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For the Pittsburgh Gazette.

STEUBENVILLE, March 30, 1858.

Dear Gazette:—Having been invited by our friend, Rev. A. M. Reed, to spend a few days at the close of the session, I came down on Tuesday evening and arrived just in time to witness the Cantata of the "Flower Queen."

The large school hall of the Seminary was crowded to a jam—people sitting and standing in all sorts of uncomfortable positions. The quick eye of the Professor discovering me, I was very kindly accommodated with the edge of a desk.

The young ladies in the Cantata were becomingly dressed, (each wearing the flower which she represented) and performed their parts in remarkably good taste. The coronation of the Queen struck me as being particularly fine.

The next day was occupied in the examination of the different classes by their respective teachers; the reading of compositions, music—vocal and instrumental, &c. The school hall was, if possible, still more crowded than on the evening before. The members of the graduating class (twenty in number) were all dressed in the same style and material, and presented a very neat appearance. Their examination indicated the course to have been thorough.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Beatty are still connected with the Institution, and give it the advantages of a long experience. Few individuals in the country have been more liberal in their contributions to benevolent Christian objects than this estimable lady and gentleman. Their charities have always been of that quiet unobtrusive character which rather avoids than courts praise.—It is difficult to appraise too highly the influences of this Seminary. The successful management of a Seminary requires qualities of head and heart, which few possess. That Prof. Reed's natural kindliness of disposition, scholarly attainments, extensive travel, and patient investigation of the systems of education both at home and abroad have eminently fitted him for his position, his influence and popularity with the pupils abundantly testify. W. R.

AFTER the passage or rejection of Lecompton, other agitations are in store for the country.—The President will spring such issues upon the public as the purchase of Cuba, or its violent seizure upon the principles of the Ostend Manifesto, and the annexation of Mexico, involving the payment of her foreign and domestic debt, amounting to $200,000,000. The annexation of Mexico to the United States, or its subjugation by means of a protectorate, will probably be favored by Great Britain and France. Subjects of those countries are proprietors of the foreign debt of Mexico, about $100,000,000, and are largely interested in that represented by home creditors. The principle of assuming the debts of governments which are absorbed is now fully established. Thirteen years ago we annexed Texas, with an express stipulation that the United States should incur no liability on account of her debt, and that she should keep her lands wherewith to pay them. Notwithstanding this compact, the United States have paid nearly the entire public debt of Texas, and much more than would have been paid had that State remained an independent Republic. Nor can the principle be controverted. Foreign creditors of weak nations cannot be deprived of their remedies against them if they choose to merge their sovereignties with stronger powers, any more than an individual can repudiate his private liability for personal obligations by forming a partnership with other men. We know, then, the exact pecuniary cost of annexing Mexico and Cuba. It is Two Hundred Millions for each, Four Hundred Millions for both. I do not say whether the bargain would be a good or a bad one; but of one thing there cannot be a reasonable doubt, which is, that it will, if consummated, lay the foundations of a national debt as enduring as the national existence. The bargain will carry another consequence—the assumption by the Federal government of the repudiated debts of the States.—If this government can be made liable for the debts of Cuba and Mexico, by taking them into the Union, how much more firmly is she bound in honor to redeem the plighted faith of those States already in the Union? No man doubts that the Federal government should withdraw the shield of its power from the defaulting States of Arkansas, Mississippi and Florida, that great Britain would collect the amount of the bonds of which their subjects have been swindled by the governments of those States at the mouth of the cannon and the point of the bayonet. As then they are protected in their dishonor only by the *power* of this government, it follows that sooner or later that protection must be withdrawn or the money must be paid. The first branch of the alternative is an impossibility; the Federal Treasury will make good the second.

These financial questions disposed of, the greatest political controversy that ever shook this Union will arise, if the attempt to annex Cuba and Mexico be persisted in as Democratic issues. That is whether these new acquisitions shall be admitted as States, or governed in perpetuity as provinces, without representation in the Senate and House.—*Wash. Cor. N. Y. Cour. & Enq.*

THE REVIVAL IN ENGLAND.—The revival of interest in religious matters first began on the other side of the Atlantic and has been increasing, though more slowly and quietly than here, ever since so many of the flowers of England's youth perished in the Crimea. From London a correspondent of the Presbyterian writes by the last steamer, as follows:

"You will observe that the religious services are continued, both at Westminster Abbey and at Exeter Hall, and are still attended by crowds. What good they are doing of course remains secret. But that they form a part of a great and glorious work, which is now fairly on foot in this great Metropolis, there is no doubt. Since last year the services on week days, as well as Lord's days, in school rooms, and lecture halls, and upper halls throughout the dark places of London, have been rapidly on the increase, and multitudes for whose souls no man formerly cared, have been regular brought under Gospel influences, through means of the city missionaries and their superintendents."

The Westminster Review has just dared to attack the Christian system upon two points of the most hallowed nature, the actual death and the subsequent resurrection of Jesus, and assuming to overthrow both, builds upon the ruins an argument for the speedy decay and fall of Christianity as an accepted faith among men. The daring infidel is answered at the very moment of publication by the great religious excitement pervading America. *L'homme propose Dieu dispose.*

A short time ago, says an exchange, an old man named S. died in Crawford county, Ohio, leaving a wife and children. By his will his estate was divided equally between the children. The division displeased the eldest son, who refused to take his share of the estate, asserting that he was not the son of the deceased S. nor of the widow. He claims that at the age of seven he was adopted by the deceased in Pennsylvania, and has lived with him ever since. The widow protests that he is her son, and several other women in the neighborhood, who came from the same place in Pennsylvania, testify to being present on the occasion of his birth. At first the heirs were willing to believe him, as it would lessen the number of heirs. The young man one day presented a bill of services from the age of thirteen, the amount of which would swallow up the whole estate. They then were perfectly willing to acknowledge him as a brother. A suit on the claim has been commenced.

HORRIBLE SUICIDE.—John Laing, a bricklayer, supposed to have been insane, on Thursday threw himself upon the track of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, in Lyttleton Tunnel, and was struck by a passing train. The body was terribly mangled and torn and scattered along the track. He had several times before attempted to throw himself in the way of the trains.

WHEAT CROP.—The *Belleville* (Ill.) *Advocate* of the 26th says: "The farmers inform us that the prospect for a first rate crop of wheat is most excellent. We expect to astonish all our cotemporaries again next fall, with statements of large yields per acre. St. Clair farmers can safely challenge the Stat in wheat."

WHEAT PROSPECTS.—The Chester, (Ill.) *Herald*, of the 25th. says: "Were it possible for us to convey an accurate idea of the prospect which the growing wheat now presents, it would seem more fabulous than real. The accounts we have been receiving for a while back from persons coming into town, have been of the most cheering character, and we are informed that every day adds something to the promise. The wheat stands unusually thick upon the ground, seems finely rooted, and presents a very green, luxurious color. This prospect is general in this region, so far as we have been able to learn. There having been a much greater amount sown last fall than usual, with the yield promised at present, southern Illinois will be able to supply half the world."

BENEFIT OF ADVERTISING.—A case illustrative of this came under our observation yesterday. About a year since Mr. Page, of the firm of Benj. Page, Jr., of Pittsburgh, visited our city for the purpose of introducing Bœrhave's Holland Bitters. After some effort, he succeeded in getting orders for a few hundred dollars.—He then commenced a judicious system of advertising the article, the result of which has been to increase the sale ten fold, and on visiting here again yesterday his orders amounted to thousands instead of hundreds.—*Cin. Gaz.*

The celebrated African traveler, Dr LIVINGSTONE, sailed from the Mersey on Wednesday, in the steamer *Pearl*, for the scene of his labors. Amongst the gentlemen who accompany Dr. LIVINGSTONE are a botanist, a geologist, and an artist who goes out for the purpose of sketching the country, its people, animals, and plants. The best wishes of the scientific and commercial world accompany this brave and indefatigable man.

THE barn of Mr. John Whysong, of Union Township, Bedford County, was entirely consumed by fire on Thursday last, with all the contents, consisting of Hay, Straw, Wind-mill, Horse Gears, &c.

Musical.

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One of Steinway & Sons' GRAND PIANOS has lately been performed on by S. Thalberg, in Baltimore; who stated that it was remarkable, even and pure in tone; powerful and of fine touch. All those who have heard this Grand Piano, are unanimous that it is far superior to those of any other. William Mason and Gottschalk, the American Pianists, who have lately played on Steinway & Sons, GRAND PIANOS at their concerts, are of the same opinion.

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Portable style, double reeds,	130
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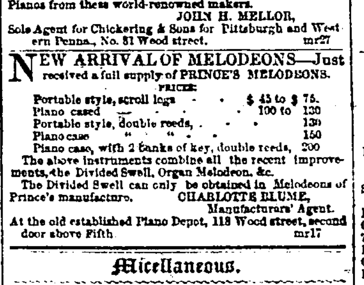

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Mortgages	$916,123 08
Real Estate	84,377 78
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	$1,212,703 44

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Bonds, Mortgages, Ground Rents, Bank and other Stocks	$212,460 00
Loaned for Stocks	37,650 00
Trust Fund in New York	22,161 56
Deferred payment on Stock	97,700 00
Bills Receivable	74,404 67
Cash on hand and due from Agents	45,000 33
Premiums on Policies recently issued and debts due the Company	80,458
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Stock Due Bills, payable on demand, secured by two approved names	$140,000 0
Bills Receivable	25,663 3
Cash	11,058 82
70 shares Mechanics' Bank Stock—cost	3,920 00
Premium Notes	31,962 50
Office Furniture	600
Book Accounts	4,509 43
	$218,015 02

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ASSETS, OCTOBER 31, 1857.

Stock Accounts	$121,500 00
Mortgage	2,160 00
Bills Receivable	4,161 67
Office Furniture	240 00
Open Accounts	9,478 04
Cash	14,841 45
Premium Notes	40,246 59
Bills Discounted	125,003 78
	$317,641 48

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Assets of the Company, Nov. 2d, 1857.

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	220,291 05
Cash on hand	38,893 66
Balances in hands of Agents, Premiums on Marine Policies recently issued, and other debts due the Company	92,730 57
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