

FACTS AND FANCIES.

MAXIMILIAN has had his salary cut down to \$8,000.

Why is a bald head like heaven? Because there is no parting there.

DIPLOMATIC relations had entirely ceased between Russia and the Papal Court.

A great calamity has fallen on the Caucasus, in the appearance of a destructive disease among silkworms.

GEORGE N SANDERS, who is doubtless regarded down south as a noble patriot and exile, has applied for the benefit of the insolvent laws in England—liabilities, £10,000

THE Paris working-men have raised the sum of five thousand francs by contributions of one sou each, the whole sum to be devoted to the manufacture of a medal assassination of President Lincoln—the medal to be presented to the United States Government.

A correspondent of a Dublin paper says that recently a funeral entered a churchyard situated in a solitary part of the County of Wicklow, lowered a coffin into a grave, covered it, and went their way. The Police of the district went to the cemetery in question, and, disentering the coffin, found it to contain a quantity of pikes.

A huge iron framework is to support the four tiers of boxes of the new Opera House in Paris. There are to be neither pillars nor columns to interrupt the view in his building. The four tiers, together with the stags, are to be supported so as this mass of iron will not be visible, and the galleries and boxes will seem to be suspended in the air.

THE London Sporting Life says that pugilism has fallen upon evil days. The admirers of the "manly art" are disgusted with those who manage such affairs, and its sun seems to have set over the grave of Tom Sayers. To revive the Ring, it thinks, seems an utterly hopeless task: and, from one cause and another, that "institution" has sunk lower and lower since the date of the famous fight at Farnborough.

The editor of the Windsor Journal—a very obstinate sort of bachelor—learns that professors of dancing in New York have recently introduced a new style cotillon, called "Kiss cotillon," the peculiar feature of which is that you kiss as you swing the corners. The editor is a crust sort of a person, who never dances; but says he would not mind waving his objections to the amusement so far as to "swinging corners," now and then, in this cotillon.

DURING the Christmas festivities, some wag in Schieswig sent a very large, rich looking cake to Gen. Manteffel, Prussian Governor of that State. The gift was received with much pleasure by the General and his family, and one evening it was placed upon the table with great ceremony. However, on cutting into it, the pleasure was turned to indignation when it was found to contain nothing but copies of the various papers that the General had suppressed in Schieswig.

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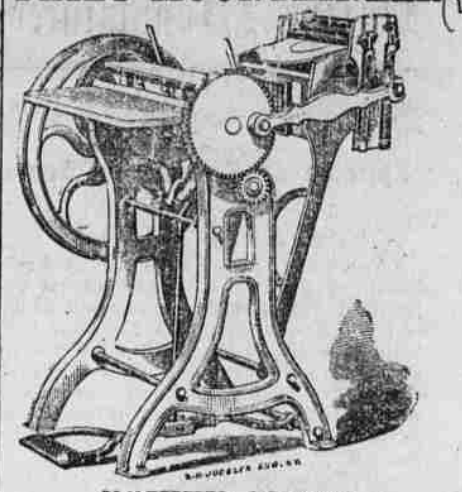
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