



## THE HUNTINGDON JOURNAL.

"One country, one constitution, one destiny."

Huntingdon,

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### Democratic Harrison Ticket.

Election 2nd Tuesday (10th) of October 1843.

CANAL COMMISSIONERS OF PENN'A:

**WILLIAM TWEED,**  
of NORTHUMBERLAND.

**BENJAMIN WEAVER,**  
of ALLEGHENY.

**SIMEON GUILFORD,**  
of LEBANON.

CONGRESS:  
**Gen. JAMES IRVIN,**  
of CENTRE.

ASSEMBLY:

**JONATHAN M'WILLIAMS,**  
of FRANKLIN Twp.

**BRUCE BLAIR,**  
of DUBLIN Twp.

COMMISSIONERS:

**JOHN F. MILLER,**  
of HUNTINGDON BORO' (1 yr.)

**MORDECAI CHILCOTE,**  
of TOD Twp. (3 yrs.)

TREASURER:

**GEORGE TAYLOR, Esq.**  
of HUNTINGDON BORO'.

AUDITOR:

**JACOB S. MATTERN,**  
of FRANKLIN Twp.

In to-day's paper, on the first page, will be found an Address from the President of the Delegates Convention that formed the Ticket at the head of this paper, to the Democratic Harrison voters of this county. It contains good and wholesome advice, which we hope will not be lost upon those whom it is addressed.

**Look Out! Look Out!!**  
of this county, to look out for lying handbills which will probably be circulated during this week, by persons from this place. Our opponents will resort to every species of deception to break down the organization of the party—many deep games will be played to lead the Harrison Democrats of this county into the support of their measures. They may slander the party and its journals, and we ask our friends to pass them by as unworthy of notice. Remember that you are on the eve of an election, and that you may expect to see many anonymous statements.—  
*Look Out, then!* We say again **LOOK OUT!!**

### LOOK AT THIS, TAX-PAYERS.

Remember, before you decide to vote against the Whig tickets for Congress, that that party are in favour of a distribution of the proceeds of Public Land Sales among the states, and the Locos oppose it. Could we obtain the proceeds of these sales which are ours by every right, the amount would lessen taxation, and help to pay off at least the interest on our State Debt,

### Counterfeiter Arrested.

A person was arrested in Warren, Pa., week before last for passing Counterfeit money, and on examination upwards of three thousand dollars in counterfeit \$20 bills on the Harrisburg Bank were found in his possession. He was committed for trial.

### Take Care of Your Tickets.

Special care should be taken by the Whigs to have their Tickets spelled correctly. We observe an error in the spelling of the name of one of our candidates for Canal Commissioner in the Miner's Journal. The names of our candidates are spelled as follows:

**WILLIAM TWEED,**  
**BENJAMIN WEAVER,**  
**SIMEON GUILFORD.**

### A Name.

The infant daughter of the Queen of Portugal is to be baptised Donna Maria Anna Fernanda Leopoldina Michaela Rafaela Gabriella Carlota Antonia Julia Victoria Praxedes Gonzaga de Bragadaz e Bourbon Saxe Coburg e Gotha.

### The Liberty Party.

The National Liberty Convention, which met at Buffalo, N. Y., re-nominated James G. Birney, for President, and Thomas Morris, for Vice President. A letter from Wm. Jay was read to the Convention, declining being a candidate. The whole number of delegates voting was 148, all of whom voted for Birney and Morris.

It is understood, that Governor Porter has signed or will sign the General Appropriation Bill passed by the last Legislature, which he has been "halting between two opinions" about since the adjournment.

We are disposed to hope also that the signature to the bill to authorize the prosecution of Haney, Solms, Brodhead &c., will now be forthcoming.

"Jump your length, Judas," is the exhortation which the Hoosiers proffer John Tyler, whenever a Whig postmaster is removed.

For the "Journal!"

Huntingdon, Sep. 28, 1843.

MR EDITOR:—

Permit me to announce through your columns, that I decline being a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, at the ensuing General Election.

Truly grateful to the Democratic Convention, for the honor they have done me in placing my name on the ticket. I much regret that attention to my private business compels me to decline being a candidate, at the same time will contribute all in my power to the election of the Democratic Ticket.

I remain fellow citizens, your humble servant &c.

DENNIS BUOY.

### Remember

HARRISON DEMOCRATS, that it is your duty on next Tuesday

## TO GO TO THE POLLS, AND VOTE FOR THE BEST INTEREST OF YOUR COUNTRY!!!

Remember, that for the glorious privilege of voting, our fore-fathers fought and bled, and who that calls himself an American—the descendant of these noble sires, dare for a moment trifl with the important trust placed in his hands, and absent himself from the Polls.

### Disgraceful Riots.

The Mifflin County Gazette of Saturday last says:—"The quiet of our usually peaceable borough was interrupted on the nights of Saturday and Sunday last by a series of mobs or riotous assemblies, of the most disgraceful and reprehensible character. In consequence of the breeches occasioned in the canal below this place, by the late flood in the Juniata, a large number of boats had collected here.—On Saturday a difficulty originated between some boys belonging to the boats, and two or three vicious and quarrelsome negroes, belonging to this place. In the evening the negroes caught one of the boat boys by himself, and it is said beat and abused him in a most brutal manner. The news spread amongst the assembled, to the number of perhaps, one hundred, mostly boys, and repaired to the section of our godly borough where the sable sons of Africa "most do congregate," venting their rage in bitter curses and imprecations against the offending darke, whom they demanded should be delivered into their hands to be dealt with in strict conformity to the rules of justice laid down by that occasionally popular law-giver, Judge Lynch. The offenders, satisfied, no doubt, that they would have little to expect from their "tender mercies" of their assailants, very prudently concluded to just step out.—Meanwhile, the mob not succeeding in finding the individuals they were in search of, after exhibiting a specimen of their courage and prowess, by bombarding with stones and brickbats, a house occupied by an old negro named Gibbons, were through the exertions of some of our citizens induced to desist and retire to their boats.

The matter would have ended here, perhaps, but some stragglers belonging to the besieging party, pushing their explorations a little to far in the heart of the enemy's territory, was cut off from the main body of the assailing forces, and falling into the hands of a scouting party of the Haytiens, was pretty severely handled. This re-kindled the resentment of boatmen afresh, and they resolved to wait until the next night, and attack the negroes in regular order.

After "Nursing their wrath to keep it warm," until Sunday evening, they assembled in force, their numbers being considerably augmented by new recruits, all perfectly organized and under the command of chosen leaders. Some of our citizens began to apprehend that the matter might result in serious consequences, as many of those composing the mob had been indulging freely in liquor and their tobaccoe behaviour indicated that they were ripe for mischief. Sheriff Stonerode, Col. Hale, Justice Miller and constables Porter and M'Elroy promptly repaired to the scene of tumult and exhorted the boatmen to disperse peacefully. Col. Hale particularly signified himself by his efforts to preserve the peace and sustain the laws. He represented to the mob the impropriety of their conduct—their own peril if they persisted, and gave them every assurance that the negroes who had offended should be brought to justice, if they would return peacefully, and take the proper legal mode of redress. They would not listen to reason or persuasion, however, the noise and tumult was increasing. Finding every effort to quell the disturbance unavailing the Sheriff made a requisition on the volunteers, which was promptly responded to by both companies.—The appearance of the military added as a sudden check upon the proceedings of the mob. Several of the most active of them were arrested and committed to jail, and the balances retired to their boats. It is but justice to say that very few, if any of the masters, or persons having the charge of the boats took part in the disturbance, or countenanced it.

The negroes who were the occasion of the disturbance have been arrested and are now in jail.

**Mr. SENATOR NI ES.**—The insanity of this gentleman is understood to be on religious subjects. On all others he is apparently rational. What is the most singular matter in connection with the subject is that he went to the Asylum himself, stated his case to his friend, Dr. Brigham, and placed himself under his medical treatment. Of his insanity there is no doubt, but there is hopes of his recovery.

Gov. Doty, of Wisconsin has issued a proclamation requiring the voters of that Territory at the ensuing election to deposit ballots for or against the speedy formation of a State Government.

The Chester Republican records the death of William Mendenhall, Esq., of Concord township, Delaware county, in the 88th year of his age. He was formerly a member of the Legislature from that county.

The Maryland elections will be held to-day, [Wednesday.]

The trial of James Dolan and his wife Bridget, for the murder of Rufus G. Gere,—committed in a shanty, near Athens, some time since,—terminated before last, at Towanda. The prisoners were both found guilty of murder in the first degree! Sentence of death was then pronounced upon them by his Honor, JOHN N. CONYNHAM.

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## Stand by your TICKET!

"THE WHIG TICKET, THE WHOLE TICKET, AND NOTHING BUT THE TICKET!" should be the rallying cry of every friend of Democratic Whig principles. The contest is not a contest for men, it is a contest for principles; and there can be no safety for the principles of the party, no assurance of the ultimate success of those principles, unless their friends stand by the regular nominees of the party, who are pledged to sustain them. This is the true policy, and the only policy that can insure the final and complete triumph of the party.

Let us see what is the real issue now pending, and to be decided by the people at the approaching election. On the one side we have the glorious DEMOCRATIC WHIG BANNER, inscribed upon its ample folds:

## A PROTECTIVE TARIFF! A sound National Currency! A CHANGE IN THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE PUBLIC WORKS!

Distribution of the proceeds of the Public Lands!

Just restraints of the Executive POWER!

An Honest and economical Administration of the Government!

The Democratic Whig Candidates are pledged to support all these measures, the final success of which is the only guarantee for the future prosperity of the country.

On the other side we have, casting its dark shadows over the political and individual prosperity of the State and Nation, THE BLACK FLAG OF LOCOFOCISM, on which is inscribed:

## Free Trade and Direct Taxation!

## NO NATIONAL Currency!

A CORRUPT  
ADMINISTRATION of the  
PUBLIC WORKS!

NO DISTRIBUTION  
of the proceeds of the  
Public Lands!

NO RESTRAINTS  
on the EXECUTIVE POWER!

An Extravagant and

Corrupt  
ADMINISTRATION of the  
Government!

To these measures the Locofoco candidates are pledged, and this is the true issue between the two great parties. The success of the party is the success of the measures of the party, and the effect of these different measures upon the prosperity of the people, must be apparent to every one who will stow a moment's reflection upon the subject.

Can any Whig hesitate as to his course? If he sincerely desires the success of Democratic Whig principles, he will vote for Democratic Whig candidates, pledged to support those principles. "Every thing for principle—nothing for men!"

## Remember!

Freemen of Pennsylvania, remember that by voting for the Locofoco Candidates for Canal Commissioners and members of Congress and the Legislature, you vote

AGAINST REFORM  
on the Public Works!

AGAINST THE TARIFF!

AGAINST DISTRIBUTION!

FOR FREE TRADE

FOR THE TARIFF!!

FOR DISTRIBUTION!!!

FOR A SOUND  
CURRENCY!!!!

AND AGAINST

THE BLACK FLAG.

Vote then for TWEED, WEAVER and

GUILFORD, and for Democratic Whig Candidates

for Congress and the Legislature, and institute that Reform in the Administration of the public affairs which is so much needed in our dismored, oppressed and misgoverned Commonwealth.

[Pa. Intelligencer.]

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