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PITTSBURGH:
SATURDAY MORNING, FEB. 20, 1858.

Do not neglect to read the article from Forney's Press, which we publish on our first page.

MEXICAN REVOLUTIONS.—When we read of revolutions in Mexico, and other Spanish American States, we are disposed to regard them solely as public events, and as such, national in their results. We never take into account the destruction of human life—the reckless waste of private property—and the individual suffering which follow in their wake. Mexico has just passed through one of those chronic outbreaks, to which that nation has been subject ever since it has an organized existence, and it is painful to contemplate the havoc which has been made by the contending factions. It is not the loss of Comonfort, who is now in exile in this country, which the people of Mexico are called upon to deplore. Their ruined homes, their dismantled public edifices, their pillaged store houses first claim their regrets and their sympathies, and should cause many a lover of his country and its people to ask, "When will these things end—when will these ravenous vultures cease preying upon the oppressed and downtrodden people? How long will poor distracted and dismembered Mexico submit to the cruel domination of mercenary priests, corrupt statesmen and blood-thirsty generals?" More property is destroyed in one of these spasmodic "revolutions" than years of peace and prosperity could restore, even if Mexicans were more enterprising, thrifty and industrious than they really are. Destruction, rapine and bloodshed seem, however, to be the favorite pursuits of its statesman and leading men; and as long as this state of affairs exist, so long will Mexico be what it is—a weak and inconsiderable state, without order at home or power abroad.

The 20th of January, the day previous to the abdication and flight of Comonfort, who, by the way was a good enough ruler, as times are, the decisive battle was fought in the streets of the city. The Convent of Arordada, where the government troops were quartered, was attacked by the insurgents, and was soon compelled to yield, though not until after a severe engagement.—This decided the day in favor of the Revolutionists, and Comonfort fled. The damage done to the city is what claims our attention, however, and we therefore quote from an account of the sad work of that memorable day:

"In the church of San Francisco, on the further side of the Boulevards, three bomb-shells, which were thrown into the church, exploded, and did considerable damage to the organ, breaking a great number of its pipes. In Mineria the hand grenades did a great deal of damage. They were thrown from the fortress with such a well directed aim that four of them fell upon the observatory, when the enemy had taken a position in order to fire down upon the church of La Conception. One side of the hospital of Terceros has the marks of five different volleys of cannon, some of which made a breach in the wall and penetrated as far as the shop of Senor Penunuri.

"Several hand grenades were thrown, with admirable skill in pointing, from the towers of the governmental palace. One of these, which was thrown upon the church of St. Francisco, fell inside the steeple of the church, and killed instantly from ten to a dozen soldiers who were there, completely clearing away all the sand bags which had been fixed up on the tower for defence, not leaving so much as one of them.

"Besides various other damages, there are quantities of whole blocks in the city which have been fired upon and large breaches made in the houses, by the special orders of Senor Comonfort."

THE KANSAS QUESTION AT WASHINGTON.—The intelligent and observing correspondent of the *North American*, (Philadelphia,) in his letter from Washington, dated Feb. 17th, thus notices the present phase of the Kansas question. It will be observed that the administration is marshalling its forces, and resorting to all the trickery at its command to consummate the great fraud on the majority of the people of Kansas. Mr. Buchanan having made the fatal step seems determined to leave no means untried to accomplish his purposes, which are those of his Southern masters, even though the act covers his name with everlasting infamy. "Whom the Gods would destroy they first make mad," is illustrated in this instance in a striking manner. The correspondent says:

"Behind the scenes, where the Kansas drama is usually rehearsed for the amusement of distinguished personages only, there is an inclination to repeat the part which was tried at the compromise of 1850, by uniting Minnesota to Kansas, and thus consigning both to the same fate. That game [illegible] for there is both the "will to do and the soul to dare" in that Chamber. The majority, too, is likely to be larger than was anticipated in my estimate some weeks ago, produced by changes which could not be foreseen. It will probably be six in a full Senate, and may even reach seven or eight. General Houston, who led off so gallantly at the opening of the session, has receded from his position, and will vote for Lecompton under cover of instructions from his Legislature. There is some reason to hope, on the other hand, that Mr. Allen, of Rhode Island, who was counted affirmatively, will obey his instructions in the opposite direction. Mr. Kennedy and Mr. Pearce, who were regarded as doubtful, are now confidently counted on the Administration side.—Mr. Bell is not intimidated by the instructions of political opponents at home, and will consistently and patriotically adhere to the course which he marked out for himself, when his moral influence was invoked to stay the hand which sundered the compact of perpetual peace between the North and the South in 1854. Let the country honor and remember his devotion to the Union. Mr. Crittenden has signified his intention of co-operating with Mr. Bell, and his colleague, Mr. Thompson, will probably imitate the example, as the sentiment of the leading journals of both parties in Kentucky is outspoken and unmistakeable.

Of the movement of that delectable specimen of a modern democratic politician of the Buchanan school—the notorious and thrice-infamous Calhoun—we have the following. He is also true to his vocation, and shows himself worthy of his distinguished coadjutor in the White House:

"Mr. Calhoun has submitted a statement to the Committee on Territories of the Senate, embodying his version of the facts connected with the Lecompton convention and constitution. Such a document must be highly important. His so-called vindication is also prepared, and may be published to-morrow, or on Friday. In regard to the complexion of the Legislature, he will say, if the affidavits of the judges of the election at Delaware Crossing—his own judges—which, it now appears, were communicated by Gov. Denver to the Secretary of the Interior in print, as cut from a newspaper—are verified to be genuine before Gov. Denver, and made without compulsion, then the proof will be conclusive as to the right of the free State men to the majority, and certificates will be issued accordingly. This is the last card to be played for Lecompton, and would have been dealt a week ago, but for the duress to which the federal official was subjected by our "southern brethren."

"The Lecompton managers in Kansas are now in Washington in a body. Calhoun, Henderson, Elmore, and a number of others of the same stripe, may be seen daily walking the Avenue, with a bold and swaggering air. They have been summoned to aid in carrying out in Congress the fraud, which they commenced in Kansas. Their associate and co-laborer, M'Lean, who figured in the Delaware Crossing return, is daily expected, having been reported as on his way to the Federal City.

It will be observed by the telegraphic summary of foreign news, in another part of this paper, that the French have taken an important step towards perpetuating the Bonapartes as the ruling family of France. They have declared the Empress Eugenie Regent, so that should the Emperor die during the minority of his child, his consort will be entitled to hold the reins of government. So much for the recent attempt at his assassination.

A COOL RECEPTION.—In the lower house of the Tennessee Legislature, a resolution tendering the use of the hall to Gen. William Walker, and calling upon him for a public address upon Nicaraguan affairs, was tabled by a vote of 31 to 23.

THE TEST.—The President has removed from office the postmasters at Chicago and Columbus, although they were appointed by himself a few months since, on the ground of their opposition to the Lecompton villainy. It has thus been decided at "head quarters" that the famous old doctrine that "the majority shall rule" shall be stricken out of the democratic creed, under the reign of Mr. Buchanan. All applicants for government places, who desire to have a shadow of a chance in their efforts to reach them, must swear by Lecompton, without even making a wry face, and cut themselves off forever from Bancroft, Douglas, Walker, Forney and Stanton. Border Ruffianism is therefore the ruling spirit at the Federal Court. In order to show our readers how the thing is working we cut from an exchange paper an incident in regard to the Post Office at Cleveland. The line is tightly drawn, and all who are anxious to serve the country, and receive a salary for their services, must toe the mark without flinching, and eschew all the teachings of old fashioned democracy, which are highly distasteful to some people in power:

THE CLEVELAND POST OFFICE.—There is a "terrible tractoration" up in Cleveland about the Post Office. The *Herald* of last evening says that James B. Steedman sent the following message over the wires to a couple of applicants in that city for the Post Office. The first was to George C. Dodge.—

Are you a Buchanan man?
Are you in favor of Lecompton?
Do you want the Post Office?
Will you in connection with said Office establish a newspaper?

To the first two questions Dodge answered, "I am." To the third, he said "I do;" but to the fourth he demurred, as the scheme was of doubtful expediency in a pecuniary point of view.

Charles Winslow, too, has been catechized. He replied that he was a Buchanan man, and a Lecompton man, and would like the Post Office. The newspaper question was not put to him.

So it seems "things are working."

NEW YORK ANTI-LECOMPTON MEETING.—The New York *Tribune*, of Thursday, says:

"The Chinese Assembly Rooms were crowded last evening by a large and intelligent gathering of citizens, without respect to party, assembled to hear the history of the latest wrongs against Kansas told by one of its chief Territorial officers, appointed to his post by the present Administration. The hall was crowded soon after 7 o'clock, and many left without being able to gain admittance, though the notice of the meeting had been limited, and the weather was exceedingly cold. At 7½ o'clock, Mr. McMasters, editor of the *Freeman's Journal*, called the meeting to order, and nominated the Hon. George Bancroft to preside. The nomination was received with loud cheers."

The other officers were as follows:

VICE-PRESIDENTS:

George Douglas,	Emanuel C. Massaras, editor of the *Courrier Des Etas Unis*,
Wm. F. Havemeyer,	Wm. Harny,
John Emen,	Malcolm Graham,
Edward O. West,	O. Ottenderfer, editor of the *Staats Zeitung*,
Jas. A. McMasters, editor of *The Freeman's Journal*.	Aaron R. Thompson,
A. C. Flagg,	Hugh McCulcheon,
Oliver De Forest Grant,	Robert G. Dunn.
Geo. B. De Forest,	

SECRETARIES:
A. M. Pell, Geo. B. Butler, Wm. Gale, jr.

All of these gentlemen have been leading democrats, and the meeting was made up, mainly, of democrats who supported Buchanan in 1856. The speech of Hon. George Bancroft, on taking the chair, was a strong denunciation of the Lecompton swindle. The main feature of the evening, however, was the speech of Hon. F. P. Stanton, who entered into a long and thorough history of the wrongs inflicted on Kansas, and of the infamy of the Administration in sustaining the giant wrong of the Lecompton Constitution. The editors of the *Freeman's Journal* and *Staats Zeitung*, who were vice-presidents of this meeting, represent, in their presses, the majority of the democratic party in that city.

[Special Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.]
HARRISBURG, Feb. 18th, 1858.

Eds. Gazette: At length a bill having a semi-official endorsement has been offered to the House upon the much agitated subject of license. It was read in place by Mr. Ramsey, of Philadelphia, Chairman of the Committee on Vice and Immorality, and was referred to that Committee. The bill is a very lengthy one, and I cannot give it in an ordinary letter to your paper. That section in which your readers will necessarily feel the greatest interest is the third, which classifies the rates of license. It reads thus: "All persons applying for and obtaining license to sell spirituous, vinous, malt or brewed liquors in the cities of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, or any other city or incorporated borough of this Commonwealth, shall be classed and pay annually as follows: Those who are esteemed and taken to effect annual sales to the value of $10,000 and upwards shall form the first class and pay $200. Those who effect annual sales to the amount of $5,000 and not over $10,000 shall form the second class and pay $100. Those who effect annual sales to the amount of $2,500 and not over $5,000 shall form the third class and pay $50. Those whose sales do not amount to over $2,500 shall form the fourth class and pay $30, and no licenses shall be granted for a less sum than $30, except that venders of spirituous, vinous, malt or brewed liquors in that portion of the city of Philadelphia known as townships in the county of that name before the act of consolidation [illegible] boroughs of the State where the annual sales do not amount to $2,000 shall be required to pay $25; and all those whose annual sales do not amount to $1000 shall pay $15, and no license shall be granted for a less sum than that authorized by the classifications of this act."

The party applying for license must file a bond with the County Treasury to the amount of $500, with approved security. A certificate that a bond has been so filed is to be taken by him to the County Commissioners, a majority of whom can issue the license after a full examination of the question of his proper classification. If, after the party obtains a grant of license, he may have a re-hearing before the Commissioners and they re-affirm their first decision, he may appeal to the Court of Quarter Sessions and have a final determination of the question there upon evidence submitted.

The details of the bill are very long, and I do not believe your readers care to have a much longer synopsis than I have given.

Mr. Wilkins introduced into the Senate yesterday a resolution which means, stripped of its verbiage, that Congress should admit Kansas upon the basis of the Lecompton Constitution, with a proviso in the act of admission that her people should be entitled to change that Constitution as soon thereafter as they choose. The *Pennsylvanian*, the straight Buchanan organ of Philadelphia, takes him severely to task about it to-day, declaring that it is folly to talk of the power of Congress to admit a State under a given Constitution, and when by virtue of the act of admission she is a full-fledged sovereignty seek to limit that sovereignty with restrictions and conditions.

I am glad of this, because it may push the Judge into a position which he did not intend originally to take. The concession in his resolution, however well-meant, is evidently an impracticability. It is even something to obtain the presentation of a resolution by a Democrat, upon this subject, owing to the do-nothing standstill policy heretofore of that party, in both branches. It is now less than twenty days until the House Committee must report upon that question, and discussion will come sharp and keen. The Republicans have had their appetites whetted by the delay. There will be considerable fun when they do come up.

The bill permitting the Perrysville Plank Road Company to increase their rates of toll, was reported negatively, as was also the bill to centralize the Supreme Court at Harrisburg.

The bill increasing the liens in favor of common carriers, was reported favorably. This is the Adams Express Co. The bill to increase the fees of County Surveyors was also reported favorably. The bill regulating Insurance Savings Fund and Loan Associations, was negatived in committee.

A bill relative to the relocation of a State road in the counties of Armstrong and Westmoreland, and one to incorporate the Erie Cemetery, were reported favorably. The Allegheny Farmers' Insurance Co. was negatived in committee.

A bill to cause a review of a State road from Mercer to the Ohio State Line, was reported favorably.

Mr. Shaw read in place a bill to incorporate the Orizaba Iron Company. Crawford, one to run a State road from New Castle, Lawrence county, to Emlinton, Venango county. R.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Feb. 17.—Messrs. Searing, Corning and Clark say that they will insist upon a thorough investigation. If they maintain this pledge there is no doubt of the ability of the House to appoint a Committee by ballot which will sift the subject thoroughly. It was a knowledge of this, and a desire for time to get absentees here, that induces the Lecompton majority of the Committee to refrain from insisting upon making a report to-morrow.—*Disp. to N. Y. Times.*

WE have to record to-day the death of the venerable Michael Grennell, which occurred at his residence in Clinton, in this county, on the 12th inst., at the remarkable age of 106 years. He was a soldier of the Revolution.—*Honesdale Dem.*

GREAT DECLINE IN IMPORTS.—The whole value of the importations at Boston during the last week was $255,871. The amount in the corresponding week last year was $2,0[illegible]320.

OFFICIAL EXPOSE OF THE OXFORD FRAUDS.—
Lawrence, K. T., Feb. 8, 1858.
To the Editor of the St. Louis Democrat:

The undersigned was appointed by the territorial legislature, one of the commissioners to take the census of all the white male inhabitants over twenty-one years of age, in the townships of Oxford and Shawnee, in the county of Johnson; and having discharged that duty, has reported to the governor as follows:

Whole no. of inhabitants over 21 years of age, in Oxford.............42
Of which only fourteen dated their residence prior to April 5, 1857.
Whole no. of inhabitants over 21 years of age, in Shawnee.............115
Of which only forty-eight date their residence prior to April 5, 1857.

The vote returned from Oxford township at the January election was about 750.

The vote returned from Shawnee township at the January election was 894.

CHARLES MAYO, Com'r.

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Pittsburgh, February 20, 1858.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the following accounts of Executors, Administrators, Guardians, &c., have been duly passed in the said Register's office and will be presented to the Orphan's Court of Allegheny County, for confirmation and allowance, on MONDAY, March 22d, 1858.

Final acc't of Chas B Scully, adm'r of the estate of W Croghan, dec'd. Filed Dec. 3, 1857.
Acc't of N Miller, exec'r of the estate of Robt McCullough, dec'd. Filed Dec. 7, 1857.
Acc't of Sarah Cassell, adm'x of the estate of Dr. J. H. Cassell, dec'd. Filed Dec. 8, 1857.
Final acc't of Dr Jno Pollock, Guardian of Marg't Gould, minor heir of Jno Neely, dec'd. Filed Dec 9, 1857.
Acc't of Wm Weston, guardian of minor heirs of Jno Ludwick, dec'd. Filed Dec. 10, 1857.
Acc't of Robt Hardy, adm'r of the estate of Saml Kennedy, dec'd. Filed Dec. 15, 1857.
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Acc't of Jno Voeghtly and Nicholas Voeghtly, jr, ex'rs of the estate of Nicholas Voeghtly, sr, dec'd. Filed Dec. 30, 1857.
Acc't of G. Burtner and N. Miller, ex'rs of the estate of Philip Burtner, dec'd. Filed Dec. 21, 1857.
Supplementary acc't of Wm P. Ferree, Ex'r of the Estate of Ebenezer Worth, dec'd. Filed Jan. 5, 1858.
Final acc't of J. J. McConnell, Adm'r. of the Estate of Jos. L. McClelland, dec'd. Filed Jan. 5, 1858.
Acc't of Jos K. Morrow, Adm'r of the Estate of Matthew Morrow, dec'd. Filed Jan. 6, 1858.
Final acc't of Henry Palmer and Jos Redpath, ex'rs of the Estate of Robt Redpath, dec'd. Filed Jan 12, 1858.
Final acc't of Jos Speer, Act Ex'r of the Estate of Alexander Speer, dec'd. Filed Jan. 13, 1858.
Acc't of Augustus Hartje, Adm'r of the Estate of Geo Schaefer, dec'd. Filed Jan. 15, 1858.
Final acc't of Wm Lees and Jas McKee, Ex'rs of the Estate of Robt Lees, dec'd. Filed Jan. 18, 1858.
Acc't of John Cunningham, Adm'r of the Estate of Nancy Young, dec'd. Filed Jan. 20, 1858.
Acc't of H. Rowland, Adm'r de bonis non of the Estate of Dr R. H. Shelden, dec'd. Filed Jan. 21, 1858.
Final acc't of Mary Hartman, Adm'x of the Estate of Conrad Hartman, dec'd. Filed Jan. 22, 1858.
Final acc't of John Alderson, ex'r of the estate of Robt Bates, dec'd. Filed Jan. 26, 1858.
Acc't of John Rankin, adm'r de bonis non of the estate of Robert Rankin, dec'd. Filed Jan. 28, 1858.
Partial acc't of H. Rowland, adm'r of the estate of A. Atwater, dec'd. Filed Jan. 30, 1858.
Acc't of Rachel McGregor, adm'x of the estate of Marg't McGregor, dec'd. Filed Feb. 2, 1858.
Partial acc't of James A. Dunlevy, adm'r de bonis non &c of the estate of Moses Dunlevy, dec'd. Filed Feb 5, 1858.
Acc't of Mathias F. Dethlefs and Lewis Deppler, adm'rs of the estate of Henry Socin, dec'd. Filed Feb. 6 1858.
Final acc't of Joel Ketcham and Uriah Applegate, ex'rs of the estate of Vincent Applegate, dec'd. Filed Feb. 6, 1858.
Acc't of M. Lawton, adm'x of the estate of Hugh Blackhurst, dec'd. Filed Feb. 9, 1858.
Acc't of Luke Loomis, adm'r of the estate of Elliott S. Neal, dec'd. Filed Feb. 10, 1858.
Final acc't of Isaac M. Pennock, guardian of Geo W. Holdship, minor. Filed Feb. 17, 1858.
Acc't of Edward Spence, guardian of minor heirs of Thomas W. Reed, dec'd. Filed Feb 18, 1858.
Final acc't of Saml Carnahan, adm'r of the estate of Isaac Bradwell, dec'd. Filed Feb. 18, 1858.
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7—Reception Speech to Hon. George M. Dallas.
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Cash, &c.	64,348 81
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Stock Due Bills, payable on demand, secured by two approved names	$140,000 0
Bills Receivable	25,663 3
Cash	11,063 82
70 shares Mechanics' Bank Stock—cost	3,920 00
Premium Notes	31,962 50
Office Furniture	690
Book Accounts	4,609 43
	$218,015 02

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Stock Accounts	$121,500 00
Mortgages	2,160 00
Bills Receivable	4,181 67
Office Furniture	210 00
Open Accounts	9,478 04
Cash	14,841 43
Premium Notes	40,246 59
Bills Discounted	125,003 75
	$317,641 48

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ASSETS, NOV. 25, 1857:

Stock Due Bills, payable on demand, and secured by two approved names	$97,660 00
Cash in Pittsburgh Trust Company	60,104 14
Premium notes	61,804 20
Bills Receivable	9,987 10
Mortgage	5,600 00
122 shares Exchange Bank Stock—Cost	6,950 00
300 shares Iron City Bank Stock—Amount paid	7,500 00
200 shares Allegheny Bank Stock— do	6,000 00
57 shares Mechanics' Bank Stock—Cost	4,023 63
Book Accounts	14,672 28
Office Furniture	603 12
	$284,604

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Bonds, Mortgages, and Real Estate	$101,350 94
Philadelphia City, and other Loans	137,011 25
Stock in Banks, Railroad & Insurance Cos.	12,508 00
Bills Receivable	320,291 95
Cash on hand	36,892 66
Balances in hands of Agents, Premiums on Marine Policies recently issued, and other debts due the Company	92,730 57
Subscription Notes	100,000 00
	$703,785 37

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Bonds, Mortgages, Ground Rents, Bank and other Stocks	$212,450 00
Loaned for Stocks	37,650 00
Trust Fund in New York	23,151 50
Deferred payment on Stock	97,760 00
Bills Receivable	74,404 67
Cash on hand and due from Agents	45,000 23
Premiums on Policies recently issued and debts due the Company	30,539
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DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The Board of Directors of this Company have this day declared a dividend out of the profits of the last six months of FOUR DOLLARS per share, applicable to the reduction of Stock Notes.
fe17 F. A. RINEHART, Sec'y.

OFFICE OF THE CENTRAL MINING COMPANY,
Pittsburgh, Feb. 11th, 1858.
THE STOCK of this Company represented by Certificates numbers 167, 168, 169, 226, 269, 359, 407, 408, 415, 262, 203, 204, 232, 363, 364, 365, 394, 359, 300, 361, 61, 312, 314, 404, 405, 63, 64, 373, 375, 380, 194, 195, 217, 218, 219, 384, 385, 99, 100, 102, 103, 110, 113, 250 and one lot of 60 shares for which no certificates has been issued, has been forfeited for non-payment of assessment due December 10, 1857, and will be sold at Public Sale, in the city of Pittsburgh, on the 18th day of March next, unless the amount due, with interest and costs be previously paid.
By order of the Board.
fe15:d3w WATERMAN PALMER, Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE ERIE CANAL COMPANY,
Erie, February 3d, 1858.
ELECTION NOTICE.—An Election for seven Directors of the Erie Canal Company, for the ensuing year, will be held at their office, in the city of Erie, on the FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH NEXT.
fe8:dtd A. H. CAUGHEY, Sec'y.

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