



Wednesday Morning, Aug 23, 1854.

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CIRCULATION 1000.

WHIG STATE TICKET:

FOR GOVERNOR, James Pollock, of Northumberland co. FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER, George Barsie, of Allegheny co. JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT, Daniel M. Snyser, of Montgomery co.

WHIG DISTRICT TICKET:

FOR CONGRESS: John R. Edie, of Somerset County. FOR ASSEMBLY: James McQuinn, of Huntingdon County. George W. Smith, of Blair County.

WHIG COUNTY TICKET:

PROTHONOTARY, John W. Mattern, Huntingdon. REGISTER AND RECORDER, Henry Glazier, Huntingdon. COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Richardson Read, of Cassville. DIRECTOR OF THE POOR, J. A. Shade, of Dublin township. COUNTY AUDITOR, Perry Moore, of Morris township.

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WANTED.

A few loads of WOOD at the Journal Office.

New Advertisements.

School Teachers Wanted, by the Directors of Morris township. Valuable Property for sale, by Henry C. Cremer. Notice to the Overseers of the Poor of the several townships in the county, by County Overseers. Executor's Notice, Estate of Wm. Wilson, by Geo. Wilson. See Notice of Musical Convention. Stray Steer, by Samuel Hatfield. Prospectus of Scientific American.

WHIG CONFERENCE MEETING.

The Conferees appointed by the Counties of Huntingdon, Blair, Cambria, and Somerset, met in Conference, in Johnstown, on the 18th inst., and owing to the absence of the Conferees from Huntingdon and Blair, they adjourned to meet on Saturday, the 19th inst. On the nineteenth ballot, Colonel JOHN R. EDIE, of Somerset, was declared the nominee of the Conference. The proceedings came to a close for this week's issue; they shall appear entire in our next.

MAMMOTH BIRD.

Daniel H. Huyett, Esq., has in his possession, one of the largest specimens of the "feathered tribe" that has ever been taken in this section of country. It is a large Blue Crane, measuring 6 feet 10 inches from tip of its wings; 5 feet 4 inches from the point of the beak to the feet. It was shot by Mr. Schneider, of Portstown.

Those desiring of seeing this monstrous bird, can be gratified by calling at Mr. Huyett's office, on Hill street.

A mistake occurred in the published proceedings of the late Whig County Convention, by placing the name of Gen. J. C. Watson on the list with those that were nominated for County Auditor. The General was named by some friend, as a candidate for County Auditor, but being one of the Secretaries, he did not place his name on the list, and of course was not voted for by the Convention.

A whole family, consisting of seven persons, was swept off by Asiatic cholera, in Brooklyn, N. Y., a few days since, in the course of a single week. The mother, a washer-woman, was first taken, it is alleged, from contagion caught in washing the clothes of a person just arrived from Europe.

The newly elected Schools Directors, in Philadelphia, have removed some fifteen of the teachers in the public schools, within the last few days, on sectarian grounds. All the discharged teachers belong to the Roman Catholic church. Let'er rip.

We have received a communication from Three Springs, without the name of the author. We will not publish it, for it is an established rule with us to publish no communication unless the name of the author accompanies it.

ARREST OF A MURDERER.—John Muller, a German, was arrested in Philadelphia on Friday last, upon the charge of murdering a man by the name of Myer, in Burlington, N. J.

The indisposition of the Editor will account for the absence of interesting matter this week, as he has been confined to his chamber for several days past.

Our Ticket.

At the head of this week's paper will be found our ticket, which has been selected with much care, and with an eye single to the interests of the Whig party.

Our candidate for the Legislature, JAMES MAGUIRE, is a sterling Whig, and well known to the people of this county as one of her most upright citizens. He represented this county in the Legislature last session with ability, and to the general satisfaction of his constituents; and we believe, that we speak the sentiments of a vast majority of the Whigs of this county, when we state that a better selection could not have been made. Knowing Mr. Maguire to be a man of integrity, we feel no hesitancy in recommending him to the unanimous support of the Whigs of this county.

Our candidate for Prothonotary, JOHN W. MATTERN, Esq., is a young man of ability, having a fine legal education, and in every particular well qualified to discharge the duties of the office with efficiency, and he will be elected with the usual Whig majority.

Our candidate for Register and Recorder, HENRY GLAZIER, is an old Whig, well known to the people of Huntingdon county, as one of her honest, toiling mechanics, who has reared a large family "by the sweat of his brow," and possessing, as he does, the proper qualifications, we believe a more worthy or reliable man could not have been selected. His nomination gives general satisfaction, and he will be elected by more than a party majority.

Our candidate for County Commissioner, RICHARDSON READ, of Cassville, is a gentleman of business habits and qualifications; and being well known to the people of this county as a thorough-going, active Whig, his nomination is received in all portions of the county, as one "fit to be made." As this office requires a man of good business qualifications, we feel well satisfied that a better selection could not have been made, and we feel confident that he will receive the undivided support of the Whig party, and be elected by a large majority.

Our candidate for Director of the Poor, DR. J. A. SHADE, of Dublin township, is a man possessing every qualification necessary to a proper discharge of the responsible duties of this office. The Dr. is a good Whig, and ever willing to lend a helping hand when his services are needed; and the Whigs of this county will tell on the second Tuesday of October, that they appreciate his worth.

Our candidate for County Auditor, PERRY MOORE, of Morris township, is an honest farmer, well known to almost every citizen of the county. He is a man possessing good business qualifications, and will make an able and efficient officer. His election will be certain. In fact our whole ticket is composed of good, reliable men; such men as the people can support without reluctance, and who will discharge their several duties with fidelity and ability. That this ticket will be triumphantly elected to the man, we have not the least doubt, and the Whigs would be acting inconsistent with their own interests, should they hesitate in giving it their whole undivided strength and support.

"The general impression here, is that this ticket—meaning the Whig—will be elected by the usual Whig and Anti-Masonic majority over the left."—Globe.

We have not the least doubt, but the editor of the Globe would desire to see such a result; and the charge made by him that it was a "Know-Nothing Whig Convention," is in fact nothing but the usages of the Locofoco press. Since Abolitionism, Nativism, Free-soilism, &c., have become stale, and lost their influence, he now attempts to excite the prejudices of a certain portion of the Whig party, by charging the late Whig County Convention with being tainted with Know-Nothingism.

It is true, that all "outsiders" were excluded from the Convention, but not because they did not wish the people outside to know what they were doing, but to prevent the members from being subjected to the many annoyances incident to an open Convention. The proceedings of the Convention were characterized by harmony and good feelings, and every man that was presented to the Convention as a candidate received a fair and impartial consideration, and the ticket put in nomination is unexceptionable, and will be triumphantly elected, on the second Tuesday of October next.

Should Mr. Lewis desire to see a ticket elected "over the left," let the "celestating Democracy" of this county nominate a ticket, and we will wager our hat that he will be gratified. If the editor of the Globe wishes to create dissension in the Whig rank and file of Old Huntingdon, he must try a better hobby.

Try something else, Billy!

The late authorities of Greystown, in a long despatch to Captain Jolly, of the British schooner Bermuda, have given their version of the recent troubles there. There is nothing particularly new in their statement. They show that the prime source of the quarrel which led to the destruction of the town, was animosity existing between the local authorities of San Juan del Norte and the Nicaragua Transit Company.

POTTER COUNTY.—The Democratic county convention of Potter county met on the 5th of August, and nominated the following ticket: For Congress—Henry H. Dent; for Prothonotary—Thomas B. Tyler; for Register &c.—Andrew Jackson; for Treasurer—Henry Ellis; for Commissioners—Harrison Rosa, Henry Nelson; for Auditors—James H. Night, Harris Lyman.

MIFLIN COUNTY.—The Democracy of Mifflin county have nominated for Assembly—Davis Bates; Sheriff—William M. Coulter; Register—James McDowell; Coroner—D. Eisenbeis; Commissioner—Jacob Hoover; Auditors—Jno. Barger, M. Kelly; Director of Poor—D. Zeigler.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.—The Democracy of old mother Cumberland met at Carlisle, on the 14th inst., and nominated the following ticket: For Congress—J. Ellis Bonham; Assembly—Henry G. Moser and Col. James Chestnut.

Gen. Lane, of Oregon, has been lying ill at the President's House since the adjournment of Congress, but is now convalescent. It is said the President, on hearing of his indisposition at his boarding house, sent for him and made him a guest at the Executive Mansion during his sickness.

Religious Notice.

The Rev. Mr. LEVERTON, of Philadelphia, will preach in the Baptist Church of this place, on Thursday evening, the 24th instant.

The Know Nothing Movement.

The pollutions of the Democratic school, with scarcely an exception, are "down on the Know Nothings." The government organs at Harrisburg, and the employees "on the hills" have denounced them as "infidels and traitors," and "spotted every man supposed to be one of them." The Philadelphia Argus and Pennsylvaniaian are bitter in their hostility to the Know Nothings, and the former informs us that "Gov. Bigler has denounced them on all proper occasions." Judge Douglas, the author of the Nebraska swindle, denounced them with great severity in a recent speech at Philadelphia. Gov. Bigler, we are informed, did the same in a recent speech in Fulton county. The administration organ at Washington says the Know Nothings are "rowdies and blackguards who desecrate the Sabbath with their drunken revels," and the administration organ at Harrisburg, says that they are "infidels and traitors." In the United States Senate recently the Homestead bill afforded an opportunity for a wide range of Democratic maledictions, while the presses of the party, with scarcely an exception, are arrayed in opposition to the mysterious order. In the meantime the Know Nothings are perfectly silent and seemingly quiescent. They have no speakers to defend their doctrines, and no acknowledged organ to advocate the propriety of their action. Their cardinal principle seems to be "to act, not to speak." In this way they are steadily progressing, and from present indications, their power in their country will soon become irresistible. The movement has drawn into it a very large, respectable and influential number of our citizens, and for the next few years will surely exercise a great, if not a controlling power, in politics. Whether it will accomplish all the ends which are sought by those who are in name or in spirit part of the material force, is certainly more than questionable; but its spontaneous uprising in the very heart of that body of our citizens which is the mainstay of the republic—the thinking men who occupy the middle ground between riches and poverty—and the comparatively rare occurrence of an individual in that body who is not in heart a Know Nothing, even if it is not one of the fraternity—renders certain that the movement derives its importance from a deep-seated feeling in those who form the vast majority of American citizens, and that it will not subside without leaving its mark upon the legislature of the country. The fact, too, of its sudden and wide-spread manifestations, appearing as it did, almost simultaneously in all parts of the country, shows that the conclusions upon which it rests had long been arrived at, and the sentiment which gives it strength had been long and deeply cherished before the first blaze appeared, which has lit all these beacons fire throughout the land. There is a living principle in the Know Nothingism that appeals directly to the heart of every American citizen—a principle which is not a mere political expediency, and Madison, and Jackson, and a strict adherence to which is essential to the preservation and perpetuation of the American Republic. Know Nothingism has evidently become a "fixed fact," if not an "institution," and is bound to accomplish its mission (the Americanization of our country), in defiance of all the opposition that can be arrayed against it. Roman Catholic Priests may denounce, and political demagogues may denounce and proscribe, but the PEOPLE, aware of the dangers that threaten them from foreign Catholic influence, will hurl all party ties to the winds, and unite in placing America where she ought to have been years ago, under the rule of American born citizens.—Harrisburg Telegraph & Journal.

Excitement in New Hampshire.—Bombardment of Washington Proposed.

We learn that a public meeting was held at Lamberville, N. H., on the 9th inst., to express the indignation at the insult offered to the favorite son of that State, the President, at Washington, on Saturday last, by an egg flung from the hands of a chivalrous Carolinian, whose name is Jeffards. A correspondent has favored us with a report of the proceedings, from which it appears that the principal speech of the occasion was made by "Joaham Peirce, Esq.," (the name is spelled differently, and that its etymology was received with rapt attention and thunderous applause. We give herewith the principal points of this remarkable speech: "An egg, fellow-citizens, has been cast upon the Hat of our honored President! By this base act the valuable Hat of His Excellency has been seriously injured, and a deeper meaning and wider range—the Government itself is insulted, and by whom? I ask, sir, by whom? Will you tell me that the wretch who threw the egg is the party of whom redoubt should be sought? I scorn the conclusion.—How would such proceedings be regarded by foreign potentates? What would the Emperor Nicholas say about it? The citizens of Washington, sir, are then responsible for this insult. Her inhabitants are guilty of the crime, and shall they escape deserved punishment? No. Let Washington, like Greystown, be blotted out.—[Immense applause.] Let the world know that our Government, from the lowest to the highest of its officials, is not to be insulted with impunity. It may be said that some of the people of Washington are innocent of the crime. So were they of Greystown. Is there anything in the character of the city which calls for mercy? It was said of Greystown that most of its inhabitants were speculators, disorderly persons and niggers.—Can that be denied of Washington? I ask, why should Greystown be destroyed and Washington spared? Is there an obscure chapel like Boronia, of higher national importance than the old Hat of our honored President?—Sir, I offer the following resolution: "Resolved, In view of the enormity of the outrage offered to President Pierce by the city of Washington, that Secretary Dobbin should be directed to instruct Commander Hollins to proceed with the sloop-of-war Cayce, to that city, and to open fire upon it with his guns for two hours, without intermission; and in case anything should then remain standing, to land a party of marines and burn and destroy the residue and remainder, unless he authorities shall humbly beg pardon of the President, and purchase for him a new hat of such quality and color as he shall select and approve.

Lewisburg, Centre and Spruce Creek Rail Road.

A respectable meeting of the Citizens of Gregg township, Centre county, was held, pursuant to public notice, at the House of Geo. Musser, on Saturday the 6th inst. On motion, Mr. PETER WILSON was appointed President; Dr. C. Smith, Wm. Grove, Geo. Peirce, Saml. Musser, V. Prestons, and Geo. Buchanan and John Grove, jr., Secretaries.

The Chair stated the object of the Meeting, urging the citizens to make a liberal increase in their Subscriptions to the stock of the Road, and trusted that this important Railroad would not now fail, in as much as the farmers and landowners along the line were becoming more interested in the enterprise, and that the wealthy Capitalists residing in the East were also turning their attention towards it, relying upon the profits to arise from so valuable a communication between the East and West, reaching through our fertile valleys.

Col. Jno. Rishel, Col. Neff, Messrs. Hutchinson, Duncan, Grove, and Bucman severally addressed the meeting, concluding with an appeal to all present to make a united effort to carry through so valuable an improvement to central Pennsylvania, and to our own immediate neighborhood.

On motion, the Stock Books were re-opened, when the sum of \$5000 was immediately subscribed, thus making the subscription by citizens of Gregg township 500 shares, at \$10.000.

On motion, Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be published in all the papers along the line of the Road and in Centre, Huntingdon, and Blair Counties, and that we urge our sister Townships to do likewise.

[Signed by the Officers.]

News by Telegraph.

Later from Mexico.—Reported Defeat of the Insurgents.—Defeat of Count Balcón.—Expulsion of Foreigners.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 12.—By the arrival of the steamship Oriaba, dates from Vera Cruz have been received to the 3d instant. Tamaulipas has declared its adherence to Alvarez. A battle is reported in which the insurgents were defeated. A telegraphic despatch received at Vera Cruz states that Count Boulton, leading the recent arrivals of French troops against the government, has been defeated by the Mexican troops. He was surrounded with 200 men, and he lost in killed and wounded 46.

By decrees issued Santa Anna, all persons in Vera Cruz are required to surrender their arms, and every foreigner daring to criticize the acts of his Serene Highness is to be expelled. Other decrees authorize the free importation of arms and ammunition at Vera Cruz, and also the free importation of grain at Tabasco. The revolution at Michoacan continues with alternate advantage to the contending parties. It is reported that a decree has been issued granting to Senor Atocha the privilege of constructing a railroad from El Paso to Guaymas, on the Gulf of California.

Arrived at Vera Cruz, Aug. 7th, the barque Mary Spring, from New York.

Missouri Election.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 15.—In sixty-nine counties, out of 33 Senators elected, the Whigs have 13, and the remainder are equally divided, Benton and anti-Benton. Of 41 members of the House, the Whigs have 29, and the remainder equally divided—Benton and anti-Benton.

Ravages of the Yellow Fever.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Dates from Cardenas to the 4th, report the yellow fever as raging there to an alarming extent. It had been fully as fatal to the natives as to foreigners.

Death of Ex-Senator Downes.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 15.—EX-SENATOR DOWNES, of Louisiana, died yesterday, at Crab Orchard Springs, in this State. He had been lying sick there for some time.

Congressional Nominations.

ST. ALBANS, VT., Aug. 15.—The Whigs of this district have nominated Alian Sabin for re-election to Congress.

Cholera in Boston.

BOSTON, Aug. 15.—There were 217 deaths from cholera in this city, during the five days ending on the 12th inst.

Iowa Election.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—From Iowa we learn that Abernethy and Clarke, Whigs, are supposed to be elected to Congress. The Legislature will be either Whig or "Anti-Dodge."—Grimes will be the Governor.

SECOND DISPATCH.

GALENA, Aug. 17.—The returns from Iowa render it certain that Mr. Grimes, Whig, has been elected Governor by 3000 maj. Thornton, Whig, is elected to Congress in Dubuque district by 1500 majority. The Legislature is Whig and anti-Nebraska by a large majority in both branches. Clark, Whig, is reported elected to Congress in Dennis district.

The City of Glasgow—A Fragment Seen at Sea.

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—The British barque Briton's Prize, arrived this morning, reports on the 12th of August, when in latitude 41 degs. 3 mins. West, having passed a chest painted green, with the initials "G. B." and the words "City of Glasgow," in a gilt ornamental wreath. The vessel also passed a head board about twelve feet long, with letters upon it, but not readable. [The agent of the line in this city, Samuel Smith, Esq., expresses a doubt as to the correctness of this story, from the improbability of a vessel being near enough to read the inscription, and yet not pick up such an interesting relic of the missing steamer. The head-board could not have belonged to the City of Glasgow, as she had none. The initials on the chest agree with those of one of the ordinary seamen on board—George Baker.]

Anti-Nebraska Meeting.

SARATOGA, Aug. 17.—The anti-Nebraska mass meeting was called to order in the grove this morning, at 11 o'clock, R. N. Havens presiding, assisted by numerous Vice Presidents. Mr. Havens made a speech, and introduced the agent of the Kansas Emigrant Aid Company, who spoke at some length. Horace Greely followed in denunciation of slavery, and after speeches from several others, the meeting adjourned.

Arrest for Robbery.—Sudden Death.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 17.—A young Irishman named Michael Henry Mooney, was arrested here to-day, charged with robbing a mercantile house in Liverpool of £450. He fully confessed his crime, and agreed to return to England. J. F. Smith, a wealthy merchant of Wrightsville, Va., fell dead from apoplexy in the store where he was making purchases.

Marine Disaster.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The ship Hudson, from Greenock, passed July 29th, a British brig of 300 tons, burnt to the water's edge, name unknown. On the 15th inst. the Hudson came in contact with and sunk the schooner Redington, of St. George's, Maine. All on board were saved, with only the clothes they stood in.

Serious Charge.—Removal from Office.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 18.—James H. Young, United States Agent at Annapolis, has laid information before the Treasury Department proving that subordinates in the New York Custom House have been bribed to pass false invoices of goods prepared at Curacao. Many of these invoices put goods 20 per cent below their real value. The Postmaster of Washington has removed Joseph W. Davis from office, because he was elected on the Know-Nothing ticket to the City Council.

Railroad Accident.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 18.—The morning train from Cincinnati for Indianapolis, was thrown off the track, on Thursday, near Richmond, by running over a cow. The baggage car was thrown down the embankment, a distance of 40 feet. Two persons, Wm. Locke and John Keenan, were badly injured. Express exchange rates at 1 1/2 prem.

Congressional Nomination.

PORTLAND, Aug. 18.—The regular Democratic Convention of the First District, met at Saco yesterday, and nominated Judge Samuel Wells the candidate for Congress. Mr. W. Donald, the present representative, who voted for the Nebraska bill, did not receive a single vote.

Oakum Factory Burnt.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—Messrs. Whiton, Train & Co.'s oakum factory, at Roxbury, was destroyed by fire this evening. Loss \$6000.

Death of Samuel R. Kramer.

HARRISBURG, Aug. 18.—Samuel R. Kramer, one of the oldest printers in this State, died here this evening.

The Mortality throughout the Country.

N. YORK, Aug. 19.—The interments this week were 916, including 212 deaths from cholera. ALBANY, Aug. 19.—Since Wednesday, 30 new cases of cholera, 8 of them fatal, have been reported in this city. NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 19.—There were 26 deaths at New Orleans, during the past week. CHARLESTON, Aug. 19.—There were only 25 deaths, from all diseases, during the week. BOSTON, Aug. 19.—The interments in this city, during the week ending this day at noon, were 104. There were but 17 deaths by cholera.

A Row between Irish and Americans.

BUFFALO, Aug. 19.—It is reported that a serious riot occurred at White's Corners, in this State, twelve miles from this city, between some Irish Catholics and a party of Americans. The Irish raised a liberty pole with a cross upon the top of it. This led to a personal encounter between them and the Americans, and three men are said to have been killed, but no reliable particulars have yet transpired.

Post Office Robber.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 19.—Charles Clements, a clerk in the Post Office in this city, who is charged with embezzlement, has been held to bail.

BARNES AC. BURN.—We are sorry to state that a fire occurred at Mr. Daniel Beegel's in Juniata tp. in this county, on the 5th inst., which consumed his barn and wagon-shed, together with their contents, consisting of the whole of this year's crop, his wagon, threshing machine, wind-mill, and a great variety of agricultural implements, together with a lot of oats belonging to Messrs. Arnold & Clover, contractors. There was a large quantity of straw in the yard at the time, and a light breeze prevailing, and everything being very dry, the fire spread, with such frightful rapidity that the animals about the barn and yard did not escape; some ten head of hogs and a number of chickens being destroyed. Mr. B.'s dwelling house very narrowly escaped destruction also, and was only saved by the most daring intrepidity of Mr. B. and his neighbors. Loss estimated at about \$2500. A barn or stable, belonging to Mr. Jonathan Conrad, on an adjoining farm, saved, but it contained a large quantity of straw, and other articles of small value. No insurance on either barn.—Hol. Register.

Execution of a Murderer.

THE LOUISVILLE Courier of Saturday, says:—The negro man Henry Simmons expiated his crime on the gallows this morning about eleven o'clock, in the vicinity of Shelby and Brown streets. The gallows was constructed under a walnut tree, in sight of the house of W. P. Hahn, the master of the murdered man. The execution was conducted with the greatest decorum, and witnessed by an excited multitude of 8000 to 10,000 persons, many of whom followed the victim of the law from the jail door to the scene of execution. Sheriff Quire performed the last requirements of the law upon his victim, and a colored preacher of the name of Adams administered in a very impressive manner the last rites of religion to him; and it is believed that he died penitent, and in the full belief of the Christian faith, and in hope of Heaven hereafter.

The "Mad Stone" Again.

The Richmond (Va.) Penny Post has a second article in relation to the "genuine Simon Pure mad stone," which has been left at the office of that newspaper for the examination of the medical faculty. The stone, as has always been stated in the Journal, belongs to Mr. W. Bradley, of Richmond, and intelligent gentlemen from various counties in Virginia, unite in affirming its remarkable properties, to declare themselves to be cognizant of more than fifty cases of mad dog bites, snake and spider bites, effected by it. The Richmond Post says that it "is a rather curious looking affair; it is about the size of a piece of chalk, perfectly porous, and, truth to say, almost indistinguishable. When applied to the wound either of a snake or mad dog bite, it will draw out all its poisons saturated, then drop off, and if placed in warm water will soon disgorge, and then be ready for action again." Mr. Bradley, the owner, offers to sell it to the city of Richmond for the modest sum of \$5,000.

The Small Town Conspirators Discharged.

We learn from the Pittsburg Post of the 7th inst., that Messrs. Hazen, Davis, Morris and Lawson the defendants in the celebrated small town case, were discharged from prison on Friday, in pursuance of a pardon received from the Governor on Thursday night. We understand that the civil action, instituted by the parties just named, for the recovery of the penalties alleged to have been forfeited by the Pennsylvania Railroad company and others, under the small town law, will be tried during the October term of the District Court.

A Duel between Americans in Europe.

It is reported that Daniel E. Sickle, Esq., Secretary of the American Legation at London, telegraphed to Liverpool on the 11th ult., to know whether John Van Buren, Esq., then expected in the steamer from New York, had arrived, and if so, where he could be found, his object being, it is said, to send a challenge to fight, if he should land on the continent of Europe. Mr. Sickle, it is alleged, was greatly offended at a speech made by Mr. Van Buren, in Tammany Hall, last winter, reflecting rather personally upon him.

Two Hack Drivers, in two funeral processions which entered a cemetery at Cincinnati at the same time, got into a dispute about the grave, when one attempted to draw a slung shot from his pocket, in order to strike the other. A bystander immediately drew a pistol from his pocket, and fired into the slung-shot man's face, wounding him so severely that he is not expected to recover.

Beautiful Prize.

A number of gentlemen in Ohio, have purchased a beautiful white mare, and presented her to the Columbia Agricultural Society, to be given as a prize to the best lady equestrian at the Exhibition of the Society, which takes place next September at N. Lisbon.

Foreign Intelligence.

The America's News.

The royal mail steamship America, Captain Lang, from Liverpool on the 5th inst., arrived at Halifax on Wednesday evening. The America sailed at 7 o'clock the same evening for Boston, where she will be due early on Friday morning.

The Eastern War.

THE DANUBE.—The news from the Danube continues generally favorable to the allies, but nothing decisive has taken place. On the morning of the 30th the Russians are stated to have attacked the Turkish and French camp at Girgovo, but were totally defeated, with the loss of 2000 killed and a large number of prisoners. The Russians were retreating in forced marches. They have quitted Frateschi, and it was occupied by the Turks. The evacuation of Wallachia was completed, and a proclamation had been issued, declaring that all the soldiers who remained behind would be considered deserters. The Russian troops were being concentrated on the Sereth.

Omur Pachia was expected to arrive at Bucharest on the 31st July, and would meet with a brilliant reception.

It is believed that force must be employed to dislodge the Russians from Moldavia. The Austrian army under Prince Lichtenstein is ordered to advance from Pesth to Gallicia; the army in Gallicia moving towards the frontiers. The Archduke Albrecht has removed his headquarters to Cronstadt, in the south-east corner of Transylvania. The total Austrian force on the frontiers reached 330,000 men, under command of Baron Dekess. The frontiers have not been crossed, but the preparations for hostilities were on a colossal scale. Russia makes no warlike demonstration towards the Prussian frontiers. The cholera was increasing in violence at Constantinople. The third French division left Varna on the 27th for Kustendje and Silistria. The accounts from Montenegro are unsatisfactory. Prince Daniel was assuming a threatening attitude towards the Turks at Aputz.

The Black Sea.

The allied fleets, with Generals Canrobert and Brown, had proceeded towards the Crimea. The Times declare positively that a force of from 80,000 to 100,000 men—British, French and Turkish—will immediately invade the Crimea, and will attempt to effect a lodgement on the heights that command Sebastopol.

The Baltic.

The fleet was at Letsund at latest accounts. Gen. Baraguay d'Hilliers had had an interview with the King of Sweden. His Majesty declares his willingness to unite with the Western Powers on certain conditions. D'Hilliers, with the French troops, had joined the fleet off the Aland Islands. Kamla Karleby had been reinforced by the Russians. Four hundred British, on the 18th, made a descent on Follings, in the Island of Desel, and after destroying four boats, retired. Since the 23d, the blockade of the ports in the Gulf have been more rigorous, it not being possible for any vessel to enter or leave. The Russian Emperor, Archduke Constantine and the Archduchess, had a narrow escape from being captured by an English steamer, near Cronstadt. Admiral Cory had returned home, an invalid.

From Asia.

The reported defeat of the Turks by the Russians, at Kars, is confirmed, and the Russians were besieging Kars. Cholera had made its appearance among the British troops.

Spain.

Affairs were generally tranquil at President of the new Council. On the 21st instant,