Foreign Items.

Queen Victoria to Abdicate.

It is reported in well informed official circles that at the interview at Baden-Baden, last week, between Queen Victoria and the Prince Imperial of Russia, the question of the expediency of Her Majesty's abdicating in favor of the Prince of Wales was dicussed. The ultimate result of the interview cannot be learned, but it is believed that Her Majesty, who it is affirmed has for several years past seriously considered the question of abdication, had decided to take counsel of her Royal relatives in Prussia before taking any decisive action in a matter of such grave importance.

Antioch Destroyed by an Earthquake.

Despatches received contain information of a terrible earthquake in Syria on the the 3d inst., by which the ancient city of Antioch has been almost entirely destroyed. The calamity has been attended with fearfull loss of human life; upwards of fifteen hundred of the unfortunate inhabitants perished, being instantly killed by the falling buildings.

Thousands are injured and rendered homeless. The whole city is in ruins, scarcely a building being left standing. The internal convulsions, which continued at intervals during the day of the 3d inst., warned the people of the approaching danger, and many had time to flee before the climax arrived.

The earthquake also extended over a large tract of the surrounding country.

☞ Coincident with reports of the occurrence of earthquake shocks in California and Antioch, and with the news of the complete and entire desolation of the ancient city, we have intelligence that Mt. Vesuvius is in violent eruption. A telegram from Rome states that the volcano has sent forth a column of flame which rises to to a height of several hundred feet above the mouth of the crater, and that stones, ashes and cinders are driven from the fiery furnace and scattered in dense showers around the summit and sides of the mountain.

☞ The *Cork* (Irish) *Telegraph* says: "Tim Field was fined 2s. 6d. for attempting to drown himself, the magistrate believing that he had no intention of committing suicide." Fining a man for attempting what the Court thought he didn't attempt, seems to be a very Hibernian bit of jurisprudence.

The California Earthquake.

From exchanges we learn many interesting incidents in connection with the recent earthquake in California.

The Inyo *Independent* office, a frame building, filled in with adobes, was not thrown down, but the office was badly damaged even a cooking stove that stood n it being smashed to pieces.

From Independence to Big Pine, a distance of forty-five miles, there is not a square yard of ground that does not show cracks. Near Big Pine they found a crevice across the road sixty feet wide and six eet deep. Off the road, but in plain sight, this crevice was two hundred feet wide and over twenty feet deep, and it could be traced a long distance running north and south, parallel with the Sierra Nevada mountains.

South of Fish Springs Slough the water spouted out of the ground in many places and there were still to be seen large pools where the stage passed. Here, also, ridges of ground from eight to ten feet in height were reared up across the road. At Big Pine the heavy dining table, with all it contained, was overtured, and five shocks were experienced while the passengers were eating breakfast. Between Fish Springs and Bishop Creek, where formerly was a desert place, there now gushes forth a stream of water large enough to turn a mill. In other places, streams and springs are dried up, and in fact, the whole country turned topsy-turvy. At Hot Springs, while severe shocks were felt on the surface the men in the mines (200 feet deep) felt nothing of them.

Letters from Lone Pine say the whole of Owen Valley has been moved southward fourteen feet. Over seven thousand shocks had occurred to date, and they still continued, but not with sufficient force to do any damage. The earthquake of March 26 hurled immense rocks down the cliffs into the valley of Yosemite, smashing great pine trees to splinters, but detracting nothing from the scenery of the valley. An Indian runner brings a dispatch from the Mouth of the Colorado river, which says the earthquake caused immense waves to roll up the Gulf of California.

Earthquake shocks in Inyo county continue with loud reports as of a cannon, proceeding from the summit of Mount Breckenridge. Since the first shock, which was felt from Oregon to Central American, the disturbance has been purely local, not being felt west of Sierra Nevada or out of Inyo county.

☞ A jury of six white men and six colored men, in the case of a colored man against a white man, was empannelled in Jersey City recently.

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Leaves Baltimore 12.40 p. m. | Harrisburg 4.40 p.m.
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WESTERN EXPRESS.
Leaves Baltimore 10.05p.m. ar. Harrisburg 12.50 a.m.

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East Penna. Railroad trains leave Reading for Allentown, Easton and New York at 7.34, 10.40 a. m. and 4.05 p. m. Returning leave New York at 9.00 a. m., 12.30 noon and 5.00 p. m. and Allentown at 7.20 a. m. 12.25 noon, 2.15, 4.25 and 8.35 p.m.

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