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PITTSBURGH GAZETTE.

FRIDAY, MORNING, FEB. 1, 1856.

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Pittsburgh Weekly Gazette.—The extensive circulation of our *Weekly Gazette* offers to our business men a most desirable medium of making their business known. Our circulation is between four and five thousand, reaching almost every merchant, manufacturer and shop keeper in Western Pennsylvania, and Eastern Ohio.

From the Alta California, Jan. 5.

CALIFORNIA.—Since the sailing of the last steamer, the weather throughout the State has been unusually cold. Ice had formed in San Francisco and Sacramento about half an inch in thickness, and much snow has fallen in the mining or mountain regions. In this city the thermometer has for several days past been in the neighborhood of thirty degrees Fahrenheit, which is the extreme limit of our winter climate.

A Difficulty occured a few days since at Bidwell's Ranch resulting in the death of five Indians and one white man. The Indians came into a store kept by Mr. Jos. Schaffer, and asked for some flour, and demanded it without payment. Upon being refused they immediately shot him down and killed him. The white residents in the neighborhood gathered together and pursued the murderers, and succeeded in killing five of them.

From the mines, we have the most cheering accounts. The recent rains have given the miners plenty of water, and therefore plenty of work.

The export of wheat during the past year has been quite large, equivalent to 152,566 barrels of flour. Australia and New York have furnished our principal markets for surplus breadstuffs. The total amount of wheat raised in this State during the past year, is estimated as high as 2,525,444 bushels. A much larger amount will doubtless be produced this year.

On the 20th of December, the U. S. Land Commission confirmed the claim of the Catholic Church to the Mission Church buildings, the graveyards, and orchards, and vineyards attached to them, in the 21 old Mission of California.—Since then the claim made by Bishop Allemany, for one league of land in each Mission, on behalf of the Christian Indians, has been rejected.

The loss by fires in the State during the year 1855, is estimated at $2,062,500.

The total number of Lynch Law executions in the State during the year was 48, of which 19 were on the charge of murder, 25 on charge of theft, 1 for rape, 1 for arson, and 2 Indians charged with being spies.

There were 9 executions, all for murder, according to statute law.

There were 538 homicides, of which 183 were Indians, 32 Chinamen, 3 negroes, 84 Spaniards, and 276 other whites. Some addition—amounting to about 15 or 20—must be made to this calender after the receipt of news from all parts of the State to the end of the year.

During 1855 there were 187 applications for the benefit of the insolvent act of San Francisco, and the applicants estimated their assets at $1,519,175, and their liabilities at $8,307,827—leaving a deficiency of $6,858,652.

During 1855 the passengers arriving by sea at San Francisco, were 31,750, and those departing were 22,898—being an increase for the State of 8,861 persons.

The gold exported during the year, as shown by the Custom House books, was $45,182,631.

The number of vessels arrived at this port during the past year, was 1,520, and their tonnage was 517,919. Of these 1,022 were from various ports in California, Oregon and Washington Territories; 138 from Eastern U. S. ports; 79 from Europe; 46 from the Sandwich Islands; 41 from China; 23 from Australia; 13, from whaling voyages; 45 from Spanish America, and 48 Isthmus steamers.

The exports, exclusive of gold to New York, were estimated to be worth $833,062; to the Sandwich Islands, $405,092; to Australia, $898,000; to the East Indies and China, $238,068; to South America, $687,848; to Great Britain, $200,589; and other ports, $871,592.

During the year there were 207 marriages in San Francisco; 72 applications for divorce, and 41 divorces granted.

LATEST FROM KANSAS.—The correspondent of the N. Y. *Times* writes as follows:

JAN. 16.—Yesterday the election of State officers came off, and with quiet tranquility so far as now heard from. Robinson is beyond doubt elected by a large majority, the bolting ticket having made but little progress. Lawrence gave the regular ticket a good indorsement.—The vote throughout the Territory will be pretty full, except in Leavenworth. Kicapoo, Achison, and may be some other towns on the river where we expect no polls were opened, on account of absolute fear of loss of life and property. The Mayor of Leavenworth issued a proclamation forbidding the holding of any election, as he deemed it unsafe so to do. The former Mayor, I learn, has resigned, who was a professed Free-State man, the new one is not.

The Pro-Slavery Party in this precinct came forward and voted generally for Black Law men. They did it through fear that the State organization might amount to something, and if it did, they said they wished to be represented. But the regular Free-State ticket was elected.

More arrests for crimes have been attempted by Sheriff Jones. He succeeded in arresting two men, charged with stealing. They were guilty of some flagrant crimes, and no interference was offered, more on this account than on any other. One of them, however, presented a revolver to Jones, and said he would not be taken. Jones afterwards succeeded in getting him. This was last week; but to-day, after the criminal was bound over, and Jones was about taking him to a place of safe-keeping, the wife of the offender came forward, took her husband by the arm, and told the Sheriff he could not go; whereupon Jones advanced to take him, when she drew a revolver, cocked it and raised it, bidding him not to touch her husband, if he did, she would shoot. This was in the street, in front of the Magistrate's office. A large crowd at once gathered round, and sent up a loud laugh, much to the chargin of Jones. This happened late this afternoon, and the prisoner will be in *her* custody, instead of the Sheriff's, tonight. What the result will be, no one can tell. The woman was from Massachusetts. Names may be necessary hereafter.

Another man, charged with being engaged in robbing a tailor's shop, refused to be arrested on any terms.

I am fully convinced that another invasion will be made. Woodson is acting Governor, and Jones says he will put us through, as Governor Shannon did not. The person attempted to be arrested has escaped—*probably* he has not gone far. We have not seen the end of our troubles.

THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF PENNSYLVANIA.—This useful society instituted in 1825, for the purpose of perpetuating and illustrating the important events which have happened in the history of our State, and of preserving a correct record of its historical details, so important to posterity, has established a permanent publication fund, a subscription to which of twenty dollars obtains the right to receive during life one copy of each book, or other matter published by the society subsequent to the date of subscription. The principal of the fund is invested as received, and the yearly revenue appropriated to the objects of the trust. The publication fund now amounts to $9000, and the first book issued is an elegant volume of 420 pages, being the History of Braddock's Defeat, by Winthrop Sargent, with valuable maps and engravings. Nearly five hundred copies have been sold in addition to the distribution to the subscribers to the Fund. Under a resolution adopted for this purpose, persons who shall become subscribers to the Fund before the first day of May next, will be regared as entitled to a copy of this History. Letters containing subscriptions to the Fund are to be addressed to the "Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia."

The Association is as extended as the State, and its privileges are open to every Pennsylvanian, and without respect to residence. Any person may thus acquire a permanent interest in the Society, and a right to participate in the best fruits of its labors. The advantage of such a connection with it has been promptly recognized, and already numerous subscriptions have been received, not only from our own interior counties, but from other States. The contributions to its literary resources have come from every quarter of the State, and it now enrolls in its list of members many of our most eminent and useful citizens. A Society like this is eminently useful, and it should receive a zealous co-operation from all the liberal and intelligent citizens of the State. This could be done in the collection of materials for the history of the State, and records of eminent services, local or general, by citizens of the State, historical notices of towns and counties, memoranda of remarkable facts, biographical and genealogical notices, and letters, diaries and other manuscripts, accompanied with statements establishing the genuineness and authority of the documents. In this way persons could materially assist the objects contemplated, without the funds of the Society being impaired.

POLITICS AND POLITENESS.—The President of the United States should be while he remains in office, at least, the first gentleman in the nation, and, in his personal intercourse, with even the humblest of his fellow citizens, he should never seem to know any difference of politics or fortune. We have never yet, until in a recent instance, heard of an act of personal rudeness or ill-breeding in any of our Presidents, towards a political opponent. When John Quincy Adams was President, he had a personal altercation with the late Commodore Porter, and once refused to take the hand of the gallant sailor, when Lafayette acted as a mediator between them. But in no instance, that we remember, has ever the President been guilty of a personal incivility to a political opponent who visited him in his official residence. Such a gross impropriety, we regret to learn, has recently taken place at the President's mansion. We should be most happy if the source of our information permitted us to doubt the truth of the incident. According to the facts, as related to us, it seems that, a fort-night ago, Senator Hale, of New Hampshire, accompanied by his wife and daughter, called upon the President at one of his public receptions; the ladies were received by the President with his accustomed graciousness and urbanity of manner; but, when the good-natured Senator himself approached the presence of His Excellency to salute him, President Pierce turned deliberately upon his heel and presented his back to his visitor. The movement was executed in such a manner as to make the indignity marked and unmistakable.

The cause of offence on the part of the Senator, which so worked upon the mind of the President as to induce him to act in a manner so unbecoming his station, was Mr. Hale's remarks upon the Annual Message in the Senate. The insult offered by the President, therefore, was not an accidental expression of malevolent feeling towards a personal enemy, which a man of strong passions might be betrayed into; but it was a deliberate outrage towards a political opponent, who had dared to criticise his acts before the Senate and the country.

Mr. Hale had the same right to visit the Presidential mansion that any other decently dressed citizen had, on the occasion of a public reception, and, if he could forget his political differences, the President had no right to remember them. The conduct of the President towards Mr. Hale, will doubtless be the means of keeping many other of the President's political antagonists from visiting the White House, and it may have been intended as a hint to them that their personal attendance was not desired by him. His extraordinary conduct towards Governor Reeder, and the tone of his last Message, coupled with his treatment of Senator Hale, make it too palpable that he is ready to do anything which will be likely to conciliate the South.

It is a sad sign of the state of our inter-political relations with the South, that there is said to be a good deal of social proscription in Washington this winter, on the part of the leading members of Congress from the Slave States. Several Southern members, we have been informed, have refused to be introduced to gentlemen on the score of their known opposition to the extension of Slavery. If the President sets the example of turning his back on a Senator from his own State, on the ground of a difference of opinion on public matters, we must not be surprised at any kind of ruffianism which may be exhibited towards their opponents by his supporters. The President's mansion should be a neutral ground in Washington where men from all sections of the Union, and of every variety of opinions, may meet to exchange the civilities and urbanities which should always mark the conduct of gentlemen. Such it has been in past years, and we regret that anything should have occurred during the occupancy of the National mansion by a Northern man to destroy its character.—*N. Y. Times.*

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—The Times has private letters from Port-au-Prince to the 30th of Dec., giving as full particulars of the Emperor's defeat and flight. His army consisted of about 30,000 men, which were divided into three detachments—the army from the north, under the command of Paul Ducayeste, of 7,000 men, another of 4,000 men who took a southern route, and the main body of the army under the Emperor. Of the company which took the southern route nothing is known, except that after crossing the line they were met by a body of Dominicans, and the Jacmal regiment, which was in advance, broke their lines at the first fire, precipitated themselves upon the rear, and produced a general route of the whole regiment. The force under the immediate command of the Emperor amounted to about 18,000 men. When near Las Cahoias, in an open plain bordered by a piece of woods, they came upon a body of Dominicans about 400 in number, with a cannon. The advance guard continued to move forward until within gun-shot of the Dominicans, when a conflict occurred, and the Haytiens made a precipitate retreat, throwing themselves upon the main body of the army, which was simultaneously charged by the Dominicans. A general retreat of the Haytiens now ensued, leaving the Emperor and his staff almost alone. They took to a by path through the woods and escaped, but by the narrowest chance. The enemy at one time were within a few feet of him, and he was only saved by the loyal exertions of his staff officers, several of whom lost their lives in defending his. The Emperor is said to have reached a place about sixty miles from Cape Haytien with only one thousand men. The southern troops who deserted him so faithlessly, to the number of 1,600, succeeded in reaching Las Cahoias. The Emperor sent orders for them to join him, but they refused to do so. Where the rest of the grand army had gone was not known at Port-au-Prince. The Emperor's pecuniary loss must have been very great. He had with him over $200,000 in money, which was taken, and with it most of the arms, ammunition, and provisions of his troops—for most of them threw away their arms when they took to their heels.

GEORGE LAW—OR LIVE HOAX GEORGE—has been writing a letter to Lewis R. Parker of Trenton which is entirely in the virtuous vein. He has heard it intimated in various quarters, that he is spending money to secure a nomination for the Presidency, but he assures Mr. Parker that it is all a mistake. He says nothing concerning that check for $200 which was debated about in our State Council, but we presume that was merely intended as an act of charity. On the face of it there is something in this letter which may seriously damage Mr. Law's prospects, and that is a threat to publish any communication asking for money addressed to him. Look out you boys in this vicinity who are bleeding this candidate, for one of your drafts may be published before you are aware. On the whole however we are inclined to believe that "Live Hoax" is tired of the suckers who are living upon him, and as the 22d of February approaches they will be gradually thinned out.—*Newark (N. J.) Mercury.*

The *Republic* of Saturday evening publishes a rumor that the charter of the Buffalo and Pittsburgh Railroad Company has been disposed of to an eastern company.

We, too, heard the rumor, but as yet have been unable to find any foundation for it, and believe the story unworthy of credence. The only thing we can learn in regard to the matter is, that the owners of the McKean county coal mines have entered into bonds with the Buffalo and Pittsburgh Company, agreeing to build a road from their mines to the State Line, a distance of twelve miles, the work to be proceeded with at the opening of spring. We presume that the Buffalo and Pittsburgh Company will go forward with their road under the circumstances.—*Buffalo Com.*

A resolution asserting that the Missouri Compromise ought not to have been submitted to, *even to the save Union*, has passed the popular branch of the Alabama Legislature by a vote of 62 to 26. There is one curious fact, says the Richmond Enquirer, connected with these proceedings—and that is, that the author of the aforesaid resolutions (Mr. Walker,) is the son of Senator Walker, who represented Alabama in the Senate of the United States, in 1820, and *voted for the Missouri Compromise!* The son now votes that his father did wrong in voting for the Missouri Compromise, even to save the Union! Which is only an illustration of the promptitude and *vim* with which "Young America," at the present day puts its veto upon and repudiates the past.

THE JEROME CLOCK CO.—The Bridgeport Ct. *Standard*, which seems to be the organ of P. T. Barnum, tells us that gentleman is involved with the Jerome Manuf. Co. to the amount of $450,000, and intimates that he intends to shirk that responsibility if he can do so. We have no idea of the manner in which Mr. Barnum intends to escape from his obligations. The *Standard* is correct in stating that the assets of the company are $60,000 less than the obligations. We understand that the debts are represented at $530,000, and the assets of all kinds at $470,000.

EPIGRAM.—The Boston *Post* perpetrates the following upon Botts and the Know Nothings:

"D'ye think," quoth Ned, "that Botts will please
The Northern Hindoo masses?"
"I think" quoth Jim," a horse disease
Is good enough for asses."

The *Republican Journal*, of Belfast, Me., informs us that the delegation chosen to represent that State in the Cincinnati Convention, go for Buchanan.

THE MACKEREL CATCH OF 1855.—It appears, according to the Inspector General's report, that during the year 1855, 211,952 barrels of mackerel were inspected in Massachusetts, of which 29,187 were number 1's; 91,125 number 2's; and 90,801 number 3's. In 1854 the whole number of barrels was 135,849. The greatest catch was 383,658 in 1831. After that the falling off was pretty uniform to 50,400 in 1840; and since they have almost constantly increased to 1848, when they reached 317,101. In 1849 there were 231,856; in '50—252,572; in '51—329,440; in '52—317,544; in '53—133,840.—This year Gloucester has the largest catch, 78,102 barrels; next Boston, with 43,936; Wellfleet, 30,837; Newburyport, 18,240.

The Newburyport *Herald* says:—

The prices have varied more than the numbers; and the decline from 1832 was more on that account than any other; and so has been the increase since 1840; their great value causing more vessels to engage in the pursuit. But even at the prices of the last few years, enormously high, much over the actual value, unless they are regarded as a luxury, it is a poor business and will never pay of itself. It is very well, however, as connected with shoe-making, and for four or five months in the year, if there is not too much expense on the vessels, is pleasant and profitable.

THE Cleveland Leader says among the most obstinate and uncompromising opponents of Mr. Banks is Mr. Haven, of Buffalo, law partner of Ex-President Fillmore. He was elected as an Anti-Nebraska candidate, and yet he is found voting for Mr. Fuller who declares himself in favor of the schemes of the slavery extensionists! He is to Mr. Fillmore, as Friday was to Robinson Crusoe.

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HOOFLAND'S BITTERS—I have just rec'd a large supply of these celebrated bitters; also a supply of Boerhave's Holland Bitters rec'd by ja25 JOS FLEMING, corner Diamond and Market st.

LARD—13 barrels No. 1 extra Lard, 6 kegs just received and for sale by ja29 ATWELL, LEE & CO.

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BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—250 sacks for sale by ja25 SMITH, MAIR & HUNTER.

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DR. L. B. WRIGHT'S LIQUID CATHARTIC—A pleasant vegetable family physic, just rec'd and for sale by S. N. WICKERSHAM, wholesale Agent, Liberty street, head of Wood, Pittsburgh. ja9

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RYE FLOUR—40 bbls choice Flour just rec'd on consignment and for sale by ja14 ATWELL, LEE & CO.

EGGS—5 bbls fresh Eggs, for sale by ja10 SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

CHEESE—75 boxes prime W. R. Cutting Cheese, for sale by SHRIVER & DILWORTH.

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