

# Huntingdon Journal.



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## WANTED,

A few loads of WOOD at the Journal Office.

WANTED—A boy to learn the printing, at this office, about 16 years of age. None but a good one need apply.

## New Advertisements.

JAMES MAGUIRE, Esq., offers his farm at public sale. It is about one mile from this borough, and those in want of a good farm, should call and see Mr. Maguire. See advertisement.

ELIEL SMITH, Esq., will offer at public sale, on the 28th of November, a valuable farm and Saw Mill, situated in Union township, Huntingdon Co.

SHONA, STEWART & CO. have lost two mules.

Notice to Retailers of Foreign Merchandise.

See Trial and Jury list, for Nov. Term.

FEVER PANIC.—Nearly the whole population of Augusta, Ga., has left, and the country for miles around, is covered with tents. The fever appears to be increasing, and the excitement is awful. The post office is closed, and the mails delayed, there being none to distribute them.

FEAR.—A pumpkin vine spreading out of a manure heap at Pittsfield, produced 34 pumpkins, whose aggregate weight is 502 pounds.—These must be what some people call "some pumpkins."

THE NEW YORK KANSAS League have sent between 600 and 700 persons to Kansas, and it is said that about 1000 more are preparing to follow.

GREAT SUFFERING.—Recent accounts from Hong Kong mention that the ship *Hyoega* had been wrecked and completely lost on a shoal in the Chinese Sea. She had on board 500 Chinese passengers, who landed upon a small island where they could obtain neither wood nor water, and for twenty-three days had no other means of sustaining life than by eating grass and roots. The sufferings of these poor people can scarcely be imagined. The U. S. Surveying brig *Porpoise* was despatched to the wreck, and succeeded in taking them all off, and conveying them safely to Hong Kong, except four men who died on the island, and one who perished immediately after getting on board the *Porpoise*. The latter was so crowded with this throng of passengers that her crew had actually to sleep in the tops.

GOV. POWELL, of Kentucky, has issued his proclamation appointing Monday, the 13th of November, for a special election for a member of Congress in the IIIrd Congressional District, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Hon. Presley Ewing.

**The Fate of Sir John Franklin.**

By telegraph we have some further particulars respecting the melancholy fate of this lost navigator, learned from the Esquimaux by Dr. Rae. It seems that he lost his ships by being crushed in the ice, while making his way South to the great Fish river discovered by Captain Buck, near the outlet of which he and his party died, leaving an unmistakable sign of their sufferings in the mutilated corpses which had evidently furnished food for their companions. The natives had in their possession silver spoons bearing Sir John Franklin's name and crest.

A LEARNED LADY.—The American lady Mrs. Putnam, a Baptist, has perhaps no equal in the world for critical knowledge of languages, for she converses readily in French, Italian, German, Polish, Swedish, and Hungarian, and is familiar with twenty modern dialects, besides Greek, Latin, Hebrew, Persian, and Arabic. The extent of this linguistic acquirement is paralleled only by Cardinal Mezzofan, Elihu Burritt, and some half dozen other great names of both worlds.—*Watch and Reflector.*

THE SPIRITUAL SHINGLING MACHINE.—The Palmer (Mass.) Journal describes the operation of the shingle riving machine said to have been invented by the Spirits, and constructed by Mr. A. C. Billings, of Palmer. It is a neatly finished, strongly built machine, and it walks into the blocks, which are fed in from two sides, like a huge giant. It does the work admirably, splitting the blocks into pieces of any thickness desired for shaving. It is said to be capable of riving 35,000 shingles per day.

Snow fell at Hollidaysburg on the 20th inst. to the depth of nearly an inch.

## The People's Triumph.

We claim this as no party victory. It was the spontaneous rising of our fellow electors, teaching the instructive lesson to the world-bearers of this county and other parts of this State, that the time had come when forbearance ceases to be a virtue. It was the indignant response of an outraged community, to the recent acts of the administration and their servile followers, telling them that there is still a Northern breast. Let the administration remove the ancient landmarks of freedom, in territory once dedicated to its cause; let a fawning Congress pass the bill; let our troops be ordered out to crush the feeling of opposition, beside the Monument of Bunker's Hill; let an armed vessel return a fellow being back to bondage: Pennsylvania, baptised in freedom, spurns the act and proclaims to the dynasty at Washington, that she who gave President Pierce a majority of sixteen thousand, can give to the people's choice a still larger vote.

A Whig Governor is elected by a majority of about 36,000 over a Democratic incumbent of great popularity. A Democratic Canal Commissioner receives a majority of \$6,000 or 100,000.

In Ohio, so long doubtful between the old parties, the Democratic ticket has been defeated by at least 45,000 majority, and not one Nebraska member of Congress is elected.

In Indiana, the party in power has been annihilated, the American and anti-Nebraska party sweeping the State and electing all their candidates. One of the results of this victory is that a United States Senator is to be chosen in place of Hon. John Pettis, and it is believed that the Fusionists have carried a majority of the Legislature.

The Iowa Legislature has an anti-Nebraska majority in both branches, the Senate not being tied, as had been supposed.

The vote on the Maine Liquor Law, we have yet Elk, Potter and Sullivan to hear from.—Those we have, sum up as follows:

Against the Law,	148,180
For	145,967

Maj. against, 2,213

## Pollock for the Presidency.

The overwhelming majority by which Judge Pollock is made Governor of Pennsylvania, naturally enough suggests him as a suitable candidate of the Whigs and Free Democrats for the Presidency in 1856.

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The difference between the Whig and Democratic statements, consists in the fact that the latter count the newly elected Senator from the Fayette and Westmoreland District a Democrat, whereas he was run by the Whigs and Americans, and by them elected in opposition to the regular Democratic candidate. Moreover he is believed to be a member of the American order; and if so, of course will act with his brethren of that party. Mr. Jamison of Armstrong, Indiana and Clarion District, was also elected a year ago by the Whigs and Independents over a regular Democratic candidate. How much hold the party has on such gentlemen we know not, but they are claimed as Democrats. Mr. Pratt of the Bradford, Susquehanna and Wyoming District, is a Free soil Democrat. Anti-Nebraska, and opposed to the Pierce dynasty. As his district has just spoken out so distinctly, it seems hardly probable that he will feel anxious to enroll himself with the government party.

## House of Representatives.

The House will be Whig. As far as we can ascertain the following members are elected:

Philadelphia City—Hon. K. Strong, W.; Wm. R. Morris, W.; Geo. R. Smith, W.; M. V. Baker, D.

Philadelphia County—J. Alex. Simpson, W.; Nicholas Thorne, W.; Thomas C. Steel, W.; E. G. Waterhouse, W.; Chas. A. Allgood, W.; S. H. Bowmen, W.; Joshua R. Fletcher, A.; R. M. Foust, A.; Alex. Cummings, A.; R. L. Wright, D.; R. M. Currie, D.

Adams—Moses McClean, D.

Allegheny—Musco, W.; Guy, W.; C. A. Erster, A.; Smith, A.; Kirkpatrick, D.

Armstrong, Clarion and Jefferson—Lane, D.; —— Clover, D.; —— Zeigler, D.

Beaver, Butler and Lawrence—B. B. Chamberlin, W.; Wm. Stewart, W.; R. McCombs, W.

Bedford, Fulton and Cambria—G. S. King, W.; W. T. Dougherty, D.

Berks—A. M. Salade, D.; Jeremiah Mingle, D.; J. F. Linderman, D.; Samuel Shearer, D.

Blair and Huntingdon—Geo. W. Smith, W.; Geo. Leas, A.

Bradford—One Whig, and one Free Democrat.

Bucks—E. G. Harrison, W.; W. P. Magill, W.; S. F. Gwinnett, W.

Carbon and Lehigh—James Reese, W.

Centre—D. F. Boat, A.

Chester—M. A. Hodgson, W.; M. J. Penny, packer, W.; Wm. R. Downing, W.

Cleaveland, McKean and Elk—A. Caldwell, D.

Columbus and Montour—J. G. Maxwell, D.

Clinton, Lycoming and Potter—Wm. Fearon, W.; —— Wood, W.

Crawford—One Whig and one Free Democrat.

Cumberland—Two Whigs.

Duplin—Lot Bergstrom, W.; J. A. Stehley, D.

Erie—T. H. Maddock, W.

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Fayette—Said to be two Whigs and two Democrats.

Franklin—Low, W.; Orr, D.

Green—J. M. Stockdale, D.

Indiana—Alex. McConnell, W.

Lancaster—D. W. Witmer, W.; Emlen Franklin, J. F. Herr, W.; H. North, D.; J. L. Gross, D.

Luzerne—Palmer, W.; —— Dunning, D.

Mercer, Venango and Warren—Clapp, W.; —— Lott, W.; —— McCalmont, Free Democrat.

Mifflin—Morrison, W.

Monroe and Pike—A. Edinger, D.

Montgomery—Jacob Fry, Jr., D., H. N. Wicks, W.; James Rittenhouse, W.

Northampton—Philip Johnson, D.; M. Bush, D.

Northeastern—G. Yorks, Ind. D.

Perry—Dr. A. C. Stoes, W.

Schuylkill—Feiley, D.; Benjamin Christ, D.

Somerset—Joseph Cummings, W.

Susquehanna, Sullivan, and Wyoming—John Starke, D.

Tioga—Not heard from.

Union and Juniata—Crawford, D.

Washington—Two Whigs.

Wayne—Not heard from.

York—Two Whigs and one Ind. Democrat.

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