

ASSASSINATION OF CHARLES III.

Correspondence of the Newark Daily Advertiser. Parma, Italy, Monday, March 27, 1854.

The city is at this moment in the greatest excitement in consequence of the assassination of the Grand Duke, Charles III.

The deceased only returned about a fortnight since from a visit to Spain, where his father has large family estates, as he belongs to the Spanish branch of the Bourbons.

His chief minister and friend, Baron Ward, is the son of an English ostler, was himself born in England, and actually served the Duke's father as the chief equerry of his stables.

IMPORTANT DECISION.—We find in the New York Journal of Commerce the report of a case of importance to business men generally.

The action was against the endorser of a note, dated Feb. 7, 1851, for \$1500, payable on demand with interest.

TERRIBLE CONFLAGRATION.—The town of Dover, Ky., in ruins.—Loss \$100,000.

Several tobacco warehouses were consumed with their contents, besides stores, groceries, and private residences.

Cincinnati Gazette, April 15th.

Arguments for the people on the Nebraska Bill.

I said in my letter to Mr. Nicholson, and I repeat it here, that by going back to our true principles we go back to the road of peace and safety.

You cannot fix bounds to the onward march of this great and growing country. You cannot fetter the limbs of the young giant.

I say nothing of the constitutional view of the question. When I have been asked if Congress does not possess the power to impose restrictions or to pass the 'Wilmot Proviso,' I have waived the issue.

Sir, I care nothing about refined distinctions or the subtleties of verbal criticism. I repeat the plain and broad proposition, that if Congress may intervene on this subject, it may intervene on any other.

The South insists on it as embodying the doctrine of State equality, on which her very existence depends.

WHICH IS RIGHT?—The law now in force authorizing a single magistrate to take acknowledgments of deeds, allows a fee of but twenty-five cents to the magistrate for the service.

ALTERED BILLS.—A great many bills on different banks are in circulation in New York, altered from one's to five's, and also from one's to ten's.

If you desire to be released from a rash promise of marriage, breathe vows of love continually after eating onions.

THE REPUBLICAN.

CLEARFIELD, APRIL 26, 1854. FOR GOVERNOR, WILLIAM BIGLER. FOR SUPREME JUDGE, JEREMIAH S. BLACK. FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER, HENRY S. MOTT.

A WORD TO OUR FRIENDS. The exertions which have of late been making in this section to procure subscribers for different newspapers, has induced us to afford the friends of the Republican an opportunity to extend its circulation.

Persons having advertisements in our paper who may wish to renew them will please send us orders to that effect, as we will be compelled next week and the week following to tear down all the advertisements now standing.

Two Men Drowned. We regret exceedingly to learn, that a Mr. William Watson, of Bradford township, this county, was drowned at Birch Point, a short distance above the foot of Buttermill falls, on Friday last.

Mr. Watson it appears had been assisting in running a raft, and having passed the most dangerous and difficult portion of the river, he and two other hands attempted to jump off the raft that was afloat on another that was tied to shore.

It appears that Mr. B. had been assisting in running a raft, and in attempting to jump on to one tied to shore for the purpose of landing, jumped too far, not far enough, or missed his calculation in some way or other.

Neither the bodies of Mr. Watson or Mr. B. have yet been found, and search is deemed almost useless in the present and rapid stage of the water.

THE PAPERS THROUGHOUT different portions of the State are coming to the conclusion, that an advance in the price of newspapers must eventually take place.

THE PROHIBITORY LIQUOR LAW.—In the Pennsylvania Legislature on the 21st inst., the Committee of Conference of the two Houses on the Prohibitory Liquor bill met, and, it is said, have agreed upon the plan proposed at the last session.

Tobacco Prohibition.—A petition has been presented to the Legislature asking that a section prohibiting the sale and use of tobacco may be incorporated into the prohibitory liquor law.

Narrow Escape.

On Thursday last as Mr. Wm Barr of this place, was assisting to run a raft through Bigler & Co's chute, some twelve or fourteen miles below this place, the forward ear catching in a swirl, threw him off the raft into the reaction water below the dam or chute.

There were a great number of rafts stowed the late food on Clearfield creek, occasioned principally from the bad condition of several dams, and the large number of loose logs which had been thrown into still stream.

The Washington Sentinel, in referring to the victories claimed to be achieved by a party calling itself the Whig party, says:

How, it is well to inquire, were these victories accomplished? The answer is plain. All the odds, ends, and fragments—all the isms, all the abolitionisms, free-soilers, and fanatics, all the women's rights men, all the free thinkers, all the disappointed, all the disaffected—voted in opposition to the honest, sterling Democracy, who scorned to make bargains and coalitions.

Parliament Proceedings. Operations of the Fleet in the Black Sea. In the House of Lords on the night of the 7th, the Earl of Malmesbury wished to know whether there was any truth in the report that the Russian fleet had left Sebastopol, and landed a number of troops at the mouth of the Danube.

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following "order of the day" has been addressed by the Marshal to the soldiers of Africa:

"Soldiers!—In a few days you are to leave for the East. You are going to defend allies unjustly attacked, and to take up the defiance flung by the Czar at the nations of the West.

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