This lovely flower faded soon, We thought it promised long to bloom; But when our hopes of it were bright, It quickly vanished out of sight. But still we would not mourn for it, When the great Shepherd has seen fit; To take this lamb into his arms, To see his face, and feel his charms. No for it we would not mourn, Nor wish to us it might return; It cannot come to us again, But we would go and with it reign. [Cambria Tribune please copy.]

AUDITOR'S NOTICE. Pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, the undersigned Auditor, will sit at his office, in Ebsenburg, on FRIDAY, the 22d of MAY next, to hear, decide and report upon the exceptions filed to the account of Margaret P. Pringle, administratrix of Abraham Knupper, dec'd., when and where all persons interested may attend. JOHN S. RIEVEY, Auditor. April 29, 1857.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the estate of David Abrams, of Carroll township, deceased, are requested to come forward and settle their accounts without delay. E. J. WATERS, Executor. April 29, 1856.—6ts.

PROFESSOR O. J. WOOD'S HAIR RESTORATIVE. FOR PRODUCING HAIR ON BALD HEADS, AND RESTORING GREY HAIR TO ITS NATURAL COLOR. Preparation has never failed to produce a growth on Bald Heads, when used according to the direction, and turn hair back to its original color, after having become grey and run into it in all its original health, lustre, softness and beauty. Removes at once all scurf, dandruff and unpleasant itching, scrofula, eruptions and feverish heat from the scalp. It also prevents the hair from becoming unhealthily and falling off, and hence acts as a perfect HAIR INVIGORATOR AND TONIC.

A gentleman of Boston writes to his friend in New Bedford thus: To your inquiries, I would reply, that when I commenced using Professor Wood's Hair Restorative, my hair was almost white, and had been so for the last ten years and it was very thin on the top of my head, and very loose, and pulled out freely; but I found that before I had used all the second bottle, (which was eight weeks) my hair was entirely changed to its original color, light brown, and in its former condition and quite moist. I have had my hair cut five or six times since the change, and have never seen any thing like white hair starting from the roots; and it is now as thick as it ever was, and does not come out at all. It has proved in my case all that I could wish to ask. Yours, etc.— July 1, 1855.

SOMETHING WORTH KNOWING.—By using Professor Wood's Hair Restorative, grey hair can be permanently restored to its original color. The subjoined certificate from Johnston & Stone, Gardner, Maine, is but one of the many instances that are daily coming to our knowledge, of its wonderful effects. It is no longer problematical, but a self-evident truth, as hundreds in our community can testify. GARDNER, Maine, June 26, 1856. DEAR SIR: I have used two bottles of Professor Wood's Hair Restorative, and can truly say it is the greatest discovery of the age for restoring and changing the hair. Before using it, I was a man of seventy. My hair has now attained its original color. You can recommend it to the world without the least fear, as my case was one of the worst kind. Yours respectfully, DANIEL N. MURPHY. Professor O. J. Wood.

DEAR SIR:—Having made a trial of your Hair Restorative, it gives me pleasure to say that its effect has been excellent in removing inflammation, dandruff, and a constant itching tendency with which I have been troubled from childhood; and has also restored my hair, which was turning gray, to its original color. I have used no other article with anything like the pleasure and profit. Yours, Truly, J. K. BRAGG. Pastor of the Orthodox Church, Brookfield. Prof. O. J. Wood. [From the Missouri Democrat.] WOOD'S HAIR DYE.—This admirable article is rapidly improving the hair. No article of a similar kind, now before the public, enjoys a better reputation as a restorative and invigorating hair tonic. Its peculiar chemical qualities have a beneficial effect upon the growth and character of the hair, giving a silky and glossy texture to that which was formerly of a coarse and dry nature. It has, also, we understand, a tendency to preserve the youthful appearance of the hair, by destroying or counteracting the effects of age.—With such recommendations in its favor, we hardly perceive how any lady or gentleman should be without so valuable an adjunct to their toilet. O. J. WOOD & CO., Proprietors, 312 Broadway, New York, and 114 Market Street, St. Louis, Mo.—For sale here by all the Druggists. April 29, 1856.—24-6m.