

PALLADIUM.

Saturday Morning, March 8.

We are requested to say that a meeting will be held this evening at Mr. Hunt's, on the subject of the rail road. A general attendance is solicited.

The Legislature of Kentucky adjourned for the session on the 24th ult; that of Ohio, on the 3d inst.

Deaths.—The Frankfort Ky. Argus, of the 26th ult. confirms the report of the demise of *Governor Breathitt*. He died at that place on the 21st ult.

The Washington City papers announce the death of *William Wirt*, a very distinguished lawyer, and attorney general of the United States. He died at that City on the 19th ult.

Congress, as a testimony of their high regard for the deceased, adjourned to attend the funeral cere-monies.

RAIL ROAD.

At a recent meeting of the Directors of the Lawrenceburg and Indianapolis Rail Road Company, we are informed that Resolutions were adopted pledging the Company not to call for payments on Stock to a greater amount than \$5 per share in any 6 months. And that the work should be commenced in each county at the same time, and the Stock subscribed therein, devoted in the first place to con-structing the road through such county, so far as might be found practicable and expedient.

This decision was made, we understand, under the impression that a very large number of the sub-scribers on the line, are desirous of becoming contractors, and will in a very short time pay up their whole Stock, if the work is going on in their neighbor-hood, simultaneously with the calls made upon them for payments; and the directors are confident that, in this way, the whole work will be done much sooner than in any other.

The information before the board showed, that over 450 shares had been taken in Shelby county, 300 in Decatur county, and between 2 and 300 in this county—making in all about 1000 shares; three-fourths of which have been subscribed for in the 3 past weeks. We are assured that the sub-scription in Shelby and Decatur will not stop short of 800.

If the counties of Dearborn and Marion will do their duty, we may consider the work as ensured; and as no counties are so deeply interested, or more liable, we cannot entertain a doubt of success.

The Directors will meet at this place on the 4th Monday of this month, when a report will be received from a committee, which in the intermediate time will visit the Lexington Road and collect infor-mation. This meeting will be a highly important one & if the subscriptions in this county should come in handsomely, by that time, decisive measures may be taken by the board, and much be yet done the present season.

The Shelbyville Republican, of the 1st inst. gives a list of 149 subscribers to the Capital Stock of the Lawrenceburg and Indianapolis Rail Road Company. The number of shares taken in Shelby county alone is stated at 465; which, at \$5 each, amounts to \$23,400. The list is increasing, and the most de-termined spirit seems to prevail in that quarter, to leave nothing undone, which may be necessary, on their part, to ensure the early and most energetic prosecution of the work. The same feeling, we are pleased to learn, prevails in Decatur county. The farmers and business men, in both town and country, are going in liberally for stock. In a few days, near 300 shares were taken at Greencastle, and a number more at other places in the county. The following is a list of subscribers, and the number of shares taken at Greencastle, at our latest in-formation.

Shares.	Shares.
Tho's Hendricks	20 Alex'r Hazelrigg
Zebina Wariner	4 Jos C Graves
James Freeman	10 J. T. Kirley
Sam'l Bryan	5 Jno Lusk
Isaac Plough	5 Sam'l Shepherd
H H Talbott	5 Martin Johnson sr.
Jno Mars	4 Ezra Lathrop jr
Wm B Ewing	5 Wm Fowler
Benj'n Randal	1 Wm Menefield
Wm E Patter	4 Cyrus Henry
Jno Hazelrigg	4 E Mitchel
Wm Hillis	2 David Montague
Bailes Coates	4 James Sanders
Sam'l L Anderson	4 Jno Gayleby
James Hamilton	8 Ezra Lathrop sr
Wm W Bush	1 And'w Cox
Rob'r Ross	1 Jacob Smith
W Hudson	1 R M Hamilton
Wn Cole	2 James Morgan
B S McCoy	2 Jno Thompson
David Marsh	1 Sol Turpin
Enoch James	2 N Gerrard
Wm Meredeth	2 James O Laughlin
Rob'r McCoy	2 Sam'l Logan
Tho's Chin	2 G W Kercharile
Dan'l Cole	2 J Robinson jr
Thomas Hamilton	2 Cyrus Hamilton
Tho's Donnell	2 Rob'r Hamilton
Joseph English	1 David Gayleby
Milton Sloan	1 J F Rossel
Jno F Shannon	2 Wm Ford
Wm Uttinger	2 J Griffin
Wm Hoofman	4 Jno Raines
G S Myer	4 A Collins
J Jacobs	1 B Boyer
Wm McCoy	1 Jno Boldery
Jacob Huffman	2 J Linginfelter
Jno Brooks	1 W' P Pearce
J P Paul	5 W Paul
Wm Anderson	5 H Berry

Whole number of shares subscribed 297.

We meet with the following editorial article in a late No. of the Indiana Sentinel, published by Mr. Hall:

Exactly Right.—DAVID V. CULLEY, who was nominated by the office-holders of Indiana, to be run at the next August Election, for Lieutenant Governor, on their ticket, has lately withdrawn his name from the "Palladium," as a candidate for that office. Has he is in truth declined standing a poll or has he just got ashamed of the name?"

A little too scattering, friend Hull, you have missed the mark, by a "smart chance." We pretend to know something about Mr. Culley's feelings and views, and can therefore venture to say he does not belong to that family, or school of politicians, that believes it better to *surrender*, than risk the results of a contest.

Notwithstanding the ticket formed by the conven-tion, has not appeared in the Palladium for a few Nos. past, Mr. C. would not have Mr. H. believe it was omitted for the reasons *guessed* above. On the contrary, he would advise the editor of the Sentinel, that although he never *solicited* the honor conferred on him by the convention, he considers it as a most respectful expression of the kind feelings of that body, and one of which he will ever feel proud. Of course the editor of the Sentinel and Mr. C. differ in their estimate of the convention. The first would make it a body composed of office holders,

acting together for some political purpose; while the latter would say it contained a less number of that class, than any political assemblage of like size, ever held in the State; and was indeed in fact a meeting of the people—a parade of the rank and file, con-sulting their own views and interests.

But to relieve the Sentinel editor from further difficulty, we insert the ticket for Governor and Lieutenant Governor in another column, and here-after shall be careful to have it appear every week.

The following letter from Mr. READ was received by yesterday morning's mail, which completely re-futes the misrepresentation of an anonymous writer at Logansport, relative to his opposition to the Wabash and Erie canal. We shall endeavor to lay before our readers extracts from his remarks in the House of Representatives, on this subject, in our next. We would caution our Wabash friends to beware of misrepresentation.—*Indiana Democrat*.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Feb. 21st, 1834.

GENTLEMEN—I observed in the Canal Telegraph of the 15th inst. an article signed L. which is a base misrepresentation of my feelings relative, to the Wabash country and the Wabash and Erie Canal. It is well known to all that know me, that I am a warm friend of the Wabash country as well as the canal, and should I be elevated to the office of Governor, or remain a private citizen, it will be my ardent desire to see the canal completed. I was in the Legislature during the struggle for the donation, and also when the canal bill finally passed, and the Journals will show throughout the whole vote on the question, that it received my zealous support. All the property I own is on the Wabash where I resided near 20 years.

I am respectfully.

N. BOLTON & CO. J. G. READ.

QUICK BUSINESS.—Mr. Samuel Peterson, a clever good natured, widowed Dutchman, aged 70 from New Jersey, came in town day before yes-terday, for the purpose of procuring a housekeeper. He applied to the Intelligence Office in Chamber st. and was shown a tidy looking widow lady, aged about fifty nine.—The old man was very much pleased, paid his "Intelligence fee," and conducted his house-keeper to the "Rail Road House," from whence he intended to embark for New Jersey; they were shown into a room at the inn, where the old gentleman cal-ling for a pipe of tobacco, seated himself on a sofa, and began to cast "sheep's eyes" at the lady, who had taken her position on a chair nearly opposite to him. After remaining in a "silent mood" for some ten or fifteen minutes, the old man carelessly remarked—"Val den I think dis plan of housekeeping is not a good plan." "I too," said the lady. "I think it doth give people a great chance to tell bad stories," continued the old man, knocking the ashes from his pipe, "I too," replied the "housekeeper." "I had much rather be married," said the old man, striking the pipe across the arm of the sofa with a force which sent the bowl and a part of the stem to the other side of the room. "I too," returned the lady. We did not learn the rest of the conversation but about sundown the old gentleman sent us the following:

MARRIED.—On the 16th, by the Rev. Mr. John Power, Mr. Samuel Peterson, of Kingston, N. J., to Mrs. Sophia Griffin of this city.—N. Y. Sun.

The following, from the Methuen (Mass.) Iris, contains too much witt to be lost.

Thanks to St. Patrick, said an Irishman the other day, there is now an excuse for every thing. I being out of cash is still owing to the removal of the deposits. He could get no money to buy cattle, and if he could the cattle all had the black tongue, and the whole owing to the removal of the deposits. And oh, faith, my wife fell down and broke her leg the other day, and I got drunk on the occasion, and then was hauled up before a magistrate. There I found every thing was going against me, till, as good luck would have it, the very thing itself popped into my head, and so I made up a long face, and says I, may it please your honor, all this business comes from the removal of the despo-sites, it is all owing to that. "Ah," said the magis-trate, and he was a good man, for I see his coun-tenance altered in a moment, "have you been op-pressed too by the removal of the deposits? well, well, that alters the case—poor man, that rash mea-sure has ruined almost all of us—you are discharg-ed." "Faith, said I, "thanks to your worship, and God bless the man who removed the deposits, so that every body might find something to lay the blame to."

APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT.

By and with the advice and consent of the Senate.

WILLIAM NOLAN to be commissioner of Public buildings to the city of Washington, in the place of Joseph Elgar, removed.

GEORGE HUYLER to be Consul for the port of Nas-sau, in the Island of New Providence, in the place of John Scott resigned.

NICHOLAS P. TRIST to be Consul for the port of Havana, in the Island of Cuba, in the place of William Shaler deceased.

MAXIMO DE AQUIRRE to be Consul for the port of Bilbao, in Spain in the place of F. Xavier de Ealo, re-signed.

JOSHUA DODGE to be Consul for the port of Bremen, in the place of Nathaniel Pearce, removed.

DANIEL BRENT to be Consul for Paris in France in the place of Isaac C. Barnett, deceased.

CHARLES J. HAMERO to be Consul for Copenhagen, in the Kingdom of Denmark, in the place of John Raynolds deceased.

ROBERT GRIEVE to be Consul for the port of Leith, in Scotland in the place of Joel Hart.

JOHN MORROW to be Consul for the port of Halifax, in the province of Nova Scotia.

JOSEPH BAILESTIER to be Consul for the port of Rio, in the Island of Bintang in the Malayan sea.

THOMAS H. BARKER to be Consul for the port of Elsinore, in the Kingdom of Denmark.

W. M. Haxton to be Consul for the port of Bar-thurst, in the Island of St. Mary's in the river Gan-bury.

A quarency.—The New York Courier & Enq. and the New York Star are at issue upon a singular subject. The first calls upon Mr. Van Buren to separate himself from the President, who is alleged to be a tyrant and give his support to a recharter of the Bank, saying that the country looks to him, to save it from ruin, and assuring him in case he does so, of his election to the presidency; while the Star contends that the President's opposition to the Bank is altogether the result of Mr. Van Buren's influence; and that it is only necessary for the President to separate himself from the Vice President and all would be well. Can Mr. Biddle do nothing to settle the difficulty between them? It is a bad busi-ness for his halter-presses to differ upon a subject so important.

Balt. Rep.

The person who altered a check on the Bank of Virginia from \$96 to \$9,600, and obtained the mo-ney for it, was lately apprehended at Easton, Pa. He passed through this city, as we learn, on Saturday, in custody of a police officer of Washington. When arrested at Easton, the culprit confessed being the author of the forged check on the Western Bank of Philadelphia, by which 7000 were obtained.

Balt. Patriot.

The Austrian frigates appointed to bring out the Polish emigrants to this country, sailed from Trieste about the first of December, for New York, by way of Gibraltar.

Information has also been recently received of the Dantzig for this country, of three ships, containing about 600 of these unfortunate people, from Prussia. It is not known whether any provision has been made by the Prussian Government for their temporary support after their disembarkment, as has been done in the case of those from Austria, nor is it ascertained which of our ports these vessels will enter; but it is understood that directions have been given to the masters not to land all their passengers at the same place.

Globe.

ST. LOUIS CITY, Feb. 15, 1834.

Escape of the Counterfeiter!—The persons under the arrest on charge of making and passing counterfeit money, made their escape from this city on yes-terday, (Friday) morning. They made a hole through the wall with instruments which appear to have been made expressly for this purpose. It is supposed they crossed the river, as several persons are known to have passed over above the city just before day-break on yesterday morning. We hope that a vigilant look out for them will be kept in that and other directions.

[Times.]

Since Saturday morning last, we have been fa-vored with beautiful weather: the sun shines warm and clear, and every thing has been resuscitated; men and their affairs wear an entirely different aspect, business has recommenced, and will, it is hoped, find its former channel, and as far as the pressure of the times, will permit, things will again be set to rights. We report former remarks in re-lation to the Money Market, cash is scarce and operations cramped. Yesterday the U. S. Branch Bank in this city discontinued buying exchange on Eng-land at any rate. The Mississippi rises slowly, and was yesterday about 32 feet below high water mark.—*Ley's N. O. Price Current Feb. 8.*

WAR DEPARTMENT.

JANUARY 28, 1834.

SIR: Your letter of the 15th inst. enclosing a memorial from the Legislature of the state of Indiana to the President, concerning the extinguishing of the Miami title to lands in that state, has been referred to this Department.

In answer, I beg leave to inform you that the subject shall receive the most respectful considera-tion. I appreciate its importance to the state, and the suggestions of the Legislature shall be kept in mind when the matter is definitely acted on.

Very respectfully,

Your most obedient servant,

LEWIS CASS.

His Excellency, N. NOBLE,
Governor of Indiana,
Indianapolis Ind.

Remedy for Ringworm.—A correspondent in the American Farmer, writes as follows: "After I had the tetter nearly twenty years on my hand, and had used dollars' worth of tetter ointment, which took off the skin repeatedly without a cure, a friend advised me to obtain some Bloodroot, (called also Red root, Indian plant, &c.) to slice it in vinegar, and afterwards wash the part affected with the li-quid. I did so, and a few days the dry scurf was removed, and my diseased hand was as whole as the other."

The following gentlemen (says the Indiana Jour-nal of the 1st inst.) are candidates, and we presume they will be the only candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor at the August election viz:

For Governor—NOAH NOBLE and JAMES G. READ.

For Lieutenant Governor—DAVID WAL-LACE and DAVID V. CULLEY.

Proposals.—The Bank prescess are proposing that the merchants shall refuse to pay their bonds for duties.—Suppose they refuse also to pay their notes to the Bank. King Nicholas, who sits in the Bank "calm as a summer's morning," might then, perhaps, turn back the screw.

Balt. Rep.

A heavy arrival.—We understand that Mr. W. B. Pritchard unquestionably the largest man in America, and who weighs we believe between 5 and 6 hundred pounds, is now at Nible's Hotel, 112 Broadway.—*N. Y. Courier.*

OBITUARY.

Died, about meridian, yesterday (19th Feb.) in this city (Washington) WILLIAM WIRT, aged about sixty four years.

In one among the most tender, devoted, and enlightened of husbands and fathers

National Intelligencer.

GOVERNOR BREATHITT died at Frankfort on the 21st, and was buried on the following day, with every demonstration of respect for his personal and official character. Lieutenant Governor Morehead will be the acting Governor until the expiration of the term for which Gov. Breathitt was elected.

On Saturday, Mr. Guthrie was elected Speaker of the Senate in the room of Lieut. Gov. Morehead. *Louisville Herald, Feb. 24.*

August Election—1834.

FOR GOVERNOR,

JAMES G. READ, NOAH NOBLE.

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR,

DAVID WALLACE, DAVID V. CULLEY.

FOR STATE BANK,

OF Indiana, Indianapolis.