



HUNTINGDON, PA.

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Is our authorized agent in Philadelphia, New York and Boston, to receive advertisements...

Once more we must thank our friends at Harrisburg for valuable documents sent to us personally.

Notices.

THE ILLUSTRATED NEWS.—We have been in the regular receipt of this admirable production since its commencement, and still find ourselves unable to discover any reason for the unfavorable notices it has received...

Goody's Lady's Book and Graham's Magazine, for March, are on our table. They are, as usual, beautifully illustrated, and contain a large amount of interesting and instructive reading matter.

Religious.—The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered in the Huntingdon Presbyterian Church, on Sabbath next, the 27th inst.

Examination.

The examination, for the Winter Term of Cassville Seminary, will commence on Monday, February 28th, and close Wednesday, March 2d.

The above Institution, conducted by Rev. Ralph Pierce and his accomplished lady, is, we are happy to say, in a prosperous condition.

Temperance Meetings.

Mr. J. G. Feister, from Ohio—more generally known as the "Ohio Self-Sharpener"—was in our place last week, and lectured three evenings upon Temperance.

Daguerreotypes.

Blair & Burkholder are again in town, in the Court House, operating in the Daguerrean Art.

It is Time.

"It is time," said a friend of ours to us, a few days since. Truly, said we, "it is time."

It is time. Ah, happy, yet solemn thought to us. It is time; yet how soon may we hear that voice, which shall say, "time shall be no longer."

It is time. Time for what? Time that Truth should no longer be silent, when cold deceit is eating the heart out of our kind.

It is time. Who says it is time? The poor say it is time, now, to think of their wants, and it is time to supply them out of your abundance.

Every thing says it is time. Every blossoming flower—every falling leaf—every tick of the clock—every new made grave—every moan of poverty—every cry of the oppressed—every sigh of the suffering—every song of the bacchanal—every tear of his weeping friends—every prayer of the good, and every monition of conscience, tells every son and daughter of Adam it is time.

Legislative News.

Some how we neglected to mention in our last that Gov. Bigler, has commenced the veto trade.

The House has spent a day or two in discussing the Cleveland and Mahoning Railroad, all seemed anxious to talk, and that was all right, because if they did not talk they would say anything.

A Bill is before the Senate, for increasing the salaries of the Judges of the Supreme Court; and of course that would call out an amendment increasing the salaries of the Common Pleas Judges.

Mr. Zorby from the Committee on New Counties, reported a Bill, to change the line between Huntingdon and Fulton Counties.

In the House we observe that some person offered as an amendment, a Section "restricting the payment of certain moneys in Huntingdon county," stricken out.

opposite our town. If so we can only say Col. Wharton, deserves great credit, from the citizens of this town, and those of Walker, Union, Cass, and Clay, who need this Bridge for promptly arresting it before it was "snaked" through.

Canal Commissioner.

We see several of the Whig Journals naming their favorite Candidates for Canal Commissioner. While, we have no objections to urge against any man named, nevertheless we have our preference, our neighbor of Blair County W. M. LLOYD, is our man first and last.

It may be urged by our opponents that we need not give ourselves any trouble about the question, as they intend to do that business for us. Never mind boys we did beat you once, and may again; and we are not willing to leave the matter in your hands without an effort.

Our answer is this. Nominate such a man as will enlist the men most interested in our public works—the boatmen, and the carriers generally. Such a man, as will make them earnest for his success, because they know how well he is acquainted with those matters which further their interests, and those of the State.

Democracy in a Dilemma.

The position of the Democracy, as exhibited in the Legislature, is peculiar. The Senate will hold no executive session, it is said, for the present. The attempt to smoke out the President elect, and make him define his position, having failed, all sections of the party seem determined to retain their position until the proclivities of the new administration shall have been developed.

But the sections of Democracy are marshaling their forces. The tomahawk has been dug up and the war post erected. The war-paint is concocted, and the brush is prepared for its application.

On Wednesday of last week the votes President and Vice President were opened and counted, in Congress, and Franklin Pierce and Wm. R. King declared duly elected.

A Statement.

Table with columns for names, amounts, and totals. Includes entries for Henderson & Walker, Tod, Warriorsmark, Shirley, etc.

*Swept away by the flood of 1847. And that during the same time there has been assessed and levied, on the township of Henderson, the sum of \$21,238.66, from which deduct, for Exonerations, \$637.29, leaving a balance of \$20601.37, paid by the tax-payers of Henderson township, including the borough of Huntingdon.

Remarks of Col. Wharton on the bill entitled, a supplement to the act creating permanently the office of State Printer.

Mr. Wharton said he was astonished at the course pursued by the gentleman from Potter, [Mr. Kilbourn]. His course on almost all questions had been liberal, and why he should press this question on the House, at this time, he could not understand.

The printing question now before the House is one of quite as much importance as any one which has been or will come before it at this session. The postponement asked for by the gentleman from Chester, [Mr. James] was not unreasonable.

The gentleman from Potter had spoke of the cost of printing, under the present contract, as being more than it should be. But hurrying the bill through will not benefit the evil, if there is any.

A Liquor Bill is before the Legislature of Ohio, which allows the manufacture of spirituous liquors in the State, the transportation through the storage in the State, and the sale of liquors by any one, without restriction, for medicinal, mechanical and sacramental purposes.

FROM CALIFORNIA.—News from California to the 15th ult., has been received. The high floods had caused the greatest distress among the miners, who were thus cut off from receiving supplies of provisions.

Gov. Reid, of North Carolina has appointed Hon. James C. Dobbins U. S. Senator, in place of Mr. Mangum, whose term expires on the 4th of March.

The constable of Lebanon has made out a list of the toppers in that Borough, and giving notice no more liquor should be sold to them. This example is well worthy of being followed elsewhere.

Splinters and Shavings.

APPROACHING—the Equinoctial. ABOUT—the Ethiopian Minstrels. COME AGAIN—rains, and snow-porrige. A man is known by the company he keeps.

THE SELF SHARPENER—gave the Rum trade some hard hits, on last week, in our town. Some one asks what becomes a woman? Why little girls, when they live, Well they do.

LOOK OUT—says some body for split gold dollars. We are looking out for some that are not split, but don't see many!

ANOTHER CASE—a young lady of our town, caught the new disease,—she had a severe attack of the Globe. Her friends think her out of danger.

BRIDGE ACROSS THE ATLANTIC—Ole Bull says the bridge of his violin, took him across the Atlantic seven times.

A vein, or seam of Coal five feet in thickness has been recently discovered near Carrickfergus, Ireland.

EMPEROR NAPOLEON is going to be married, and every body is making a fuss about it. Better men than he, are married every day in our country and no body cares.

A SIGN OF DEPRAVITY—to hear a young man belching curses on the hoary head of an honored citizen—in the presence of a crowd of admiring boys.

PICKLES would like to know why the Globe's narrative has such a spite at "clerks" and "clerkships." Did it ever try the business, and lose its pay?

PRESIDENT PIERCE hopes to act independently of the politicians—says he made his cabinet before he left Concord, and will not change. He intends to run a line of his own.

EDUCATION—there are five public Schools in our Borough, which are kept open ten months of the year; and besides these, one private School of fifty odd pupils, and a select female school in prospect.

OUR CORRESPONDENT is a small potato, says the Globe. It serves him right. May be he is corresponding for the "Literary Review." As you are the only persons who ever saw that paper, won't you look and see—oh! do.

LOCOS FOCO JUSTICE—Illinois repudiated her debts. A widow whose husband had invested his all in the Bonds of that State, asks for money to feed herself and children. The Legislature will answer her when it gets ready.

THE MECHANICS and laborers, on the Railroad, and in the machine shops of Baltimore have been on a strike for higher wages, the employers came to their terms, partially, but the workmen hold out the last cent.

WHACHUM of the Globe has been listening to "Satan Preaching"—It was time thrown away. Old horse knows he is all right for him. Doubtless however, he is anxious.

THE PENNA. RAILROAD COMPANY, through their President, J. E. Thompson, Esq., have declined to contribute any thing towards the expenses of the next State Agricultural Fair, to be held in Pittsburg; and have also refused to sanction the holding of the Fair in that city.—American.

The Whig editor of the Globe, is down on us as a hanger on to the Whig party. We plead guilty—have hung on twenty odd years. He is hanging to the tail of the Loco Foco party; thus it will be seen,—"there is a place for every thing, and every thing in its place."

The late freshest in the Susquehanna has done an immense amount of damage to property. The Bridge Lock Haven, that at Jersey Shore, and the Pine Creek Aqueduct, are entirely destroyed; and the Williamsport Bridge considerably damaged. The Lumbermen sustained heavy losses.

WHIMS OF GREAT MEN—Tycho Brahe, was afraid of a hare,—Marshal Saxe, of a cat,—Charles John King, of Sweden, had a horror of dogs; and in our day, we have "our talented young friend" of the Globe, going into fits, at the mention of paste and scissors.

TEACHERS' CONVENTION.—We have only space, this morning to congratulate our brethren on the successful issue of our first attempt at self-improvement. Considering the circumstances under which we met—unacquainted, unprepared—with but three hours for deliberation and action, we feel that there is much cause of encouragement, and hope for the future.

The large number of Teachers present, the happy organization, the warm interest manifested, and the measures adopted to prepare appropriate and profitable exercises for the next meeting—are signs of promise which must cheer the heart, and strengthen the hand of every friend of the cause.

The Legislature of Wisconsin has a Maine Liquor Law bill under consideration, and it is thought it will pass both branches.

The Canal Commissioners have given notice that they design opening the Canal to Pittsburg on the 15th of March.—The trade this season on all the lines of public improvements promise to be unusually heavy.

Gen. Robert Patterson, of Philadelphia is strongly urged for a place in Gen. Pierce's Cabinet, by a writer in the Mobile Herald and Tribune, who eulogizes him as a soldier, a merchant and a politician.

Dr. J. W. Cooper's Vegetable Rheumatic Drops, and some of these cures are wonderful. One gentleman tells us that he has not been able to walk without crutches for more than fourteen years, and that he was entirely cured by six bottles of Dr. J. W. Cooper's Rheumatic Drops, prepared by C. P. Hoves; he is now able to walk as well as ever and has not had any symptoms of another attack since he used the medicine.

We have frequently heard the celebrated German Bitters, sold by Dr. C. M. Jackson, 120 Arch street Philadelphia, spoken of in terms of the highest commendation, and we honestly believe that it is one of the best medicines advertised for the complaints for which it is recommended.

PHILADELPHIA MARKET. Feb. 22. The foreign advices have added increased dullness in the market for BREADSTUFFS. CLOVERSEED continues in steady demand, and further sales of 500 bushels have been made at \$6 per 64 lbs.

EXHIBITION. The semi-annual exhibition of the AGRICULTURAL COLLEGIATE SOCIETY, will take place on Wednesday, the second day of March. The public generally, are respectfully invited to attend.

MARRIED. Near Marklesburg on the 10th inst., by Rev. F. A. Ruppely, Mr. S. H. GROVE to Miss CATHARINE FOUSE, all of this county.

On the 17th inst., at Couts' Hotel by Rev. W. M. Deatrck, Mr. GEORGE W. HAMER to Miss MARY MEGAHAN, both of McConnellstown.

At Spruce Creek, on the 15th inst. by Rev. F. A. Ruppely, Mr. ABRAHAM SHEARER to Miss CATHARINE BERGLE.

On the 17th inst., by Rev. Lowman P. Hawes, Mr. MARSHAL YOCUM to Miss SARAH JANE, only daughter of Mathew F. Campbell, Esq., all of this County.

On the 15th inst., in Huntingdon, at the Franklin Hotel, by Rev. J. B. Williams, Mr. JOSEPH EWING to Mrs. NANCY J. WALKER, both of Newton Hamilton, Mifflin Co. Pa.