

THE NEW OLD TESTAMENT.

THE REVISED EDITION OF THE OLD SCRIPTURES MADE PUBLIC.

No Changes Made in the Hebrew Text or in the Idiom of the Authorized Version, but All Errors of Translation Moved or Corrected.

LONDON, May 16.—Copies of the revised version of the Old Testament were given to the newspapers at midnight last night. All the papers this morning contain copious extracts from the work. In the following paragraphs is presented the substance of the work, with particular reference to the American part of it.

Finally an important work of fourteen years has come to light. The revised version of the New Testament was issued in May, 1881, and now the revised Old Testament will soon be published in all parts of the English speaking world.

The revision of the Bible since the publication of King James' translation in 1611. The success of the Old Testament may not be as great as that of the New, of which more than a million copies were sold on the day of publication and more than three million before the revision was complete.

The work of the American New Testament company continued until the autumn of 1884. The whole Bible, in its revised English version at this time before the people of Great Britain and America.

The Bible speaks bound with the New Testament. The preface opens with a statement of the general principles on which the revision has been made.

The headings of chapters have been dropped, as in the Revised Testament, and the text has been divided into paragraphs, but the old chapter and verse divisions have been retained in the margin for convenience of reference.

The psalms are divided into five books, the last four beginning respectively at Psalms xlii, cv and cvii.

The songs of Lamech, Jacob, Miriam, Moses, Deborah, Hannah, Judith, and David's Lament, in second Samuel, I, appear in versified ballad. The origin of the psalms is indicated by its verse character; so, also, is the tripartite character of Samuel (Judges, xv, 16).

The summary of the creation according to the formula. "And there was evening and there was morning one day," "there was evening and there was morning a second day," and so on.

NEWARK KNOCKED OUT.

THE JERSEYMEN MAKE A NARROW ESCAPE FROM BEING CHICAGOED.

Smith's Pitching Proves a Complete Fiasco to the Visitors, While the Lancaster Batters Fall Heavily Upon Daily-Recent Notes of the Diamond.

Yesterday the Newark and Lancaster clubs played their second game in this city, but the crowd was not as large as upon opening day.

Runs earned—Newark 1. Two base hits—parker, Newark (2), McManis, Coogan. Left on base—Lancaster 2. Newark 2. Lancaster 2. Newark 2. Base on balls—Lancaster 1. Newark 1. Wild pitches—Lancaster 1. Newark 1.

There was a hot fight Friday night in a private club room, in Boston, between Jake Kilrain, of Boston, and George Fryer, the English pugilist. Fryer's principal exploit in this country was to fight Greenleaf to a draw in Philadelphia last winter.

The Bostonians had four hits off Harry Boyle yesterday, and they played the better fielding game, yet they lost.

Some of the people who were present at the Newark and Lancaster games at the Jersey City club will be here on Monday.

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

COMING RESIGNATION OF MINISTER FOSTER—Nine Presidential Appointments.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 16.—It is said that Minister Foster will soon tender his resignation, and that the successor to the Spanish mission will be ex-Governor Reynolds.

The president today appointed the following collectors of internal revenue: James F. Robinson, 7th district of Kentucky; Chas. H. Bond, 8th district of Kentucky; John T. McInnis, 9th district of Kentucky; Geo. M. Helms, 4th district of Virginia; Andrew L. Elliot, 2d district of Virginia; Samuel K. Klotz, 5th district of New Jersey; and also the following collectors of customs: Jephthah W. Harris, 1st district of New York; Wm. Wynndham R. Mayo, for district of Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.; Richard L. Cropley, for district of Georgetown, D. C.

General Sheridan's brother received a telegram from the general today, in which he said that he was getting along nicely; that his injuries caused by the upsetting of his carriage had been greatly exaggerated.

A Boston Criminal Shot While Hanging on a Telegraph Wire.

HENRY G. EDWARDS, who on October last was sentenced to seven years in the state prison for burglary, left his work in the harness shop of the jail, and going to a remote part of the room, climbed to the roof through an open skylight.

England's Overtures Refused—Significant Precedents.

LONDON, May 16.—The papers to-day contain copious extracts from the official dispatches which have passed between London and St. Petersburg, in regard to the Russo-Afghan frontier dispute.

Prof. Shantz was called upon to speak, and he did it in a very concise and equally well-received speech of fifteen minutes length, in which he referred with satisfaction to the excellent services rendered by the graduates of the college.

VALUABLE MILL BURNED.

George Seldomridge's Property in Salisbury Township Totally Consumed.

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TWELVE TO TWO.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES OF THE BOYSTOWN HIGH SCHOOL.

A Round Dozen of Fair Maidens and a Pair of Boys Deliver Their Speeches and Receive Their Diplomas—Great Crowd in Attendance.

Special Correspondence of the INTELLIGENCER.

At 7:30, while the rays of the sinking sun were yet shining through the windows, the whispering strains of cornet and piano by Howard E. Smith, of the Marine band, were heard rendering a spirited march, to whose music Principal S. M. Yutzy, Rev. J. T. Shaffer and the graduating class forced their way slowly through the aisles and took their seats on the platform.

Interest in the Richmond Murder Trial.

Waco, Texas, May 16.—S. L. Lewis, a negro who has the reputation of carrying the mails between the postoffice and railway station, was arrested yesterday charged with abstracting registered money packages.

Renewal of the Irish Crisis Act.

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HOW THEY DO IT IN MEXICO.

A Man Who Killed Another Surrendered and Is Shot Dead.

EAGLE PASS, TEX., May 16.—A few months ago Adelmo Weurta, a Mexican ranchoer living near Piedras Negras, Mexico, was arrested for drug traffic and badly beaten by a Mexican policeman named Davis Montez, for which Weurta swore vengeance.

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