

THE CAMBRIA FREEMAN.

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It is due to Messrs. Thomas and Downey, our members of Assembly, to state that they voted against the resolution for the printing and distribution of 10,000 extra copies of Smill's Legislative Hand Book.

THREE prominent citizens of the country died on Monday last. Gideon Wells, who was Secretary of the Navy during the whole of Grant's Presidency, died at Hartford, Connecticut, in the 76th year of his age.

Charles M. Conrad, successively member of Congress, United States Senator and Secretary of War under President Fillmore, died in New Orleans, in the 73rd year of his age.

William Welsh, of Philadelphia, brother of Hon. John Welsh, the American Minister to England, fell dead of heart disease at Will's Hospital, in that city, which he was visiting at the time.

A GREAT DEAL of alarm has been created during the last two weeks throughout the upper Missouri river country by the report that Sitting Bull and his Sioux warriors, together with a large number of other hostile Indians, were on the south side of the boundary line between British Columbia and Montana.

The death of Pope Pius the Ninth on yesterday week, in the 86th year of his age, forms a most momentous epoch in the history of the world, and especially in the history of the Church of which he was the acknowledged head.

BLAND'S SILVER BILL continues to drag its slow length along in the Senate, and judging from the amount of time devoted to its discussion is evidently regarded both by its friends and its enemies as a measure from which most important results will follow should it become a law.

THE reported entrance of the advance body of the Russian army into Constantinople, towards the close of last week, produced an intense excitement in London and throughout England, and for a few days the British lion gave forth one constant and terrific series of roars.

THE trial of Anderson, one of the Returning Board, in the Superior Criminal Court at New Orleans, for altering the election returns from Vernon parish, resulted in his conviction, with a recommendation by the jury to the mercy of the Court.

His mother was a woman of uncommon intelligence and piety, and she brought up her first education of her boy. From her he learned the rudiments of reading, and she, with her sweet, maternal voice gave him his whole character of piety and straightness.

When the Roman see became vacant, Padre Ventura, his old schoolmate, then general of the army, was called to Rome, and he, by his own influence, secured his nomination.

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HISTORY OF PIUS IX.

From an interesting and somewhat extensive review in Friday's New York Sun of the long life and wonderful achievements of the great Pontiff whose eventful career has just been brought to a close, we make the following extracts:

The life which closed yesterday in the death of Pope Pius IX. has been one of the most eventful and memorable in the history of the papacy since the days of Gregory IX.

Giovanni Maria Mastai Ferretti was born at Sinigaglia, in the Kingdom of Sicily, in the year 1792. His father was a lawyer and a member of the magistrature of the city, and the head of a family whose nobility goes back as far as the thirteenth century.

He went to study at the University of the Holy Spirit, where his delight was to spend his leisure hours in extracting the numerous volumes of a hospital in Rome, and in the study of the works of the great jurists, such as Pandectae, Justinian, and the works of the great canonists, such as Gratian, Gratian, and Gratian.

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News and Other Notings.

Only four of the Cardinals who participated in the election of Pius Ninth survive him.

A religious novel is announced for early publication which has been written by a 11-year-old girl.

The late Mrs. E. F. Denny, of Pittsburgh, gave away during her lifetime \$1,000,000 to charitable institutions.

By some unaccountable mistake at a wedding at Williamsport, Pa., the bride and groom were married in place of the intended bride.

Twenty-five persons in Richmond, Va., have been made dangerously ill by partaking of water from a public well.

The explosion of a cartridge caps exploded, Thursday afternoon, at the United States cartridge works at Lowell, Mass.

Chas. Baker, aged forty, keeper of a saloon on Light street, Baltimore, shot his wife on Saturday afternoon, and then killed himself.

Joseph Faulkner, who has just died at Windsor, N. S., at the age of 103 years, was one of the crew of the British frigate Shannon when she fought her celebrated battle with the Chesapeake.

The city of Montgomery, Ala., pays tramps twenty-five cents a day for working on the streets.

A little York county girl named Link, aged nine years, has not lost one day or a part of a day from school for three years and a half.

A strange story comes from Philadelphia to the effect that a man there who has been around the world talks barbers to death.

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Twenty-five years ago Frederick K. Bechtel, of Berks county, left for California. His friends had supposed him dead, and he had been in the city for several days.

A Missouri man who was convicted of a crime, and sentenced to a term of thirty-two years in the penitentiary, the crime was named Bally.

The Potter Erie county says that Hamburg, Erie county, news of snow, covered over the extent of an acre, were found to be covered with small worms, some one quarter of an inch long.

At Mauch Chunk, Pa., Rev. Father Heenan and Dunce read on Sunday, in their respective churches a letter from Archbishop Wood in reference to the alleged misdeeds of a priest named Heenan.

Redding, Danbury, an old pick boy of Fayette county, now 74 years old, is brought forward as a man with an interesting history. He commenced driving stage in 1817.

That old Brick Building at 6th and Market in Philadelphia where

Wanamaker and B... STARTED to earn a good name by making ONLY Real Good Clothing is this year

'Full and running over' with that kind of Clothing that Men and Boys may depend on

Please Call W & B Oak Hall.

It is said that in one neighborhood, near the mountains in Missouri, there are several large steam mills engaged in grinding the finest quality of crystals found there into an unpalatable powder to be used in the adulteration of flour, candy, etc.

A special despatch from Booneville, Mo., reports the lynching of an unknown negro, near New Franklin, Howard county.

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