

Telegraphic News. Late from the South Pacific. New York, May 2d.



SUNBURY, PA. SATURDAY, MAY 7, 1859. H. D. MASSER, Editor and Proprietor.

TO ADVERTISERS. The circulation of the Sunbury American among the different towns on the Susquehanna is not exceeded by any paper published in North Pennsylvania.

THE AMERICAN. The merry month of May having arrived, it is to be hoped that less rain, and more steady and pleasant weather will follow.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE. New York, May 3d, 1859. The quantity sent by railroad this week is 30,184 1/2 tons...

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Proceedings of the Borough Council. Council met this evening at eight o'clock, 1859. Chief Burgess in the Chair.

The Northern Central Railway. Arrival and departure of Passenger Trains on and after April 15th, 1859, at Sunbury, as follows:

T.G. COOPER'S NEW DRY GOODS. AND VARIETY STORE. Market Street, one door West of the Post Office, SUNBURY, Pa.

THE PACIFIC STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S steamer "New Granada" arrived here at 6 A.M.

ST. LOUIS, May 2. The Salt Lake correspondent of the Republican, on Saturday last, under date of the 8th ultimo, says that the excitement among the Mormons has somewhat abated.

PHILADELPHIA ELECTION. The municipal election in Philadelphia, on Tuesday last, passed off very quietly, scarcely any excitement prevailing even at the polls.

INDIAN AFFAIRS IN UTAH. Washington April 30. Dr. FORTY, the superintendent of Indian Affairs at Salt Lake, has reported to the Indian Bureau, under date of March 18th, that he is in possession of such reliable information as leaves no doubt of the complicity of the Mormons in the Mountain Meadows massacre.

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