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Senator from Massachusetts.
After a prolonged struggle between the people and the cotton spinners of Massachusetts, says the Evening Post, the former have triumphed. Charles Sumner, the candidate of the free-soil and democratic party, for the vacant seat in the United States Senate, has been elected, and Mr. Winthrop, the candidate of the manufacturing and pro-slavery interest, has been defeated. We scarcely know which of these results furnishes most occasion for rejoicing, for we deem both highly auspicious events in the present state of the country.

The Erie Railroad Complete.
The great enterprise, in which Northern Pennsylvania is so much interested, is at length completed, and the Hudson joined to Lake Erie by a continuous road, extending four hundred and fifty miles. On Monday 21st ult., the president, directors and employees of the road, left New York for the purpose of passing the whole length of the road—stopping overnight at Elmira, the train on Tuesday proceeded to Dunkirk, which place it entered amidst the rejoicing of the inhabitants.

A Curiosity.—The "Wyoming Democrat" has the following description of animal remains found near that place:—"In excavating a bank of earth in this borough, on the lands of Dr. Miller Kelley, on Thursday last, for the purpose of constructing the North Branch Canal, a large tomb of ivory, not unlike that of an Elephant but much larger, was found embedded in the earth at the depth of ten feet from the surface. The relic is now in possession of Samuel G. Benton, who had charge of the work when it was discovered. Both ends have the appearance of having been broken off, leaving it only 3 feet and 4 inches long. It measures 15 inches in circumference at one end, and 14 at the other, and weighs 35 pounds. From its appearance, we should judge it may have been in its natural state some nine or ten feet in length."

New Counterfeits.—Ten dollar notes are now circulating, on a counterfeit plate of the Farmers' Bank of Pottsville, altered to the Tradesmen's Bank of Philadelphia. The counterfeit has the word "Ten" printed in the corners, the genuine has figures 10; on the counterfeit the vignette is a female figure looking to the left, with an anchor by her side and a vessel in the distance; the genuine a figure of Liberty, with her face to the right, and eagle by her side. On the counterfeit, the side figures are a female head; on the genuine, a head of Franklin on the right, and full length female figure on the left. A coat of arms of Pennsylvania on the bottom of the counterfeit note; on the genuine none.

Governor Johnson has not signed the bill repealing the section of Kidnapping Law of March 2d, 1847, which prohibits the use of the Jails of this Commonwealth for the detention of fugitives from labor; consequently, the jail at Harrisburg could not be used for the safe-keeping of the fugitive slaves from Columbia, who were brought before U. S. Commissioner McAlister for examination. Of course the repealing act cannot become a law until it has the signature of the Executive, which he may withhold until any time previous to three days after the convening of the next Legislature.

Fugitive Slaves Rescued.—A colored man, his wife and one child, were arrested on Monday last, at Columbia, Pa., as fugitive slaves from Maryland. They had also another child, but it was born in this State, it could not be taken; and was left in the care of some one in Columbia. The U. S. Commissioner, after a full hearing of the case, granted certificates to the owners, and the parties returned to Maryland. Though a large crowd was present at the Commissioner's office, there was no breach of the peace, and everything passed off quietly.

Somewhat Mysterious.—The "Luzerne Democrat" contains a letter from E. Barman, of Shick-shinny, in that county, stating that on the 11th inst. a stranger stopped at his house, with a sore mare, about three years old, and 15 hands high. The following morning when called to breakfast he made no answer, and on breaking open the door of his room, his coat was found hanging there, the window open, and the stranger gone, but whether was not known. He is represented as about five feet four inches high, dark complexion and brown hair. The mare was very wild, and her back sore as though she had been ridden hard and long.

Grand Concert.—Mr. & Mrs. MULLER, in connection with the Scottish Mammoth Brothers, will give an amusing entertainment in this place on Monday evening next.

The Susquehanna County Whig Convention passed resolutions in favor of Gen. Scott as the Whig candidate for the Presidency in 1852.

Col. M. D. Holtzner, of Lancaster, has been elected Henry S. Myers, Esq., of Lancaster, with himself as co-editor in the publication of that paper.

Hon. Wm. S. Garrison, of the Mercantile Press has materially improved his paper by a new dress and a visible enlargement of its dimensions.

The Thruway Cuba Invasion.—The New York Herald, says: At an early hour yesterday, Mr. Talmadge, the United States Marshal, assisted by his efficient deputies, Messrs. Madge, Thompson, Brown, Rukiewicz, and Walsh were busily engaged in the arrangement of plans to affect the arrest of alleged ringleaders of the Cuban expedition, the facts of which we have previously related to, but in order to obtain the correct information as to whom the parties were, said to be engaged in this enterprise, it was found expedient to adopt a method by which it could be ascertained with certainty, and in order to effect that object, Deputy Rukiewicz disguised himself as one of the emigrant German, and proceeded to South Amboy, and by the aid of the emigrants who were congregated in that vicinity ready for the embarkation. On conversing in German with the men, the officer soon ascertained the names of certain persons in New York, who were said to be leading parties in the contemplated invasion. Accordingly, five of these men were taken, by an invitation given by the officer, and conveyed before Mr. Nelson, the United States Commissioner, before whom certain affidavits were preferred, and warrants issued for the following named persons:

News of the Week by the Telegraph.
Treaty with Mexico.
Washington, April 27.—It appears that a formal complaint has been made by the Mexican government in consequence of the repeated incursions of their frontier. By the treaty with Mexico, the United States agreed to prohibit the frontier between the boundary and Mexico, from Indian aggression. Congress it will be remembered, at the last session failed to make the appropriation asked by the War Department for this duty, and it consequently has not been performed. Mexico now requests us to rally the Tehuantepec treaty, unless the provisions of the peace treaty are carried out.

The Free Soilers Rejoicing.
Boston, April 25.—The Free Soilers are in raptures over the election of Sumner to the U. S. Senate. A great gathering assembled last evening in the eastern part of the State House, which was addressed by the Hon. Henry Wilson and others. Mr. Wilson advocated the election of Robert Rantoul, Jr. of the Second District.

Conflict with Runaway Slaves.
Baltimore, April 26, 1851.—We have by the Southern telegraph, papers from New Orleans to the 2nd inst. and date, that a runaway slave, named Henry S. Myers, Esq., of Lancaster, Pa., who had been taken to the city of New Orleans, was on the 10th inst., a gang of runaway negroes near the river Neuses, on their way to Mexico. The negroes were challenged by the lawgivers to surrender, but refused, and in return opened a fire upon the Rangers, killing two and wounding a third. A general engagement then ensued in which all the negroes were killed. There number is not mentioned.

Church Struck by Lightning and Occurrence.
Danville, April 28.—The new Methodist church in this place, which was dedicated yesterday afternoon about three o'clock, while the congregation was at prayer, and immediately preceding the administration of the communion: The electric fluid passed down the steeple through the roof, and down the lamp rods near the centre of the church, and the midst of the assembly, and from thence shot out in various directions, striking a man, a highly respectable lady, was struck on the head, killed, and eight or nine others injured very seriously.

Contested Congressional Election.—The Late Catastrophe.
Danville, April 23.—The taking of testimony in the matter of the contested election for Congress in this district, was concluded this afternoon, terminating much sooner than was anticipated. No additional facts were brought upon the question of illegal votes, and the hearing upon the question of the validity of the hearing testimony in regard to two witnesses said to have been given by foreigners who were not naturalized. Messrs. Fuller and Wright are still in town.

The Late Robbery of \$2,300.
Young man, named Charles H. Williams was arrested at a respectable house in this place charged with robbing Mr. Charles Bowen, of Waterford county, Ohio, of \$2,300, at the Merchants' Hotel, Philadelphia, on Saturday last. He was arrested by a couple of officers, named Doynton, who, hearing of the robbery, and having had some conversation with his conduct while in that place, followed him on here. Upon his arrest, he confessed the robbery, and gave up about \$1600 of the stolen money. He will be taken back to Philadelphia for trial. He had been spending the money very freely, trading horses, &c.

Death of Archbishop McClellan.—The Most Reverend Father, Archbishop McClellan, of Baltimore, died on the 27th inst. at Georgetown, D. C. where he had for many years been suffering from a painful and distressing affection of the throat. He has been lingering between life and death, says the Bulletin, for many days, so that his death was not unexpected. It is, nevertheless, sincerely deplored by the Catholic community. Archbishop McClellan was born near Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, in June 1801; so that he had not yet completed his fiftieth year. His father was a wealthy farmer and an Episcopalian, and most of his relatives still adhere to that denomination. The Archbishop was educated at St. Mary's College, and after reaching the age of manhood, became a Roman Catholic. His only brother is Judge McClellan, of Maryland. He was a divine of decided ability and learning, and his character was such as to command the respect of his acquaintances of all persuasions.

Disastrous Fire in Harrisburg.
Harrisburg, April 25.—We were visited last night by a fire of 23 deaths by cholera. There were also two deaths from cholera at St. Louis during the week ending on the 16th inst. Alabama arriving at that port from below are now strictly quarantined.

The Joint Special Committee of the Massachusetts Legislature on the subject of capital punishment, reported on Thursday, a bill for the abolition of the death penalty, and providing that the offences punishable by death under the present code shall be punished by imprisonment in the State Prison for life.

Jenny Lind has sent \$3,000 and Barnum \$1,500, to be disposed of for the relief of the suffering and distressed in that city. The Barnum had previously given \$400 or 500.

Henry Clay arrived at Annapolis on the 19th inst., where he was received by a large concourse of people, and a national salute from the Louisville Guards. He left on the same day for Annapolis.

Murderer Duff was found on Wednesday trinity murder, near Freeport; Butler county, (Pa.)—His twin-brother James, with whom he was last seen, has been arrested on suspicion.

N. D. Strong, S. L. Young, Wm. M. Heister, Jacob Coleman and Paul Geiger, have been appointed by the democrats of Berks county, delegates to the Harrisburg Judicial Convention, with instructions to support Hon. Wm. Strong as one of the Judges of the Supreme Court.

The Democratic Convention of Perry county, on the 7th inst., appointed Jesse Beaver, Esq., Representative Delegate to the Reading Convention, with instructions to support that city on purpose to elect Clearfield, for Governor, and John B. Bratton, Esq., of Cumberland, for Canal Commissioner.

A Treasury notice has been given, that the awards for the Mexican indemnity will be paid in cash after the 15th of May, either to the persons in whose names the awards are made, or their attorneys. No money to be paid while adverse claims are in litigation. Union and Trinity Land Company Scrip not to be paid till holders of said scrip establish their legal claim.

Quite a contest has been going on in the Dunk and Church, near Pottstown, as to whether a member of a secret Society shall be admitted to communion with them. As for Masons, Odd Fellows, Mechanics, Druids, &c., the congregation is pretty unanimous in favor of their exclusion.

Jenny Lind's concert at Pottsville, April 26, yielded \$9,000. Some mischievous boys threw a few pebbles into the window of Jenny's dressing room, and at her carriage, on her return home—consequently she left for Baltimore, next morning, instead of singing, as announced. This has caused great disappointment and regret, as some hundreds of persons came to the city on purpose to hear her. The Pottsburghers are all greatly grieved.

A Great Many People are croaking in England about the danger of plague and pestilence, during the great Exhibition. Others demonstrate that perfectly possible it is for 100,000 French soldiers to be sent across the channel in plain clothes, with their uniforms in their carpet bags, and in a few hours, at a concerted signal, London would be under the domination of the tri-color, &c.

The Jurymen in the case of Dr. Timothy Smith charged on two counts of indictment for manslaughter, in rendering a verdict of not guilty as to the second count of the indictment, charging the killing of the child Elizabeth Joyce; and disagreed as to the first count, and were discharged.

Mr. Kronheim has invented a new apparatus of lithography, by which copies of the finest oil pictures can be made with a degree of perfection, never before attained, and at a very trifling expense. The "Descent from the Cross" has been copied with perfect success by this process.

The Colonization Herald states that at the present moment there is not a white person resident in the Republic of Liberia! Every office, from that of the President down to the lowest, is filled with colored men from the United States, their children, or by civilized and christianized Africans.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—1851.

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2	Tuesday	12	Tuesday
3	Wednesday	13	Wednesday
4	Thursday	14	Thursday
5	Friday	15	Friday
6	Saturday	16	Saturday
7	Sunday	17	Sunday
8	Monday	18	Monday
9	Tuesday	19	Tuesday
10	Wednesday	20	Wednesday
11	Thursday	21	Thursday
12	Friday	22	Friday
13	Saturday	23	Saturday
14	Sunday	24	Sunday
15	Monday	25	Monday
16	Tuesday	26	Tuesday
17	Wednesday	27	Wednesday
18	Thursday	28	Thursday
19	Friday	29	Friday
20	Saturday	30	Saturday
21	Sunday	31	Sunday

Married.
In Burlington, on the 10th inst. by Rev. Mr. Lane, COLLETT P. NICHOLS, to Miss MARTHA SMITH, of that place.

Charitable in her judgment and opinion of others, and attentive to the wants of those around her, Miss Gridley secured the respect and esteem of all with whom she was acquainted. Her last illness, though long and painful, was attended with patience, and the hour of death found her ready and willing to depart, leaving a soul sustained by a hope of a blissful immortality for the whole world of mankind.

NEW SPRING GOODS!
The public are invited to call and examine the large and magnificent stock of new goods, which are now being opened at the store of the subscriber. It is unnecessary to add that they will be sold cheap.
Towanda, April 24, 1851. J. KINGSBERRY.

AND FANCY DRY GOODS,
Just opening at
MONTANYS & CO'S.
THOSE who wish to purchase Good Articles at cheap rates, will do well to call.
Towanda, May 1, 1851.

NEW GOODS,
AND REDUCTION OF PRICES!
J. H. PHINNEY, Jr., is just receiving from New York a large and general assortment of Spring and Summer Goods, of almost everything usually found in a store, together with Groceries, Hardware, Paints, Oils, Dyes, Leather, Boots & Shoes, Hats, Caps, Bonnets, Crochery, Glassware, Salt, Fish, &c.

REAL ESTATE AGENCY
Adams & Macfarlane,
Having entered into co-partnership in the practice of law, have also established an agency for the sale of real estate in the county of Bradford. Persons having real estate which they desire to sell, by calling and leaving a description of their property with the terms of sale, will undoubtedly find it to their advantage. Persons desirous of purchasing can learn where property is for sale, or a description of the same with the price and terms of payment, and be informed as to the validity of title. J. C. ADAMS, J. MACFARLANE, Towanda, May 2, 1851.