

Foreign News.

Arrival of the Canada.

ATHALIFAX. LATER FROM EUROPE.

Large Decline in Flour—Cotton Unchanged—

Important from the Continent—Austria's

Position Still Doubtful—The Insurgents

Masters of Madrid—Sacking of the Palace

of Queen Christina—New Spanish Ministry

Message from Queen Victoria Asking

New Supplies—Further Negotiations Pro-

posed—Austria Goes Over to Examine Inter-

ests and Making Warlike Preparations—

Popular Discontent at St. Petersburg.

HALIFAX, July 31.—The steamer Canada

arrived here this evening from Liverpool,

with dates to Saturday, 22d inst.

Austria's conduct had become more doubt-

ful than ever.

The Spanish insurrection was rapidly

spreading under Espartaco.

ENGLAND

In the House of Lords, Earl Hassington

asked Ministers whether they had authorized

Lord Westmoreland to state to the Cabinet

of Vienna, that Polish subjects from Russia

would not be allowed to enter the English

army, or to follow the standard of the Allies.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT FROM SPAIN.

Advised received at Paris from Madrid,

dated July 15, state that the insurgents were

masters of the city. During the night the

troops engaged in support of the Queen acted

rigorously against the barricades, but for the

most part were unsuccessful.

The Madrid Gazette published on the 18th,

a list of the new Ministry. Gen. Cavayl is

appointed Commander of the Cavalry of Madrid.

At the last accounts, the fighting between

the troops and the insurgents was going on

in several parts of the Capital.

A battle had been fought between Gen.

O'Donnell and Gen. Blazer, in which the latter

was defeated, wounded, and taken prisoner.

The populace had taken possession of and

sacked his palace at Salamanca.

Grenada and the whole of Catalonia has

risen against the Government, led by the

Captain-General, and fighting was going on

at some point.

THE WAR.

The Paris correspondent of the London

Morning Chronicle makes the following im-

portant communication:

The Cabinets of Vienna and Berlin have

communicated to the French and English

Governments, the impression produced upon

them by the answer of Emperor Nicholas to

the summons sent by Austria to evacuate the

Principality.

The German powers now announce that in

their opinion the propositions contained in the

Russian answer, if not altogether satisfactory,

appear calculated to serve as a basis for

further negotiations, and they propose that

Prague shall be fixed upon as the seat of fur-

ther conference. They moreover expressed

the opinion that it will not be possible to call

upon Russia to evacuate the Principality, if

it be not at the same time clearly understood

that the allied powers shall stop their move-

ments in advance. In other words, that Aus-

tria has fallen back into alliance with Russia.

All the Austrian reserves are to be called

out and placed on a footing.

Account from St. Petersburg state that the

Czar was determined not to yield, but that

great discontent prevailed in the Capital.

The details show that the recent victories

at Gurzevo were achieved by the Turks un-

assisted, leaving the whole banks of the Dan-

ube from Turnovo to Altenezia in their hands.

The main body of the Turkish army are

said to be moving towards the mouth of the

Danube.

The allies have repaired and occupied the

Russian batteries at the Sulna mouth of the

Danube, and are employed in removing

the sunken ships from the channel.

The Russians have burned Matchin.

General Aurep having been disgraced for

want of success, had shot himself.

The French and English armies were

slowly drawing closer around the Russians.

A private telegraphic dispatch from Con-

stantinople, received at Paris, states that the

Russians met with a check at Batoune, in

Asia, and that 4,000 Turkish troops had been

sent from Varna in Circassia.

THE LATEST.

Prussia and Austria, it is said, have asked

France and England to state the conditions

on which they are willing to conclude a

peace. The Russian party asserts that the

military operations of the allies are nearly at

a stand still—that the attack on Sebastopol

is indefinitely postponed—that the attack on

Conrstadt is not to take place this year—that

the great battle to take place near Bucharest

is problematical—that the hostile operations

have been reduced to a simple blockade; and,

in the end, the Russians will triumph by di-

plomacy.

BRADSTUFFS.—Flour has largely declined.

Western Canal 30s; Ohio 31s; Corn, yellow,

32c.

Another Circular says:—The Breadstuf-

market is very dull and owing to the declin-

ing tendency there is quite a pause. Prices

for Flour are considerably lower, the decline

for the week being from 3s. to 4s. 6d.—

Wheat is also considerably lower.

Spring and Summer Goods!

Peter W. Gray

INFORMS his friends that he has just received

a good assortment of Spring and Summer

goods at a low price in Wholesale Street. His

list consists of—

DRY GOODS, VIZ

Baras, Cassimer, Battinette, Jeans, Drillings,

Lawns, Linens, Summer Shawls,

Best Trimming and all items

in the Dry Goods line. Also, a

large assortment of Shoes for Men Women and

children. Summer Hats.

Groceries of every variety.

Toat, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Spices, Salt,

Fish, &c.

Hardware.

A general assortment of Colar Ware, Tubs,

Trunks, Wash Basins, Brushes, &c.

Quarantine a general assortment.

Country produce taken at the highest market

price.

For sale at this office, Superior Black Ink,

Gladstone Medal at 50c. Pure Essence of

Vanilla, 25c. per lb.

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New Advertisements.

Sheriffalty.

To the Voters of Northumberland County.—

FELLOW CITIZENS: I hereby announce myself

as the "American Volunteer Candidate" at the

October ensuing Election for the office of SHER-

IFF, for which I solicit your suffrages. Having

been strongly encouraged by many of my friends

throughout Northumberland County, I herewith

offer myself to your consideration for the office

aforesaid. Should a majority of my fellow-cit-

izens see proper to grant me their support, I

pledge myself to discharge the duties of said office

to the best of my abilities with fidelity and im-

partiality.

JOHN J. AUTEN.

Milton, July 29, 1854.

To the Voters of Northumberland County.

The subscriber hereby announces to the

citizens of the county, that he will be a candidate

at the ensuing election for the office of

SHERIFF,

and promises, if elected, to fulfill the duties of the

office faithfully and attentively.

JAMES BUOY.

Milton, July 29, 1854.

Railroad Letting.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at

the office of the Sunbury and Erie Railroad

Company, in Lock Haven until 3 o'clock, P. M.,

of Thursday, the 17th day of August next, for

the Grading and Masonry of that portion of the

line of said road, extending from Lock Haven, in

the county of Clinton, to the point of connection

with the Venango Railroad one hundred miles,

subject to such alterations in the line of said road,

as may be deemed necessary in pursuance of

further examination. The proposals to be made

shall be in writing, and shall be accompanied by

Plans and profiles of said work will be exhib-

ited at the office of said Company, in the said

Borough of Lock Haven, for three days previous

to the day of Letting, and all necessary infor-

mation afforded to bidders, by Robert Faries, Esq.,

Engineer in Chief.

In bidding for said work, bids will be required

for each mile section of said road, but this is not

designed to prevent bids for more than one Sec-

tion, or for the whole line of road to be put under

contract.

By order of the Board of Managers,

JAMES COOPER, President.

July 17, 1854.

It is the intention of the Company to put under

contract a portion of the road from Erie, east-

ward, as soon as the surveys required by the con-

dition imposed by the City Councils shall have

been completed.

July 29.

Notice to Teachers.

THREE Male and three Female Teachers

are wanted to take charge of the Public

Schools of the Borough of Selingsgrove—to com-

mence on the first Monday of September next.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Direc-

tors, on Saturday, the 26th day of August, at 10

o'clock, P. M., at the Union School House in

Pa., and to examine applicants and employ said

number of teachers. Liberal wages will be

given. The higher branches are required to be

taught in one of the schools.

By order of the Board,

GEO. HILL, President.

Selingsgrove, July 29, 1854.—41.

Just Published and for Sale

by WM. McCARTY, Bookseller,

Sunbury, Pa.

The American

PLEADERS' ASSISTANT:

Being a collection of approved declarations, writs,

returns and proceedings in the several actions

now in use in the United States.

By COLLINSON REED, Esq.,

Ipse legis vira vox

With notes and additions, together with a short

system of conveyancing. By A. Jordan, Presi-

dent Judge of the Eighth Judicial District of

Pa., and Wm. M. Rockefeller and M. L.

Shindel, of the bar of Northumberland County.

Since the publication of the book, the following

letter has been received from Judge Pearson of

Harrisburg, June 30, 1853.

HARRISBURG, June 30, 1853.

GENTLEMEN:

After a careful examination of your "Amer-

ican Pleadings Assistant," I take pleasure in

expressing my entire approval of the selection and

composition of the precedents thus offered to the

public. The legal profession in Pennsylvania

stands in need of a correct system of pleading,

adapted to our habits of business, and the practice

of the courts. Your forms of declarations being

to a great extent founded on the acts of assembly,

will be a saving of labor to the pleader, and con-

duce to safety and brevity in our pleadings.

It should be in the hands of every practicing

lawyer in our State.

Yours, with great respect,

JNO. J. PEARSON.

Hon. A. Jordan, Wm. M. Rockefeller and M. L.

Shindel, Esquires.

W. McCARTY, Esq.

Dear Sir:—I received more than a year ago

a copy of Reed's Pleadings' Assistant, improved

by Judge Jordan and others. I examined it with

some care some time ago, and have had occasion

to use it several times since. I think it de-

cisely valuable as a manual for practicing

attorneys in Pennsylvania, and do not hesitate

to recommend it. It is very generally used it

would increase the accuracy of the profession in

matters which are often very carefully done.

I am very truly yours, &c.

J. S. BLACK.

I also received a copy of the Pleadings' Assis-

tant, and have examined it sufficiently to enable

me to concur very heartily in the above com-

mendations by