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The Messengers. Congress met on Monday last, and nothing unusual occurred; committees appointed to inform the President...

The Pennsylvania Electoral College met in the Senate Chamber, Harrisburg, at 12 o'clock, M., on Wednesday last. On motion of Mr. Howe, Ex-Governor Pollock was chosen President of the College...

At Columbia, S. C., in the Legislature, Mr. Elliott has been very warlike saying that there are eight of the largest Paikhan guns in Charleston, which might be used in taking the forts...

At Montgomery, Ala., a number of rotten eggs were thrown at Judge Douglas, one of which struck his wife in the face. Truly a "chivalrous" people, to mob even a woman, who only went to wait upon her husband.

DEATH OF HUGH MAXWELL.—Hugh Maxwell, twenty years ago well known in Pennsylvania, as one of the most energetic and accomplished journalists, and since that time retired from the active duties of life, died recently, at an advanced age, at the residence of his son, Dr. Maxwell, near Chambersburg, Franklin county, in this State.

After Mr. Maxwell assumed the control of the Journal, he made it exceedingly interesting, on account of the ability and research which he exhibited in discussing political issues, and his devotion to the interests of Pennsylvania.

Like most men identified with journalism, his sacrifices for his party were great. Those he assisted to eminent positions soon forgot him; and even while thrilling the country with his eloquent editorials, he was frequently greatly reduced in his means.

Mr. Lincoln in conversation with some friends, while deeply regretting the excitement that prevailed in the South, did not, at the same time, deem it expedient that he should say anything publicly upon the subject.

In a recent speech at Huntsville, Ala., Ex-Senator Clements, now of Tenn., espoused the idea of Secession, exposing its utter impracticability, and added: "The dream of a Southern Confederacy is the wildest vision that ever troubled the brain of a moonstruck enthusiast."

The Palmetto, now so popular in South Carolina, has been much neglected in Charleston in recent years. It is stated in a letter from that city that but a single tree of the kind was to be found in the place on the day of the Presidential Election.

The Vermont Legislature has passed a law against prize fighting—providing for imprisonment or \$5,000 fine; or \$1,000 fine; and citizens of the State who attend a prize fight in other capacity, out of the State to receive the same punishment.

Some New York politicians in a public address charged Gerrit Smith with complicity in the Harper's Ferry raid. He sued them for libel, when they retracted in a public letter, and gave him \$3,000 to settle.

NEWS IN BRIEF. James Waterman, aged 73 years now a resident of Walworth, Wayne county, N. Y., was one of the pilots of the Fulton on her first trip from New York to Albany, in October, 1807.

In the year 1861 there will be an annual eclipse of the sun on the 14th of January, another on the 7th of July, and a total eclipse on the 31st of December. There will also be a partial eclipse of the moon on the 17th of December.

Salt Lake is probably the saltiest body of water on the globe. Three barrels of this water are said to yield a barrel of salt. The water is of a light green color for about ten or twenty rods, and a dark blue. No fish can live in it, and but a few birds are seen dipping in it.

George U. Thorburn, florist, a greatly esteemed son of "Laurie Todd," died last Monday, at Newark, N. J., from injuries received by a fall. He was to be put in charge, by the Ladies, of Mount Vernon.

Thomas H. Clay, son of Henry Clay writes that there is no man in all his acquaintance in Kentucky who justifies South Carolina in her course.

A bill has passed the House in the Vermont Legislature requiring every attorney at law, on the request of his client, to give his opinion in writing upon the points bearing directly in a given case, and holding him responsible when, through incompetency, neglect or mismanagement on his part, the client suffers damages.

The Hayes Arctic Expedition winters in ice at Uppernavik, safe so far, as reported by one of the party who has returned.

The deaths of Sir Charles Napier of the British Army, and of General Clark of the U. S. Army, are announced.

The income to the French government from tobacco—nearly one-half of which is from the United States and Cuba—last year was about \$36,000,000.

A number of persons were made sick in Woodssocket, Sunday, by the imperfect manner in which the Universalist Church was ventilated. The furnace in the basement was out of order. The services were suspended midway.

A law has been passed by the Legislative Chambers of Hayti, parceling out the immense estates of the Ex-Emperor Souleouque among military men who had served in the army twenty years and upward, reserving, however, the works and a central portion of each habitation as the site of a model farm.

Mons A. Berghans, the Secretary of the Belgian Legation, it is reported, will soon wed a Philadelphia belle who has frequently graced the White House during the present Administration.

The recent fugitive slave excitement in Chicago grew out of the arrest of a negro who had escaped from Nebraska Territory, and therefore involves a new point, as the Constitution provides for the return of a slave escaping from a State, and no judicial construction has yet been given to the statute as to its effect upon a slave escaping from a Territory.

The conservative sentiment of the South appears to be disgusted at the unceasing sectional wrangles, and considers that the Northern States should promptly convene their Legislatures and repeal their unfriendly laws, and urge a convention of all the States to meet a prompt and united effort to preserve the Union and country from bankruptcy, anarchy and ruin.

Mr. Seward will make no speech immediately, and will submit no proposition. All rumors to the contrary are entirely unfounded. He is in no manner or form responsible for the various suggestions recently put forward in different newspapers, which have been supposed to reflect his views, and in any way privy to their publication. His policy is to watch the development of events, and to direct them wisely at the proper time for peace and the preservation of the Union.

The young men of Boston who invited Gov. Packer, of Pa., to a convention on the anniversary of John Brown's execution, to inaugurate a movement for the eradication of slavery, are said to be nearly all negroes. There are only one or two white men among the whole party.

A negro in Vicksburg, recently won two thousand dollars for his master, in a race with a white man. The affair created much excitement, and it was said \$10,000 changed hands on the result.

A vigilance committee rode a South Carolina train, near Richmond, Va., last week, because he would not tell them his business.

The census-taker in New Milford, Ct., found three old maids, each two years younger than they were ten years ago.

Every person wishing to be "booked up" upon the legislative doings this winter, should have the Harrisburg Telegraph. See advertisement.

WASHINGTON ITEMS: The President's Message fails to give the satisfaction anticipated, as it virtually encourages secessionists and fails to inspire confidence for the preservation of the Union.

Senator Mason, of Virginia, and Wm. Porcher Miles, a representative from South Carolina, appear in their grey suits of Southern homespun, which renders that somewhat conspicuous. It is gratifying to observe the courtesy between members from different sections, which was in many cases obliterated during the protracted contest for speaker.

Chief Justice Taney is in most excellent health. He has not looked better for years. His friends say that he was greatly annoyed at the reports about his resignation, and that his hair is loosening and thinning, it will grow to these parts which have become bald, causing it to yield a fresh covering of hair. There are hundreds of ladies and gentlemen in New York who have had their hair restored by the use of this Invigorator, when all other preparations have failed.

Only Twenty-five Cents per bottle, to be had at all respectable druggists and perfumers. L. Miller would call the attention of Parents and Guardians to the use of his Invigorator, in cases where the children's Hair inclines to be weak. The use of it lays the foundation for a good head of hair, as it removes any impurities that may have become connected with the scalp, the removal of which is necessary both for the health of the child, and the future appearance of his Hair.

CAUTION.—None genuine without the fac simile LOUIS MILLER being on the outer wrapper, and L. MILLER'S HAIR INVIGORATOR, N. Y. blown in the glass. Wholesale Depot, 56 Dey St., and sold by all the principal Merchants and Druggists throughout the world.

NEW DRUG STORE, MARKET STREET, MARIETTA, PA. D. R. H. GROVE and HARRISON R. ROY have formed a co-partnership for the purpose of conducting the DRUG & PERFUMERY business, under the firm of GROVE AND ROY.

PLUMB & DYEI, Fashionable Tailors & Drapers, Opposite A. Cassel's store, Market street, MARIETTA, PA. THE undersigned having associated themselves into a partnership, would here by inform their old patrons and the public generally, that they will continue the Fashionable Tailoring Business at the old stand, adjoining Dr. Hinkle's Drug Store, Market street. Having a fine stock of Cloths, Cassimeres & Vestings, which they will dispose of and "make up" on reasonable terms.

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Christian Plumb, Nathan Dyer. Cutting done at short notice. Marietta, Sep. 16, 1859 -lt

COME TO ANDERSON'S where you will find the largest and best assortment of Confectionaries, Fruits, Toys & Fancy Articles ever offered in this place, consisting in part of New Raisins, Cranberries, Currants, Figs, Dates, Prunes, Iceland Moss Paste, Gum Drops, Hour-cakes, Flavored Sugar Candy, Candy Drops, Pepper Candy, Preserved Fruit, Gum Fruit, Fig Paste, Oriental Preserved Figs, Cream Bonbons, July Lumps, Fine Vanilla Almonds, Cream Strawberries, Jubilee Paste, Rock Candy, Wisconsin's Cough Candy, Walnut Candy, Candy Strawberry and Gum Taffy, Fruit Candy and candies of all kinds, and prices, Dates, time, establishing a Democratic daily paper in Philadelphia.

It is not doubted that the Charleston forts will attempt to take possession of Fort Moultrie, Sumpter, and Castle Pinckney, in Charleston bay, the moment the State determines to secede. The United States troops in these forts are estimated at some two or three hundred men in all, and those who pretend to know declare that the forts can be easily captured, particularly if the officers in command should refuse to defend them. The President has issued orders that they shall act on the defensive all the time.

A distinguished member of Congress, from one of the Cotton States, said that while South Carolina would certainly secede, she would not embarrass the other Cotton States, if the latter insisted upon receiving such propositions as the Northern people might desire to make through their Representatives, and if propositions are satisfactory to them, South Carolina may herself condescend to come back into the Union.

The National Council of the Choctaw Indians has passed an ordinance to purchase 65,000 bushels of corn for the relief of such of their people as are suffering by reason of the severe drought of last summer.

COBB CERTAIN TO GO: The Washington Correspondent of Forney's Press of Wednesday last says: "It is now certain that Secretary of the Treasury, Cobb, will resign either to-night or to-morrow. He is said to be preparing a long letter to the President, in which he will vindicate himself from the different accusations made against him, particularly those in regard to the mismanagement of the finances of the country. He would have followed his family to Georgia, but remains on this account. His friends expect to elect him a member of the coming State Convention, and it is his intention to take an active part in its deliberations in favor of immediate secession. Mr. Cobb came into the Cabinet when the Treasury was full; he leaves it empty, public creditors clamoring for pay, and the whole country on the eve of the greatest distress. It is stated confidently that his successor will be Augustus Schell, Collector of the port of New York, who, at any rate, will have an advantage over Mr. Cobb in the fact that he will have a vast deal upon which to improve.

JOHN BROWN, MEETING DISPERSED.—The meeting which was called to commemorate the death of John Brown, met on Monday, in Boston, at the Temple. The meeting was called by a number of foolish abolitionists, the majority of whom were either negroes, or possessed of a considerable portion of African blood. The meeting was called to order by Jas. Redpath, but immediately afterward the meeting was re-organized by an outside party. Resolutions were then passed denouncing John Brown, and declaring that his execution was perfectly right. A number of prominent abolitionists essayed to speak, but their voices were completely drowned by the cheers and confusion created by the opposite party. The excitement finally ran so high that the Mayor was obliged to bring forward a posse of police. The Temple was completely cleared, and then locked up.

THE TWO PORT ELECTORS.—Among the Republican Electors are two poets whose names possess an undying fame. William Cullen Bryant and John Greenleaf Whittier. They have for years given their sympathies and influence to the cause of Freedom in our land; and shall now have the satisfaction of sealing the triumphant vote of the sixth of November, which elects ABRAHAM LINCOLN to the Presidency of the United States.

JOURNALISM IN NEW YORK.—Since the year 1836, no less than forty-three newspapers have been started in New York city, and after a brief career have failed. Some were political, some literary and some religious. It is impossible to estimate the amount of capital which was sunk in these enterprises.

A PROLIFIC COW.—On Thursday the 15th ult., a cow belonging to Mr. Moses S. Miller, of Windsor township, Berks County, gave birth to four living calves, which weighed, together, about 200 lbs. Two of this extraordinary litter lived only a short time, but the other two are yet living, and growing finely.

TO PREVENT TOE-NAILS GROWING INTO THE FLESH.—A friend who has tried it recommends paring the middle of the nail until it can be split in two, when the nail will puff up and grow to the center, releasing the sides from the pressure. He says it is worthy of being re-published.

TO KEEP ICE OFF WINDOWS.—Take an ordinary paint brush or sponge, and rub over the glass, once or twice a day, a little alcohol, and it will keep the glass as free from ice as in the middle of summer, and will give as good polish as can be got in any other way.

MEETING OF ELECTORS.—The electors of President and Vice President met on Wednesday at the capitals of their respective States and proceeded to vote by ballot for President and Vice President of the United States.

JUST RECEIVED at Anderson's Confectionary and Variety Store, in Market-st., a fine assortment of children's gags, baskets, wagons, perambulators, wheelbarrows, toys, rocking horses, wagons, drums, children's carts, wheels, barrows, sleighs, Hobby Horses, China and Paper Toys, Dolls of every size and material Black and White. Animals of every description, Tea sets, Furniture sets, Village, Trumpets, Violins, Guitars, Velocipedes and every variety of Holiday Gifts. For sale cheap at Anderson's.

JAMES M. ANDERSON respectfully announces to the citizens of Marietta and vicinity, that he has just received direct from the eastern markets one of the largest and best assorted stocks of Confectionary ever offered in this borough, consisting of Candies, Forests, Fruits, and Nuts, Toys, and Holiday Presents in endless variety. Come and see and be convinced of the fine assortment and the low prices at which everything in his line is selling.

LADIES AND GENTS Anderson has just received an elegant assortment of Perfumery, consisting of Toilet Soaps, Hair Oils, Extracts and Colognes at prices much below the usual rates, also some very handsome Canees for gentlemen, Portmonies, &c.

FRESH HOME GROUND SPICES AT ANDERSON'S! Attention Butchers and Housekeepers! Having a great demand for the use of the fine assortment and the low prices to keep a constant supply of Ground Pepper, Ground Coriander, and Sweet Marijane.

FRESH SUPPLY of Candies, Nuts, Raisins, Lemons and Apples just receiving at Jas. M. Anderson's.

EXCELLENT Cooking and Baking Apples always on hand at Anderson's.

TWO HUNDRED-BUSHELS of good potatoes for sale at WOLFE'S.

BAGATELLE.—An excellent Bagatelle Table for sale cheap; inquire at this office.

HEALTH AND ITS PLEASURES! On, DISKASE AND ITS AGONIES! CHOOSE BETWEEN THEM!



HOLLOWAY'S PILLS. NERVOUS DISORDERS.

What is more fearful than the breaking down of the nervous system? To be excitable or nervous in a small degree is most distressing, for when can a remedy be found? There is one—drink and eat of the Pills, or spirits, or far better, none; take no coffee, weak tea being preferable; get all the fresh air you can; take three or four Pills every night; eat plenty of solids, avoiding the use of staps; and if these golden rules are followed, you will be happy in mind and strong in body, and forget you have any nerves.

MOTHERS AND DAUGHTERS. If there is one thing more than another for which these Pills are so famous it is their purifying properties, especially their power of cleansing the blood from all impurities, and removing dangerous and suspended secretions. Universally adopted as the one grand remedy for female complaints, they never fail, never weaken the system, and always bring about what is required.

SICK HEADACHES AND WANT OF APPETITE. These feelings which so sadden us, most frequently arise from annoyances or trouble, from overindulgence in eating, or from drinking what is unwholesome; thus disordering the liver and stomach. These organs must be regulated if you wish to be well. The Pills, if taken according to the printed instructions, will quickly restore the healthy action of both liver and stomach, whence follow as a natural consequence, a good appetite and a clear head. In the East and West Indies scarcely any other medicine is ever used for these disorders.

DISORDERS OF THE KIDNEYS. In all diseases affecting these organs, whether they secrete too much or too little water; or whether they be afflicted with stones or gravel or with aches and pains settling in the loins over the regions of the kidneys, these Pills should be taken according to the printed directions, and the Ointment should be well rubbed into the small of the back at bed time. This treatment will give almost immediate relief when all other means have failed.

FOR STOMACHS OUT OF ORDER. No medicine will so effectually improve the tone of the stomach as these Pills; they remove all acidity, occasioned either by intemperance or improper diet. They reach the liver and reduce it to a healthy action; they are wonderfully efficacious in cases of dyspepsia, in fact they never fail in curing all disorders of the liver and Stomach.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases: Ague, Dropsy, Inflammation, Asthma, Dysentery, Jaundice, Bilious Complaints, Erysipelas, Liver Complaints on the Female Irregularities, Lumbago, Fevers of all kinds, Bowel Complaints, Rheumatism, Colic, Constipation of the Bowels, Retention of Urine, Consumption, Head-ache, Sciatica, or Indigestion, King's Evil, Stone and Gravel, Tumours, Secondary Symp-toms, Venereal Ailments, Worms of all kinds, Weakness, &c. CAUTION.—None genuine unless the name "HOLLOWAY, New York, and London," are distinctly marked in every leaf of the book of directions around each pot or box; the same may be plainly seen by holding the leaf to the light. A handsome reward will be given to any one reading such information as may lead to the detection of any party or parties counterfeiting the medicines or vending the same, knowing them to be spurious.

Sold at the Manufactory of Professor Holloway, 80 Maiden Lane, New York, and by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicine, throughout the civilized world; in boxes at 25 cents, 62 cents and \$1 each. There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes. N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each box. [7-8

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