

LATER FROM MEXICO.

THE MEXICAN CONGRESS ASSEMBLED.
NO PROSPECT OF PEACE.

Almonte, Bustamante, and Paredes, pronounced against the Government.

War without Truce or Quarter Declared.

PETERSBURG, May 24.

The Express package containing New Orleans papers of the 18th inst., has just come to hand.

The schooner May arrived at New Orleans on the morning of the 18th from Vera Cruz.

A quorum has at last been assembled at Queretaro, and were awaiting the arrival of the Commissioners from the U. States to commence their deliberations. The opinions in relation to the peace question are various and conflicting.

The following is extracted from a letter dated Queretaro, April 27th, at 11 o'clock at night.

"The people are becoming weary with suffering the oppression and sport of petty tyranny. This, at least, is the case with the Mexicans, and by the omnipotent exercise of its will, disarming what is called the General Government of the Nation, established at Queretaro, it has prostrated to the earth its treacherous oppressors.

"At 9 o'clock on the night of this day, without any resistance, it proclaimed the only plan which, in the present circumstances, can save the country, viz: war, and war without truce or quarter, until an honorable peace is conquered.

"Such is the programme of this happy revolution, at the head of which are the distinguished Generals Almonte, Bustamante and Paredes, to whose voice all who are Mexicans rather than partisans, will respond. The tocsin of liberty has sounded at last. Sons of Hidalgo and Iturbide awake! The invincible hand of Providence points out to you the road by which every portion of the globe will occupy its true place.—Mexicans fulfil your destiny!"

American deserters are continually arriving at Queretaro. During the last three days twenty presented themselves to the Mexican government, and were incorporated in the San Patricio company. The garrison of Queretaro is composed of 820 men of all arms.

A wager of ten thousand dollars has been made for and against peace, in which several of the deputies are concerned.

The same correspondent says that Herrera has been nominated as President, and that a majority of the deputies will vote for him.

The Yucatan schooner Aparecido had also arrived at New Orleans with dates from Campeche to the 2d, and from Sisal to the 11th inst. The dates from Merida are only to the 29th, not as late as already published.

Indian War in Oregon.

AMERICANS VICTORIOUS IN FOUR BATTLES—MASSACRE OF MISSIONARIES.

St. Louis, May 21.

By the arrival of Major Meek, from the West, we have late and most important news from Oregon, where all is confusion and bloodshed between the Whites and Indians. Four powerful tribes have united, and commenced a deadly war. Four battles took place in January, in three of which the Whites were successful in beating their enemy. Five hundred Whites fought a body of two thousand Indians a whole day, when the Indians retreated, after wounding a great number of the Whites.

On the 29th of November, a most horrid and brutal massacre was committed by the Cayuse Indians at the Presbyterian Mission, at the Wallah-Wallah Valley. Dr. White, his man and wife, with eighteen others, were killed, and sixty or seventy taken prisoners. The houses of the Missionaries and their neighbors were burned to the ground.—The unfortunate prisoners were subsequently ransomed, through the agency of Peter Sken Ogden, chief factor of the Hudson's Bay Company.

Major Meek pushed up the river yesterday, on his way to Washington, with despatches for the Government, asking for immediate aid on the part of the Oregon settlers.

The Erie Gazette says the notes of the Erie Bank are taken at par by the merchants and business men generally. The Gazette further says:

"We learn that H. J. Huidekoper, Esq. of Meadville, the well known Agent of the Holland and other extensive Land Companies, has signified a willingness to take Erie money at par on the sale of land. It is also taken for toll by the different Collectors on the Erie Extension Canal.

The Chester County Bank Robbery.

A telegraphic despatch from Bedford, Pa., dated May 19—says:

"Our town was thrown into a great excitement this morning, by the arrest of two men for passing a large amount of money of the old issue of the Chester County Bank. Fourteen hundred dollars of the same money was also found upon their persons."

STORM ON THE RAILROAD.

On Friday afternoon last, the vicinity of the Gap and western part of Chester County, were visited by a sudden storm of wind, rain and hail. The water came down in such torrents, as completely to flood the ground. Fences were swept off, and great damage done to the crops. The rail road was so washed as to render the passage of cars for two or three miles, impassable, and the passengers on the following day were obliged to be transported around the breach in stages.—The hail covered the ground, and was so large as to break windows. The railroad it is hoped will be repaired in a few days.—West Chester Record.

The following in relation to the late John Quincy Adams we extract from the Washington correspondence of the New York Express:—

Mr. Hamegan related an interesting anecdote in regard to Mr. Adams and Mr. Monroe. That part of Mr. Monroe's message, so much referred to, (in regard to intervention,) was from the pen of John Quincy Adams himself. He had told him in a private interview, some time before he died, that this part of Mr. Monroe's message was his own words, (adopted by Mr. Monroe,) and incorporated in the annual message. As Mr. Adams was dead, he presumed he violated no confidence in recounting these facts.

Hon. Wm. Brent, Jr., late Charge d' Affaires to Buenos Ayres, died at his residence near Alexandria, on Saturday last.

MARRIED.

On Thursday 25th inst., by Rev. Jesse B. Williams, Mr. ROBERT McBRIDE to Mrs. CATHERINE GLASGOW, all of Mifflin county, Pa.

DIED.

In Lewistown, on Thursday morning last, A. O. BROWN, of Shirleysburg, in this county, aged about 28 years.

[Communicated.]

There have been but few instances of this nature which it became our duty to record, more afflictive than the case of Mr. Brown. But while we sorely feel, we humbly submit to the righteous, and most holy will of God. Mr. B. though but in the twenty eighth year of his age, was judged by the Presbyterian Congregation of this place competent to sustain the responsible office of ruling elder; an office which he filled with credit to himself, and satisfaction, and benefit of those who elected him. In him every charitable and benevolent institution, recognised as such amongst us, found a cordial support. Amiable and agreeable in his intercourse with others, he was beloved by all; and may be emphatically called the poor man's friend.

Setting out for Phila. in order to lay in a fresh stock of goods, accompanied by his lady and some other dear friends he reached no further than Lewistown, where in about eight days sickness, from fever, and Bronchial affection, he was dismissed from all the cares and toils of mortal life, leaving a widow and two small children, and many relatives, and a congregation, to mourn his unexpected and early death.

PAIN OR DISTRESS OF ANY KIND, whether of gout, rheumatism, headache, toothache, or any other kind of ache, is in all cases caused by impure humors of the blood, which have lodged upon the parts and which nothing save vegetable purging (purifying) can remove, because by no other means can impurity be driven from the body.

Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills have no superior, if indeed they have an equal in removing every description of pain; because they carry off, by the stomach and bowels, all morbid and corrupt humors (the cause of the disease) in an easy and natural manner. Four or five of Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills, taken on going to bed, will in a short time drive pain or distress of every kind from the system, and restore the body to a state of sound health.

Beware of sugar coated counterfeits. The only original and genuine Indian Vegetable Pills have the signature of William Wright written with a pen on the top label of each box. None other is genuine and to counterfeits this is Forgery. The genuine for sale by

T. K. SIMONTON, Sole Agent for Huntingdon, Charles Porter, Alexandria; Blair & Robinson, Shade Gap; Blair & Co., Frankstown; Orison & Co., Oriskany; A. O. Brown, Shirleysburg; Hunter & Co., West Barre and Petersburg; Graff & Co., Manor Hill; D. S. Bell, M'Elroy's Fort; James Maguire, Sautsburg; John W. Myton, Ennsville; George H. Steiner, Water Street A. & W. Crosswell, Petersburg; Milliken & Kessler, Mill-creek; and wholesale and retail at the principal office, 169 Race street, Philadelphia.

STRAY MARE.

A dark bob-tailed mare, about ten years old, and having no shoes on the front feet, strayed from the premises of the undersigned, living at Juniata forge, West township, Huntingdon county. Any information concerning said mare will be thankfully received, and a reasonable reward will be paid for delivery of said mare to the undersigned.

EDWIN F. SHOENBERGER, May 30, 1848.

DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore existing between John N. Swoope and Wm. Moore of the town of Alexandria, in the Mercantile business, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The books of the firm will be settled at the Store, where persons indebted are requested to make payment.

JOHN N. SWOOPE, WM. MOORE, Alexandria, April 1st, 1848.

The business will be continued by the undersigned, at the Old Stand. He returns thanks for the patronage heretofore extended, and respectfully solicits a continuance of the same.

JOHN N. SWOOPE.

MILES & DORRIS, Huntingdon, May 16, 1848.

NOTICE.

ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to the subscriber, by note or otherwise, for entries at his foundry or book, are requested to make immediate payment. For the accommodation of debtors he will meet them at the public house of Jacob Megahan, in McConellstown, on Saturday, the 27th day of May, inst. All accounts left unsettled after the last mentioned date, will be left in the hands of the proper officer for collection.

JAMES DEAN, per Wm. KENNEDY, May 16, 1848.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphan's Court of Huntingdon County, to distribute the balance in the hands of Robert Campbell, Esq., administrator of the estate of Hercules Kemp, late of Springfield township, decd., to and among his legatees, will attend for that purpose at the office of T. H. Cremer, Esq., in the borough of Huntingdon, on Friday, the 16th day of June next, when and where all persons interested may be present if they think proper.

JOHN REED, Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration have been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Benjamin Strong, late of Union Tp. All persons indebted will please come forward and make payment immediately, and those having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

ELIZA STRONG, Administratrix.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Robert Ramsey, late of Springfield township, Huntingdon county, dec'd.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to undersigned on the said estate, all persons having claims against the same are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted are requested to make immediate payment to

ROBERT RAMSEY, Adm'r. May 16, 1848.

GREAT REDUCTION!

COOD thirty hour brass CLOCKS can be had at Scott's cheap Jewelry Store for \$3 50, and eight day brass clocks for \$6 50. None sold that cannot be warranted. Also, Common Watch Glasses for 1 1/2 cts. Patents 25 cts, and Brackets 37 1/2 cts. A like reduction in all other articles.

ADDITIONAL ATTRACTION! CHEAP PUBLICATIONS!

A great variety of the latest—most interesting and thrilling works of fiction late just been received at the

"HUNTINGDON JEWELRY STORE," which will be sold at Philadelphia prices. No advance in mental breadstuff!

Dissolution of a partnership.

The firm of J. M. & S. H. Bell, under which I name the business at Edward Furnace, in Shirley township, Huntingdon county, Pa., was carried on from the 1st day of April 1848, to the 1st day of dissolution and ceased to exist by mutual consent.

From that date, (1st of April 1848,) the business at and of said Furnace has been conducted by and will hereafter be transacted by Samuel H. Bell, alone.

JAMES M. BELL, SAMUEL H. BELL, May 30, 1848. pd.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of Allen O. Brown, late of the borough of Shirleysburg decd. having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said deceased to come forward and make payment, and to all persons having demands against the same, to present them properly authenticated without delay.

May 30, 1848. JOHN SHAVER, Adm'r.

To the People of Huntingdon, Centre and Mifflin Counties.

The subscriber having been commissioned by the "American Sunday School Union" to act as agent in the district, "Huntingdon, Centre and Mifflin," takes this method of informing all Denominations of Christians, without respect to sect, that he will visit the different parts of the district during the summer, and give all who may desire it, a favorable opportunity for procuring the publications of the Union on reasonable terms, replenishing Libraries, and extending their efforts in the good cause. The main objects are the following, viz: to establish S. Schools where there are none, to encourage and supply those already in operation, to receive and make donations to constitute "Life Members," to make known the plans of the Union, to diffuse a pure and Religious Literature, to advance the interests of the Christian Church, to lay the only true foundation for the future welfare of the United States, and above all, to keep an eye to Eternity, and to the kingdom and glory of Him, to whom every member of the human family is bound by tenfold obligati on, to render obedience, honor and glory. Applications may, for the present, be addressed to me at Huntingdon, Pa. May 23 1848] J. H. ORBISON.

STRANGE PHENOMENA.

Is it an optical delusion or a Brilliant reality that dazzles Ladies and Gentlemen as they pass JAS. T. SCOTT'S Jewelry Store?

THE MYSTERY SOLVED!

SCOTT, on his late visit to the east, drew many of the splendid prizes in the Grand Jewelry Lottery, and being extremely lucky, he is determined to be extremely liberal. His store is filled with the richest and rarest specimens of art from the work shops of the east. He has the largest, the cheapest, and the best assortment of CLOCKS and GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, of almost every description, ever brought to Huntingdon. Also, Gold and Silver Bob Chains, Gold and Silver Pins and Pencils; brilliant Rings and Breast Pins; Bracelets, Bouquet holders; Silver Spoon, Mustard do., silver and common Sporks, Rodger's Pen Knives, Russell's unequalled Soaps, Perfumes, Liquid Hair Dye, Lip Salve, Shaving Cream, &c., besides a vast variety of other articles both for ornament and use, fill his cases. He has brought low and is settled in his determination to sell low. Give him a call.

Huntingdon, May 16, 1848.

Still more Astonishing News in the MERCANTILE WORLD.

The concessions made by the Jews and Gentiles NOT SATISFACTORY!

A further reduction of prices demanded by the people—resistance by the various Firms and advance of PROWELL with the 4th Light Brigade escorting an

Immense Stock of Goods,

to be disposed of at prices that will ally the tremendous excitement. Still further glorious news for the community—arrival of the train under Prowell—his batteries in position opposite Fort Wallace—joy of the masses—enthusiasm of the rank and file for the Hero of Cheap Goods—his splendid assortment opened and crowds of customers surrounding his counter. Amongst this assortment may be found the most splendid lot of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS

ever exhibited in the United States. Such as Gingham, Lawns, Bereges, Balzars, Tissues, Organilles and Plaids; Silks, striped, barred and plain; 700 pieces of Calicoes which I will sell at such prices as will astonish the world. Shays of every quality and price. Parasols, Parasets and Sun Shades. Laces, Edgings, Quillings, Bobinets, striped and barred Muslins, Gloves of every description, Hosiery in abundance; Muslins, Tickings, Checks, Diapers and cotton goods for pantaloons. Ready made clothing, Hardware, Queensware Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Leghorn, China, Pearl and Palm Leaf Hats.

The above goods have been purchased at 20 per cent lower than those bought earlier in the season, and will be sold at such prices as will satisfy the people of this county that the CHEAP CORNER is the only place to get bargains at last.

JOHN N. PROWELL, Cheap Corner, Huntingdon, May 9, 1848.

"Encourage your Own" Cabinet Ware Manufactury,

Main Street, Huntingdon, Pa.



J. H. & D. WHITTAKER,

WOULD avail themselves of this method of informing their friends and the public at large that they continue to carry on the

CABINET-MAKING

business, at their old stand, one door east of the dwelling house of J. G. Miles, Esq., and directly opposite the Printing Office of the "Huntingdon Journal," where they will be pleased to furnish those who may favor them with their custom, with all articles in their line on the most reasonable terms. Having supplied themse ves with a very large and superior stock of stuff, they have no hesitation in assuring the Public that they can furnish work, which, for cheapness, beauty and durability, cannot be surpassed by any other shop in the county.

They will keep constantly on hand, and make to order,

SIDE BOARDS, BUREAUS, Card Tables, Bedsteads, Centre Tables, Cupboards, Stands, Dough Troughs, Wash Stands, Wardrobes, Secretaries, Breakfast Tables, Pedestals, &c.

Old furniture repaired at the very shortest notice. Coffins made and funerals attended, either in town or country, at the shortest notice. They keep a Hoarse for the accommodation of their customers.

Gram of all kinds will be taken in exchange for furniture and work. Thankful for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended to them, they assure the public that no efforts will be spared on their part to deserve a continuance and increase of public patronage.

May 2, 1848-4f.

Hats, Hats, Hats.

ONE case more of Ashtons' beautiful mole-skin Hats, which no gentleman should be without, just received, and for sale at FISHER, McMURTRIE & CO'S. Also, a supply of Cerro Gordo and Buena Vista Hats of the best quality, and very cheap.

To Housekeepers.

SIXNE Jersey cured Hams, Fresh Shad, Herring & Mackerel, just landed, and for sale at FISHER, McMURTRIE & Co's.

Fip Molasses.

A few more hogsheads of that unrivalled fip Molasses, which has created so much excitement, now ready to be sold in quantities to suit purchasers, at the "GRAND BAZAR" of Fisher, McMurtree & Co., where in fact every thing may be found cheaper than any place else; not to say anything about their really fine

4 & 6 Ct. Sugar.

For the Ladies.

A large and beautiful assortment of Ladies Dress Gaiters, and Kid and Morocco Shoes, at the store of J. & W. Saxton.

Great and Glorious News!

For the People of Huntingdon Town and County generally!

Extraordinary Reduction in Prices!

Notwithstanding much wrangling and great diversity of opinion now exists among politicians as to who shall be the candidates of the respective parties for the Presidency, it is an admitted fact among all classes and all parties, that

SWOOPE & AFRICA

have just opened at their old stand in Main Street, Huntingdon, an assortment of

Spring and Summer GOODS,

not only the cheapest by at least ten per cent., but decidedly the best adapted to the wants of the People generally, that has ever been opened in this section of the State.

Their stock consists in part of Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinets, and a great variety of cheap goods suitable for Men's and Boy's Summer wear. Muslins of every quality and at astonishing low prices; Linens, Bed Ticking, Sheetings, Umbrellas and Parasols, Sun Shades, &c., &c. Also, Calicoes and Gingham of a quality and at prices that must suit the views of all.

Also, Silks, Lawns, Mouslin de Lains and Balzores of the finest quality and at prices that "can't be beat!" Shawls, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Mitts, Ribbons, Hosiery, &c., &c. Also, an elegant assortment of

Leghorn and Straw Bonnets,

HATS and CAPS,

of every variety. A large assortment of Boots and shoes, made in the most substantial manner. A general assortment of

GROCERIES,

Hardware, Queensware, Glassware, Paints, Oils, Salt, &c., &c.

The subscribers desire to return thanks to their friends and the public generally, for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to them. And in asking a continuance of public favor, desire to state that their new stock of Goods having been purchased for CASH, they are enabled to offer them at prices as low, if not lower, than any other establishment in the county. Call, examine and judge for yourselves.

SWOOPE & AFRICA, May 2, 1848.

LAST ARRIVAL!

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS!!

At the Store of GEORGE GWIN.

At the old Stand, in Market Square, Huntingdon, Pa.

The public are informed that I have received an entire new stock of

Spring & Summer Goods,

being by far the best assortment ever brought to this place, among which will be found Cloths of all kinds, Cassinets, Kentucky Jeans, Gambroons, French, Belgium and Fancy Cassimeres, Croton, Oregon and Tweed Cloth, Vestings, Flannels and Drillings, and a variety of Cotton Goods for Summer wear. French and Irish Linens and Checks, Bed Ticking, Muslins and Sheetings, Umbrellas and Parasols. A large assortment of Calicoes of the newest styles, at low prices.

Earlston, French, Scotch and Domestic Gingham and Balzores, Diapers, Table Cloths, Cotton Fringe, Mouslin de Laines, French Lawns and Scarfs, Shawls and Handkerchiefs, Black and Fancy Alpaca, Merinoes, Silk Gloves, Mitts, Ladies Caps, Ribbons, Hosiery, &c., &c. Also, a very excellent assortment of Hats, Caps, and

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

Leghorn and Straw Bonnets, Palm Leaf Hats, Boots and Shoes.

GROCERIES, HARDWARE, AND QUEENSWARE, PAINTS, GLASSWARE, FISH, SALT, &c., &c., with a fine variety of Goods of all kinds.

The above stock of goods having been selected with great care, and purchased at reduced prices for Cash, in the city of Philadelphia, I am enabled to offer

Great Bargains,

and hope that all will examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere, as I am determined to sell as low as any one in Pennsylvania. Please call and see my goods, as it affords me pleasure at all times to show them.

Wheat, Rye, Oats, Corn, Flour, Cloverseed & Flaxseed, Butter, Eggs, Lard, Bacon, Soap, Beans, &c., taken in exchange for Goods.

ap25-4f.] GEORGE GWIN.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing between Geo. W. Whittaker and Geo. Raymond, in the publication of the Huntingdon Messenger, has been mutually dissolved. The books of the firm will be left at the office of the "Messenger" for settlement.

Geo. W. WHITTAKER, GEO. RAYMOND.

May 2, 1848.

N. B. Having purchased the Messenger Press, Materials, &c., I will, in a few weeks, resume its publication, when it will be sent to its old subscribers, and the new terms made known.

Geo. W. WHITTAKER.

HERMAN STUMP, AT STAFFORD MILLS,

6 miles above Havre de Grace, Will at all times purchase Wheat at a price within two cents of Philadelphia Market. Owners and Boatmen are invited to call. Plaster may be had at the Mill. April 25, 1848.

QUEENSWARE, & C.

Geo. GWIN invites house-keepers to call at his store and examine his large assortment of Queensware and Table Cutlery.

Hams, Shoulders & Fitch,

JUST received from Pittsburg, several Hogsheads of Hams, Shoulders and Fitch, and for sale by J. & W. Saxton.

Ladies' Dress Gaiters and Shoes.

A beautiful assortment for sale at the new store of DORSEY & MAGUIRE. Also, a good assortment of Children's fine and coarse shoes.

RICH AND RACY!

FISHER, McMURTRIE & CO., avail themselves of this means of making known to their old friends and customers that they have greatly enlarged their room, and are now opening at the old and well known corner, a very large and splendid assortment of

Spring and Summer Goods,

which will be sold

20 Per Cent. Cheaper

than was ever before known in this latitude. Their stock is heavy and has been selected with great care, so that the wants of the WHOLE PEOPLE may be supplied. In addition to their former variety they have added a fine assortment of HATS, CAPS, and

Ready-Made Clothing;

which now renders their establishment a

Grand Bazar

where everything useful and ornamental may be found, and at prices which defy all competition! For example: They are selling splendid

Dress Lawns for 12 1/2 cents per yard,

Calicoes, from 3 to 6 do. do.,

Bleached Muslin at 4 do. do. do.,

Good Brown Sugar at 6 1/2 cents per lb.;

best Rio Coffee at 10 cents per lb.;

Molasses, 25 cents per gallon. And to cap the climax, they are able and willing to sell a FULL SUIT of Ready-made Clothing for the small sum of \$2.50.

For further particulars, please call at the "OLD LOCUST CORNER," where the important fact will be proven that Fisher, McMurtree & Co. have the largest, the best and the CHEAPEST stock of Goods ever offered for sale in Huntingdon!

[April 6, 1848.]

Another Grand Triumph

OF THE

Anglo-Saxons!

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