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LINCOLN AT HARRISBURG.—The capital of the "Old Keystone" was literally crowded yesterday, to witness the raising of a new flag on the Capitol Dome by the "Old Soldiers of 1812." It was conceded on all sides to have been the finest military pageant ever witnessed in the State.

A private letter received in New York from the War Department, says, that the greater portion of the troops which left there, were bound to reinforce the forts of Washita, Arbuckle, and Cobb, which were reported by telegraph on Monday to be in danger of attack by Secessionists.

The War Department has just issued an order to the army in Springfield for the manufacture of 1,200 per month, instead of 800 per month as at present.

Mr. Lincoln has already received seven hundred applications for office from Minnesotans.

"Coner!"—that's enough! "Everybody and the rest of mankind" knows what Godey means. The March number, now on our table, is a gem for the sex.

Two of the great questions of the day were disposed of on Saturday last, as far as the House of Representatives is concerned. We refer to the Sunbury & Erie bill and the bill for the Repeal of the Tonnage Tax.

A joint resolution, requesting the Pennsylvania delegation in Congress to advocate the immediate suspension of the postal system in the seceding States, passed the House on Monday last.

A resolution, fixing the pay of the Peace Commissioners from Pennsylvania, now in Washington, at \$8 per day and mileage, passed the House of Representatives on Wednesday.

The English soldiers quartered at Fredricksburg, N.B., have been for some time drilled in snow-shoes, by order of the commanding officer of the garrison.

At the late Presidential election San Francisco polled 4,000 more votes than New Orleans.

Dr. A. Gamble, a physician, was frozen to death while intoxicated, at Pittsburg, recently.

Mrs. Reynolds, of Boston, carried off the palm as the best lady skater in Paris this year.

MARYLAND.—This State presents a very interesting picture at the present time. Although a vast majority of her people are undoubtedly in favor of the Union, and her Governor has taken a noble stand, yet the "Rattlesnake Clubs" (the rattlesnake is the favorite reptile with the secessionists) are doing all they can to get up a Convention independent of anything the Governor may say or do.

KENTUCKY.—Disunion has not the ghost of a chance in Old Kentucky.—The people of that patriotic State have but few sympathies with the traitorous cotton-growers of the Gulf States. A gentleman recently from Kentucky, through which he traveled considerably, says a perfect delirium for the Union prevails there among the people.

FOWLER'S BONDSMEN.—In the United States District Court, at New York, the jury released Messrs. George Law and Gustavus A. Conover, the bondsmen of the late Postmaster of that city. In their findings, the jury declared that Fowler, at the time the bond was executed, was a defaulter to the amount of \$50,000 and upwards, and that the Federal Government knew it to be so.

About seventy-five young Republicans of Cincinnati gave a supper in the ladies' ordinary of the Burnet House, to Mr. Robt. Lincoln, eldest son of the President. Gov. Morgan, of Indiana, sat at the head of the table, his vis a vis being Gen. Sam. F. Cary, of College Hill. A committee was deputed to bear an invitation to the President. He returned with an apology for not coming himself, and saying that "Bob may be put through." Toasts were drunk, and speeches made, and sentiments uttered. After this spending several hours in this pleasant way, the company returned home happy as princes.

Fort Monroe, which is intended to defend Norfolk, Virginia, is the largest in the country. The walls are more than a mile in circuit, very thick and high, surrounded by a moat which is from 50 to 100 feet wide, with eight feet of water, drawbridges and outer batteries. It mounts some 300 heavy guns, has mortars for throwing shells, furnaces for heating balls, &c. The walls enclose some seventy-five acres. In the center is the parade ground and all around are the quarters of the troops.

The Lockport Advertiser says that on Feb. 7, when the mercury was ten degrees below zero, a lady and gentleman came some nine miles to Lockport, in a cutter, for the purpose of being married. When they arrived at the American Hotel, the gentleman's face and ears were frozen, and also the lady's nose. As soon as the marriage ceremony was performed they prepared to leave, and were soon on their way, rejoicing.

The Girard House will be closed after the first proximo, and will remain closed a year. Messrs. Presbury, Sykes, and Chadwick's lease does not expire for a year, but they have transferred it to Mr. Stevens, of the Continental, for the sum of \$30,000. The lessees of the Girard House are about to open a new hotel at Nashville, Tennessee.

The Cincinnati Commercial says during "Old Abe's" stay in that city his physique was freely discussed by the crowd, and they were evidently disappointed in not finding him so atrociously ugly as he had been represented. It seemed to be the general impression that he had used but not abused his privilege in that respect.

South Carolina has proposed to buy Fort Sumpter before taking possession of it. Why didn't she buy Fort Moultrie and Castle Pinckney, and the revenue cutter, and the custom house, and the army, and the post office, before taking possession of them?

The Cincinnati Gazette says: "We have information from a most reliable source that the Hon. Salmon P. Chase has been tendered, by Mr. Lincoln, the position of Secretary of the Treasury, which offer he holds under advisement. We are further advised that Mr. Chase will probably except."

The Lancaster Union says: We find the following going the rounds of the papers. It is the first intimation we have had of the fact:—"The forefathers of the first nullifier settled in Lancaster county. John O. Calhoun's father was born in Drumroop township, Lancaster county, and several of the family were still living near the old place a few years ago."

There is a tree in Williamstown, Mass., so situated that it draws nourishment from Massachusetts, New York, and Vermont. It stands on the spot where those three States join.

The copper coins at present in circulation in England equal in weight 6,000 tons, and in number 500,000,000.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The oldest subscriber to the Newburyport (Mass.) Herald, Captain Richard Coffin, of Newbury, came in on Monday, and as usual paid his advance subscription, which carries him into the sixty-sixth volume. He has filed the papers for all that time, with the exception of a few months, and the volumes, by his generosity, are now in the public library.

The Medical students of Montreal, C. E., have been detected body snatching. A descent on the medical school, by means of a search warrant, on Saturday week, revealed the corpses of two children, one man, and three women, which had been stolen from their graves. One student was arrested and held to bail.

A new writing apparatus for the blind has been invented by the Rev. Mr. Wardlaw, of Scotland, originally for his own use. The hand and pen are kept at work on the same line, but the paper moves upward at the proper distance, as each line is completed, by a slight touch from the left hand.

In Montreal the skating pond or ring is roofed over, so as to prevent its being covered with snow. It is lighted at night, and the band of the Canadian Rifles generally attends. The ladies frequent it, wearing short dresses, looped up so as to be out of the way, and Turkish trowsers.

The report of the Superintendent of Common Schools for the last year, just issued, shows the whole number of Common Schools in the State to be 11,977; number of teachers, including Philadelphia, 14,085; number of pupils, 647,414. The total cost of the system for the entire State during the year was 2,619,577.

Messrs. Charles A. Luckenbach, Andrews H. Rauch, Matthew Krause, Augustus Wolla, and William Leibert, have been elected to represent the Bethlehem congregation in the Synod, which is to convene at Lititz, Pa., on the 22nd of May next.

One of the recruits was buried from the Carlisle barracks, on Monday, and another on Wednesday. They were both buried with military honors, the funeral escort, with the band, numbering about one hundred men, under Serjeant Major Murray.

Thomas Winans, of Baltimore, next to Astor, of New York, is the wealthiest person in the United States. He is said to be worth \$20,000,000, and made his splendid fortune by railway speculations in Russia.

The North Carolina Legislature re-elected Thomas Clingman, to the U. S. Senate for six years from the 4th of March next. This looks as if the old North State had concluded to stay in the Union.

It is said that Mr. Buchanan will veto every measure of Congress looking to the coercion of Southern States. In this he does not include the provision for building seven new sloop-of-war.

We learn from the Miltonian that the friends of ex-Governor Pollock are urging his appointment to the important post of Collector of the Port of Philadelphia.

Stewart, the New York dry goods millionaire, having a little money to spare, is building six iron stores on Broadway, which will cost him \$500,000.

A converted pickpocket is the latest orthodox sensation in London. Crowds go to hear his sermons, which are very ordinary and even vulgar in style.

A young man who had two years ago inherited \$70,000, is now posting bills at Chicago. Highly talented and a first class accountant, rum has ruined him.

Mr. Seward has engaged the house occupied by Gen. Cass, and it is undergoing the necessary change for the occupation of the new Premier.

In Madrid, last month, a Spanish merchant drew a prize in the lottery of \$200,000, and soon after became insane.

Several ladies regularly attend the medical lectures of professors of the University of St. Petersburg, and take notes, like students.

The glass manufacture of the country is now a million less than three years ago, and the importation much greater.

There is a girl of 21 in the prison at Georgetown, Va., who has become insane from inordinate use of tobacco.

An old lady was frozen to death on Friday night, in Passaic county. She was intoxicated, and laid out in the snow all night.

The New York Herald now uses the term "poor Buchanan." The tune is changed as Mr. B. is about to leave the White House.

The Presbyterians of Ireland now have five synods and nearly five hundred churches.

Some of the street railroads in England are now importing cars from America.

A lady of Wheeling, Va., has laid in a trance for ten days past.

Thirty-five men were killed last year in duels in the United States.

Bronze coin, to the amount of \$200,000, is about to be issued in France.

WASHINGTON ITEMS: Clark Mills, the sculptor, by his recent marriage, secures a fortune of \$200,000. Mrs. Mills is the widow of the late Mr. Howell of Baltimore, who left a fortune of \$800,000, chiefly acquired in the dry goods business in New Orleans.

The President has appointed Senators Foote, Foster and Pearce, a Committee to wait on Mr. Lincoln and attend him to the place of inauguration.

Messrs. Washburne, (Ill.) and Burlingame, (Mass.) have been appointed by Speaker Pennington, a Committee to notify Messrs. Lincoln and Hamlin of their election.

The last noon-day reception of Miss Lane, the accomplished niece of President Buchanan, took place on Thursday, and was well attended. On this occasion many of the resident families embraced the opportunity of calling, and for the last time paying their respects and extending their best wishes for the lady who, during the past four years, has presided with so much dignity, grace and affability over the President's mansion.

Floyd, as Secretary of War, had a salary of eight thousand dollars per annum. He was poor when he entered office. He had the place about three years and six months. From his savings, he shipped by Adams' Express to his home in Virginia, one hundred and twenty thousand dollars.

Washington advices state that there is further testimony against Floyd. The House Military Committee have discovered that he accepted A. R. Belknap's bid for 100,000 muskets, but Secretary Holt refuses to acknowledge the contract, as these and other arms were doubtless intended for the South Carolina government. It is further stated that Floyd distributed, without any order 65,000 percussion muskets, 40,000 altered muskets and 10,000 rifles, among the southern forts. The committee give as a reason for reporting the bill authorizing an acceptance of the services of volunteers, that the regular military force is inadequate for the protection of United States forts, arsenals, &c.

The Peace Conference will, according to the present indications, take a final vote on the pending propositions on the 22d, Washington's birthday.

For the first time a staff has been erected on the War Department building for the display of the National flag.

It has been ascertained that a larger number of United States vessels are now afloat than for the last twenty years.—Other vessels may be fitted out in three or four weeks. There is, however, a deficiency of lieutenants, midshipmen, masters, and medical officers, as well as of seamen—the law limiting the last named to 8,500 men.

The mail contractors in the seceded States are continually asking whether they will be paid as heretofore, to which the Post Office Department responds affirmatively, stating that drafts will be issued to them on the postmasters, to be paid from the postal revenue collected within those States.

A strong movement is making to recommend Mr. Simmons, the Rhode Island Senator, to a seat in Mr. Lincoln's Cabinet, as Secretary of the Treasury.

Letters received from Paris contain authoritative denials, in the most emphatic manner, that the Emperor Napoleon has signified his intention to recognize the independence of the Southern Confederacy.

Gov. Floyd is preparing a lengthy defense in reply to the report of the select committee, and to other charges which have been made against him. His trial comes on at the term of court which meets on the third of March.

Indications favor the idea that an extra session of Congress, soon after the Fourth of March, will be unavoidable.

Some days since a box was expressed to Mr. Lincoln from Tennessee, no letter accompanying it. Some hesitation was at first felt to open it. This morning, however, his private secretary, overturned the box, when it was found to contain a stuffed figure representing an African.

Messrs. Pryor, Edwards, and Maynard compose the special committee to inquire into the truth of the allegation that certain Southern members from the seceding States have abstracted books from the Library of Congress to form a library for the Southern Confederacy.

The East Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold its annual session in Chambersburg, beginning, March 13th; and continuing for eight or ten days. About 210 ministers are expected to be in attendance.—Bishop Simpson will preside.

Fanny Fern is in luck. A few days ago A. T. Stewart, the great merchant prince, was so charmed with one of Mrs. Fern's crisp little articles, that he ascertained her residence and sent her one of the best silk dresses in his big dry goodsery.

The three Oregon Presidential electors could not consent to appoint a messenger to bring their vote to Washington, as the mileage (over \$15,000) was too nice a plum to be given away.—They all three came on and divided the mileage.

Mr. Lincoln attended church in Buffalo, on Sunday last, in company with ex-President Fillmore, and afterwards dined with him.

THE PEOPLE'S BOOKS.—John E. Potter, Publisher and Bookseller, 617 Sanson street, Philadelphia, has issued the following books, under the above head. They are very finely gotten-up and sold at very fair prices:

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Missouri has gone overwhelmingly for the Union. The present indications are that there will not be ten secessionists in the State Convention. The average majority in St. Louis county is a little over 4000 votes for the Union ticket.

Alexander Hamilton Stephens was born on the 11th of February, 1812, and was consequently 49 years of age on the day he took the oath as first Vice President of the Confederate States of America.

During the nine months ending the first of February the servant girls of Cincinnati sent to their parents and friends in Europe the sum of \$64,900.—The remittances vary in size, ranging from \$3 to \$25.

The President elect was born on the 12th of February, 1809, and is therefore fifty-two years of age, and in the vigorous maturity of life.

The New York Legislature has passed a bill appropriating \$50,000 for the relief of the Kansas sufferers.

The Legislature of Kansas has postponed the election of two United States Senators until April.

Catherine Hayes is making a musical tour through Ireland.

MARRIED.

On the 14th instant, by the Rev. Josiah Humphries, Prof. O. D. BARRETT, of Cleveland, Ohio, to Mrs. SALLIE S. SUTTON, of Columbia.

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