

POTTSVILLE.

SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 11, 1886.

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Miner's Journal, SEMI-WEEKLY.

We would inform our readers that our new publication will positively be commenced in July ensuing, and in the meantime, we respectfully invite those who are disposed to patronize it, to leave their names with us, at as early a period as may be convenient to them.

Those persons in Philadelphia, who feel disposed to patronize the semi-weekly Journal, will please leave their names with Mr. Coffey, at the Exchange.

The Blind Irish Harper.—Mr. WALL, is at present in our borough, and gave a musical entertainment last night at the Pennsylvania Hall, and will perform to-night again at the hotel of Mr. O'Connor.

We invite attention to the advertisement of the James River and Kanawha Canal Company, which will be found in another column.

We refer our readers to an article on the first page relative to the prospects of Martin Van Buren. Nothing can be clearer than that the magdian's cause is absolutely hopeless.

We regret to learn that several persons were drowned on the line of the canal during the last week. Among the number, we understand, is Miles Barron, of this place.

Blackwood's Edinburgh Magazine.—Published by Theodore Foster, N. York.—We have received the March number of this celebrated periodical, which contains the usual variety of well written and amusing articles.

The Metropolitan Magazine, by Capt. Maryatt.—Theodore Foster, publisher, N. York.—The Metropolitan is specially devoted to the amusement of its readers, with now and then a grave article.

The Globe has formally denounced the Hon. J. M. PATTON, of Virginia. Mr. Patton was elected as a friend and supporter of the present Administration—but he will not support the succession.

Young Hyson, in Ohio.—A Mr. John Platt gives notice that he has succeeded in cultivating the genuine Young Hyson Tea plant of China. He offers fresh seed gratis to any person desirous of pursuing the cultivation.

The present population of Buffalo, N. Y. is estimated at 18,000.

Insurance.—We sometime ago, in a short article, alluded to the subject of insurance, and we would again respectfully invite the attention of property holders to it.

The Treasurer of the United States acknowledges that the surplus revenue of the country now amounts to upwards of thirty eight millions of dollars.

The Pennsylvania says that Messrs. Burden, Penrose, Dickey, &c. have abandoned the support of Martin Van Buren.

Harrison and Van Buren—the late War.—In 1812, Van Buren offered the following resolution against the late War: "Resolved, That the war is impolitic and disastrous; and to employ the militia in an offensive war, is unconstitutional."

In 1812, Gen. Harrison was Governor of the North West Territory. As soon as the war question was agitated, he immediately issued his proclamation calling upon the people of the Territory to rally around the standard of their country and protect it from insult from abroad.

15,825 passengers arrived at New York, during the month of May, from European ports, principally emigrants.

The United States Gazette of Monday says: The facilities for crossing the Atlantic are so great, that we scarcely miss a friend from our walks, before we are called upon to congratulate him upon his safe voyage to and from Europe.

As soon as the contemplated lines of steam packets are established, a trip across the Atlantic will become as fashionable, and will not be considered a more arduous undertaking, than a trip to the different watering places at present.

Mr. Brooks, the author of a series of letters from abroad, arrived at New York on Monday last.

Trial of R. P. Robinson for the Murder of Ellen Jewett.

No case in this country has occurred for a long period which has excited stronger emotions of interest, sympathy and curiosity throughout the community at large than the trial of this unfortunate young man, who has been arraigned and is now taking his trial for a crime of the deepest dye, perpetrated under the most revolting circumstances of deliberate cruelty and diabolical perfidy.

By in the habit of coming there Saturday nights—and that she cannot be mistaken as to the prisoner. The prisoner, it appears, went up stairs, was met by Ellen, and was seen by two of the other female inmates of the house going into Ellen Jewett's room, who were looking out for their respective visitors.

The prisoner, it appears, went up stairs—tried to open Maria Stevens' door—went to Ellen Jewett's door, opened it, when the smoke rushed out in torrents. The house was then alarmed by her and the watchman called in. One of them named Eldridge, subsequently discovered a dark cloth cloak in the rear yard adjoining Townsend's yard, also a hatchet in the latter yard.

When Mrs. Townsend was questioned by Brink, the policeman, about the dark colored cloak, he denied that he had any other than a blanket one hanging up in his room; yet a fellow boarder swears he walked with Robinson to Beekman street on the evening preceding the murder, when he wore such a cloak, but he saw no hatchet in it, though it was open.

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Back, back to thy cover, thou blood-bound of death, There is was in thy footstep, and gait in thy breath; Thou wast with women, thou curse of the brave, Thy pity is blood, and thy mercy the grave.

Compliment to Mr. Clay by Mr. McCowan. In his Speech on the Fortification Bill. Mr. McCowan said that the measure had been called Mr. Clay's and bill the attention of the House has been specially called to this subject.

Prospectus for an "Extra" Globe are in free circulation in Pennsylvania. They declare that on Pennsylvania depends the issue of the next Presidential contest. A very candid confession truly. Come out Mr. Globe and tell the people the whole truth at once; and for the purpose of enabling you to do that, we would suggest the following addition to the contents of the prospectus.

General Harrison has, in answer to a letter of inquiry from the Hon. S. Williams of Kentucky, expressed himself in favor of the distribution of the surplus revenue among the States—in favor of Mr. Clay's Land Bill—opposed to the distant and ordinary exercise of the veto power—opposed to the "expunging" process—and, not being in favor of the Bank of the United States, and opposed to its recharter, willing to make all efforts to get along without it.

The following sentiment, drawn at a celebration at this place about three years since, by an office-holder under Gov. Wolf, is peculiarly applicable in the present instance: "An 'EXTRA' Globe—NOT WANTED" until the present one is DESTROYED."

NEW JERSEY. The New Jersey Whig Convention assembled at Trenton on Monday last, and proceeded to the nomination of candidates for President and Vice President. WILLIAM W. HARRISON, of Ohio, and FRANCIS GRANGER, of New York, received a unanimous vote of more than two hundred delegates from every portion of the State.

Candid Confessions.—Van Buren gives up by his own party.—The Western Star, a radical Van Buren paper, published at Shelbyville, Tennessee, of May 6th says: "Gen. Harrison.—Each succeeding mail brings us fresh evidences of the growing strength of this sectional candidate of the whigs of the north-west. Gen. Harrison seems to be the candidate who can unite more of the whig forces than any other candidate now before the people of the west and north-west."

The Whig Convention of Connecticut have with an honorable magnanimity, and the highest feeling of respect towards Mr. Webster, deemed it advisable to go with the tide of public feeling in other States, and therefore, unanimously nominated HARRISON and GRANGER.