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THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 7, 1864.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Tardy Justice.

Some time in 1861 a tragedy occurred in Leavenworth, Kansas, resulting in the death of a young man named Satterlee, editor of a Democratic paper in that city, at the hands of D. R. Anthony, at present Mayor of Leavenworth. The telegraph, a week after the occurrence, announced that the Leavenworth *Herald*, a Democratic paper, had died out; the editor having been killed in an affray in the street, but it was a matter of small importance, as he was a "sympathizer with rebellion." Anthony had a trial, but was acquitted on the ground of self-defence, although it was proven in court that he had sworn to shoot Satterlee. A correspondent at Leavenworth says:

"A friend warned Satterlee; and, on proceeding from his residence to his office, armed himself with a revolver. When a few doors from his office he encountered Anthony and Mr. Hamar, local editor of the *Conservative*, they having been to the office inquiring for him. They met—Anthony fired; Satterlee returned the fire, but missed his aim and slightly wounded Mr. Hamar. Satterlee fled up the steps to his office—Anthony pursued and firing until he had discharged six bullets, three of which took effect. Satterlee expired in about ten minutes."

The same correspondent says that at the time of Satterlee's murder not one word was said in his behalf by either of the Republican papers—the *Times* and *Conservative*—they only making of it a local item, calling it a "fatal affray." We are further told by the same writer that the avenging Nemesis is arising in the very party to which this Anthony belongs. His official administration has been so marked by malpractices that it has become a by-word on the streets that for any offence whatever his verdict is "twenty dollars and costs." He is charged with arresting and detaining Missouri farmers for disloyalty; taking their gold, and after a few days' detention giving them greenbacks for the gold he had taken. He is further charged with being the father of three illegitimate children within the past year—one of which is a mulatto. He it was, also, who led the mob in 1863 which destroyed the *Inquirer* office.

This man Anthony is a bosom friend of Jim Lane. Party spirit varnished over his crimes, and fanaticism elected him to the mayoralty of the city. But having fattened on crime and run riot over friend and foe alike, one of his own party organs, which bears at its head the name of Abraham Lincoln for President, arises to avenge the murdered Satterlee. It is the Leavenworth *Times*. Although at the time of the murder it was silent, it now, under date of March 23d, speaks as follows:

"THE DEAD MAN."—We pause. There is before us a cold, stiffened form, and we gaze reverentially upon it. We do not regard the dress; it may be rich or poor, have a velvet or a peasant garb; but the form, the face, so still so pale—that fixes the living eye, and touches the living heart. This feeling, common to all, rising unbidden, in the wildest or rudest bosoms, is the voice of the soul speaking its respect for life, as well as its awe of death.

Yesterday, thinking of the past, and our mind excited, doubtless, by the events of the hour, the vision of a dead man rose before us. No face could have been more familiar. We knew the form; that which contained once the thinking, existing soul. It bowed to, and bent toward us, and, with steady, fixed gaze, looked into our very heart. It spoke not, yet it was more eloquent than speech. It stirred not limb nor feature, yet it commanded us, as if it were monarch of all.

Reader, it was the face, the very form of *Satterlee!*

Cut down in youth, ruthlessly severed from earth, and torn from wife and children by the reckless and bloody hand of D. R. Anthony, the vision of the dead seemed to appeal to us. We heard and answered. For we did not rest till we had searched and found the cause of Anthony's anger, and of poor Satterlee's cruel death.

He was editor of the *Herald*—as we thought wrong in policy, and principle—but mild in manner, gentle in disposition, and of a kindly nature. As such, he had to chronicle passing events. The attempt to capture a secession flag, at Iatan, excited our community, and, necessarily, he noticed it. That notice brought him to an untimely end, and below, we give *all* he said about it:

ATTEMPT TO CAPTURE ANOTHER SECESSION FLAG AT IATAN.—A correspondent of the *Conservative* occupies two columns of that paper yesterday morning, in relating his "wonderful adventures and hair-breath escapes" at Kansas City, Iatan and St. Joe. For the benefit of our readers, we will give the correspondent's supposed to be D. R. Anthony's version of his brave exploits:

Here follows D. R. Anthony's letter, or one generally believed to be his, descriptive of the exploits of the party—after that, Mr. Satterlee remarks:

Now, we call the attention of the reader to the version of the "affair" by an eye-witness, whose veracity we have no reason to question, and leave the public to draw their own conclusions:

Dr. R. A. walked into the store where he understood the flag to be, and saw it lying under the counter—approached it and said:

"I guess this is what I came after."

A very large man who was sitting near by, arose and inquired:

"Who are you?"

"I am D. R. Anthony, of the Conservative."

"What do you want?"

"I want this flag."

"By G—d you can't have it."

"I will go and get my men and come and take it."

The Missourian then sprang forward, caught Anthony by the throat, and said, "G—d—d—n you, get out of this store, or I'll blow the top of your head off," and presenting a pistol, proposed to make good his threat.

Whereupon, it is said, Anthony made double-quick time out of the store down the railroad track, with coat-tails extended and the utmost horror depicted on his countenance.

What a contrast in the two reports!

This was all, and did a line or letter in the whole call for a bloody issue? The version of the Conservative was given in full—that of a correspondent of the *Herald* followed. The reader had both before him. No judgement even was passed upon either by the editor. "What a contrast between the reports" are the sincere words he wrote. Yet for the publication of these letters, D. R. Anthony, with wild and reckless fool hardiness, shot him dead!

It was a rude day that, and men feared the strong. There were those who whispered a word of comfort to the lone widow and her orphaned children; but the public voice was silent. No denunciation followed the homicide. Neither Press nor Pulpit proclaimed the bloody deed, or branded the bloody hand which did it. But the vision of the murdered dead is ever before Anthony, and, with its silent, cold look, rivets his eye and racks his conscience;—and shall we, shall the People, now that they *are* strong, uphold HIM—the rash, reckless slayer of his brother!

Men of Leavenworth, be truer to duty, to right, to justice! Lift yourselves up, and, as avengers of the dead and protectors of the living, brand the door of this bloody deed."

As an addenda to the above crushing remarks of the *Times*, we will merely append a couple of telegraphic items showing the beginning of the end of this man Anthony's career:

At the election in Leavenworth, Joseph L. McDowell and his entire ticket are elected by 600 to 800 majority. At noon Mayor Anthony issued a proclamation closing the polls, and calling on the citizens to aid him in preserving the peace, which was disregarded, and the voting continued. Rioting was indulged in to a considerable extent, and several persons, including Mayor Anthony, were beaten and driven from the polls.

Despatches say that Anthony tried to excite a mob, and closed the First and Fourth ward polls, but the people compelled him to open them again.

Drunken Soldiers Killed.—The Hagerstown, Md., *Herald*, says that three soldiers, under the influence of liquor, on Saturday last attacked the house of Robert Miles in the vicinity of Clearspring, two of whom were killed, and one dangerously wounded, under the following circumstances:

A detachment of cavalry, on their way to Pittsburgh, on a furlough, while passing over the turnpike of Clearspring, allowed some of the men to straggle, three of them assaulting the house of Robert Mills, who lived in the vicinity. It seems they insulted his family, and threatened to commit depredations on the property. A son of Mr. Mills (a Federal soldier) was at home at the time, who stood on the defence, and shot dead with a revolver two of the party one named Jas. Glass, and another whose name is not known, but who went by the sobriquet of "Cap." The third, a man named Speaker, was shot quite seriously and it is feared, mortally. All three were privates, and hailed from the vicinity of Pittsburgh.

Gen. Negley.—We see it announced that our townsman, Gen. James S. Negley, and sportion of his staff are in Cincinnati stopping at the Burnett House. It seems a shame to us that the War Department should persist in keeping this young and popular commander without a command, ordering him hither and thither. We know that the General desires active service, and all his past services have shown conclusively that he is fully equal to the requirements of a decisive commander. The late Court of Inquiry completely exonerated Gen. Negley from the slightest share of blame at the battle of Chicamauga, and if he cannot be restored to the command of his old, gallant, and ever reliable division, we trust he may soon marshal another band of equally brave men, and lead them, as he did his former command to victory.

One Day's Labor.—Mr. Brunot, the Chairman, of the Executive Committee of the Fair, has proposed that the 11th of April, the anniversary of the firing into Fort Sumter, be set apart as the day which the workingmen of Allegheny county shall give its proceeds to the Fair. We suppose those interested will give the matter due consideration, and act as circumstances may dictate.

Melancholy Bereavement.—We are pained to learn that O. A. Traugh, Esq., of the Hollidaysburg *Democratic Standard*, has lost two young and interesting daughters within a period of one week. Few except those who have experienced similar trials can properly appreciate the grief brought upon the parents by this double bereavement.

Pittsburgh, Allegheny and New Troy Passenger Railway.—The bill for the incorporation of this road, as introduced by Mr. Glass, in the House, names as corporators the following gentlemen: R. Brady Wilkins, John M. Tiernan, Robert S. Hays, James Parke Jr., A. S. Bell, James Leech, J. S. Brown and David Boreland, and they are to have power to build a railway along either or both of the following routes, to wit: Along Wood street from its intersection with Water street to Liberty street; thence along Liberty street to Hand street; thence along Hand street and the Hand Street Bridge to Anderson street, in the city of Allegheny; thence along Anderson street to Cedar avenue; thence along Cedar avenue to Liberty street; thence along Liberty street to Chestnut street; thence along Chestnut street to the Spring Garden Plank Road; thence along the Spring Garden Plank Road to the end of said road; or commencing at the intersection of Wood and Water street as before, and moving along the Hand street bridge to Anderson street in the city of Allegheny; thence along Anderson to Robinson; thence along Robinson street to Hope street; thence along Hope street to either Lacock or Water street; thence along either Lacock or Water street to East Lane; thence along East Lane to Chestnut street; thence along Chestnut to the Spring Garden Plank Road, thence along Spring Garden Plank Road to the end of said road.

The capital stock is fixed at 2,000 shares on $50 each, and half may be raised by mortgage on the road. When the people of Allegheny county shall proceed to build a bridge between the Allegheny and Hand street bridges, the company have authority to subscribe one-half the cost, provided the half be not more than $60,000, and they shall have the exclusive right to use the bridge for passenger railway purposes. Dividends to be made out of the net profits. For the first five years after they commence running the cars they shall pay into the Treasuries of Allegheny and Pittsburgh $20 per year for each car and three per cent of the dividends. For the second period of five years, $30 for each car and five per cent. of dividends; and thereafter $40 for each car and five per cent. They shall conform to the lawful orders of the streets traversed, and keep them in perpetual repair from curb to curb. Councils to establish regulations for the company in relation to having, repairing, grading, culverting and laying gas and water pipes along said streets, and the company shall not use locomotives or engines thereon. The fare is fixed at five cents, and the work must be commenced in six months from the organization of the company.

Court Proceedings.—The case of Andrew Watson, charged with being the father of an illegitimate child, on oath of its mother, Miss Maggie Barker.—a notice of which appeared in our columns on Tuesday—was resumed Wednesday morning. After able speeches by counsel, and an impartial charge by Judge Sterrett, the case was given to the Jury.

The defence set up in this case was, as we before stated, that the defendant was not in company with the prosecutrix at the time alleged in the indictment, but this point was by no means clearly established. The jury found a verdict of guilty. Sentence deferred.

Nathan Barnhardt plead guilty to a charge of fornication and bastardy preferred by Barbara Staer. The Court sentenced him to pay a fine of $10 to the Guardians of the Poor, $10 for expenses and maintenance of the child to date, and the further sum of $1,25 per week, for the period of five years—and to give bonds in $500 to comply with this sentence. Before Mr. Barnhardt is through with the little matter now in his hands, he will have expended the snug sum of about $400, exclusive of costs, which, we are informed, is an advance on the old charge of some $265. But these are war times, with lard coffee at fifty-three cents a pound and putty in proportion.

Mary Keefe, alias Maria Smith, was arraigned on a charge of stealing a pocket book and some 940, notes the property of Rev. S. Findley, of Squirrel Hill, with whom she had been living. The defendant in this case, surrendered herself voluntarily, to Mayor Alexander of Allegheny, and acknowledged the theft. She was found guilty and sentenced to one years' imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

John Pastorius was acquitted of the charge of assault and battery, and the prosecuter, Antonia Stutor, was ordered to pay the costs.

John A. Coursin was placed on trial charged with having passed counterfeit money. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty, and prisoner remanded for sentence.

James Redgate was acquitted of a charge of larceny.

Oil Wells of Penna.—The commercial reporter of the *Commercial* has been gathering some interesting statistics in relation to the great oil wells of Pennsylvania. He says the oil trade of Pennsylvania has grown from a half dozen barrels per year to hundreds of thousands. The arrangements for the opening season have been made on a large scale. Wells will be sunk to a depth never contemplated before. In fact, it looks as if our people were going to well-digging without limit. For some time oil arrived at our port and was disposed of without paying wharfage; so that it would be impossible to give anything like a correct estimate of the real products of those extraordinary wells at the outset. The first official account we have of the receipts by river, dates from February 1st, 1862, that being the date fixed by the city ordinance for the collection of wharfage.

The real products of the wells will never be ascertained, as thousands of barrels have been lost by fire and by pond freshets; besides, large quantities have been shipped by railroad and landed at refineries above the city limits. What we propose to give, is merely what has arrived at the Allegheny river wharf. The statement can be relied on, it being official. It exhibits a total of 554,357 barrels, from February 1st 1862, to April 1st, 1864, as follows:

	Barrels.
From Feb. 1 1862 to May 1	72,020
From May 1 1862 to Aug. 1	39,556
From Aug. 1 1862 to Nov. 1	18,530
From Nov. 1 '62-'63 to Feb. 1	90,275
From Feb. 1 1863 to May 1	92,591
From May 1 1863 to Aug. 1	74,414
From Aug. 1 1863 to Nov. 1	56,343
From Nov. 1 '63-'64 to Feb. 1	78,616
From Feb. 1 1864 to April 1	39,909
Total number of barrels	554,354.

Legislation.—In the lower House of the Legislature on Tuesday the following bills were reported: A bill to permit the School Districts of certain wards in Pittsburgh to levy school taxes; one changing the venue in actions of ejectment from Armstrong to Allegheny county; one increasing the fees of constables of Allegheny county; one incorporating the Subterranean Oil Company, which is intended to bring oil from Franklin to Pittsburgh by pipes.

Bills in place—Mr. Glass a bill incorporating the Pittsburgh Allegheny and New Troy Passenger Railway Company; Mr. Slack one relative to the increase of the facilities for the passage of boats on the Monongahela slack water.

Sanitary Commission Concert.—It will be seen by advertisement in another column that a musical entertainment is to be given at Concert Hall, on Monday evening next, for the benefit of the United States Sanitary Commission. About forty gentlemen, amateurs, possessing rare musical abilities, have volunteered their services, and there is no doubt that the entertainment will prove highly agreeable. The performance will consist of solos, duetts, quartettes and choruses. As the project is purely a benevolent one there is every reason to expect a full house on the occasion.

Panorama.—Russell's Panorama of the War, which is now on exhibition at Concert Hall, is pronounced by all who have witnessed it to be one of the very best of its character ever presented to the public in this city. The paintings are all new, and those who are familiar with the conflicts depicted pronounce them remarkably correct. The singing of Miss Reynolds and Mr Goodwin is excellent, and with a little more practice on the part of the lecturer everything would pass off perfectly. See advertisement.

Glass Blowers.—The matinee of the Bohemian Glass Blowers yesterday afternoon, and the regular exhibition last night, was largely attended. Indeed, it is worth five times the amount charged for admission to see Mrs. Woodroffe shaping fanciful articles from small particles of glass, not to mention the gentlemen who so ingeniously mould into form an endless variety of beautiful and useful articles, all of which are nightly distributed among the audience. The glass steamer "Monitor" still continues its evolutions.

The Militia.—Under the bill lately reported by the Chairman of the Committee on the Military system, the State is divided into Regiments and Brigades, and it prescribes the manner of choosing all the officers of the minor organizations, elective. It gives Philadelphia four brigades, Allegheny one. The pay of each officer, non-commissioned officer and private is the same as that of the regular service, allowing, however, thirty cents for rations to each man. A fine of seventy-five cents is imposed for non-attendance.

Theatre.—This evening on the occasion of the fourth appearance of Edwin Adams, will be performed the sterling old comedy of Wild Oats, in which he will appear in the character of Rover, which is said to be one of his great specialities. Thus far the engagement has been eminently successful, and we look for a continuation of that liberal patronage which the merits of the young artist must unquestionably deserve.

Correction.—In the obituary notice of Mrs. Margaret Kavanagh, yesterday, the lady's age was stated to be 69. It should have been the venerable period of 96 years.

H. D. Brecht & Bro., Smithfield street, have our thanks for two most beautiful engravings on steel—portraits of The Most Rev. John Hughes, D. D., and The Most Rev. Francis Patrick Kenrick, D. D.

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DIED.

KAVANAGH—On Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. MARGARET KAVANAGH, in the 69th year of her age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Thursday, at 10 o'clock, from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Catherine O'Hanlon, No. 96 Robinson st., Allegheny.

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The canvassers will commence taking the names of residents on MONDAY, April, the 4th, and the publisher would here request that the minutes of each household, who may answer the enquiries of a canvasser, will furnish the name of every male adult resident with the family, also of any widow and of any woman carrying on business on her own account, to the end that the Directory may when compiled be as perfect as possible.

Each canvasser will be provided with a book on which to take orders for copies or advertisements.

Conscious that each succeeding year he has endeavored to render the Directory not only useful to the citizens, but more creditable to the city and advantageous as a medium of advertising, the publisher would ask that a liberal patronage both of subscriptions for copies and of advertising be extended this year to the publication.

GEO. H. THURSTON,
mh31 Publisher.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad Company will be held at the office of said Company in Cleveland, on the 4TH DAY OF MAY, 1864, at 10 o'clock a. m., to vote upon the increase of the Capital Stock of said Company, for the purpose of allowing the bonds of said Company to be converted into stock. The Transfer Books will be closed on the 23d day of April and open on the 5th day of May.

By order of the Board of Directors,

J. N. M'CULLOUGH, President.

Cleveland, March 28, 1864. ap2-td

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Special to The Post:

HARRISBURG, April 5

HOUSE—Afternoon Session.—The House ordered the Railroad Committee peremptorily to report a bill running a Railroad from York, Pennsylvania, to Broad Top, there forming a rival line with the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The afternoon was nearly all consumed in discussing the bill enabling State Banks to pass into National Banks. Adjourned.

SENATE.—Afternoon Session.—Bills reported—Youghiogheny Coal Company; Saltsburg Coal Company, were taken up upon call of Mr Graham and passed finally.

The Local Bounty bill concerning Warren county, passed. Others passed finally.

Mr. Hopkins. A bill to incorporate the Youghiogheny Coal Gas Company. Also a bill assessing a bounty tax in Jefferson township, Greene county.

Mr. McCandless. A bill to increase the pay of the Commissioners of Butler county.

Mr. Lowry. A bill to attach Crawford and Erie counties with the Eastern District Supreme Court.

Mr. Graham. A bill to incorporate the Prospect Cemetery.

Mr. Hoag. A bill relative to the increase of pay of the county officers and jurists of Venango county. Adjourned till to-morrow.

Special to The Post.

HARRISBURG, April 6.

The Abolition State Committee agreed to night to call their State Convention April 28th. No other proceedings of interest.

ST. LOUIS, April 6.—The following particulars of Col. Clayton's recent raid in Arkansas have been received from Little Rock. Col. Clayton, with a small force of infantry, cavalry and one battery, went to Mount Elba on the Saline river, leaving the infantry and artillery there to guard the bridge and cover Pine Bluff. He proceeded with the cavalry towards Long View, further down the river and twenty miles southwest, where the main body of the rebel army was stationed, for the purpose of destroying pontoon bridges and army stores at that place. Lieut Greenhouse, 1st Indiana, and Lieutenant Young, 5th Kansas cavalry, were sent in advance with 100 men, and arriving at the place saw a large force of rebels on the opposite side preparing to cross. Our officers hailed the enemy and told them they belonged to Shelby's command, which dresses in Federal uniform, that the Federals were upon them, and begged them to hurry to their rescue. The rebels rushed forward, and as fast as they crossed were captured and their guns thrown into the river. In this way 200 were captured. 25 was considered enough, which were accomplished in 24 hours. The prisoners captured during the expedition, numbering 350, including many officers, reached Little Rock on the 26.

There is nothing from Gen. Steele and Cabinet.

ST. LOUIS, April 6.—Governor Murphy, of Arkansas has issued an address to the people of the counties of that State in which no elections have been held, and seat them for distribution with Gen. Steele's command. He says in review the condition of the State during the war, in the action of the late State Convention, and closes with a stirring appeal to the people of the counties in which elections could not be held in consequence of their occupancy by rebel forces, to return to their allegiance of the old government and recommends them, under the ordinance passed by the State Convention for that purpose, to hold elections as soon as they can with safety, for members of the Legislature and county officers, take upon themselves the rights and duties of freemen and give their aid in support of the Union.

Brigadier Gen. Nathan Kimball has been assigned to the command of all the troops along the north side of the Arkansas river. His headquarters are at Little Rock. In a circular to the citizens of his district, he says: "The loyal shall be protected and sympathizers with rebellion, though they may have taken the oath of allegiance to the Government, will be treated as rebels unless they conform, in word and act, to spirit that oath.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The following has been received at Headquarters: Major General Halleck, Chief of Staff—Little Rock Arkansas, April 1st, the following telegram is just received. *Pine Bluff, Ark.*, March 31st, Major Greene, A. A. G.—The expedition to Mt. Elba and Long View has just returned. We destroyed the pontoon bridge at Long View and burned a train of 25 wagons loaded with camp and garrison equipage and ammunition. We also captured 220 prisoners and engaged in battle at Mt. Elba yesterday morning with Gen Decker's division of 1,500 men from Monticello. We routed and pursued him 10 miles, with a loss on his side of over one hundred killed and wounded. We captured a large quantity of small arms, two stands of colors, a great many wagons and over 300 horses and mules. Our loss will not exceed 15 in killed, wounded and missing. We brought in several hundred contrabands, and the expedition was a complete success, the details of which will be furnished in my official report, which will be forwarded in a few days.

(Signed.) POWELL CLAYTON,
Colonel Comdg.

BALTIMORE, April 6.—Baltimore city gives 9,021, for a Convention, and 41 against. The anti-Abolition and anti-compensation tickets get the entire vote cast. Port Deposit, Cecil county, 7th district, gives 193 majority for a Convention and unconditional Emancipation. Cumberland gives 6 Gateleburg gives 5. Somerset county gives 19 against a Convention. Worcester county gives 50 majority for a Convention. Cumberland county will give not less than 1,200 majority for a Convention and Emancipation. Havre De Grace gives 156 majority for the Emancipation ticket—correct. Baltimore city votes 9,041 for a Convention and Emancipation, and 73 votes against. The Convention is doubtless called by a large majority. Frederick district gives the Emancipation ticket 480 majority. The ballot-box of Jackson was taken possession of by copperheads about two o'clock and totally destroyed. Detachments of Cole's cavalry and 7th Md. regiments have gone to arrest the parties. Fifth district, Cecil county, gives 355 for a Convention.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The total defeat of the National Bank or Currency bill by so large a vote as two-thirds astonished both friends and foes, especially as so much time has been consumed in efforts to perfect it. All the amendments made in the Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union, about sixty in number, were concurred in by the House. The Committee of Ways and Means are willing to adopt all except twenty-four, and hence Representative Stevens offered a substitute differing only from the amended bill in the following particulars, viz: restoring seven per cent interest and leaving it under National and not State legislation, and omitting the section which left the capital stock of institutions to be taxed the same as property of individuals for State and municipal purposes. The House emphatically concurred in this substitute. This was the turning point in the controversy, the test that determined whether the bill containing the clauses obnoxious to prominent friends of the measure should pass the House, so it was laid upon the table on motion of Mr. Stevens.

SANDY HOOK, April 6—5 p. m.—The Persia has passed here, with Liverpool dates of the 26th via Queenstown on the 27th ult.

The London *Shipping Gazette's* Paris correspondent writes that the Finance Minister had an interview on Friday afternoon with Mr Glyn respecting the Mexican loan, and that in the evening a gentleman of the financial department was to leave for Miramar to obtain Maximilian's signature to the decree.

The impression is in Paris that the proposition for the bondholders of 1851 is really not unfavorable.

Sir Francis Barring will rejire from the Representation of Portsmouth at the next general election.

The confederate war steamer Georgia arrived at Bordeaux on the 25th of March.

Liverpool, March 26.—To-day has been a complete holiday, with no markets except the stock exchange.

The London journals of to-day contain nothing of importance.

NEW YORK, April 6.—An official document dated Imperial Palace at Mexico, Department of Foreign Affairs, March 4th, 1864, states that the regency of the empire having been informed that certain persons coming from ports on the Pacific, having taken possession of lands in Mexico under contracts made with President Juarez, and business that all such contracts are void and of no effect. This act of repudiation is in accordance with similar documents issued in July, 1863, by General Almonte and others, after Juarez had left the capital.

BUFFALO, April 6.—A large fire is now raging at the Oil Refineries of Wardwell & Webster's and at Waters & Hawe's, at the foot of Maryland street. It is rumored that two persons have been killed and several injured. The loss will be very large; no insurance.

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