



The Journal

Huntingdon, Sept. 13, 1843.

To Advertisers. Advertisements must be handed in on Tuesday morning before 9 o'clock to insure their insertion in next morning's paper.

OATS and CORN will be taken, at the market price, in payment of subscription and jobbing due this office. July 12, 1843.—f.

APPRENTICES WANTED.

An Apprentice to the Printing Business is wanted at this office. A boy 14 or 15 years of age will find a good situation, if application is made soon to the EDITOR.

2nd Locofoco Ticket.

The following Ticket was agreed upon by the Anti-Porter branch of the Locofoco party of this county, on Tuesday evening, 29th August.

For Assembly:

EDWARD BELL, Esq., of Antep tp.

WILLIAM M'NITT, of Shirley tp.

Commissioners:

Capt. JOHN SHERMAN, of Barree tp. for 3 years.

WILLIAM BARR, Esq., of Blair tp. for 1 year.

Treasurer:

ISAAC DORLAND, of Huntingdon.

Auditor:

SAMUEL S. BARR.

1st Locofoco Ticket.

The following Ticket was agreed upon by the Anti-Porter branch of the Locofoco party of this county, on Tuesday evening, the 15th August.

For Assembly:

THOMAS P. CAMPBELL, Esq., of Huntingdon.

EDWARD BELL, Esq., of Antep township.

Commissioner:

Capt. JOHN SHERMAN, of Barree tp. for 3 years.

HENRY M'CELLIN, of Tyrone tp. for 1 year.

Treasurer:

DENNIS BOOT, Esq., of Huntingdon.

We learn that JOHN SMITH alias John Forrest, the man who was convicted of horsestealing at our last Court, had been pardoned by the Governor and released from the Western Penitentiary in Allegheny county, only ten days before he stole the horse in this county.

Fatal Affray.

A serious affray occurred at Elkton, Maryland, a lawyer, of that village, formerly a Locofoco member of the Legislature, and Palmer C. Ricketts, editor of the Cecil Whig. A misunderstanding had existed between the parties for a considerable time, and Forward had threatened to cowhide Ricketts. The latter was leaving the post office, when he was met by Forward, who seized him by both arms; Ricketts disengaged himself and drew a revolving six-barrelled pistol, from which he discharged four balls, the first missing, the latter three taking effect in his antagonist's body, causing death soon after. Ricketts immediately gave himself up to abide the laws of his country, and was taken into custody by the Sheriff.

CONVENTION OF COLORED PEOPLE.—A National Convention of colored men was held at Buffalo, New York, some time ago. All the non-slave holding States, and several of the others, were represented by 75 delegates. The object was to devise means to elevate the condition of their race. The Gazette says the proceedings were every way creditable, and exhibited much talent.

An address to the colored people was adopted, making, we learn from the Newark Advertiser, a stirring appeal to them for action in the great cause of self-elevation and self-advancement, and shewing that all other causes of their debasement may be removed except that of color. A corresponding committee of two from each State was appointed, with power to call future conventions, etc., and resolutions were adopted for the circulation of petitions to Congress for the abolition of slavery in the District of Columbia and in the Territories, and against the annexation of Texas, &c. Mr. Beman, of Philadelphia presided.

A SHOCKING MURDER.—The Salem, Alabama, Free Press, gives some further particulars of the murder of Mrs. Mary Anne Chapman. It is stated that during her husband's absence from home, she was by some means enticed by the negroes into a corn-field about 150 or 200 yards from the house, and there murdered by one of them, by means of a rope thrown over the neck in a running noose.—After being thus strangled, she was carried to the opposite side of the field, dragged over the fence so violently as to leave some of her hair torn out upon the rails; and thence taken some 60 yards further into a ticket, and the body then concealed under the bark and rotten pieces of an old log.

The Free Press adds:—“Much excitement, we understand, was produced by the circumstances, and at a meeting of some 400 or 500 citizens, the question was submitted whether the negroes should be burnt upon the spot of the murder. Much to their credit, however, it was agreed that the law should be permitted to take its course, and the negroes were accordingly committed to jail.”

SPECIE OF THE WORLD.—The entire amount of specie of the world is estimated by Jacobs at \$1,900,000,000. In Europe, there is supposed to be \$1,000,000,000. According to the best authorities, it is supposed that the paper circulation in Europe is four times the specie currency.

Extensive Forgery in New York.

A young man named Saunders, a clerk in the nation house of Austin, Wethering & Co., forged a number of checks of that house upon various Banks in the city, where they had deposited, succeeded in drawing the amounts, and making his escape to England in the steamer Great Western. The discovery of the forgeries on Tuesday morning, produced great excitement in Wall street. The amounts drawn out upon these forged checks were as follows: Merchant's Bank, \$3,000; City Bank, 5,000; Bank of Commerce, 5,000; Manhattan Bank, 1,000; Seventh Ward Bank, 2,000; State Bank, 500; Union Bank, 3,000; American Exchange Bank, 3,000; Bank of America, 3,000; 29,000.

The imitation of the signatures are so perfect as to deceive the most practised eye.

It seems that Saunders, when he disappeared from the counting house on Thursday, must immediately have gone to these banks, (at all of which he was known as the clerk of A. W. & Co.) drawn the money, and proceeding thence to his boarding house, took his clothing, paid his bill, and passing rapidly to the office of the Great Western, took passage under the name of Wm. Henry Taylor, of Ohio, paid \$100 therefor, and \$5 for the steward, and immediately drove up to the ship just in time to get on board, before the departure at 2 o'clock.

On the day of sailing of the Great Western, he came to his boarding house in a carriage, to put on his trunk about 1 o'clock, when one of his fellow boarders asking him where he was going, his reply was “Boston.” When asked again, “why in such a hurry,” he replied, “I have a great deal to do, and start early.”

He is a son of Dr. Saunders, an Englishman, who lived at Manhattanville. As yet the father, whom the police are in search of, has not been heard of.

P. S.—The N. Y. Express of yesterday says, the Friday of the young man who forged checks on the firm of the name of Austin, Wethering & Co. was arrested yesterday and is now in prison.

It is now ascertained that Saunders did not get to the Great Western in time, for he was in the city in the afternoon of Thursday, after five o'clock, and therefore too late for the Boston boat also.

Horn the Murderer.

The editor of the Baltimore Republican, in the course of an interesting account of a visit to Horn, the murderer, says that he found the wretched man seated at his grand window, apparently in meditation, gazing through the bars upon the arched heavens. A small Prayer Book and a German Bible was near him, and in answer to a question about the latter, he raised it to his lips and kissed it reverently, while the tears trickled down his cheeks, as he said, “it was the gift of his mother in a foreign land.”

The editor adds:—“In one corner was his bed—a small table and two chairs, which composed the furniture of his apartment—he was firmly chained round the ankle, the weighty part of his chain resting upon a billet of wood. On our entering, he raised his eyes in an inviting manner, seeming to welcome our visit and in a few minutes we were conversing on general topics, carefully avoiding allusion to the crime with which he was charged. Among other questions we asked him concerning the state of his health, to which he answered, that his appetite was not so good as it had been; otherwise his health was good—he could not eat. ‘Look,’ said he pointing to a plate, ‘that is my dinner, I cannot eat it—meat is offensive to me. It seems unwholesome. Let me eat nothing—be guilty or be not? Let the laws of his countrymen decide.’”

MELANCHOLY DEATH.—We regret to learn from the Norristown Free Press, that Abraham Brower, Jr., son of Senator Brower, of that county met with a most melancholy death on the 23d ult. The deceased was standing at the side of a tree at which a man was engaged at felling, when the top unexpectedly lodged against an adjacent tree, but sliding off from the stem, swung round and caught him beneath it, crushing him in a manner truly horrible. The body of the tree had to be cut loose from the top before it could be removed. When extricated it was discovered that his back was broken in two places, besides one of his hips, and that he was otherwise much mangled. He lived but a few hours after. He was aged about 20 years.

MARRIED.

On Thursday the 7th inst. by the Rev. H. G. Hill, Mr. DANIEL NEWINGHAM to Miss CATHARINE S. DIEFFENBACHER, both of this borough.

On the 31st ult., by the Rev. Mr. Gillette Mr. FRANKLIN PRICE, merchant of Hollidaysburg, to Miss MATHILDA ANN, daughter of Thomas S. Valentine, of Conestoga, Chester county, Pa.

THE HUNTINGDON FEMALE SEMINARY.

This excellent School, for the instruction of young ladies, was again opened yesterday, after a short vacation, and an opportunity is again offered to all who desire to send pupils to it, for the term which has just commenced, to do so during the present and following week. It is very desirable that all who intend to receive instruction in the Seminary, should enter with the commencement of a term. THE TRUSTEES. September 13, 1843.

CHAIRS! CHAIRS!!!

The subscriber is now prepared to furnish every description of CHAIRS, from the plain kitchen to the most splendid and fashionable one for the parlor. Also the LUXURIOUS AND EASY CHAIR FOR THE INVALID, in which the feeble and afflicted invalid, though unable to walk even with the aid of crutches, may with ease move himself from room to room, through the garden and in the street, with great rapidity.

Those who are about going to house-keeping, will find it to their advantage to give him a call, whilst the Student and Gentleman of leisure are sure to find in his newly invented Revolving Chair, that comfort which no other article of the kind is capable of affording. Country merchants and shippers can be supplied with any quantity at short notice.

ABRAHAM McDONOUGH, No. 115 South Second street, two doors below Dock, Philadelphia. May 31, 1843.—1 v.

Strayed or Stolen

FROM the premises of the subscriber, near Petersburg, on Thursday night last, a bright brown mare, stone blind, both hind legs white to the pastern joints, she had been kicked a short time ago on the hind leg and was lame. Any person returning the said mare to the subscriber will be liberally rewarded. JOHN DOUGHERTY. August 9, 1843.—3t, pd.

THE MARKETS.

[CORRECTED WEEKLY.]

Table of market prices for Philadelphia, Sept. 8. Includes WHEAT FLOUR, RYE MEAL, CORN, WHISKEY, etc.

Table of market prices for Baltimore, Sept. 4. Includes WHEAT FLOUR, RYE, CORN, WHISKEY, etc.

Table of market prices for Pittsburgh, Sept. 8. Includes FLOUR, WHEAT, RYE, CORN, WHISKEY, etc.

BANK NOTE LIST.

Table listing rates of discount in Philadelphia for various banks in Philadelphia and Country Banks.

Table listing Rates of Relief Notes for various banks in the North and West.

STRAV HORSE.

CAME to the Farm of the subscriber, near the borough of Alexandria, Huntingdon county, on Saturday the 19th inst., a light sorrel horse, heavy made, with a small star in his forehead, six years old last spring, and about 15 hands high. The owner is requested to come and prove property, pay charges and take him away, otherwise he will be disposed of according to law. JOHN GEMMILL. August 30 1843.

PARMS FOR SALE.

SIX FARMS are offered for sale, containing each about 250 Acres, of fine Limestone and Chocolate Land, well watered and improved, with a due proportion of wood, situated on the State Road, in Trough Creek Valley, six miles from the Raystown branch of the Juniata and Chillicothe, about 7 from the Tub-mill Gap, 13 from Campbell's Lock on the State Canal, and 26 from M'Connellsburg and the town of Huntingdon. They are surrounded by a respectable and thriving population, established more than 50 years since; and are near to several iron works, which, independent of other sources, afford markets for the produce of this fertile and beautiful valley. For information, apply to Mr. James Enton, Jr., Coffee-Run P. O. Huntingdon Co. Pa., or Mr. William Hoak, Broad-top P. O. Huntingdon Co. Pa., who will show the premises. JOHN HARE POWELL, Aug. 16, 1843.—3m. Philadelphia.

JAMES S. SMITH'S Wholesale Clock Establishment.

WHERE is to be found the largest assortment of clocks in the United States, among which are Forrester's, Hills Goodrich & Co., Atkins, Porter & Co., Ives' Brewsters, and other eight day brass clocks. C. Jerome's, Bristol manufacturing company, Atkins, Porter & Co., Hill's, Goodrich & Co., Forrester's, H. W. Eaton's, and other thirty hour brass clocks, Bantman & Wells's, Hoak's and Alfred's, H. C. Smith's and other wood clocks. Sole agent for Crane's celebrated year and month clocks, as well as several of the above mentioned. Also, church and hall clocks. Watchmakers, Merchants and others, will find it to their interest to call. Looking Glasses manufactured. Philadelphia July 28, 1843.—3m.

Dentistry.

DR. J. M. YOUNG ESPECIALLY announces to the citizens of Huntingdon county, that he has returned to Alexandria, where he is prepared to attend to the practice of his Profession, until the first of September next, when he will leave for Cincinnati. N. B.—Dr. Young has a new discovery for destroying the nerves of Teeth without pain. Also, a new Parisian Cement, for plugging Teeth in the most durable manner, for only half the cost of Gold. August 2, 1843.—3t.

Paper Peddling.

The subscriber informs the Merchants of Huntingdon and the adjoining counties, that he still continues in the above business, and that the report put in circulation, by interested persons, that he has quit travelling this section of country is utterly false. He still continues to give the highest price for rags. All orders in his line, left at the "Huntingdon Journal" office, or Exchange Hotel, will meet with prompt attention from the subscriber. GEORGE KEYSER. July 26, 1843.—3t

Estate of Conrad Dillenger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that letters testamentary on the last will and testament of Conrad Dillenger, late of Woodberry township, Huntingdon county, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement, to DANIEL PAUL, } Ex'rs. JOHN SKYLES, } July 19, 1843.—6t

Notice.

All persons are hereby notified that I, the subscriber, purchased at Sheriff's Sale, on the 5th day of August inst., as the property of Richard D. Bathgate, in Emissville, Huntingdon county, the following property, which I left in the possession of the said Bathgate, it not being convenient to remove the same, to wit:—61 sheep skins in the vats, 96 calf skins, do. 1 grey horse saddle and bridle, and 10 cords of tan bark in the bank mill. All persons are therefore hereby cautioned and forewarned against intermeddling with the above mentioned property, as the same belongs to me, and I will proceed according to law against any person intermeddling with the same or any part thereof. THOMAS W. THOMAS. August 9, 1843.—pd.

A Female Teacher WANTED.

The School Directors of the borough of Alexandria, wish to engage a Female Teacher, to take charge of a School composed entirely of Females. She should be qualified to teach Reading, Grammar, Geography, History, Composition, Writing and Arithmetic, and be ready to commence on the 1st of October next. Application to be made to either of the subscribers. GEORGE B. YOUNG, MICHAEL SISLER, Committee.

ESTATE OF MARY BARTON.

Late of the Borough of Shirleyburg, Huntingdon county, dec'd. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the said estate have been granted to the undersigned. All persons having claims or demands against the same are requested to make them known without delay, and all persons indebted to make immediate payment to BENJAMIN LEAS, Adm'r. Shirleyburg. August 9, 1843.—6t. pd.

Chair and Cabinet Making.

THOMAS ADAMS, Respectfully informs the citizens of Huntingdon and vicinity, that he has commenced the above businesses in all their various branches, in the shop occupied by him the last year as a chair shop, opposite Gen. Jackson's hotel. All kinds of work made to order on the tie shortest notice, warranted to be good, and will be given in exchange for all kinds of country produce, and very cheap for cash. Coffins made on sight. June 7, 1843.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS

25,000 pounds Feathers for sale very low in any quantities to suit purchasers for cash at prices from 10, 15, 20 and 25 cents per pound. Ready made beds, bolsters, and pillows, and curled hair mattresses, moss do. and all other kinds to suit any size bedsteads always on hand. Curled hair and New Orleans moss by the bale or single pound. Country store keepers would find it to their advantage by calling on the subscribers before purchasing. FINLEY & CO. South East corner of Second and Walnut street, Phil'a. March 22, 1843.—3m.

ESTATE OF THOMAS BLAIR.

Late of Barree township, dec'd. Notice is hereby given, that letters testamentary on the last will and testament of the said Thos. Blair have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement, to DR. MORDICAI BASSEY, Barree tp. JOHN BOST, West township. Executors. July 19, 1843.—6t

BLANK DEEDS, of an improved form, for sale at this office.

Also BLANK PETITIONS FOR NATURALIZATION. BLANK BONDS to Constables for Stay of Execution, under the new law, just printed, and for sale, at this office.

Dr. Moffat's Life Pills

PHOENIX BITTERS. The perfectly safe, unerring and successful treatment of almost every species of disease by the use of Dr. MOFFAT'S LIFE MEDICINES, is no longer an experiment; as a reference to the experience of many thousand patients will satisfactorily prove. During the present month alone, nearly one hundred cases have come to the knowledge of Dr. MOFFAT, where the patient has to all appearance, effected a permanent cure by the exclusive and judicious use of the Life Medicines—some eight or ten of these had been considered hopeless by their physicians. Such happy results are a source of great pleasure to Dr. M., and inspire him with a new confidence to recommend the use of his medicines to his fellow citizens. The LIFE MEDICINES are a purely VEGETABLE preparation. They are mild and pleasant in their operation, and at the same time thorough—acting rapidly upon the secretions of the system—carrying off all acrimonious humors, and assuaging and purifying the blood. For this reason, in aggravated cases of Dyspepsia, the Life Medicines will give relief in a shorter space of time than any other prescription. In Fever and Ague, Inflammatory Rheumatism, Fevers of every description, Sick Headaches, Heartburn, Dizziness in the Head, Pains in the Chest, Flatulency, Impaired Appetite, and in every disease arising from impurity of the blood, or a disordered state of the stomach, the use of these medicines has always proved to be beyond doubt, greatly superior to any other mode of treatment. All that Dr. Moffat asks of his patients is to be particular in taking them according to the directions. It is not by a newspaper notice, or by any thing that he may say in his favor, that he hopes to gain credit. It is alone by the result of a fair trial. Is the reader an invalid, and does he wish to know whether the Life Medicines will suit his own case? If so, let him call at the office of the agent, and procure a copy of the Good Samaritan published gratuitously. He will there find enumerated very many extraordinary cases of cure; perhaps some exactly similar to his own. Sold by JACOB MILLER, Huntingdon. August 30, 1843. 3m.

Dr. Shade's GERMAN RENOVATING PILLS.

GERMAN RENOVATING PILLS. I HAVE obtained an enviable celebrity as a vegetable remedy in Dysentery, Cholera morbus, Bilious diseases, Rheumatism, the premonitory stage of Scarlet Fever, &c. &c. All affections arising from impure blood, are warranted to be relieved by their use. LIST OF AGENTS: Fisher & McMurtrie, Huntingdon; Alex. Knox & Son, Newry; W. & B. Leas, Shirleyburg; Dennis O'Conner, Three Springs; Blair & Madden, Madden's Mill; Hunter & Wigton, Rockhill Furnace; Thomas E. Orblison & Co., Orbisonia; Bruce X. Blair, Shade Gap. No foreign testimonials in favor of these Pills are adduced; but certificates are presented from citizens of our own county. From William M'Lain, Esq. of Dublin township, Huntingdon county. I was affected with Scarlet Fever. A physician prescribed Dr. Shade's Pills. I made use of three doses, which proved both emetic and purgative, cleansing the stomach and bowels equal to any calomel I have ever taken. I have since used the Renovating Pills in my family and cannot say too much in their favor. WM. M'LAIN. August 15, 1843. 23.

WASHINGTON HOTEL.

MARKET SQUARE, HARRISBURG, Pa. The subscriber respectfully announces to his friends and the public generally, that he has taken the above named well known Tavern Stand, (formerly kept by Wm. E. Camp) where he will endeavor to serve those that may call upon him in the most satisfactory manner. The House is centrally and pleasantly located, and is furnished throughout with the best of bedding and other furniture, and his accommodations are such as to make it a convenient and desirable stopping place. No exertions will be spared to make it agreeable in all its departments to those who may favor him with a call. FREDERICK J. FENN. December 21, 1842.

TEMPERANCE HOUSE.

THE subscriber occupying the large three story brick dwelling house at the south east corner of Allegheny and Smith streets, in the borough of Huntingdon, the third story of which during the last summer has been fitted for sleeping rooms; having a large stable on the premises, and having employed a careful person to attend to it and take care of horses, &c., informs the public that she is prepared to accommodate such of her friends and such strangers and travelers as may desire a share of public patronage, and hopes to solicit a share of public patronage, and hopes the friends of Temperance will give her a call. ESTHER CLARKE. Huntingdon March 1, 1843.

E. H. A. W. KINS.

THE subscriber, respectively informs his friends and the public generally, that he still continues the merchandising in the room formerly occupied by the store of Madden & Lutz, in Shirleyburg, and solicits a continuance of their favors. He has also erected a POTTERY, for the manufacture of STONE and EARTHEN WARE. His ware has been well tested and proven to be inferior to none in the country. Merchants will find it an advantage in supplying themselves at this establishment. His terms will be suitable to the times. Orders from a distance will be strictly and promptly attended to. Thankful for past favors, he solicits a share of public patronage. JOHN LUTZ. Shirleyburg, June 7, 1843.—tt.

EXCHANGE HOTEL.

HUNTINGDON, PA. PETER LIVINGSTON, Respectfully informs the citizens of this county, and the public generally, that he has removed to and opened a Public House in that large and commodious brick building situated at the centre of the Diamond, formerly occupied by C. Gouts, where the "way worn traveler" will find every attention that will minister to his convenience and comfort. His TABLE will receive his special attention, and shall always be abundantly supplied with the best to be had in the county. His BAR is furnished with the choicest Wines and Liquors. His STABLING is the best in the place, and the most careful and attentive ostlers will always be in attendance; and the Host pledges himself to make every exertion to render his house a "home" to all who may favor him with a call. The stranger and the friend may rest assured that if a desire to please be successful he doubts not his success. He tenders his thanks to his old customers for past favors, and respectfully solicits a continuance of their patronage. BOARDERS will be taken by the year, month or week. July 13, 1843.—6m.

ROCKDALE FOUNDRY.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Huntingdon and the adjoining counties, that he still continues to carry on business at the Rockdale Foundry, on Clover Creek, two miles from Williamsburg, where he is prepared to execute all orders in his line, of the best materials and workmanship, and with promptness and despatch. He will keep constantly on hand stoves of every description, such as Cooking, Ten Plate, Parlor, Coal, Rotary, Cooking and Wood Stoves; Livingstone Ploughs, Anvils, Hammers, Hollow Ware and every kind of castings necessary for farms, mills or machinery of any description; wagon boxes of all descriptions, etc., which can be had on as good terms as they can be had at any other foundry in the county or state. Remember the Rockdale Foundry. WILLIAM KENNEDY. Jan. 11th 1843.

LIST OF LETTERS

REMAINING in the Post Office at Huntingdon, Pa., July 1st 1843. If not called for previous to the 1st of October next they will be sent to the General Post Office as dead letters. Bell S. David, Holson A. James; Baily Mrs. Jane, Morris Mrs. Elizabeth; Boat Owen, Porter Robert; Canuse George, Stevens Oliver; Creswell Matthew, Sankey Miss Julian; Chatman Jacob, Steel James 15; Egan Bernard, Sellers P. William; Gorsuch John, Smith A. William care of; Gilbert Thomas, Dr. Shoemaker; Jordan Miss Catharine, Thomson John, turner 2; Jackson Henry, Wallace Thomas care of; Johnson Andrew, John Houch; Irwin David, Warwick William; Mulken Patrick, Withrow John; Moore James, Wells George; Moore Rev. John, Wolf Lorenz; DAVID SNARE, P. M. July 5, 1843.