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FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1866.

The Execution of Probst.

ANTON PROBST, the murderer of the DEERING family, was executed to day, at thirteen minutes before eleven o'clock.

This case is, in many respects, one of the most remarkable in the history of crime. A very full and interesting account of the execution will be found on the first and eighth pages of this paper.

Missouri and the Pro-Slavery Democracy. Our Democratic contemporary has made another of its Rip Van Winkle discoveries. It has just found out that there is a "radical party" in Missouri, which has not been altogether idle during the last two or three years.

Item First. Beating the Democrats in electing members of a Constitutional Convention, "at a period most inopportune for the inauguration of any material change in the organic law of the State"—said "period" being "inopportune" on account of the absence of large numbers of good sound Democrats in Paris and other Rebel armies, and of still others serving the same cause in the honorable capacity of bushwhackers and guerillas.

Item Second. Said Constitutional Convention removed large numbers of Democrats from office, and left their places to be filled by good sound Union men. Said that, this, no doubt, for the fellows who were ousted, but a very good thing for the State. The Union men of Missouri acted similarly on several occasions during the war.

Item Third. When some of these anti-slavery officers attempted to usurp unlawful authority, and to set themselves up in opposition to the sovereign power of the people, the radical Governor, Colonel FLETCHER, clipped the incumbent's rebellion in the "bad" and executed the law. This our contemporary calls "being liberally torn from the bench."

Item Fourth. The radicals who had elected the Convention were next guilty of voting to ratify the Constitution which the Convention had framed. Certainly, this is just what they did. The Convention had adopted a Constitution which made Missouri a free State, which declared her forever one of the United States of America, which bound her citizens to yield paramount allegiance to the Government of the Union, and to resist all efforts for its dissolution, which disfranchised all Rebels, bushwhackers, etc., and which contained more liberal and progressive features than are to be found in the Constitution of almost any other State in the Union.

Item Fifth. The oath of purification. This is decidedly of the ironical order, we admit. The people of Missouri suffered too much from the Rebellion to tamper with its authors or abettors. They went on the principle that loyal men, and they alone, constitute the State. But our contemporary, by the usual cheap and characteristic Democratic device of garbling, attempts to draw a very moving and mournful, as well as false picture of the effects of this oath. It says:—

The form of the oath is too lengthy to be given in full, but here is a specimen clause:—"Or any other to us indicating his assent to the Government of the United States in its contest with rebellion, or his sympathy with those engaged in such rebellion."

The people of Missouri were quite the fashion with the Democrats in Missouri when the Constitution was under discussion. Their sons were so universally either in the Rebel army or in the bush as "bushwhackers," that this idea seemed to occur to them almost instinctively. The oath, however, did not have this extent, nor did they really believe it to have it, as they demonstrated by taking it and voting. Either the Democrats did not believe the oath to have such a scope as this, or else they committed willful and corrupt perjury in taking it.

his disaffection to the Government of the United States in its contest with rebellion, or his sympathy with those engaged in such rebellion." This latter clause was intended to cover the case of a numerous class of persons in the State, who, to avoid service in the militia, had enrolled themselves, or allowed themselves to be enrolled, as disloyal or Southern sympathizers.

The truth is, the contest in Missouri is simply one of the old pro-slavery, Rebel-sympathizing Democratic party, reinforced by returned Rebel soldiers and a handful of apostates from the Union cause, to wrench power from the hands of the loyal people and renege themselves in office.

The radicals have given Missouri a proud position in the Union. She is attracting an unequalled immigration of valuable citizens from the other States. We believe nine-tenths of them will not act with the radicals, and that the State will be kept steady and firm in her onward and upward course.

Jefferson and the Truths of the Declaration of Independence.

The political dealers in cheap fallacies fancy that they have completely overturned the doctrines of the Declaration of Independence in favor of the equal right of all men to "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness," when they tell us that Thomas Jefferson, the author of the Declaration, was a slaveholder, and continued so until the hour of his death. But what has that to do with the question? Cannot a man declare a truth which he himself does not fully live up to? Jefferson declared certain "self-evident" truths. Whether he conformed his own practice in all respects to these truths is not of the slightest possible moment.

If Jefferson was inconsistent in not freeing his slaves, what of it? He was but a man, and not a perfect one by any means. The political truth that "all men are created equal" no more depends upon the authority or practice of Thomas Jefferson, than does the mathematical truth that things equal to the same thing are equal to each other. Both are self-evident. All men see and acknowledge this to be so; unless, indeed, we except certain Democratic politicians, whose minds are as besotted by devotion to slavery that they cannot comprehend truth at all.

If a pro-slavery Democrat could rise to the contemplation or comprehension of truth as truth, he would never think of propounding such a cheap and miserable fallacy as this in regard to the Declaration of Independence and Jefferson. We may, however, appeal to a range of faculties which he does possess, and tell him that the only safeguard of principle he has for any of his own rights, is to be found in those great fundamental truths of equal rights which lie at the basis of our republican institutions. If he discards these, let him never expect "justice," or mention his "right" to anything.

Democratic Devotion to Free Speech, a Free Press, &c.

The Democrats declare that they have a "prejudice in favor of free speech and a free press, and immunity from arbitrary arrest, the writ of habeas corpus, trial by jury," etc. Certainly, so long as Democrats are concerned, but how about free speech and a free press at the South? The devotion of Democrats to free speech and a free press, there, has had the singular faculty of manifesting itself generally in the shape of revolvers, and bowie-knives, and mobs. How about free speech and a free press, when the Democrats murdered Lovejoy and threw his press in the Mississippi river? How about it, when the Democrats repeatedly mobbed Dr. BAILEY and destroyed his printing offices? How about it, when the Democrats mobbed CASPER M. CLAY and broke up his paper? "Free press and free speech" with a vengeance! For the last thirty years the Democratic party has been a party of mob violence in half the States of the Union, to put down free speech and a free press. Such things were utterly unknown in the South, until after the Democratic party had got up the Rebellion and had been crushed into sullen submission by the loyal men of the North.

The Democrats have shown great devotion towards a free press and free speech, habeas corpus, etc., in regard to just one class of men, viz., the Rebels and their Northern allies, who were trying to overthrow the Government of the United States. Their "prejudice" in favor of these things has merely this extent—"only this, and nothing more."

TYPOGRAPHICAL.—The National Typographical Union commenced its fourteenth annual session on Monday, June 4, at Chicago, Illinois. The attendance of delegates is large, twenty-two States being represented. The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:—President, John H. Oberdy, of Canaan, Ill.; 1st Vice President, James Risk, of Mobile, Ala.; 2d Vice President, J. E. Davis, of New York; Secretary and Treasurer, Alexander Truop, of Boston, Mass.; Corresponding Secretary, J. M. Devine, of Savannah, Ga.

Advertisement for clothing and fabrics, listing various items like 'WANAMAKER & BROWN', 'HANSOME CLOTHING', and 'LOWEST PRICES'.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE

OFFICE OF THE EVENING TELEGRAPH, Friday, June 8, 1866.

The Stock Market opened very dull and unsettled this morning, owing to the rapid decline in gold. In Government bonds there is very little doing; 5-20s sold at 102½; and 10-40s at 90; 109½ was bid for 6½ of 1881; and 102½ for 730s.

State and City loans are in fair demand. Pennsylvania 5s sold at 91½; New City 6s at 96; and old do. at 92.

Railroad shares are the most active on the list. Camden and Amboy sold at 123; no change; Pennsylvania Railroad at 54½; 55, a slight advance; Northern Central at 43½; and Reading at 54½; 55-100, a slight decline, 39 was bid for Little Schuylkill; 65 for Norristown; 34½ for North Pennsylvania; 42 for Lehigh Valley; 30 for Elmira common; 63 for preferred do.; 26 for Philadelphia and Erie; and 43 for Northern Central.

In City Passenger Railroad shares there is more doing. Hestonville sold at 19, a decline of 1 on the closing price last evening; Girard College at 27, and Ridge Avenue at 13, an advance of 1.

Bank shares are unchanged. Commercial sold at 63; 150 was bid for First National; 141 for Philadelphia; 123 for Farmers' and Mechanics; 30 for Mechanics; 62 for Girard; 89 for Western; 30½ for Manufacturers' and Mechanics; 63 for City, at 63 for Corn Exchange.

Consolidated continue dull. Schoeykill Navigation preferred sold at 33; 29 was bid for common do.; 55½ for Lehigh Navigation; 120 for Morris Canal preferred; and 63 for Delaware Division.

Oil shares are neglected. Ocean sold at 6, no change.

The New York Tribune this morning says:—"Exchange is hardly so firm, and is equal of the following:—London, prime Bankers', sight, 110½; 110; London, prime Bankers', sight, 110½; 110; Paris, Bankers', sight, 510; 510; Panama, Bankers', sight, 65; 65; Amsterdam, 42; Frankfurt, 42; Bremen, 82; 81; Berlin, 75.

It is a good supply at 6 percent. If rokers, and a good deal of coins at 5 percent. The currency is in no danger. The reports in relation to the Bank of the Republic at Washington have disappeared. There is a rumor that the bank was to be sold, but it is not true. The bank is in no danger. The reports in relation to the Bank of the Republic at Washington have disappeared. There is a rumor that the bank was to be sold, but it is not true. The bank is in no danger.

The New York Times this morning says:—"The first and latest papers of the Atlantic news have both the financial and political news in abundance. The chief feature of the French Government is the proposed Convention to raise peace between the great powers, and the Paris Peace Conference, which is now in session. The Convention is now in session. The Paris Peace Conference, which is now in session. The Convention is now in session.

PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES FOR FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1866. Reported by De Haven & Bro. No. 48 Third Street.

Table with columns for stock types (e.g., Penn R.R., Erie R.R., etc.) and prices.

PHILADELPHIA GOLD EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS. 10 A. M. ... 150 1/2 ... 11 1/2 ... 14 1/2 ... HARRIS, DUNN & Co. quote as follows:—

Table with columns for gold and silver prices (e.g., American Gold, American Silver, etc.) and prices.

Tennessee for the season to date... 439 857 10 Corresponding time last year... 182 8 49 Increase for the season of 1865... 257 245 14

Philadelphia Trade Report. FRIDAY, June 8.—Cotton is very quiet, with small sales of middling at 26 1/2 cents.

The Flour Market continues extremely quiet, and prices remain as last quoted. There is no demand for shipment, and only 500 barrels were disposed of at 86 1/2¢ in 11-50 1/2 barrels for Northern term extra family.

There is some inquiry for good wheat, but other descriptions are neglected. In the absence of sales we quote red at 82 1/2¢ for common, up to 82 1/2¢ of choice quality, and white at 81 1/2¢ to 82 1/2¢. There is a more active trade in corn and prices have again advanced. Red Oats are unchanged; sales of Western at 42¢, and Pennsylvanians at 44¢. In Maryland and West, there is no doing in wheat.

Whisky.—The demand is limited. Small sales of Pennsylvania at 91 1/2¢, and Ohio at 92 1/2¢ per bushel.

Advertisement for 'A CARD' and 'JONES' clothing, listing 'Special Notice to Our Old Friends and the Public Generally' and 'ONE-PRICE CLOTHING'.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

(See the Second Page for additional Special Notices.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HIGHWAYS.—Office of Chief Commissioner, S. W. corner of Fifth and Walnut Streets. Philadelphia, June 7, 1866.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Sealed Proposals will be received at the Office of the Chief Commissioner of Highways until 12 o'clock, M., on Monday, 11th inst., for the construction of a sewer on the line of Apple Street, from 30th Street to a point three hundred and eighty feet north of the said 30th Street, with one manhole as may be directed by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

The understanding to be that the contractor shall take bills prepared against the property fronting on the said sewer to the amount of one dollar and twenty-five cents for each inch of front on each side of the street, as payment in full, without recourse to the City. All bidders are invited to be present at the time and place of opening the said proposals.

NOTICE. Adams Express Company. On and after TUESDAY, May 1, the FREIGHT DEPARTMENT of this company will be removed to the Company's New Buildings, S. E. corner of LAY'S and MARKET Streets. Entrance on Seventh Street and on Market Street.

WINE OF TAN SYRUP, FOR COUGHS, Colds and Affections of the LUNGS.—This wine is entirely vegetable, and affords speedy Relief in all the ordinary Affections, such as Asthma, Spitting of Blood, Bronchitis, &c. Prepared only by HARRIS & O'LY, R. Druggists, Southeast Corner TENTH and CHESTNUT Streets Philadelphia.

NOTICE.—ON AND AFTER THE 15th INST. the UNITED STATES HOTEL, LONG BRANCH, N. J., will be open for the reception of guests. BENJAMIN A. SHAW, Proprietor.

ONE THOUSAND SHETLAND SHAWLS. EDWIN HALL & CO., No. 28 S. SECOND Street. Have in Stock a great variety of SHETLAND SHAWLS.

Wolesale and Retail Buyers. SHETLAND SHAWLS at \$2.50. SHETLAND SHAWLS at \$4.50. SHETLAND SHAWLS at \$6.00.

ALSO, AN INVOICE OF REAL SHETLAND SHAWLS. 65 IMPERIAL.

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AT THE PHILADELPHIA ACCIDENT INSURANCE CO. (INCORPORATED IN ITALY) No. 823 CHESTNUT St., UNDER THE CONTINENTAL HOTEL. CYRUS S. HALDEMAN, MANAGER.

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TO BE GIVEN AT SMITH & NIXON'S HALL, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, JULY 5, 1866.

100,000 Gifts, Valued at \$990,000! Number of Tickets, 1,000,000! AT ONE DOLLAR EACH!

\$140,000 in Greenbacks! TITLE TO REAL ESTATE PERFECT, AND WARRANTY DEEDS GIVEN.

1 Gift in Real Estate (several prices) in and out of Chicago, each \$5,000. 1 Gift in Greenbacks, each \$10,000. 1 Gift in Greenbacks, each \$5,000. 1 Gift in Real Estate, to acres 5 miles area. 1 Gift in Real Estate, to acres 5 miles area. 1 Gift in Real Estate, to acres 5 miles area.

5000000 in Greenbacks! Total value in Prizes... 8700000. For full descriptive list of Prizes, see small 64 p. ac. circular, 100 copies.

Admission free. Tickets will be sent on application to the Office of the Secretary, 100 Madison Street, Chicago, Ill.

GOOD AND RELIABLE AGENTS wanted in every town and city in the Union, to whom great inducements are offered. SPECIAL TERMS TO CLUBS FOR FIVE OR MORE TICKETS.

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SHAMOKIN, PA., May 25, 1866. Messrs FARRELL, HERRING & Co., Philadelphia. Gentl.—I had the misfortune to have my Store and stock of Goods, which was large, burned on the 4th inst. All that was saved was my books, papers, and money, in one of your Patent Safes.

The fire was very large, consuming a block of buildings, and your safe was in the hottest part of the fire. I shall send the old safe to you, and want you to ship me one next size larger.

Yours truly, VALERINE FAGELY. FARRELL, HERRING & CO., PHILADELPHIA; HERRING, FARRELL & SHERMAN, NEW YORK; HERRING & CO., Chicago.

IMPROVED BANKERS' SAFES, MADE WITH THE FRANKLINITE, OR PATENT CRYSTALLIZED IRON. The only metal which will SUCCESSFULLY RESIST Burglars' Drills. 60 and 80 lbs.

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Have been enabled to so reduce the prices of Clothing, that those of small as well as those of large means may furnish themselves with a NEW SPRING SUIT.

THE LOST-LEFT ON THE 7TH INSTANT, IN L. GERMANTOWN, on the car of the 6 o'clock train, a BROWN HAT, with a patch about 1 1/2 inch square on the cover, and a yellow band on the side. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning it to E. REED MEYER, Surveyor's Office, Custom House, Or No. 478 MARKET Street, Philadelphia.

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NEW PUBLICATIONS.

BE PUBLISHED ON SATURDAY, OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE TRIAL OF ANTON PROBST, TRIAL OF ANTON PROBST, TRIAL OF ANTON PROBST.

For the Murder of CHRISTOPHER DEERING, at Philadelphia, April 25, 1866. AS WELL AS HIS TWO CONFESSIONS. One made May 6, to his spiritual adviser, the other on a Sunday, 12th inst., to his counsel, wherein he acknowledges to have killed the entire family of eight persons and the manner in which he did it.

Which is added a history of his previous life, as well as an account of his last hours and execution. Published under the supervision of the District Attorney.

WILLIAM D. VAN ESCO, with the approbation of the Judges and Counsel for the prisoner. The whole will be published in a large octavo volume, large type, bound neatly done up in paper cover. Price Fifty cents a copy.

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POSTPONEMENT. THE UNITED STATES PRIZE CONCERT TO HAVE BEEN GIVEN AT CROSBY'S OPERA HOUSE Monday, May 28, 1866.

Will positively take place at the RINK HALL, WABASH AVENUE, CHICAGO, On Monday, July 9, 1866.

On which occasion HALF A MILLION DOLLARS IN PRIZES WILL BE PRESENTED TO TICKET-HOLDERS, INCLUDING \$100,000 IN GREENBACKS.

The postponement is an unavoidable necessity, not so much for the sake of the number of tickets issued, as for the positive necessity to make for the proper registration of these tickets, which has been delayed in consequence of the negligence and carelessness of a portion of our Agents in making their proper returns.

WE ADVISE ALL FAR ISLAND TICKETS TO SEND FOR THEM WITHOUT DELAY, as we have but a limited number of tickets left, and we cannot guarantee to impress upon the minds of our Agents the importance of their making their returns at once, and of receiving whatever there may have been credit into their respective returns. We will send to those sending for tickets, that if they do not receive them in time, that order is refused the money will be returned.

No applications for new agencies for the sale of tickets will be considered, as we have more than sufficient tickets to supply those Agents who have a ready application. Tickets will be sent at the principal Hotels, Book and Music stores in this city, and at our office, 103 DEARBORN Street. Price 50 cents sent by mail on receipt of price and stamp or return postage.

We invite the particular attention of persons wishing to order tickets by mail to the following SPECIAL TERMS, OR CLUB RATES.

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References.—Hon. William Lawrence, ex-Senator, of Minnesota; Hon. Major Dan W. M. C. of Pennsylvania; Hon. Alexander Hamilton, ex-Governor of Wisconsin; Hon. Major Dan W. M. C. of Indiana; Hon. John L. Campbell, of Kansas; Hon. William L. G. of Ohio; Hon. John W. Stephenson, of Illinois; Hon. J. C. Hayes, of Massachusetts; Jacob Forth, of N. Y.; Hon. J. M. Schuyler, of New York; Hon. J. C. McPherson, of Ohio; Hon. J. M. Schuyler, of New York; Hon. J. C. McPherson, of Ohio.

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