



EBENSBURG, PA.

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THE "SENTINEL" has much the largest circulation of any paper published in this county...

FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. JAMES BUCHANAN, OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Fire. A Saw Mill belonging to Mr. William Bradley, situated in Washington township near Plane No. 4, caught fire on Thursday night last from a log near it which had been set on fire, and was entirely consumed. Loss about \$300. No insurance.

Railroad Accident. The locomotive "United States," while drawing a train of freight cars over the level between Plane No. 4 and 5, on Saturday afternoon, ran off the track and upset, leaving the locomotive on one side and the tender on the other. The engineer and firemen jumped off and were uninjured. A boy, who was on at the time, had his arm slightly bruised. The accident detained the "Jenny Lind" train two hours.

The "Home Journal." This admirable paper, published in New York, justly deserves all the praise that can be bestowed upon it. It is edited by Geo. P. Morris and N. Parker Willis, Esqs., two gentlemen of eminent ability and well known throughout the literary world.

Shocking Death. A child aged about eight months, daughter of Mr. John Farren, contractor on the Central Railroad near Bennington, was burned to death on Thursday evening, 6th inst. The particulars are these. The mother of Mr. Farren was dressing the young child near the stove, when by some accident it fell down upon the child the hot coals falling upon her and causing death almost instantaneously.

Movements of Distinguished Individuals. Hon. Thomas H. Benton, late U. S. Senator, passed over the Portage Railroad on Thursday last, en route for Missouri, where it is said he intends to place himself before the people as a candidate for the next Congress.

Hon. Walter H. Lowrie, of Pittsburg, one of Judges elect to the Supreme Bench of this State, passed through our county on Saturday last, homeward. We saw Col. Painter, Canal Commissioner, at the Summit on Saturday, on his way to Westmoreland county, looking as well as ever.

Bedford Conference. Hon. Philip Noon of Cambria, and James B. Sanson, Esq., of Fulton, were selected on Tuesday last, by the Conferees which met at Bedford on that day, as delegates to the next State Convention, and instructed for Hon. James Buchanan. The selection of Judge Noon from this county is a compliment to a man whose lifetime has been spent in the democratic ranks, whose long residence here has gained for him the confidence and respect of the entire community, and who has for a score of years been the unwavering friend of James Buchanan.

Richard Brodhead. We see, by the "Pennsylvania Statesman," that there is a feeble effort being made to clear this gentleman from the charge of being an "habitual disorganizer," and of using his influence, or rather the influence his position gives him, for the purpose of defeating the democratic candidate for the Legislature at the late election.

The Easton Argus charges Mr. Brodhead directly with defeating Mr. Hutter, and we must acknowledge that if our confidence in the veracity of the Argus was not one half as great as it is, we would doubt Senator Brodhead's orthodoxy from the fact of his being defended only by the Statesman.

The people doubt the political honesty of any man who has to resort to the assistance of the slanderers of Buchanan and Campbell; political degradation will be the inheritance of those who connect themselves with them—and that Mr. Brodhead has done so there cannot be a rational doubt.

Is there an honest democrat who would now exchange the political reputation of Mr. Hutter, the vilified, persecuted, and defeated candidate for the Legislature, for that of Richard Brodhead, the confederate of the slanderers of Buchanan and Campbell, and the prime mover of the organization to defeat Campbell and Hutter?

The following is the article from the Argus—The Pennsylvania Statesman, well known as Gen. CAMERON'S organ in Philadelphia, beside attacking Mr. BUCHANAN and Judge Campbell, undertakes, faintly enough it is true, to defend RICHARD BRODHEAD against the charge of disorganization.

Under the above head the Fulton Democrat of last week has raised the name of Hon. JAMES BUCHANAN, and our esteemed friend SANSON, its editor, in the following able article advances solid reasons why Mr. B. should be the next President of the United States:—

In accordance with the repeatedly expressed opinions of the People of this country, and in accordance with our own feelings and sentiments, we this week place the name of James Buchanan, an at our mast-head, as our choice for President of the United States in 1852. In advocating the claims of Pennsylvania's Favorite Son, we do but justice to a great, national and patriotic Democrat, and to the great, National Democratic party, and its time honored principles.

HARRISBURG, Nov. 14.—The drawing for the term each Judge of the Supreme Court, recently elected, is to fulfil, took place in this city, today. Jeremiah S. Black drew the three year term, and is hence, the Chief Justice for that term. Ellis Lewis drew six years, and will follow Judge Black, as Chief Justice. J. B. Gibson drew nine years. Walter H. Lowrie drew twelve years, and Richard S. Coulter drew the full term of fifteen years.

New and Dangerous Counterfeits. New Counterfeit \$5 notes on the Philadelphia Bank have made their appearance. They are letter "A," variously filled up. The general appearance of the note is good. The medallions and the faces of the females in the vignette are imperfect. Two commas between the names of "Underwood and Bald and Draper & Underwood," are omitted.

New York "Art Union." The November No. of the Bulletin of the above patron of Art is a superior number and entitled to commendation. Every subscriber of \$5 will receive without fail the following fine engravings, all National in their character, a fact that should entitle them to the attention of all lovers of American Art.

Seth Clover. Many of our readers will recollect the inveterate story teller and everlasting talker, Seth Clover, who was through this region last winter, peddling a patent right for pumps. Well that self-same Seth has been elected by a majority of about 10,000 to the most responsible office in the State of Pennsylvania, viz: Canal Commissioner. Folks up in Clarion, his own county, which gave him 1100 majority may think that Seth is a great man, but people down here would not suppose him to be fit for the office.

A Mortifying Fact. The Southern Literary Messenger in an interesting, although melancholy notice of the resting place of the bones of Ex-President Madison, relates the following:—"A correspondent of the Southern Era, a pleasing weekly paper of our city, devoted to the cause of Temperance, describing a visit to Montpelier—the former seat of President Madison—tells that there is not even the rudest headstone to mark the spot where the remains of that illustrious man are deposited.

Came to Mr. Buchanan. We cut the following from the St. Louis Union:— We had a visit yesterday from Dr. Lieb, of Lucas county, Iowa, who is on his way east, and is the bearer of a splendid hickory cane to the Hon. James Buchanan, of Pennsylvania, from the sterling Democracy of that new and growing country.

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From Our Exchanges. The Harredoburg (Ky.) Ploughman says the drought has been so excessive in Grant County, that it has dried up all the cows! At least such was the apology of a tavern-keeper for placing no milk or butter on the table.

WORTHY OF HER FATHER.—Bell's Life in London recently strated that a lady had lost not less than £20,000 (\$100,000), on the Derby races. Limerick Chronicle says the lady is the only daughter of the poet Lord Byron.

There are strange circumstances frequently occurring about election times—and one of the many is the fact that the only Native American in Perry County was refused a vote, because he had not his certificate of naturalization to prove his right to the same. He was born in England.

ARRIVAL OF THE DANIEL WEBSTER. New York, Nov. 16, 11 P. M. The steamship Daniel Webster arrived at half-past 10 o'clock this evening, via San Juan, with California dates to the 15th ult., being eleven days later.

Real Estate was active, and advancing in price. The Alta Californian thinks that the movement of a division of the State will amount to but little.

The project for supplying San Francisco with water seems to be falling through. The steamer Republic, on a voyage from Panama, struck on a rock twenty miles from San Francisco. The water ran in at a rapid rate and extinguished the fires. The passengers were rescued, and finally the steamer was got off badly damaged.

The papers of the 9th are filled with outrages, duels, and murders. There is a strong talk of reviving the Vigilance Committee. Major Reading, the late Whig candidate for Governor, was badly wounded by the accidental discharge of a pistol, while hunting.

The Mormons have purchased the Rancho del Bernardino for \$100,000. They intend to build a large city there to connect with the great Salt Lake city, by railroad, and secure a port in San Diego for their maritime intercourse with the world.

The news from Southern California is of the utmost importance. The papers of that section are coming out strongly for a Convention to divide the State. Santa Barbara is the place fixed for holding the Convention. Various counties are engaged in selecting delegates. An address is to be prepared by the Convention for circulation, and a petition is to be presented to the Legislature at an early day, in favor of a division of the State.

The news from the miners at Carson's Valley is very discouraging. A company of sixty were taking out but two ounces daily. The miners of the Middle Fork were doing extremely well. Several new discoveries of gold have been made at Cold Spring.

Auriferous quartz has been discovered within the city limits of San Francisco. The steamer North America, arrived from Panama in thirteen days, the quickest trip on record.

The rainy season is about commencing. The financial affairs of California are very flattering. FROM OREGON. The advices from Oregon bring the conclusion of important treaties with the Indians.

Valuable gold mines have been discovered in Oregon—also a valuable mine of Anthracite coal in Charles River, four miles from Astoria. Gov. Gaines has left on a visit to San Francisco.

THE SANDWICH ISLANDS. The news from the Sandwich Islands does not possess much interest. Mount Maunaloa, which has been closed for a long time, is now belching forth liquid lava.

The island of Kahoelane was on fire throughout the whole length, for 14 miles—the shrubbery having been accidentally fired by some fishermen. The island is uninhabited, except by a few convicts.

A letter from San Francisco says that the mines are yielding a good return, and the commencement of another year, it is believed, will find our foreign obligations much relieved, and a large proportion of our receipts from the miners will remain invested with us.

The California Courier says that a gentleman called on us yesterday, and exhibited a letter from a friend in the mines, dated Sandy Ber, or Yankee Slide, which gives a glowing account of the mines in that region, and that some \$30,000 per week is taken from the slide, and that it is not uncommon for a claim fifteen feet to yield from \$1000 to \$2500 per day.

Interesting Southern Items. BALTIMORE, Nov. 14.—10 P. M.—The Southern mail to-night brought the back mail due from New Orleans. The ship Francis Eage, arrived at New Orleans, on the 4th, from New York, with 260 U. S. troops.

The Havana correspondent of the New Orleans Picayune says that Mr. Thrasher, the late editor of the Faro Industrial, will undoubtedly be banished for ten years. Some of his friends are afraid that he will be garroted, as the Cubans are afraid of his extensive knowledge of the Island. The letter confirms the report of the arrest of the brother of Mr. Thrasher.