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MONDAY MORNING, NOV. 26, 1855.

Correspondence of the Newark Daily Advertiser.

Brigandage and Poverty in the Papal States.

ROME, October 26, 1855.—American travelers coming to Italy would do well to avoid the popular but now perilous journey through the interior of the Peninsula, from Venice to Rome; for we still receive frightful reports of the depredations by the famous brigand chief, Lazzarini and his band, who continue to evade the vigilance of both the Austrian and Papal police, notwithstanding the large rewards offered for them. It is believed that they have many passive accomplices among the poverty smitten people of the country, bribed by fear or favor, and that they thus have secure retreats in mountain and in plain. The latest reports from them was received this morning, through a letter from an English party, two gentlemen and their wives, traveling leisurely from this city by *vetturino*.—They were arrested about midnight by five of the bearded brigands, armed to the teeth, in a lonely spot near Ferrara, and robbed of every thing except the most necessary part of the clothes on their backs.

The cowardly coachman yielded at the first threat, and the gentlemen, being tripped up as they sprang from the carriage, were stunned, pinioned and stripped of everything but their shirts and pantaloons by four of the brigands, while the fifth confined the terrified ladies to their seats by the display of a Colt's revolver! Under the promises of exemption from still more terrible outrages, they readily surrendered their watches, jewels, purses and shawls, seeing their pinioned protectors struggling unavailingly on the ground under guard. Meanwhile, the trunks were rifled, when the hideous looking bandits made their obeisance to the ladies, whom they boasted of having treated with such humane consideration, and were almost instantly buried in the adjacent forest.

The gentlemen being loosed by the trembling chicken-hearted, if not guilty, *vetturino*, the party proceeded on to Ferrara, rejoicing in having escaped alive. The mere money estimate of their loss is estimated at over $1,400, including four watches, diamonds, jewels, and about $80 in gold. Their letters of credit and other papers were left undisturbed. The police of Ferrara recognized, by the description given of the robbers, well known members of Lazzarini's band.

There have also been several highway robberies in the vicinity within a few days. Two diligences coming from Porto d'Anzio, (ancient Autumn) the port of the new route between Rome and Naples were stopped on the 15th in the forest of Nettuno by seven brigands. As there had been no steamer that day, there were no passengers, but the poor drivers were robbed of their little all, and the bandits avenged their disappointment by cutting their harness to pieces. A few days after, two French gentlemen were waylaid and robbed between Florence and this city on the upper route near Perugia. The police has notice also of the robbery of a rich *Monte de Pieta*, (a licensed pawning office) at Velletri a few nights since. The robbers carried off $80,000 in jewels, gold, &c., though two sentries were at the door. They were probably bribed. There can be little doubt, in fact, that multitudes of the suffering classes throughout the country sympathise with brigandage, though they may want the pluck to engage in it, and that through the connivance of servants and laborers the brigands are enabled to levy contributions on the comparatively rich proprietors who occupy their country houses during the Autumn and Summer. Large sums have been thus extorted from defenceless families during the present season by these ferocious robbers.

The Papal government is not unmindful of the evil, and does what it can to restrain it. But its sources lie far too deep to be reached by any human police. It is the natural fruit of a pauperized population thoroughly demoralized, long over-borne by tyranny, and besotted by ignorance. With an immense proportion of the people life is a perpetual struggle against a squalor which no fancy can conceive—a restraint of lawlessness, the temptation to which only such poverty can understand. At best, the working classes are only half fed; wages, where work is to be found, reduced below the living point; life, through every hour, hanging upon abject conditions, with no hope for the future.

THE HOUSE OF THE ROTHSCHILDS.—A paragraph has been going the rounds of the press that the Rothschilds were worth eight hundred millions of dollars. A denial of the truth of this statement has been put forth. It would be a waste of words to discuss which estimate is correct. The wealth of the Rothschilds does not consist in lands and tenements, the value of which might be ascertained, but in stocks, bonds and other descriptions of personal property, the amount of which no one knows but themselves. They may be worth the sum suggested or even more, and they may not be worth a quarter of that amount. It is even within the range of possibility, though it is not probable, that the Rothschilds may be worth nothing at all. If, for example, they hold the loans themselves which they have negotiated since the war began, the depreciation on those loans which has taken place lately has caused a loss of fifty millions of dollars. Or, again, a house like theirs, dealing wholly in fluctuating securities, might maintain its credit for years after it was absolutely bankrupt. Paul, Strahan & Co. is a case in point, though on a smaller scale.

The power of the Rothschilds may be estimated with more certainty. It is enormous. No single European monarch is strong enough to oppose it. So far back as forty years ago it proved too great for the first Napoleon, for it furnished the sinews of war to his enemies and thus brought about his downfall. The Emperor, aware of this, sought to conciliate the Rothschilds on his return from Elba; but the head of that house repulsed his advances by the significant remark, "there are two Napoleons in Europe;" and time soon showed that the money Napoleon was the most powerful. At present the house is arrayed against Louis Napoleon; both because he rejects their intervention in obtaining loans, and because the war, which he has inaugurated, is damaging their securities so seriously. Austria, it is conceded, has utterly failed to make peace. The Rothschilds, it is generally conjectured, are now trying their hands for the disturbance in the specie market has been traced home to them; and there is certainly a strong chance of success, because nothing will make England so ready for peace as a continued pressure on the money market.

We have alluded to the loans negotiated by the Rothschilds since the war began. These loans reach the enormous amount of five hundred and fifteen millions, viz: to England $80,000,000; to Turkey $40,000,000; to Austria $120,000,000; a first loan to Russia, $130,000,000; to Sardinia, $10,000,000; to England, in exchequer bills, $35,000,000; and second loan, just being effected, $100,000,000. It is this last loan, which the Rothschilds, it is said, have agreed to pay in gold, that is supposed to be at the bottom of the specie movement. Most of these loans, it is to be presumed, have been sold out before this, the Rothschilds merely acting in such cases as agents between the public and the Government that borrow. Nevertheless, the house can even temporarily assume such a burden within little more than a twelve-month, must be one of gigantic influence, credit, and power. It is now plain that this same house is on the side of peace. It apparently favors Russia if peace should fail to be made. The conflict is thus rendered more equal; for the allies, with the Rothschilds against them, have, as commercial nations, an enemy within their own borders; while Russia, with the Rothschilds on her side, has a certainty of being kept in funds, and money was the thing which, it now appears, she was most deficient in.—*Ledger.*

THE ALEXANDRIA FIRE.—The Washington *Union* makes the following correction of an erroneous statement which we copied from it:

In our account of the fire in our last issue, we stated that Mr. Dowell, the proprietor of the store, and his two clerks, had been arrested and taken before the mayor of Alexandria for examination. This information was derived from our reporter, who, it seems, made up his account of the distressing calamity amid the confusion, excitement and contradictory and exaggerated rumors which the scene was so well calculated to produce. It gives us much pleasure to state that no such arrest was ever made or even contemplated; and we sincerely regret that so respectable a citizen as Mr. Dowell, or any of his employees, should have been placed in such an equivocal position by any apparent remissness on our part.

EXCITEMENT IN A FRENCH TOWN.—The population of the Croix Rousse, at Lyons, assembled in the Grand Place, a short time since, for the annual fete, and were astonished to see a huge lion, which had escaped from a travelling menagerie, advance calmly towards them. They fled in every direction, but the lion taking no notice, continued his promenade to a place called Les Tapis, and there suddenly leaped to a poor donkey, which was tied to a post, and with one grip of his teeth, killed him. The keeper of the forest then calmly placed himself on the ground near his victim, and after a while allowed himself to be conveyed back to the menagerie by his keepers.

APPLES IN NEW ENGLAND.—The New York *Herald* notices the greatly increased attention which is given to the cultivation of the apple throughout New England. Orchards are everywhere planted, as this fruit now forms one of the largest and most profitable crops. This year the yield is very abundant.

ANOTHER LANDMARK DISAPPEARING—*The Last of Vauxhall Garden.*—There was a few days ago a very beautiful and extensive summer resort in the upper part of the city known as Vauxhall Garden. It was situated on the Bowery, opposite Sixth street, and occupied nearly an entire block of ground in length and width. The grounds were neatly laid out, the place was enlivened with trees, and in summer evenings the various walks traversing it were illuminated with thousands of variegated lamps. Ladies and children, accompanied by their male protectors, were happy to pass an hour in the Garden, taking ice-cream and other refreshments.

At this time the garden was some distance out of town, but it was once a pleasant walk to reach it. Business, however, in its progressive march to the suburbs, overtook Vauxhall Garden and the property became greatly increased in value. At first, one piece of it was taken for a house-lot, and thus began the curtailment of a fine public promenade.

The ground once broken, serious encroachments followed year after year. A slice of the garden was taken from the Bowery side, and then another on Lafayette place. The Astor Library and several dwellings despoiled the appearance of the garden on Lafayette Place.—Notwithstanding these sappings, what little of the place that remained was still kept open as a garden as if to remind us that such a thing had existed.

Recently, within six months, the hand of improvement has grasped the last remnant of old Vauxhall. It is now entirely destroyed, scarcely a vestige being left, except a small tree on the rear, which the woodman has spared for a few days—to mark the spot. The property belongs to Mr. Wm. B. Astor, and he has already erected on the Bowery front of the garden some eight brick stores, each four stories high. And the laborers are now digging down into the bowels of the earth, alongside of those buildings, to lay the foundations of more lofty structures of the same kind.

The first encroachment upon the Vauxhall Garden, was the erection of a circus building for an English equestrain named Cooke. He sent to this city an English dramatist named Amhurst, to select a spot for the erection of an amphitheatre on a large scale. Instead of leasing a lot in the lower part of the city, which was probably on account of not being acquainted with the localities, he invested a large amount in the erection of a place of amusement at Vauxhall. This was about the year 1834. Cooke came from London with one of the best circus companies ever brought to the United States. The circus was opened brilliantly, but the expense was so great, that it was given up after the first season. The company then went to Baltimore, where they performed. The building, however, was destroyed by fire while there, together with all the property of Mr. Cooke and his company including the horses.

Several attempts were afterwards made to resuscitate the circus at Vauxhall, but all failed. In later years Disbrow had his riding school there, and recently it was used as a stable.

Delacroix was the first lessee of Vauxhall, and fitted up neatly as a French garden. It then occupied the grounds from Bowery to Broadway, including Lafayette place. Where the Colonade buildings now stand, was the spot where Delacroix let off fireworks on the 4th of July. Although the garden was then fairly out of town, ten thousand persons were known to be gathered there to witness the protechnic displays on the occasion of the celebration of our national anniversary. The population of the city at that time was about eighty thousand.—*N. Y. Eve. Post.*

A REMARKABLE FRAUD.—A most extraordinary instance of official speculation has recently come to light in Russia. It appears that in the returns of the Russian army there had always figured, for equipment, pay, munitions and supplies, and for a force of 18,000 men so-called division of reserve, which ought to consist of one or two companies from each regiment serving in the Great Caucasus. This division was employed in keeping the outposts among the mountains. They made a great fuss about the little forts built or building for it and which were garrisoned by small detachments from the main body, in conformity with the regulations. One day General Woronzoff, the Emperor's viceroy in the Caucasus, set out with a princely suit for the purpose of inspecting these 18,000 men. He reached a village and commanded a superior officer to order detachments of the division to assemble for the purpose of being reviewed. He was told that the posts were so scattered among the mountains that it would require at least three weeks to get the troops together, and being in danger of famine if he remained in the place with his numerous retinue, the General relinquished the object of his visit. When the campaign in Asia was ordered by the Emperor Nicholas, General Moravieff seeing this contingent of 18,000 men figure in the army list, took it also into his head to go and ascertain the state of these troops. He took the precaution to travel without a retinue, taking only a single aid-de-camp, and meeting with the same reception as his predecessor, announced his intention of waiting until the troops could be collected from the mountain fortresses. He did not wait in idleness, however from but active personal inspection came to the conclusion that the forts had not been built, and that the men existed only on paper! Consequently for the twenty-five or thirty years that war has been waged in the Caucasus, the Russian government had been paying enormous sums for the maintainance of an imaginary division for construction of chimerical forts, true castles in the air. If this is a fair specimen of Russian military management, what vast sums must be squandered for sham armies and warlike preparations!

Slaves are better fed, clothed and treated, and more kindly cared for in old age, than the majority of Northern laborers.—[*Favorite Pro-Slavery Argument.*

If so, it is astonishing how little they appreciate the blessings of their condition. To get out of it, one secretes himself in the hold of a vessel; another boxes himself in a cask; a third threads woods and swamps in the dark, guided only by the north star; a fourth swims rivers and risks bloodhounds and rifle bullets sooner than be taken; a fifth disguises himself and sets out for a land of strangers without a penny in his pocket; a sixth plunges in the river at Wilksbarre, preferring drowning to capture. One day it is a boy that has run away, the next day a girl; then a man and his wife; then a mother and her children; then a superannuated old man. Last week we heard of six from Virginia, yesterday of eleven from Arkansas, to-day of a dozen from Kentucky. One is half naked, another has a scarred cheek, a third a branded arm, a fourth a mangled back, a fifth a bullet in his leg. Yet all these were "better fed, clothed and treated, and more kindly cared for in old age," we are expected to believe, "than the majority of Northern laborers!"

And even when they have been away long enough to learn the difference between their past and present condition, they are perpetually hoarding up hard earned sixpences and shillings, and begging from door to door, in order to buy some husband, or wife, or child, out of the blessed state of Slavery, and into the "privations and hardships" of Freedom!

Southern friends! you judge of Slavery from your own sleek and well-conditioned households, where it exists in its mildest and kindest form. We judge of it from the samples sent us from your slave pens, and your rice and cotton fields. Both perhaps exaggerate. But when our "Northern laborers" come to *you*, begging you for shelter, for food, for clothes, for money to buy their own wives and children—when they show you the scars made by *our* bloodhounds, cat-o'-nine-tails and branding irons—when they pray you, for the love of God, not to send them home, but to help them forward, any where out of the country, as *your* Slaves do to us—then, and not till then, we will believe that humanity is not better guaranteed by Constitutional Liberty than by Chattel Slavery.—*Alb. Eve. Jour.*

THE receipts of beeves for the past week at the regular markets varied only 148 from the preceding week. An impression obtained early in the day yesterday that the supply was unusually short, and the first sales of good cattle were made at a considerable advance,—the best beeves selling at 11c@12½c. But the rain, and the discovery that there was a good supply, soon changed the tone of the market, and prices fell off,—closing quite as low as on the preceding market-day.

The Western Drovers say there is a prospect of an increase in the price of Beef, owing to advanced charges upon the railroads, amounting to several dollars per head upon those coming from Kentucky and other Western States. They say that the relative prices here at the West had become adjusted to the former expense of bringing cattle forward, allowing a small difference for profit to the dealers, and that the advance in the rates of freight now absorb all the difference, leaving no inducement to traders.

A plan is on foot to turn this trade over the Pennsylvania Railroad, and it is proposed to hold a Convention of Western Cattle men at Columbus, to carry the plan into operation.—*N. Y. Times.*

WE learn from the New York papers that on and after the 5th of January next, the COLLINS steamers will leave New York on Saturdays instead of Wednesdays; and leave Liverpool on Wednesdays instead of Saturdays, commencing on the 23d of January next. They will sail from New York and from Liverpool every other week, the same as the present arrangement.

JUDGE KANE.—The New York Commercial *Advertiser*, one of the hardest of the old "bunker papers in the country, says in reference to the suit against Judge Kane:—

"The *Pennsylvanian* seems considerably alarmed about the possible result of Passmore Williamson's action against Judge Kane for false imprisonment, as well it may, and attempts to prepare the way for the Judge declining trial in Delaware county, and selecting some court that is more likely to accord with his and the *Pennsylvanian's* views of the constitutional law. If the *Pennsylvanian* fears that popular sympathy will be with Mr. Williamson rather than with Judge Kane, we think its fears are well grounded. Nor can we think that Judge Kane feels entire confidence in the result of the trial for had he been satisfied with his action in committing Passmore Williamson, he would hardly have discharged him without something more than the semblance of submission."

It is undoubtedly true that Judge Kane fears the issue of the trial in which an outraged and injured man seeks redress for the wrongs inflicted upon him by the Jeffries of Slavery.—In his heart, Judge Kane, we are firmly persuaded, *knows* that he has been in wrong, and his concern, therefore, is not a matter for wonder. He has used his power against the freedom and rights of a free citizen;—he must expect to make up his mind, to bear it, in its full extent, the disgrace which free men, as adjudicators between the injuring and the injured, will inflict upon him.—*Newark Daily Mercury.*

CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD.—A private letter to the editor of the Cumberland Telegraph from a distinguished gentleman of Pennsylvania, states that Pittsburg and Allegheny county, Pa., will finish this important enterprise to Connellsville a distance of 57 miles more than one-third of the whole road, and the Company looks to Westmoreland, Fayette and Somerset counties, Pennsylvania, and to Allegheny county and the city of Cumberland, Maryland; to complete it from that point to Cumberland. The Telegraph says:

"It is hoped that an effort, and a vigorous one, will be made to the Legislature at its next session, and as early in the session as possible, to obtain the passage of a law authorizing the corporate authorities of Cumberland to guarantee the bonds of the company to the amount of two hundred thousand dollars. This sum, it is said, will be sufficient to obtain the million guaranteed by the city of Baltimore; and justify it to commence operations on this end of the road without further delay.

INTERMARRIAGES AND THEIR FRUITS.—Block Island is so isolated from the rest of the world, that the intermarriages of those more or less nearly related by blood are more common than elsewhere. The consequence have been very unfavorable in the physical condition of the inhabitants. The providence Journal mentions the death, at that place, of Mrs. Nancy Dodge, wife of John F. Dodge, leaving three deaf and dumb sons. A great proportion of the inmates of the asylums for the deaf and dumb, the blind and the idiotic, are found to be the product of the intermarriage of cousins.

HEAVY PURCHASES OF WHEAT.—On Wednesday there arrived at New York by the Hudson river, about 90,000 bushels of wheat, of which 60,000 bushels were consigned to H. A. Kelly, Esq., who had previously received large consignments. It is said that Mr. Kelly as the agent of Mr. Ward of Boston, has been making heavy purchases of wheat at the West. The latter gentleman is shipping it to Cork and Southampton, and is believed to be acting for Baring Brothers, of London who are said to be agents for the French government.

CONGRESSIONAL NAMES.—There are in the Congress which will assemble on Monday, the 3d prox., three Smiths, the same number of Wrights, of Campbells, of Bells, of Jones, of Washburns and of Millers, and fourteen other names of which there are two members bearing each the same name.

RAILROAD LOAN.—The St. Louis *Republican* learns that a test vote was taken on the 15th inst., in the Senate of Missouri, on the proposition to loan $300,000 to the Pacific Railroad Company, and that it was decided in favor of the loan.

RAIL ROAD STOCKS FOR SALE—10 shares Ohio and Penna. Railroad; 25 do do do. Apply to BLAKELY & RICHEY.

WILLIAM TATE, Plumber and Gas Fitter, No. 10 Fourth street, near Liberty, and 472 Penn street, next door to Ald. Parkinson's Office, and Federal st. opposite Schwartz's Drug Store, Allegheny. Every description of Fittings for Water, Gas and Steam.

BASKETS—50 Nests Covered Market, 30 do Open do, 6 dozen Round do, 10 do School do. Also a large assortment of Fancy and Work Baskets, received this day by Penna. R. R. and for sale by W. H. TALCOTT & CO., 6 Wood, cor. 4th st.

FISH—100 bbls No 3 large Mackerel; 100 half do do do; 50 bbls. White Fish; 50 bbls. Trout; 75 ¾ do do; 100 ¾ do do; 20 bbls. Salmon; 25 ¾ do Salmon, in store for sale by J. B. CANFIELD.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—50 sacks rec'd and for sale by M'CANDLESS, MEANS & CO., corner Wood and Water streets.

DRIED PEACHES—100 sacks rec'd and for sale by McCANDLESS, MEANS & CO.

TANNERS' SCRAPS—7 sacks rec'd and for sale by McCANDLESS, MEANS & CO.

J. SCHOONMAKER & CO., No. 13 Wood street, between First and Water sts., Manufacturers of White Lead, Zinc White, Red Lead, Litharge, Putty and Dealers in Pure Linseed and Lard Oils.

LINSEED OIL—30 bbls in fine order, warranted pure, for sale by J. SCHOONMAKER & CO., No. 24 Wood st.

COPAL VARNISH—10 bbls. best quality, for sale by J. SCHOONMAKER & CO.

BALM THOUSAND FLOWERS—A large supply of this celebrated article just rec'd by JOS. FLEMING, cor. Diam'd & Market st.

TOOTH BRUSHES—I have just rec'd another lot of fine Tooth Brushes. Those wishing anything in this line should call and examine mine before purchasing elsewhere. JOS FLEMING.

INFANT HAIR BRUSHES—A large and fine assortment of Infant Hair Brushes just rec'd by JOS FLEMING.

NAIL BRUSHES—A fine assortment of Nail Brushes rec'd by JOS FLEMING.

HULL'S OLD PALM SOAP—A large supply of this celebrated Soap rec'd by JOS FLEMING.

GLYCERINE & COLD CREAM, excellent article for chapped hands, &c: a large supply on hand at JOS FLEMING.

HAIR DYES—A large assortment of Hair Dyes, all of which will be warranted, rec'd by JOS FLEMING.

NUTMEGS—200 lbs prime No. 1 Nutmegs, for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO., Cor. Wood and 2d sts.

RHUBARB—150 lbs Crimea, for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.

IRISH MOSS—4 bbls white, nice article, for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.

ROSIN OIL—10 bbls just received and for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.

JAMAICA GINGER—250 lbs assorted Jamaica Ginger, for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.

LARD OIL—10 bbls No. 1 for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.

COLOCYNTH APPLE—1 case just rec'd and for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.

EXTRACT LOGWOOD—50 bxs. for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.

GENTS FURNISHING GOODS—A. A. Mason & Co. have just received some dozen different styles of Gents Furnishing Scarfs.

WOOLEN LONG SHAWLS—A. A. Mason & Co. have just received over 1000 Long Shawls of the celebrated manufacture of the Bay State and Empire State Company.

TENN. FLOUR—31 sacks now landing from steamer Yorktown, for sale by ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

GREASE & TALLOW OIL—14 bbls. Grease; 5 bbls. Tallow Oil, now landing from steamer Yorktown, for sale by ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

KISS PAPER—25 bundles for sale low by J. SCHOONMAKER & CO.

PULVERIZED HERBS, in 1-4 lb. cans: Sage, Thyme, Savory, Marjoram, for sale by W. A. McCLURG.

BUCKWHEAT—61 sacks for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS.

DRIED PEACHES—80 bus rec'd and for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS.

BUTTER—2 bbls fresh roll for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS.

MINCED MEAT—A superior article of prepared Minced Meat, put up in six pound cans, for sale by W. A. McCLURG.

NEW RAISINS AND FIGS rec'd by W. A. McCLURG.

ALUM—75 bbls. for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

LINSEED OIL—4000 galls for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

GUM SHELLAC—11 cases for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

ONIONS—25 bbls prime fresh Onions just received and for sale by SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

OIL BURGAMOT—100 lbs for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., corner Front and Wood sts.

CASTILE SOAP—100 bxs for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

ARNICA FLOWERS—1 cask for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO., corner of Wood and Second sts.

SUGAR—50 hhds. New Orleans Sugar for sale by JOHN FLOYD & CO.

TAPIOCA—1 bbl. Rio, for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.

SOCOTRINE ALOES—100 lbs. for sale by R. E. SELLERS & CO.