

was experienced in doing so, for the bow was sunk so deep that the only access was by the stern. So far as we could learn, we believe all the inmates of the cabin reached the hurricane roof.

After the boat struck the snag, in drifted down the stream, and a few hundred yards below struck another snag, which was cut out of water. This threw the boat nearly on her beam's end on the larboard side. During this time, she again lurch, several persons were washed over. Some of them reached the shore, but many were drowned. A short distance below just above the first snag tower, the hull struck a bluff bank, which again carried her nearly on her beam's end. Here the hull and cabin parted. The hull sunk and lodged on a bar above Carondelet, and the cabin floated down to the point of the bar below that place, where it lodged and remains.

About 3 o'clock, the Ice-lander, one of our ferry boats came along, and went to the rescue, and took all who remained upon the wreck over 100. It is due to this company to say, that in addition to the service rendered by the Ice-lander, upon her arrival at the Wharf, three men in a yawl were immediately despatched to the assistance of the persons on the wreck, and they rendered essential service to them. In Carondelet and Cahokia, the kindest attentions were shown to those who got on shore.

From the best information which we can obtain, nearly half of the passengers and crew have perished, say from 90 to 100. The names of names are not yet found, so that the names of the passengers cannot be published.

ISAC HILL REJECTED! The nomination of Isaac Hill to be Commissioner of the Clothing Bureau of the Navy Department was rejected on Wednesday by a very large majority. He was rejected some years since for the post of Auditor or Comptroller, we forget which, by a nearly unanimous vote. Levi Woodbury alone voting in his favor.

Isaac Hill, as all our readers are aware, has been one of the most unscrupulous defamers of the great men of this country, that has ever lived. His abuse of John Quincy Adams and his estimable wife, is one of the latest instances of political malice on record. On the devoted head of Mr. Adams he has never ceased from pouring out the blackest floods of calumny. Was a statesman great, just, and patriotic, he immediately laid himself open to the enmity of this viper. Had a man perilled his life and fortune in his country's service, and died for it, he would have been honored as a hero, and his name would have been on every lip.

Mr. Tyler turned traitor. Isaac Hill took him at once under his protection; receiving for his charity a lucrative contract for printing. By attaching himself to Tyler, he forfeited the confidence of the Van Burenites, and now like many other unfortunates, he has received a severe rebuke for his want of fidelity. He has been rejected by the friends of Van Buren, by Locofocos as well as Whigs, and like him also, will be ungratefully forgotten, where he is destined to meet the cold looks and contemptuous language of those who were formerly his warmest admirers.

AMELIA NORMAN. This young woman has been on trial before the New York Court of Sessions, the past week, for an assault on Henry S. Ballard, with intent to kill, by stabbing him with a dirk knife, on the stoop of the Astor House. It seems that she came to New York some two years since, an innocent, artless, but respectable girl. She fell in company with Ballard, who won her affections, and under a promise of marriage betrayed and ruined her. He has supported and kept her along in the mean time, under pretence of ultimately marrying her; but finally cast her off penniless, without a shelter, and told her "she must get her living as other prostitutes did." This was a cruel blow for human nature to bear. Arming herself with a dirk knife, she posted herself at the door of the Astor House, and watching her opportunity, buried her weapon in the bosom of her betrayer, following it up with a second and a third stroke—when she was arrested and secured. Ballard recovered, however, and Amelia was held to trial for at least a week.

The trial was brought to close on Friday evening. The jury in ten minutes came back with a verdict of NOT GUILTY; which was received by the auditors with hearty cheers and expressions of concurrence.

MURDER.—A most atrocious murder was recently committed on Staten Island, near New York city. The victims were a Mrs. Houtsman and her infant; and a Mrs. Bodine, sister of the murdered lady's husband, was arrested on suspicion of having committed the murder. The examination of witnesses on the tragical affair has closed, and sufficient testimony has been elicited to fix with certainty the commission of the murder on Mrs. Bodine, and to warrant the commitment of Gen. S. Waite, as an accessory after the murder. It appears that Waite was her paramour—and it is thought that the murder was committed to procure money for Waite who was embarrassed in his business, he being an apothecary in New York city. No money however was obtained—but some jewelry and a gold watch were taken from the house, and afterwards found pawned to different brokers in New York by Mrs. Bodine. During her imprisonment, she was delivered of a still born infant, of which she charged Waite with being the father.

Capital Punishment in South Carolina.—Judge O'Neal sentenced a young man (John L. Brown) on the 21st inst., at Columbus, to be hung on the 26th April next, under a conviction for aiding a slave to run away!

The execution of such a sentence for such a crime, it has been justly remarked, will greatly abridge the duration of slavery in these United States.

SUMMARY.

More Bolting!—The Calhoun General Committee of the city of New York, have issued an address which takes strong ground against Mr. Van Buren's packed Convention to be held at Baltimore in May next, and calls another National Convention at Philadelphia on the 4th of July.

Rejection of Mr. Secretary Porter.—We learn from authority which we deem sufficient, that the Committee of the Senate to which was referred the nomination of James M. Porter as Secretary of War, reported on Wednesday adverse to the confirmation of it. It is probable therefore, that the nomination was rejected by the Senate yesterday.—*Phil. Gaz.*

The members of the Legislature of Louisiana headed by His excellency Governor Mouton, on the 3d inst. proceeded in a body to pay their respects to Mr. Clay, then in New Orleans.

Michigan papers estimates the emigration into that State, the past season, at 20,000.

A ball was given by the crazy people in the Inmate Retreat, at Hartford, Conn. on New Year's night.

The Hon. Jacob Miller U. S. Senator from New Jersey has been called home by the sudden death of his father.

The Hon. Wm. Sprague U. S. Senator from Rhode Island, has resigned in consequence of the murder of his brother.

Resignation of Mr. Secretary Spencer.—Letters from Washington state that Mr. Spencer resigned the Secretaryship of the Treasury on Friday, and that his nomination to the Bench of the Supreme Court of the United States would undoubtedly be confirmed yesterday.—*Jour. Com.*

New Post Office.—A new Post Office has been established in this village entitled, "EAST BENNINGTON." Gen Henry Robinson, Postmaster.

All Letters and Papers intended for this Office must be directed to Bennington East Village.—*Banner.*

The Governor of Canada has had a cheese presented to him weighing 284 pounds.

Mr. Clay's visit to New Orleans is said to be occasioned by the death of a daughter, whose estate he has been called on to settle.

Mr. Webster has formed a law partnership with J. W. Moulton Esq., a distinguished lawyer of New York City, of course Mr. Webster intends to practice there hereafter.

THIRD PARTY CONVENTION. Which met at Rochester on the 17th inst. nominated,

WILLIAM R. SHAFER, of Townshend, Gov.

AARON ANGIER, of Middlebury, Lieut. Gov.

HARRY HALE, of Chelsea, Treasurer. Titus Hutchinson of Woodstock, J. P. Miller of Montpelier, Electors at large.

J. W. Hale, William Warner, James Deen and B. R. Fuller, electors for districts.

Munificence.—After a sermon preached by President Olin, in the Methodist Episcopal Church in Green street, a few evenings since, in behalf of the Wesleyan University, at Middletown, Ct., a collection of \$4,000 was made for entrusting a Professorship in that College.

James Harper, of Harpers and Brothers; C. Drew; E. Luckey; F. Hall, and Wm. B. Jackson, gave \$500 each.—*N. Y. Amer.*

The President and Senate have ratified a treaty with France, similar to one clause of the recent treaty made between this Government and England, for giving up criminals escaping from one country to the other.

INDIANA.—The Loco Foco Legislature of this State adjourned on the 15th, after a session of six weeks. Nothing was done to provide for the interest on the State Debt.

THE REPUBLIC. Duff Green's new paper, has appeared. It advocates "Free Trade" point blank. He takes ground decidedly against the packed Van Buren Convention at Baltimore next May, and sends the call for another at Philadelphia in July.

The examination of Polly Bodine was continued at Port Richmond yesterday, and our Reporter has sent us the testimony, but we see in it no material fact not already before the public, unless it is that elicited by the evidence of Captain Houseman, with regard to the \$1,000, which the public have had hid in so many places. Capt. H. testifies that he left the money with his mother, and that Polly was cognizant of it.—*Tribune.*

WASHINGTON ITEMS.—The idea of making Gov. Glimmer Secretary of the Navy has been abandoned—too much Virginia already. It is supposed that either Com. Stewart or Capt. Stockton of the Navy will be appointed—probably the latter.

Mr. Secretary Spencer's nomination for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court has been laid on the table of the Senate, and is likely to stay there awhile. Mr. Tyler has been reputed quite willing to get rid of him as a Cabinet officer. We hope he will hang on like the night-mare.

Mr. Uphur will probably be sent to France when he takes fit to go, but his departure will depend on circumstances. He will make a good Ambassador.

Secretary Porter, there seems little reason to doubt, will be rejected by the Senate.—*Tribune.*

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20, 1844. The Secretary of the Navy.—Mr. Henshaw, will leave the Navy Department on Monday, and it is said that Commodore Stewart will be the acting Secretary of the Navy for awhile.

Henry A. Wise was nominated last evening as minister to Brazil. He will be confirmed I presume. Brazil is a very different place from France, and Mr. W. will probably make a very good minister to the Brazilian Government. If confirmed, he would of course be glad of the mission. Though not very poor he is by no means rich, relying, as he does, upon the uncertain rewards of public life for private support.

The President and Senate have ratified a treaty with France for the exchange of criminals escaping from one country to

another, and similar to the clause in the Ashburton treaty providing for the same object. E. B.

THE NESTORIANS. It will be remembered that our latest intelligence left the Nestorians in the midst of a new movement against their lawless and cruel enemies. It was said that they had met with some success, and had recovered part of the desolated territory, including the late residence of the Patriarch.

By the arrival from Liverpool last week we have the following paragraph from a London paper:—"Our private advices from Constantinople of the 22d Nov. announce the receipt of intelligence from Monsal of another slaughter by the Turks of the Nestorian Christians. Upwards of 200 of the latter were believed to have fallen under the Ottoman Cymetar."

For Tarks read Koords. If these statements are true, it is to be feared that the war will result in extermination.

GEN. CASS. We have thought from the demonstrations made in behalf of this gentleman that he might command some strength; but at home, where he is best known, he cannot command a vote. He was lately beaten in his own ward in Detroit, in the election of delegates to a County Convention, and the recent Loco Foco State Convention of Michigan unanimously adopted resolutions in favor of Mr. Van Buren. This ends "him of the sword and pen."

GEORGIA.—General Clinch's majority for Congress (Whig) in all the counties but Dade is 4,455.

Organize.

TO THE WHIGS OF ADDISON COUNTY.

As your County Committee, we call upon the whigs of old Addison to remember the address of the State Committee published in the Galaxy last week, urging prompt action, and a thorough organization of whig clubs in each town in the State on the 22d of February. The year of another presidential contest has already arrived. Upon this election depends most eminently the destinies of our beloved country for weal or for woe at least for another generation. Let the farmer, the mechanic, and the manufacturer reflect that the value of his estate, his labor, his products, yea his liberty and the general prosperity depend upon the triumph of the whig cause. We must have a government for the people, or a government for the spoilers. We must be ground to powder by Free Trade, lavish expenditures, southern influence, slaveocratic dictation, and a corrupt and corrupting administration of the government, or we must advance to the highest pinnacle of national prosperity, under a salutary protection to domestic industry, a faithful and economical administration of the government, a distribution of the avails of the public lands, and the adoption of just and constitutional measures for the limitation and final extinction of slavery, the prolific source of so many evils in the government of the country.

Whigs of Addison County, will you rally for an efficient organization on the birth day of the father of this country, in that noble spirit of patriotism which inspire him, and to secure the inestimable blessings which his illustrious deeds have helped to confer upon us? You have every motive to spur you forward to the approaching political contest.—Not even in 1840, when you triumphed by 150 thousand majority, were the omens of success more propitious. You are unanimous. Your opponents, weakened and dismayed by internal dissensions must fall an easy prey before your united onset. They are already nearly vanquished by their well grounded fears of defeat. For a few months past a succession of brilliant victories have followed your standard;—every man who was a whig in 1840 will be a whig in 1844. From every section of the country we learn that the Tippecanoe boys are banding themselves preparatory to vigorous and concentrated action. Let the whigs of Addison County do likewise. Let clubs be formed in every town in the county to discuss public affairs, disseminate information, and to march shall the great whig host to the polls in the approaching elections. It will be the duty of the town committees to lead off in the necessary arrangements. Should there be any want of zeal on the part of these committees, we join it upon active whig brethren to go ahead, and call meetings.

HARVEY BELL, WM. H. WHITE, A. P. ROSCOE, KENT WRIGHT. County Committee.

The Young Men's Temperance Society of this place are making arrangements to call a convention of the friends of Temperance on the 22d of next month, the anniversary of the birth of Washington, and will issue the call next week.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE! The Quarterly Meeting for the Wesleyan Circuit of the Wesleyan Methodist Connection will be held in the Town Room, in this village on Saturday and Sunday next Feb. 23d and 24th.

Services will commence Saturday P. M. 1 o'clock: Rev. Lyman Prindle and S. H. Foster are expected to be present.

Brethren of other denominations are cordially invited to attend. Middlebury, Jan. 30th, 1844.

MEDICAL NOTICE. An adjourned meeting of the Addison County Medical Society will be held at Vergennes, on Thursday, February the 8th at 10 o'clock, A. M.

D. C. GOODALE, Sec. January 29th, 1844.

Married,

In Schroon N. Y. on the 7th inst. by the Rev. Hannibal Holden Esq., Hiram S. Potter M. D. of Pottersville N. Y. to Miss Maria Rawson, daughter of Clark Rawson Esq., of the former place.

In West Salisbury, on New-Years day 1844 by the Rev. A. G. Shearns, Charles P. Forbes Esq., of East Middlebury, and Hannah, daughter of Mr. Dan Daniels, of the former place.

In Lincoln on the 21st inst. by the Rev. Mr. Powers, Mr. Draper G. Nichols Esq., of this place, to Miss Ester E. Murray, of the former place.

Died.

In Starksboro, on the 14th of Dec. last Samuel Hill Esq., aged 78 and old and respectable individual of that town.

In Lockport, N. Y. Nov. 29th, 1843, Mr. Samuel Daniels Esq., aged 68 formerly of Middlebury, Vt.

In Bridport, Vt. on the 12th inst. Josiah Norton, of the dropsey on the heart, aged 77 a resident of the town of Addison for more than forty years.

HOSERY and GLOVES Bk and white Cotton Hose, Bk's worsted do, colored worsted do, at 25 cents per pair; Ladies Gloves of every description; Buckskin Gloves and Mittens, for sale by BROWN & SHELDON. Jan. 30, 1844.

BLACK CAMBRICK, Bk's Clout fringes and gimp, just rec'd by BROWN & SHELDON. Jan. 30, 1844.

To Rent.

THE unoccupied part of the building directly south of the old College building, and the front part of the house situated in the north west corner of college campus. Both premises well calculated to accommodate families. Apply to the undersigned for terms &c. JAMES M. SLADE, Agent. Jan. 29, 1844.

Cotillon Party.

MR. SHERMAN & SON, would respectfully inform the Ladies and Gentlemen of Bristol and vicinity that their next party will commence on Wednesday the 17th of Jan. 1844 and to be continued one week through the season. He would also state to say that he will furnish the best of music for balls and cotillions, on terms to suit the times. Please to apply by mail or otherwise direct Essex Vt.

CABINET Warehouse.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the inhabitants of Middlebury and vicinity, that he has now on hand a large assortment of Cabinet Furniture, such as SECRETARIES, BUREAUX, BOOK CASES, WARD ROBES, TABLES, FANCY WORK, LIGHTED WASH STANDS, HIGH POST, FRENCH, COE and TURN-UP BED-STEADS, SOFAS, BED SOFAS and CHAIRS. Together with various other articles of house hold furniture. All jobs in his line will be executed at short notice and in most approved style. Persons wishing any of the above articles, will do well to call on the subscriber, as he is determined to sell as cheap for most kinds of produce as any one in this country—and for CASH, a good deal cheaper.

W. S. JOHNSON.

NOTICE.

"You promise but never perform, if this you lie, When'er I talk the gallant prodigy." To dig, I am willing, but no longer to beg for my honest dues. Those individuals that have heretofore pursued a course of double dealing, evasion and procrastination, that expect me to sit still longer in statu quo, like patience on a monument, smiling at grief, may find the delusion dispelled by four simple words in our language—GREETING, by the authority of Sec. School District No. 9 in Middlebury, and No. 7 in New Haven, are requested to heed this friendly call, and govern themselves accordingly. Middlebury, Jan. 1st 1844. ELISHA FULLER.

Express from Buffalo.

Just received 1/2 Gross Bristol's Sarsaparilla, by RUSSELL & GRIDLEY. Agents.

Oysters!! Oysters!!!

PRICES REDUCED. By the Gallon, 1.25

Oysters served upon the Table; Prices reduced in proportion, at C. RUSSELL'S Dec. 27th 1843.

Choice Liquors and Wines.

The subscribers offer for sale 2 Pipes Alex. Seignette Brandy, 1 Pipe Champagne Brandy, 2 Bbls American ditto, 2 Pipe best Holland Gin, 2 Barrels American Gin, 2 Bbls St. Croix Rum, 15 Bbls New England Rum, in lots of twenty gallons or more.

The above catalogue of spirits was selected with care by good judges, and will warrant them to be of the very best quality, and wishing to sell the whole stock out immediately. We will sell them at a small advance from cost for cash only.

A large variety of wines from 75 cents to \$3.00 per gallon, of superior quality in quantities to suit customers. BROWN & SHELDON. Middlebury, Dec. 31st 1843.

Winter Arrangements.

The subscribers would respectfully inform the inhabitants of Middlebury and vicinity that they will continue the business of Carding Wool and Dressing cloth during the winter at their stand in Vergennes formerly occupied by E. Sherill Esq. Wool or cloth sent by Stage or otherwise will be promptly executed.

Fancy dyes such as ladies worsted dresses also attended to as usual. JEWETT & BAKER. Vergennes Dec. 26, 1843.

Furs.

CASH Paid for all kinds of Shipping FURS, by C. RUSSELL.

"Clear the Track!" FARWELL'S spring bed slips for sale at the old price of \$1.00; and all other shoes at a reduced price from what they have formerly been sold.

W. S. JOHNSON. December 20, 1843.

BONNETS!

SILK, Cypress, & Willow Bonnets, just received, and for sale by IRIS STEWART. Nov. 27 1843.

MACKEREL Codfish and Table Salt of superior quality, for sale at RUSSELL & GRIDLEYS. Dec. 4, 1843.

PURE Sperm W. S. Lamp Oil warranted to be the very best—also Lined Oil Flanagan's best—for sale at RUSSELL & GRIDLEYS. Confectionaries.

This day rec'd 1000 lbs. Fresh Confectionaries, from the Manufacturer, for sale by CYRUS RUSSELL.

Nova Scotia Plaster.

THE subscriber has now on hand 100 Tons N. S. Plaster in bags, and 10 Tons in bags, all fresh ground, which will be sold for ready pay. W. CHAPMAN Vergennes, Dec. 4, 1843.

IN BANKRUPTCY,

Assignee's Sale. BY order of the United States District Court for the District of Vermont, will be sold at Public Auction at the Vermont Hotel in Middlebury on Tuesday the 20th day of February A. D. 1844 at 10 o'clock in the afternoon for cash all the right, title and interest that Jehiel Smith had in and to about one half acre of land with a house standing thereon situate in the Village of East Randolph being the same premises formerly occupied by the said Smith also a lot of accretions as set forth in his schedule on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court.

Also. Will be sold at or near the Store of Warren Hayden in Granville on Thursday the 22nd day of February A. D. 1844 at ten o'clock in the forenoon all the right, title and interest that Alfred Auld had in and to about one and three fourths acres of land with the buildings thereon standing, also about fifty acres in another lot, also a lot of Notes, Receipts and accounts as set forth in his schedule on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court.

Also. Will be sold at the same time and place all the right, title and interest that Seth Hodges Jr. had in and to New No. 15 in the Union Meeting house in Granville also a lot of Notes, Orders and accounts as set forth in his schedule on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court. HARRY GOODRICH, Assignee. Middlebury, Jan. 31, 1844.

Farm For Sale.

SITUATED in New Haven, on the road leading from East Mills to the centre of the town, said farm containing eighty acres of good land, good house, wood House, Barn, Shed, &c., well watered by never failing Springs and a plenty of Orcharding, woodland &c., for further particulars enquire of the Subscriber on the premises.

The premises are 8 miles from the centre of Middlebury, or village of Vergennes and 3 miles from the flourishing town of Bristol. MARTIN LEWIS. Oct. 25th, 1843.

NAILS and Glass Window Glass—a assortment.—Nails of all sizes by the keg or lb. W. S. JOHNSON.

A First Rate

Assortment of Beaver Cloths, Broad Cloths, Cassimeres, Sattinets, and all kinds of trimmings will be found at A. FRANCIS' Middlebury, Oct. 11, 1843.

LAMP-OIL Winter refined; the best quality and warranted to give perfect satisfaction by A. FRANCIS.

To Merchants.

CANDLE-WICK, and COTTON YARN from No. 5 to 25, and of the best quality or sale by the subscriber. JOSEPH GORDON. Middlebury, Dec. 26, 1843.

NEW GROCERY.

THE subscriber would take this method to inform his old friends and the public generally that he has opened

Grocery Store

in Nichol's Building in the room formerly occupied by T. C. Smith, where he intends to keep constantly on hand almost every article usually called for in his line,—consisting in part of Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Raisins, Cinnamon Cloves, Nutmegs, &c. OYSTERS kept constantly on hand, Wholesale and retail price per Gallon \$1.25 warranted to be solid—and superior to any in market. Call and see! JEHIEL HITCHCOCK. Middlebury Jan. 6 1844.

Goshen Land tax.

Whereas the Legislature of the state of Vermont in the year 1841 assessed a tax of four cents per Acre on all Lands (Public Lands, excepted) in the Town of Goshen, in the County of Addison, in said State for the purpose of making and repairing roads and building Bridges, and an act in amendment thereof, passed November 1842. These are to warn the proprietors and Land Owners of the Town of Goshen who have not paid their proportion of such tax in full or otherwise, to the Committee appointed to superintend the Expediting of the same, or to the subscriber, that as much of their Lands will be sold at Public Vendue at the dwelling house of Wm. Carle Jr. in the Town of Goshen, in the County of Addison on the 12th day of March A. D. 1844, at ten o'clock forenoon as will be requisite to discharge their respective taxes with Costs.

W. M. CHAPMAN, Jr. Collector. Dated at Goshen this 6th day of January A. D. 44.

Turks Island & Coarse Western Salt.

2500 Bushels Solar Salt, 1000 do T. I. do. 100 Bags ground dairy Salt, 250 Small bags ground do. A very superior article for family use. All of which will be sold very low for Cash. W. CHAPMAN. Vergennes, Dec. 4 1843.

Fall Goods.

C BIRGE is again filling his Store with STAPLE and FANCY Dry Goods; and will continue to sell for Cash, most articles as cheap as heretofore, notwithstanding the smallness in Market. September 27, 1843

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THE MIDDLEBURY IRON WORKS.

EDWARD WAINWRIGHT still continues his establishment upon the most extensive scale, and keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of

Stoves

of the best material and finest casting; consisting of Yankee Notion, Yankee Notion improved, and the New Notion, Spaulding's Improvement, Farmer stove, Premium and Albany Premium 5 sizes, and Parlor Cook stove. Also the Double Canada, and single Canada Box stove. Other Box stoves a great variety.

Also STOVE, several sizes. The STANLEY PALE-ROCK STOVE, the latest patent out, and not found at any other place in this region. Also

PLOWS, CALDRON KETTLES—all sizes, Oven Mouths, arch frames, grates, cast sleigh shoes.

HOLLOW, TIN and SHEET IRON WARE—a general assortment, stove pipe, sheet zinc &c. &c. &c. All sorts of JOB WORK done on short notice.