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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1859.

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BAYARD-TAYLOR AND INFIDELITY.—The last number of the Presbyterian contains a well-timed editorial article, and a communication, in reference to Bayard Taylor's lecture on the life of Baron Von Humboldt.

VERDICT AGAINST THE PENNA. R. R.—In the case of Ogier vs. the Pennsylvania Rail Road Company, tried in Chester county, a short time since, the jury returned a verdict in favor of Mrs. Ogier, the plaintiff, for \$10,250.

ANOTHER ARCTIC EXPEDITION.—Dr. J. J. Hayes, the surgeon of the Kane expedition, is now organizing another expedition to the Arctic Ocean, which will probably start early next spring.

Peterson's Magazine for January is ahead of all competitors in point of time, and decidedly ahead in point of attractions, to any of the 83 publications.

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A PENNSYLVANIA EX-MAYOR AMONG THE "CHIVALRY."—Ex-Mayor Lowry, of Erie, well known in Harrisburg some years ago as a fiery Democrat, stopped at Wheeling on his way home from Harper's Ferry, whither he had been to comfort the doomed Brown and his comrades.

NEWSPAPER CHANGE.—The Huntingdon Journal is no more. Good bye, old fellow. Mr. J. Lutz, of Shireleysburg, publisher of the Shireleysburg Herald, which has been suspended for some time past, has purchased the type and press on which the Journal was printed and is now revising the Herald.

We have received from the publishers, Messrs. Davis & Co., Pittsburg, the Pennsylvania Almanac for 1860, which we consider one of the most valuable publications of the kind we have yet seen.

A DEMOCRAT SOLD.—Isaiah Blood, the Douglas Democrat, is elected to the New York Senate from the Saratoga District, being the only gain the Democrats make to recompense the loss of seven members in other Districts.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK.—This splendid ladies book, for January, is already before us, and is as good as ever. If any of our lady readers wish a useful and entertaining Magazine, we would advise them by all means to subscribe for this.

XXXVIII Congress. WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The House of Representatives was called to order at noon. Two hundred and thirty members answered to their names.

COUNTY CONVENTION.—In pursuance of the call of the Chairman, the People's County Committee met at the time and place designated by him on the 3d inst.

GOLD IN INDIANA.—Gold diggings have been discovered in Brown county, Indiana, said to pay from \$2,500 to \$5 per day. Quite an extent of area in that region is thought to show signs of gold, but not in sufficient quantities as yet to excite much interest.

PEN AND SCISSORS.

Contradicted.—The report that Mr. Brown is dead, is contradicted by the fact that he is now in the city of Harrisburg, Pa., and is well.

The Standard says that an effort will be made to purchase the Central Bank on the 20th inst., by the election of a new board of Directors.

Col. James Coulter, a well-known citizen of Westmoreland county, and an officer in the Mexican war, died at Latrobe on Monday week.

A bill has been introduced into the lower House of the Texas Legislature appropriating \$500,000 acres of the public land to the support and maintenance of the public schools.

The Hartford Times says, sixty stips in the sun can now be seen with a good telescope. Such an extensive eruption indicates that something is out of order in the solar system.

The Egyptian Spy, issued at Tananaris, Ill., by our old friend, J. S. Barr, is printed on the first type that ever was taken to Illinois—the same which printed the laws of the State while the seat of government was at Kaskaskia.

The Trenton (N. J.) State Gazette reports a case of horrible cruelty to a child. A man named Applegate was recently arrested in Monmouth county for ill-use of a little girl.

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Brown's Execution.

We copy the following from the telegraphic reports from Charlestown in relation to the execution of old John Brown which took place on Friday last.

At an early hour the town was in more than usual excitement, the streets being lined with people who had gathered to witness the execution.

The prisoner was brought out of jail at eleven o'clock. Before leaving he bid adieu to all the fellow-prisoners, and was very affectionate to all except Cook.

The prisoner walked up the steps firmly, and was the first man on the gallows. Jailor Aris and Sheriff Campbell stood by his side, and after shaking hands and bidding an affectionate adieu to the crowd, he turned to the gallows.

The general conviction is everywhere entertained that the rescue of the prisoner would be altogether an egregious hoax.

Next he visited Cook and Cripple, who were chained to the wall. Addressing Cook, he remarked, "What have you to say to me?"

On his way to the scaffold, Mr. Sadler, the undertaker, remarked to Capt. Brown, "You are a game man, Captain." To which Captain Brown replied: "Yes, I was so trained—it was one of the lessons of my mother; but it is hard to part from friends, though newly made."

At a Whig meeting held in Lexington, Md., last week, Hon. Edward Bates was nominated for the Presidency.

The English Reviews.

Our advertising columns contain Messrs. L. Scott & Co.'s announcement of the terms on which they supply American subscribers with their complete and beautiful reprint of the four great English Reviews, and Blackwood's Magazine.

The Edinburgh Review, the Free Church Organ—which had wandered somewhat from its first love, has now, we rejoice to say, got back to its Orthodox moorings, and bids fair to be all that the cause there demands.

The London Quarterly, under the management of Rev. W. Elwyn, was established to fight the Edinburgh on its own ground, and with its own weapons, and was carried on by Southey, Scott, Lockhart, &c. It is now a well-organized conservative principles, and upholds the Establishment.

The beginning of the year is a favorable time to subscribe for these fruitful and important works. It would be a wise use of a ten dollar bill—the gift of one, or ten or twenty, or even forty—in each parish, to make it certain that every pastor has the reading of their pages for the coming year.

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Advertisement for Dr. Hershey's Celebrated Worm Syrup, featuring a large illustration of a child and text describing the medicine's benefits for various ailments.