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JOSEPH POGUE.

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The Publishers have just received a fresh supply.

PRINTING OF ALL KINDS DONE WITH NEATNESS AND DISPATCH, AT THE OFFICE OF THE JOURNAL.

New York, Sept. 13.

Pirate Michigan.—We have conversed with a passenger on board of the steam boat from Albany yesterday, who left Niagara Falls on last Saturday evening. He stated that the "condemned vessel" got loose from her moorings a little after the appointed time, and was proceeding favourably until within about a mile of the edge of the fall, when she struck against a rock with great violence, and carried away both of her masts. After this she tossed and rolled about violently in the rapids (one of the larger animals, the buffalo made a complete and safe escape from her), and was finally precipitated over the great fall at the Horseshoe. The sight is stated to have been a very interesting one, and was viewed by an immense number of spectators.

Com. Adv.

## MOURNFUL TRAGEDY.

On the death of John Webb, David Morrow, John Harris, Henry Lewis, David Hunt, and Edward Lindsey; six Militia-men who were condemned to die, the sentence approved by Major Gen. JACKSON, and by his order the whole six shot.

O! did you hear that plaintive cry,  
Borne on the southern breeze?  
Saw you John Harris, earnest pray  
For mercy, on his knees!

Low to the earth he bent, and pray'd  
For pardon from his chief;  
But to his earnest prayer for life  
Jackson, alas! was deaf.

"Spare me"—he said—"I meant no wrong  
"My heart was always true:  
"First for my Country's cause it beat,  
"And next, great Chief, for you.

"We thought our time of service out  
"—Thought it our right to go:  
"We meant to violate no law;  
"—Nor wish'd to shun the foe.

"Our officers declared that we  
"Had but three months to stay;  
"We se ved those three months faithfully,  
"Up to the latest day.

"No one suspects intended wrong;  
"The judgment only erred;  
"In such a case, O noble Chief,  
"Let mercy's voice be heard.

"At home an aged mother waits  
"—To clasp her only son;  
"A wife, and nine small children  
"—This arm depend upon.

"Cut me not off from those dear ties—  
"—Nor send me to my doom,  
"O! 'tis a dreadful thing to die,  
"—And moulder in the tomb!

"Sure mercy is a noble gem  
"—On every Chieftain's brow;  
"More sparkling than a diamond  
"—O! exercise it now—

"'Twas all in vain, John Harris' pray'r,  
"—'Tis past the soul's relief!  
"Hard as the flint was Jackson's heart:  
"—He would not grant relief.

He order'd Harris out to die,  
"—And five poor fellows more!  
"Young gallant men in prime of life  
"—To welter in their gore!!

Methinks I hear the muffled drum,  
"—And see the column move;  
"—Lo! here they come: How sad their looks!  
"—Farewell to life and love!

See six black coffins rang'd along,  
"—Six graves before them made;  
"Webb, Lindsey, Harris, Lewis, Hunt,  
"—And Morrow kneel'd and pray'd.

They kneel'd and pray'd, and thought of home,  
"—And all its dear delights.  
"—The steady tubes are levelled now—  
"—'Tis scene my soul affrights!

Sure he will spare! Sure Jackson yet  
"—Will all relieve but one—  
"O hark! those shrieks! that cry of death!  
"—The dreadful deed is done!

All six militia men were shot;  
"—And O! it seems to me;  
"A dreadful deed—a bloody act  
"—Of needless cruelty.

## MEETING IN WILMINGTON.

At a meeting of the friends of the Administration, held at the house of Joshua Hutton, on Monday the 24th inst. Robert Porter was appointed Chairman and John F. Gilpin Secretary. On motion it was

Resolved, unanimously, that this meeting cordially approve the nomination of K. JOHNS, JR. as a candidate for Congress, made at Dover, on Tuesday the 18th inst. as well as the County ticket agreed upon at Clark's Corner on the 13th inst. and that we will use all fair and honorable means to insure the success of said ticket at the ensuing election.

Resolved, That we approve the nomination at New Castle, of James McCullough, (Farmer) to supply the place of James Booth, resigned, as a candidate for the legislature of this state.

Resolved, That the following persons be appointed a committee of vigilance, and be requested to use all diligence, to induce persons in favor of the administration, to attend at the polls.

James A. Sparks, Jesse Mendenhall, W. A. Mendenhall, B. W. Bracken, Robert Pierson, Samuel McClary, Charles Reynolds, George Reynolds, John M. Smith, W. Gray, John McClear, Enoch Roberts, Samuel S. Grubb, Edward Grubb, William Warner, John Warner, R. Porter, P. B. Porter, Dr. John Johnson, James Wilson, Albert Wilson, Henry Wilson, James P. Merrihew, Stephen Merrihew, Joshua Hutton, John Ferris, Jr. James Plumly, James Johnson, Peter Gaskill, Samuel Withaston, Washington Rice, W. P. Brobson, John Wales, Nathaniel Beckley, Samuel Bayers, W. P. Richards, Jesse Richards, Samuel Buzby, William Bassett, Ziba Ferris, Stephen Bonsall, Edward T. Bailly, John Haganry, Jos. Hagany, B. Ferris, James Sorden, Edward Inskip, Samuel Stroud, Jr. Joshua Stroud, John Rumford, Lewis Rumford, James Canby, John Sellmeyer, Joseph Bailly, Jonathan Byrnes, Jonathan Byrnes, Jr. Caleb Starr, Edward Worrell, Jonathan Pierson, Geo. Simmons, Joshua Simmons, Huston Swayne, James Murdock, Samuel S. Poole, Wm. S. Poole, John H. Price, Edmund Canby, Dr. William Baker, Daniel Simmons, John White, Nicholas R. White, W. White, Benjamin Webb, Dr. G. Jaques, Charles Denny, Jared Chesnut, W. G. Jones, Philip Jones, Joseph C. Gilpin, Vincent Gilpin, John F. Gilpin, Richard Gilpin, Edward W. Gilpin, William Gilpin, Josiah H. Gilpin, John Hiron, J. E. B. Vaughan, Joseph Patton, James Rice, David Smyth, Chaakley Sommers, W. McNeal, John Rice, Wm. Rice, William Kennard, Joseph Pogue, T. Warrington, T. Warrington, Jr. Joseph Carpenter, Isaac

Spear, John Colesberry, George Winslow, Joshua Harlan, Wesley Bailly, David Kirkpatrick, John Taylor, Joseph Norman, Hance Naff, W. H. Naff, H. H. Naff, Samuel Ford, Elisha Huxley, James C. Allen, John Hindman, John Starr, Jacob Starr, W. Hollowell, Edward Kennard, Benjamin Thomas, Robert Ritchie, Hamilton Walker, Owen McWade, Charles T. Stockly, Dr. Thomas Brinckle, John D. Brinckle, Jesse Betts, Isaac Bonsall, Henry Alrichs, Mahlon Betts, W. Megear, Robert Scott, Miller Dunott, John Adams, Robert Keddy, Wm. Marshall, Stephen Boddy, Ezra Hoopes, Andrew Alston, James M. Roche, Thomas Garrett, Joseph Hartley, James Brown, Wm. Woodcock, Marcus E. Capelle, W. C. Dorsey, Dr. J. Thomas, Thomas Moore, Thomas M'Korkle, Wm. Wilson, Frederick Leonard, Vincent Robinson, John Stapler, T. McDowell, S. Gafford, Hugh McDevitt, Samuel Robinson, Albert Robinson, Peter Humphries, James Webb, John Pierson, Joseph Pierson, Wilson Pierson, Henry Witsell, Jacob Pierson, Jacob Harman, Carney Clark, Charles Bush, Abraham Ritchie, James Smith, Erby Pierce, George Witsell, David Harbin, son, Henry Hayes, John Solomon, James Lane, James Watson, James Logan, Andrew Thomson, Allan Mills, William Sherer, John Coleman, William Robinson, David Register, Jesse Rogers, Benjamin Chandler, James Stilly, Samuel Rudolph, Benjamin Freddi, John Craig, Samuel Grisco, William Bane, Thomas Mahaffey, John Gaskill, John Derickson, Jacob Higgins, John Hemphill, George Young, James Bringham, Wm. Countiss, Benjamin Ford, Dell Noblitt, Archibald Robertson, William Clarke, Uriah Poinsett, Thomas Crozier, Eli Crozier, Joshua H. Irons, Robert Shipley, Thomas Shipley, Henry Gibbons, Isaac Shallock, Thomas C. Alrichs, John Scott, Simon Robinson, Thomas Kellam, Samuel Richardson, Daniel Dungee, George Jones, Joseph Patton.

Resolved, That the Committee of Vigilance meet at this place on Monday evening next at 7 o'clock, (the evening previous to the election), to make such preparatory arrangements as they may think necessary—

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be signed by the chairman and secretary, and published in the American Watchman, Delaware Journal, and the Delaware Weekly Advertiser.

ROBERT PORTER, Chairman.  
JOHN F. GILPIN, Sec'y.

## APPOQUINIMINK HUNDRED.

At a large and respectable meeting of the friends of the present Administration of the General Government held at Blackbird, on Thursday 20th of September, major WILLIAM ROTHWELL was called to the chair, and BENJAMIN CAULK appointed Secretary.

The proceedings of the meeting at Clark's corner being read, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That in the opinion of this meeting, the Administration of the General Government is perfectly clear of all the charges of bargain and corruption which the leaders of the Opposition have endeavored to fix upon it.

Resolved, that we highly approve of the nomination made by the Confereez at Dover, and that we will use all honorable means to insure the election of KENSEY JOHNS, JR. Esq. the Congressional Candidate nominated.

Resolved, that we approve of the proceedings of the meeting at Clark's corner, and that we will give our firm and undivided support to the county ticket there formed.

Resolved, that a committee of vigilance be appointed by the chairman and they are requested to use all honorable means best calculated to support the present Administration.

Resolved, that the proceedings of this meeting be published in the papers in this county friendly to the present Administration of the General Government.

W. ROTHWELL, Chairman.  
BENJAMIN CAULK, Sec'y.

## BRANDYWINE.

At a meeting of the friends of the Administration in Brandywine Hundred, at the Blue Ball Inn, on Saturday, the 22nd September, 1827, pursuant to the public notice, COLONEL THOMAS ROBINSON was called to the chair, and William McCaulley appointed secretary, when the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we approve of the nomination of KENSEY JOHNS, Junr. Esq. for Representative to Congress: That we will render him our united and cordial support and that we recommend him to the friends of order and good government as a citizen worthy of their support and confidence.

Resolved, That we approve of the County Ticket formed by the Administration meeting (at Clark's Corner) and that we will use all fair and honorable means to promote its success.

Resolved, That the following persons be a committee of vigilance to watch over the interests of the constitution and the people for this Hundred—to wit: Colonel Thomas Robinson, William Long, John B. Bains, Gunning Bedford, William Houlston, Thomas Can, Samuel Galbreath, William McCaulley, Charles I Dupont, John Bird, John Forward, Jos. T. Price, John Harris, Jos. W. Day, Caleb Perkins, William Lea, Harry Williamson, Joseph Perkins, Joseph Hibbert, Jesse Kendall, Andrew Fountain, William W. Young, Joseph S. Dixon, Joseph Carver, Joseph Carr, Wm. Hemphill, Jr. Holbert Weldin, Curtis Mousley, Irving Smith, Empson Bird, Wm. Murphy, Wm. Bird, George Cartmell, L. Sacrieste, Ainer Chandler, Parker

Askew, Charles Braden, Jacob Welden, James Todd, Robert Forwood, Wm. R. Forwood John Barnes, John Hallman, Charles Forwood Nathaniel Squibb, John Zehley, William Rorell, Thomas Beeson, Jr. Zackariah Rorell, Jr. and Joshua Doughton.

Resolved, That the following persons be a committee to give information that a meeting of the friends of the Administration will be held at Galbreath's Inn (Blue Ball) Brandywine Hundred on Wednesday the 26th inst at 3 o'clock, to transact business preparatory to the general election.

Viz: Robert Galbreath, Gunning Bedford, Wm. Houlston and Thomas Carr.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be published in the newspapers in Wilmington favourable to the present Administration.

THOMAS ROBINSON, Chairman.  
Attest Wm. McCaulley, Sec'y.

## ADMINISTRATION MEETING.

At a meeting of the citizens of St. George's Hundred held at Middletown, agreeably to public notice, friendly to the Administration of the General Government, Doctor J. D. WAIT was called to the Chair, and John Edowes, appointed Secretary.

Resolved, That the Chairman appoint a committee of five to nominate a committee of vigilance.

Resolved, That the following persons be appointed accordingly.

The above committee reported the following gentlemen, viz:

Committee of Vigilance.—James James, James McCracken, John Pempelman, James Burnham, Andrew Bidde, John L. Clayton, James Clayton James T. Burd, Isaac Clement, James Mansfield, Wm. Streets, Benjamin Merritt, John Edowes, Thomas Harvey, Andrew Gierston, Joseph Cleave, Sins Carpenter, A. Dent, Jr. A. H. Pennington, Samuel Higgins, Jacob Vandergrift, Jr. John Boyd, Jr. Daniel Corbett, William Polk, John M. Woods, William Ballant and John Ginn.

## NEW CASTLE HUNDRED.

At a meeting of the Friends of the Administration of the General Government in New Castle Hundred, convened at the Green Tree Inn, on Monday Sept. 24, A. D. 1827. On motion JOHN MOODY, Esq. was called to the chair and Evan H. Thomas appointed Secretary.

The object of the meeting having been stated by the Chairman, it was on motion

Resolved, That a Committee of five persons be appointed by the Chairman to retire and report to this meeting, the name of a suitable person to supply the vacancy in the County Ticket occasioned by James Booth, Jr. Esq. having declined. The committee, viz. Evan H. Thomas, Cornelius D. Blaney, Robert Rhodes, Thomas Stockton, and Thomas Speakman, having retired, returned and reported to the meeting the name of James McCullough, Farmer. Whereupon it was on motion unanimously

Resolved, That the vacancy in the County Ticket, be filled with the name of James McCullough Farmer, and he is hereby recommended to the non zealous, and undivided support of the Friends of the Administration of the General Government in New Castle County at the ensuing General Election.

The following persons were appointed a Committee of Vigilance for New Castle Hundred, who will use all fair and honorable means to promote the success of the Administration Ticket at the ensuing Election, viz. Peter S. Alrichs, Joseph Hamilton, Thomas Speakman, William Booth, Thomas Clark, Giles Lamson, John M'Crone, Jr. Abraham Eves, William B. M'Crone, George M'Crone, John Platt, Major Peter Jaquet, Thomas Booth, John Allen, Joseph Spencer, Andrew Barnaby, Robert Rhodes, Abraham C. Short, Eli Foster, Joseph Lintle, Clement Layton, Birdsell Fowler, Washington E. Moore, George Reynolds, James Wilson, William Silvers, esq. Abel Seyvil, Hugh Gemmill, William G. Cault, Thomas Jaquet, Daniel Read, James Rezo, Charles H. Van Dyke, Cornelius D. Blaney, esq. William B. Janvier, William R. Magens, John Wiley, esq. Joseph Sawyer, Wm. Guthrie, Samuel M. Couper, John Moody, esq. Lewis Curlett, Joseph Caldwell, Gunning B. Riddle, and Jess Turner.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting, be published in the papers of this state friendly to the Administration of the General Government, and in handbills.

JOHN MOODY, Chairman.  
Attest, EVAN H. THOMAS, Sec'y.

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Awful Calamity.—Three men, a father and two sons, named Saul, were killed on the 5th instant, near Columbus, in Ohio, in attempting to descend into a well, filled with fire damp. The particulars, as they have been related to us, were as follow: They had been engaged in digging the well, and had descended twenty feet. It was observed, the night before, that, on coming out, the workmen appeared unusually pale. On returning to the work yesterday morning, a brother in-law of the young Sauls, first attempted to descend, but experienced so much distress before he reached the bottom, that he requested to be drawn up. One of the young men then got into the bucket, and was let down about half when he fell to the bottom of the well. His brother immediately attempted to descend to his relief, but likewise fell before reaching the bottom. The father then, contrary to the remonstrance of those about him, insisted on being let down; he had descended about half way, when he called out to be drawn up again, but before he reached the top, he also pitched out and fell dead—upon his dead sons. Means were immediately taken to recover the dead bodies, and attempts were made to resuscitate them, but vitality was wholly extinct.

West Statesman.