

Story of the New Empress.

The telegraph announcement from Halifax of the sudden marriage of the French Empress is suggestive of some untoward circumstance.

1. Of the announcement itself. The particulars are given in detail in the public eye through the papers.

The Empress was the bride of a Spanish lady of Irish blood, on the maternal side.

2. This fact of the Empress's marriage is a very different account from a New York gentleman.

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4. The historical romance of the affair is not a little curious. The Commercial's account taken together with the Empress's own story.

5. After an intimacy with the Emperor of some months, during which the young Countess Teza had attracted a considerable amount of public attention.

6. It is said that the "whirlwind of time brings about its revenge." Possibly in this light we may take some of the events of the past few months in Paris.

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Important Arrests.

On Monday last, James B. Chadwick, and the wife of C. S. Winslow, came to this village.

Winslow was brought here on Wednesday morning, and is now lodged in jail, with a fair prospect of retaining there until he sails for Autun.

Chadwick is reported to be wealthy, and engaged extensively in business, but from what he can learn, is also extensively engaged in making and passing counterfeit money.

Success. A man by the name of John H. Bartlett, committed suicide at the Brainerd House in this village, on Saturday morning last.

James Moore, who was shot on the evening of January 21, while in the act of removing some sacks of flour which he had previously stolen from Anon's Mill, died on Monday morning last.

Further from Mexico. We have received files of papers from city of Mexico, some two or three days later than the intelligence via Havana.

The next day Congress re-assembled, and a letter from Arista was read, exposing in detail the reasons which had prompted him to resign the Presidency.

The Mexican journals admit that Gen. Minon was repulsed at Guadalajara with great loss of life. The besieged made two sallies from the city.

Look out for the cars when the bell rings" is a caution which all railroad companies in this State are required to display.

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Bradford Reporter.

Free Soil, Free Speech, Free Men Freedom for Free Territory.

E. D. GOODRICH, EDITOR.

Towanda, Saturday, February 12, 1853.

Terms of the Reporter. 25 Cts per annum - paid within the year 50 cents will be deducted.

Chief Engineer of the S. B. Canal.

Wm. B. Foster, Esq., having resigned the charge of the N. B. extension, said resignation taking effect on the 10th inst.

Fire. The dwelling house and store of Major ROLLIN WILCOX, in Albany township, were consumed by fire on Monday morning last.

Another fire occurred at Mercur's Mills, in Burlington township, on Wednesday morning last, destroying a large building owned by M. C. Menon.

Letter from Harrisburg. HARRISBURG, Feb. 8, 1853. This morning was early February 8th occupied by the Senate in discussing the merits of a supplement to the Pennsylvania Coal Company.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE DEMOCRATIC CO. CONVENTION.

Pursuant to a call of the Democratic Standing Committee of Bradford County, a Convention of Delegates from the several election districts

The list of election districts being called, the following delegates appeared with credentials and took their seats.

- Albany—Joseph Menardi, Jas. Wilcox; Athens—Wm. H. Overton, J. B. Reeves; Asylum—W. T. Smith, G. W. Gossett; Burlington—H. F. Forman, G. W. Goddard; Columbia—Myron Ballard, J. C. McKean; Dorell—J. M. Bishop, Wm. Coolbaugh; Franklin—L. T. Smiley, Wm. Blake; Herrick—L. A. Park, Richard Hillis; Litchfield—A. R. Wellcott; Monroe—J. S. Salsbury, P. F. Lyon; Pike—G. Briggs, A. S. Smith; Ridgely—J. H. Webb, S. Gussulius; Smithfield—Seth Salsbury, Elliott Wilcox; Springfield—S. D. Harkness, Wm. S. Grace; South Creek—Wm. Goldsmith, Ira Crane; Towanda—John C. Clark, H. P. Goodrich; Union—H. L. Scott, J. M. McGill; Utter—J. M. Pike, D. Harkins; Wintham—John Maddin, W. H. Russell; Winton—J. L. Jones, Isaac C. Brown.

A motion was made that the districts from which no delegates appeared, be represented by persons who might be present from said towns.

Whereas, the result of the contest for President and Vice President of the United States, has demonstrated that the power of the united Democracy is irresistible.

Resolved, That in the election of Franklin Pierce to the Presidency—the vast and overwhelming majority which he has received—the country look with unqualified confidence to his ability and integrity.

Resolved, That we cordially approve of the administration Gov. Wright. His Executive course has displayed rare ability, prudence and foresight.

A motion was made that the vote be taken on the resolutions separately, which being lost, the resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Messrs. LAPORTE, MASON & Co., having purchased the building now occupied by the Towanda Bank, have enlarged it, and are now occupying it as their Banking House.

The occupation of this building by Messrs. Laporte, Mason & Co., and the business in which they are engaged is calculated to bring up reminiscences of the past, especially to those who suffered from the collapse of the Towanda Bank.

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Meeting of the Bar.

At a meeting of the members of the Court and Bar of Bradford County, held at the Court House, on the 7th of Feb., 1853.

Resolved That we have heard with unfeigned sorrow, of the sudden death in the prime of life, and with every prospect of length of days, of our highly intelligent and estimable brother member, N. M. Stevens Esq., which took place on the morning of the 6th inst.

A frightfully tragic affair occurred in Washington on Wednesday evening about half past six o'clock, when the lighting on the telegraph wires that night prevented our reporters sending through an account of the telegraph for yesterday morning's session.

Several years since, Schaumburg boarded at Fuller's (now Willard's) Hotel, kept by Wm. Fuller Co. When the firm became insolvent, he was indebted to them several hundred dollars.

On Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon and evening, Schaumburg was seen pacing backward and forward along the avenue, suspected by many, and, as it would seem, too truly, with deadly intent.

Dr. Whitlaw, a Scotch botanist of note, while traveling in America, in 1811, learned a secret in medicating his baths, which became greatly celebrated for the cure of Scrofula.

Dr. Isaac Parish, of Philadelphia, remarks that he has been successfully used in bad cases of Scrofula Disease.

Horrible Tragedy in Mississippi.—The Pauline (Miss) Clarion relates the following shocking affair: On Thursday last James Clarke a well known citizen of this county of Clarke, made an assault upon his negro woman, for a cause which was not heard stated.

This strange drama wound up on Friday last by the commission of murder. Clark, on that day, ordered his wife to go and call Lewis, a negro belonging to the family.

HEALTH OF THE VICE PRESIDENT ELECT.—A letter dated Key West, Jan. 25th, to the Journal of Commerce says: Since the Fulton's arrival, we have had severe N. W. blow, and a change in the atmosphere from 86 deg. to 60 deg.—attended by a slight fall of rain.

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From Europe.—The news from Europe is interesting today. The affairs of France take a new shape and assume definiteness.

There is much Government inquiry in England as to the facilities of Railroad transportation in case of emergency, and several propositions have been made.

THE SLAVE SHOOTING CASE.—The commissioners appointed by the Governor of Maryland to investigate the charge against Archibald Kilday, a police officer of this city, of having killed a slave whom he was attempting to arrest at Columbia, Pa., last summer, have reported to the Governor.

BUT WHAT IS THE ROCK ROSE? The following is the history of the Rock Rose plant and its medicinal properties.

It is entirely different from the common Rose. It is a red-stemmed, oblong leaf, having a bitter taste. In addition to a remarkable peculiarity of the leaves, being two crops of flowers in one season.

Dr. Deaton says that in the month of November and December, he has seen hundreds of these plants, seeding out near their roots, broad, thin, curled ice-crystals, about an inch in length, which melted during the day and were renewed at night.

Dr. Fuller, of Hartford, Ct., administered the Rock Rose to a severe case of Scrofula, and the patient was cured.

Dr. D. A. Tyler, of New Haven, Ct., relates the following case: Mr. C., from a child, was afflicted with the Scrofula, and has also Giandular Swelling.

Dr. Sperry, in his medical work published in 1847, quotes the strong commendation of Dr. B. B. Ives, Professor in Yale College, who in his lectures to the medical students, recommended the use of Rock Rose, even in cases where the disease is not certain.

One of the most remarkable cures is cited by Mr. Myers, who has attracted the attention of medical men for twenty years. He says that C. Magill, of New Haven, Ct., had long been afflicted with induration of the hip joint.

S A L T.—A quantity of Salt just received from Key West, will eventually restore him to health.