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The McMurtrie Real Estate to be offered for sale at the Court House on to-morrow, is located on Shaver's Creek, not Spruce Creek, as we erroneously stated last week.

NEW STAGE LINE.—We are rejoiced to learn that the new Stage Line from Jackstown to Chambersburg, established by our townsman, Mr. A. ISENHOUR, is already attracting public attention, and doing a good business in the way of carrying passengers.

Our neighbor, Mr. M. Clabaugh, it will be seen, has opened a new Oyster Saloon, where he is prepared to serve up Oysters and other good things in the best style.

Those of our friends visiting Huntingdon, who desire to make purchases in town, would do well to first consult our advertising columns. Those who advertise are selling on the modern principle of "quick sales and small profits"—those who do not, are adhering to the old system of high prices.

Our Borough. The citizens of this borough, we are pleased to observe, are awake to the importance of securing the advantages held out to them by the Railroad Company. During the past week, two public meetings were held, relative to securing a suitable location within the limits of our borough, for the erection of the Depot, Warehouse, &c., contemplated by the Company.

Since our last the Steamship Hibernia has arrived bringing one week later intelligence from Europe. The Russian Autocrat has as yet made no response to the Turkish refusal to surrender the Hungarian refugees.

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Collector at Philadelphia.—Some of our contemporaries are calling for the removal of Wm. D. Lewis, Collector at Philadelphia.—What for? Is not Mr. Lewis honest and capable? Before we can make up our mind to oppose the Administration by asking the rejection of its appointees, we should like to have some good reason for so doing.

Good Appointments. We learn from Washington, that Hon. JOHN W. FARRELLY, of Crawford county, Pa., has been appointed Sixth Auditor of the Treasury.—Col. S. W. PIERSON, of Somerset, Charge to Buenos Ayres.

These appointments are of the right stamp, and will give great satisfaction to the Whig party. Mr. FARRELLY was a member of the last Congress from his district, and served for many years in the State Legislature. He is a gentleman of enlarged intelligence, great personal popularity with all who know him, and is a Whig of the right sort.

Col. PIERSON has always been a hard working Whig, and a more clever fellow it has never been our pleasure to meet. We congratulate him on his promotion, and wish him unbounded success and great good luck while filling the station assigned him.

It gives us pleasure to applaud the Administration for both the above appointments. We hope a "few more of the same sort" may soon be announced.

Our friends of the "Blair County Whig" will please consider us as having touched our beaver and made our best bow, for their kind and too flattering notice of us last week. If the Whig receives half the support we wish it, it will be one of the best patronized papers in the interior. It cannot receive more encouragement than it deserves.

State Treasurer. To show how sincere were their denunciations of Gen. Taylor for making removals, the Locofocos intend removing the present efficient Whig State Treasurer, Mr. Ball, the coming Winter. We do not however complain of this. Mr. B. and his friends ask no favors at the hands of Locofocoism. Whigs are not afraid of starving when they are turned out of office. Several Locofocos have been mentioned as Mr. Ball's successor, and among them we observe the name of Wm. D. Boas of Dauphin county. As a change is determined on, we believe the selection of this gentleman would be the most popular that the Locofoco party could make. He is competent and honest, and personally very popular with all who know him.

Handsomely Compliment to Governor Johnston.

At the last anniversary of the First Baptist Church Sunday School, West Philadelphia, the Rev. Mr. Hamner, in the course of his remarks mentioned that the Governor of the States through which he had recently travelled, had been constituted Life Member of the American Sunday School Union, by the liberal contributions of Sunday School children.

The following letter from Governor Johnston accepting the position assigned him by the kindness and respect of his young friends, will be read with great pleasure by every good citizen.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, HARRISBURG, Pa., July 27, 1849. REV. T. L. HAMNER, My Dear Sir—I have received your kind letter, communicating the gratifying fact, that the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church, West Philadelphia, have procured for me a Life Membership in the American Sunday School Union. This act of generous kindness, I shall ever cherish and remember, and more particularly so as being the unexpected and voluntary action of those who can have no impure motives, but whose thoughts, like of an impulse, partake largely of the Kingdom of Heaven.

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Cholera in New York.

From a report of the Sanatory Committee of the New York Board of Health, we learn that the total number of deaths from cholera and other diseases of the bowels, from May 10th to October 1st was 15,219. Of these 5,017 were from cholera asphyxia, 901 from cholera infantum, 226 from cholera morbus, 615 from diarrhoea, and 949 from dysentery.

CONSTRUCTIVE MILEAGE.—It appears that Mr. Comptroller Whittlesey has just put his veto upon the account rendered by Mr. Dickens, the Secretary of the Senate, of about \$40,000, which he paid to the members of the Senate, as constructive mileage: that is he paid all of them, but three who had scruples in the matter, the mileage, for going home on the fourth of March last, and returning the same day.

DIFFICULTY IN THE FRENCH CHAMBERS.—It is stated in the telegraphic intelligence from Paris, that on Friday the 19th ult., during the speech of M. de la Drone on the Roman question, an altercation arose between Thiers and Bixio. The latter declared that the former had said that the election of Louis Napoleon would be a disgrace to France.

LADIES FOR CALIFORNIA.—A young lady of Boston has accepted an offer of \$400 per month to act as book keeper in a mercantile house in San Francisco.

SLAVES EMANCIPATED.—The Stanton (Va.) Vicindicator states that Mrs. Polly Bell, the widow of Francis Bell, deceased, near Long Glade in that county, has liberated all her slaves, 83 in number, with a view to their settlement in some one of the free States.

A DEFENCE OF WM. PENN.—We learn from the Philadelphia North American that Mr. Henry Fairbairn, an English gentleman, residing in that city, has prepared, in pamphlet form, an examination of the charges which Mr. Maccauley, in his recent history of England, preferred against the founder of our now great Commonwealth—the illustrious William Penn.

THE COST OF RIOTS.—It appears by a report to the Philadelphia county Board, made on Monday, that nearly a quarter of a million of dollars (\$238,230) has been paid out of the county Treasury since 1836 for the suppression of riots.

REPEAL OF THE TARIFF.—A movement in favor of a repeal of the present tariff, or a considerable modification of it, has been started among the manufacturers of New Jersey.

HENRY PETRIKEN, Esq., we regret to learn, died at the Merchant's Hotel, Philadelphia, on the 8th inst. Mr. P. was from Centre County and formerly a member of the State Senate.

SINGULAR CASE.—The Cumberland (Md.) Alleganthen states that on Wednesday last, an Irishman, who resides near Lanacoting, threw from his stomach a live snake five or six inches in length.

THE COST OF THE GREAT PACIFIC RAILWAY.—At the St. Louis Convention an estimate was submitted by Col. Curtis, a skillful engineer, of the cost of the road to the Pacific, and the cost of the survey.

A great foot-race came off at Buffalo, on Wednesday last, for a purse of \$1,000, between two whites and eighteen Indians. One of the Indians, named Canada, won the race, making his ten miles in fifty five minutes and forty-five seconds.

RIOT.—A serious riot occurred in Reading on Monday night last, between the men attached to Spalding & Rogers' circus and a number of the citizens.

The Administration.

In little more than a month hence the President will present his message to Congress, when the line of policy designed to be pursued by the Administration will be distinctly traced out, and be subject to the approval or condemnation of the American people. It would seem, therefore, to be a simple act of justice in those politically opposed to the President, to withhold their hostility until he shall have the opportunity to define his position, and to make known the measures which he would recommend to be adopted.

RIGHTFUL ACCIDENT.—On the 10th ult., while Mr. Isaac Frizzell of Libertytown, Frederick county, was on his return from Baltimore, with two ladies, Misses Williams, as passengers in his wagon, a thunder storm came up. In order to shelter the ladies and himself from the pelting of the rain, which blew fiercely into the wagon, he drove under an oak tree near Pine Orchard School and meeting house, in Franklin District of Carroll county.

HARDSHIPS OF GOLD HUNTING. Dr. M. R. Tewksbury having personally seen the Elephant, writes a description of the peculiar kind which exists in California that is by no means flattering.

TRUTH, when I estimate that nine-tenths of the honest laborers who go there, moderate their aspirations for gain, to the simple point of gaining enough to get them back to their own country. The Captain of the vessel which sailed from San Francisco told me that nearly all of his passengers were begging applicants for the privilege of working their passage from Panama.

SUSQUEHANNA BANK—Heavy Defalcation. MONTROSE, Pa., Nov. 5. The Cashier of the Susquehanna Bank has been committed to jail, in default of \$40,000 bail, on an alleged charge of defalcation.

HORRIBLE CRIME. St. Louis, Nov. 6. A revolting case of rape and murder took place the other day, near Palmyra. A negro belonging to Mr. Grassecock, committed violence on Miss Bright, an interesting little girl, 14 years of age, and then murdered her.

THE EDITOR OF THE ST. LOUIS REPUBLICAN has been shown a sample of Rice grown in the vicinity of that city. It was raised without irrigation of the land, and the experiment, though made on a small scale, has convinced the cultivator that rice may be made as valuable a crop to the grain grower of that region as many of which are now cultivated.

ELECTIVE JUDICIARY.—The Kentucky Convention, after a weeks debate, has adopted the several articles of the new constitution reported from the committee, providing for an elective Judiciary. The four Judges of the Court of appeals are to be chosen by districts, one to be chosen every second year, and are to hold their offices for eight years.

THE WESTERN RAILROAD.—We understand that Minor Roberts, Esq., who is the Chief Engineer of the Bellefontaine and Indiana Railroad, writes that his surveys are progressing very satisfactorily, and that the country is of as favorable a character as could be desired.

DEATH OF T. J. GROSS.—We learn that Thos. J. Gross, who for 18 years has been assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives of this State, died at the Trappe, Montgomery county on the 28th ult., in his forty-sixth year.

How JURIES DEAL WITH LAWYERS.—It must be regarded as a good thing by juries to get a pair of lawyers occasionally in their clutches. In New York, last week, one lawyer brought another before a jury for spitting in his face.—Verdict for Plaintiff \$600.

Letter from Kossuth, the Hungarian.

DESTRUCTIVE FLOOD IN CARBON COUNTY PA.—We learn by the cars from White Haven, the particulars of a tremendous flood, and its melancholy consequences. It appears that, on Hickory Run, a stream which empties into the Lehigh, about five miles below White Haven, there was a large dam, belonging to Mahlon K. Taylor, which covered about seventy acres of ground, when full, and in some places forty feet deep.

TERRIBLE AND FATAL COLLISION ON THE COLUMBIA RAILROAD.—About 4 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, a serious accident, attended with a loss of life, and a considerable destruction of valuable property, occurred on the Columbia Railroad between Parkville and Coatsville. The locomotive "Clarion" with a freight train going upwards, was approaching the latter place when it was overtaken by the engine of the train broke. Twenty cars all heavily laden were thus liberated, and there being a heavy downward grade, they ran down by their own gravity with immense speed.

TO MR. J. A. HALL: Sir.—If I were the only object of your enmity, I would pity and forgive you. You have every claim to compassion, that can arise from the misery of defeat. The condition you are reduced to, would disarm a private enemy of his resentment, and leave no consolation to the most vindictive spirit, but that such an object as you are, would disgrace the dignity of revenge.

TO THESE UNTOWARD EVENTS, I pray God that my unhappy country may be the only sacrifice, and that the true interest of peace, freedom, and civilization throughout the world may not be involved in our unhappy fate. Mr. Francis Pulaski, our diplomatic agent in London, has received ample information as to the cause of this sudden and unlooked for change in the affairs of Hungary, and is instructed to communicate it to your Excellency, if you are graciously pleased to receive the same.

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Eloquent Appeal to England.

The following letter from Kossuth, the brave Hungarian leader, addressed to Lord Palmerston, makes a forcible and eloquent appeal to England, in behalf of himself and the other Hungarian refugees. We give the letter in extenso, as we are sure it will be read with lively interest:

Nothing but the most revolting treachery, the most tyrannical oppression, and cruelties unheard of in the words of history—noting but the infernal doom of annihilation to her national existence preserved through a thousand years, through adversities so numerous, were able to arouse her to oppose the fatal stroke aimed at her very life, to enable her to repulse the tyrannical assault of the ungrateful Hapsburgs, or to accept the struggle for life, honor, and liberty forced upon her.

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