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AUTUMN FLOWERS.

Sweet glories of the dying year, Bright, lovely autumn flowers, Kissed by the dew-drop's pearly tear Or bathed in evening showers.

—Houshold.

[From Wood's Household Magazine.]

JAMIE'S TEMPTATION.

"BABY! Coward! Tied to your mother's apron strings!" This was too much for the better part of Jamie's nature; it wilted right down, and the naughty part of him got the complete mastery.

of the room,—the old men with their bloated and disfigured faces, the young men, and the boys,—yes, there were boys in that degraded company,—all bearing upon their young faces the marks of early dissipation, he wondered why the angel had taken him into such a vile and loathsome place; but he was not permitted to wonder long. "Do you recognize any one here?" asked the angel.

Jamie stood and gazed, and wondered. Soon a gold and purple cloud floated from the opening, bearing upon its bosom two angels, who sang as they were wafted down to the earth, "Blessed is the man that endureth temptation, for when he is tried, he shall receive the crown of life which the Lord has promised to them that love him."

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For the Mail.

BE PUNCTUAL IN WELL DOING.

We believe the only true way to succeed in life is by being punctual in well doing. In the sense of punctuality, we can divide men into three great classes. First, is the class that act on time. Second, the class that one day act as becomes a man, and the next day cease to act.

For the Mail.

"Times have changed since I was Young."

We often hear old people say "Times have changed since I was young." Well, so they have. What of it? The same good old ladies and gentlemen say, "Oh, the boys and girls! how different they are from what we used to be!" Well, so they are. What of it? Look back about half a century, my good old uncle Solemncholy, and aunt Sobriety; yes, look back and see how it was when you were young.

For the Mail.

A most emphatic temperance lecture may be found on our first page, in the record of three murders and a large amount of minor crimes, all directly chargeable to rum.

At Paoli, Ind., Saturday, the cords of a balloon in which Prof. Wilbur was preparing to make an ascent, gave way. The professor and Geo. W. Knapp, editor of the Orange county Union, grasped the ropes and were carried up. Knapp fell thirty feet without serious injury. Wilbur was carried up a mile when he was unable to climb into the balloon. He lost his hold and fell to the ground crushed in an undistinguishable mass.

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WATERVILLE... (CT. 6, 1871.)



AGENTS FOR THE MAIL.

The following parties are authorized to receive advertisements and subscriptions for the Mail and will do so at the same rates required at this office: S. M. PETERSON & Co., No. 10 State St., Boston, and 37 Park Row, New York.

NORTH KENNEBEC FAIR.

Our Fair on Tuesday and Wednesday, though disturbed by the weather, yet managed to secure a very satisfactory degree of success. The exhibition of farm stock Tuesday was emphatically good. Nothing looked discouraging but the small number of visitors present.

At the hall there was a fair exhibition, with a good audience Tuesday evening and Wednesday afternoon—the work of committees being thrown badly out of order by the rain in the forenoon. On the whole, both at the grounds and at the hall—taking into consideration the drouth and grasshoppers, with the consequent depression among farmers—the exhibition this year is one to give very emphatic encouragement for the future.

So far as we have room we publish the reports of the several Fair Committees this week. Those which we are compelled to defer will appear next week, with such other notices as may accompany. Extra copies of the Mail can be had at the office.

BUTTER, CHEESE, BREAD, & C.

On Butter, first premium to lot No. 2, presented by Mrs. James Warren of Winslow, which is every way worthy of it; second to No. 8, by Mrs. C. E. Stuart, of Winslow.

On Cheese, we award the first premium to No. 2, by Frank Blackwell; and to No. 4, plain cheese, by Mrs. Wm. Morrill, the second premium.

On Flour Bread—first premium to Annie O. Burleigh, of Fairfield; second to Mrs. Ira Low of Waterville.

On Bread made by Girls—Brown, first premium to Sybil D. Burleigh, Fairfield; second to Alice Cook—Barley, first to Sybil D. Burleigh—Flour, three samples all very good, and so nearly alike that we recommend a gratuity of \$1 each to E. S. Taylor, Georgia Nowell, and Sybil D. Burleigh.

On Maple Syrup only one entry, by Mrs. Wm. Drummond, to which we award the premium of \$1.

For the only box of honey presented we award volume of Reports to L. A. Dow.

On Currant Jelly, first premium to George Nowell; second to Mrs. Wm. Drummond.

On Grape Jelly, premium of \$1 to Mrs. E. R. Drummond. For a lot of preserves, canned fruits and candies, all of which were very nice, we recommend a gratuity of \$1. These were presented by Mrs. C. E. Estes, of Waterville, and she has our thanks besides, for sweetening our dispositions.

WM. DYER } Com. JOS. TAYLOR }

SAMPLES OF CROPS. Your committee upon examination found a good variety of vegetables presented for this season; and after a careful examination of their relative merits have awarded the premiums as follows:—

Three samples of onions presented. We award the society's premiums to number 7 by Wm. L. Ellis, containing two varieties.

Four samples of beets. We award the premium to No. 16 by P. Derocher, and we recommend a gratuity to No. 12, by W. Jones, it being hard to decide which is best.

Four samples of potatoes. Premium to No. 14, by P. Derocher. No. 4, presented by Obed Emery, contained 20 varieties. Your committee would have been pleased if they had been labelled so as to indicate the names of all the kinds.

To No. 27 by Wm. Valentine, which is a new variety and very large we recommend a gratuity.

Hill to raise. Its weight was 84 lbs. It had a close rival in No. 9, presented by S. N. Taylor, Fairfield.

One lot of water-melons presented by Wm. L. Ellis, to which we award a premium.

One lot of rye, by A. C. Marston, to which we award a premium.

One lot of wheat by Obed Emery, to which we award the premium.

One lot of tomatoes, by Frank Nowell, to which we give the premium.

One lot of cucumbers, by Mr. C. E. Estes, very long, new variety, to which we give premium.

Six samples of corn. We award the premium to Isaac B. Bickford, for seed corn.

To No. 130, very nice lot of sweet corn, presented by P. Derocher, we also recommend a premium.

B. G. MITCHELL, for Com. In a note to us, Mr. Obed Emery says:—

I will give you the names of the potatoes I had at the Fair as far as they are named:—Early Rose, Mercer, Sebec, Early Goodrich, Grant Harrison, California, Jackson, Orono, Cowhorn, State of Maine. The remaining varieties were raised from the potato land in 1868 and 1869, and they are not named; 20 varieties in all.

POULTRY. On flock of hens giving the largest profit for the year 1st prem. to Jos. Percival; entry accompanied with satisfactory statement; no competition.

For best lot of hens, first prem. to H. A. Archer for White Leghorns and Buff Brahmas; 2d to W. H. Haynes for Light Brahmas; 3d to A. L. Maxwell for White and Red Leghorns, and Seabright Bantams.

On best lot turkeys, first to Elhanan Cook. On geese, first to Elhanan Cook; 2d to F. E. Nowell; 3d to L. A. Dow.

No other premiums being offered, the committee recommended gratuities as follows:—To A. L. Maxwell on Muscovy ducks 50 cts.; to W. H. Pearson on flock Light Brahmas 50 cts.; to John Kirkpatrick on Red Leghorns 50 cts.; to same on ducks 50 cts. and to A. T. Webb, on flock Seabright Bantams 50 cts.

E. MAXHAM for Com. SHEEP. The Com. on Sheep award premiums as follows:—

1st premium on fine wool flock to A. G. Ricker; 2d to E. Maxham.

1st prem. on fine wool ewe lambs to E. Maxham; 2d to A. G. Ricker.

1st prem. on bucks to E. Maxham; 2d to same; 3d to same.

1st prem. on buck lambs to E. Maxham; 2d to same; 3d to same.

1st on fat sheep to G. E. Shores.

1st on coarse wool bucks to G. G. Hanscom; 2d to same.

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ELHANAN COOK for Com. LEATHER AND LEATHER GOODS.

Messrs. Loud and Hodgdon brought in a good display of the goods they keep for sale, boots and shoes for men, women and children, with one pair of calf boots made by Mr. Loud's own hands. To the last was awarded the premium of \$1.

HERDS. First premium to H. C. Burleigh; 2d to Geo. E. Shores; 3d to Howard & Ellis; 4th to Wm. H. Haynes.

A. T. GIFFORD, for Com. DRAWING HORSES. Premium to A. C. Marston.

E. TOTMAN, for Com. STEERS. On three year olds—1st to Mrs. C. T. Morse; 2d to A. T. Gifford.

On two year olds—1st to Elisha Lawrence. One year old—1st to H. G. Getchell; 2d to Elisha Lawrence.

Calves—1st to Wm. Miller, Benton, weight 870 pounds; 2d to Elmer Jones, Winslow.

COWS. When we consider that human society is diversified by an endless variety of characters, dispositions, and passions, and uniformity is in no respect the genius of our race; that every man, every woman and every child is marked by some peculiarity which distinguishes them from another, and nowhere can two individuals be found who are exactly and in all respects alike, your Committee are led to exclaim that it is beyond the power of finite man to give entire satisfaction to so large a class of competitors as come under the notice of this committee; but after a careful examination, and much deliberation, we come to the following conclusions, and make the awards as follows:—

On thoroughbred Durhams, we award the first premium to Howard and Ellis, of Fairfield, on Marigold; and 2d premium to W. H. Haynes of Smithfield, on his cow Mayday. L. A. Dow had a nice Durham cow, thoroughbred, and your committee regret that there was not a premium for him. J. Percival, Esq. also had a very fine grade Durham.

800 lbs. One of her calves, 3 years old, has given in the same time 798 1-2 pounds of milk. Their yield of butter in that month has been 90 pounds. Their feed has been poor pasture, with what sweet corn stalks they would eat once a day and one quart of corn meal, and two quarts of coarse shorts or wheat bran daily each. It was not practicable to set their milk separate.

FRUIT. On apples of all kinds, first premium to Joseph Taylor of Belgrade; second to A. Bowman of Waterville; third to Frank Nowell Fairfield.

On Fall Fruit, 1st to Joseph Taylor. On Pears, 1st to Joseph Taylor; 2d to A. C. Marston, of Waterville; 3d to A. Bowman. Grapes, no show worthy of notice.

Plums, one specimen only presented, Lombards, and for that we award premium to Galen Hoxie.

We notice a nice display of apples and pears, by Mr. N. Foster, of Gardiner, presented for exhibition and not for premium, and to him we recommend a gratuity of three dollars.

GALLEN HOXIE, } Com. C. R. STUART } I. E. GETCHELL }

MATCHED OXEN. The com. on Matched working oxen submit the following report:—

In class 1st, five year olds and upwards, there were 5 pairs shown us. One pair by Lawrence and Jones, girth, 7 ft. 8 in. These oxen are not only very nicely matched, but of uncommon symmetry, and we award them the first premium. To Watson Jones we award the second premium on his oxen girthing 7 ft. 6 in. These are matched completely, and were emphatically working oxen, made for business, with a due proportion of bone and hard muscular fibre. In awarding the third premium your committee were not so sure what they ought to do. Wm. Jones showed us a pair of oxen girthing 7 ft. 2 in. A nice pair, well matched, adding materially to the show of matched working oxen. A. J. Libby showed us a pair girthing of one 8 ft. 4 inches, the other 7 ft. 10 inches. These are as well matched in color as Jones's, but not in build. Than on's is 6 inches less than the other, quite too much difference in girth to call them well matched oxen. But there is probably more money in them than in any other pair on the grounds. Add to this a long catalogue of precedents from former awards and to these some tons of bone and muscle, and the opposition could not stand under it, so up went the Jones' oxen and down came Libby's; and to Wm. Libby is awarded the third premium. The 5th pair, shown by Josiah Morrill, 7 ft. 2 inches, are a likely pair and we think the thanks of this Society are due to Mr. Morrill for his trouble and interest manifested to help make up the show of working oxen at this time.

There were but two pairs of four year old oxen shown your committee. One pair by Hiram Blake, to which the committee award the first premium, his oxen girthing 6 ft. 7 inches. To A. J. Libby the second premium, on his 4 year old oxen girthing 6 ft. 10 inches. Some of your committee questioned whether either pair of these oxen were entitled to the premium offered. Individually good enough perhaps, but quite different in figure. Such oxen have received premiums at previous shows as matched oxen, consequently the majority of the committee thought it wrong to withhold it from these.

In closing we would respectfully suggest to our Trustees to define what they mean by matched oxen—whether simply that bone and muscle be so balanced that they work even in an even yoke, or that they be matched in color, build, etc.

B. D. HOWARD, for Committee.

U. S. Officials are rather crowding the Mormons. Brigham Young and several other dignitaries have been arrested, and are to be tried for bigamy, and to prevent disturbance, U. S. troops are concentrating in Utah.

PRESCOTT HAZELTINE, a highly esteemed citizen of Belfast, and formerly a prominent merchant of that city, died a few days ago.

THE UNIVERSALIST STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION held a very interesting session at Gardiner the present week—Major Hewey of Bath presiding.

PRICES.—Bangor—Hay \$24 to \$28; wool 60; oats 50 to 55; eggs 27; butter 32 to 34; lard 10 to 11; round hog 6 to 7; chickens 16 to 18; potatoes 40 to 45; beans, best, \$3.00 to \$3.50.

Portland—Hay, baled, \$28 to \$30; lard 10 to 11; cheese 10 to 12; butter 33 to 34; beef, sides, 6 to 8; round hog 6 to 7; potatoes 40 to 50; apples 50 to \$1.

Augusta—Hay \$25 to \$26; oats 55; butter 33 to 35; lamb skins \$1 to \$1.25.

Skowhegan—Butter, choice, 35; eggs 24; hay \$25; potatoes 40.

Waterville—Butter 35; apples 50 to \$1; potatoes 40; eggs 25; chickens 15 to 18; round hog 6 to 7.

Boston—Hay \$20 to \$30 for poor to good; beans, best, \$3.25; eggs 30; potatoes 50 to 65; sweet potatoes, per barrel, \$2.50 to \$3; onions \$2 to \$2.25 per barrel; butter 25 to 30; cheese 8 to 12; shorts \$24 per ton; corn, mixed, 84 to 85.

Later accounts confirm the report of the terrible condition of some parts of Persia. In July 8000 persons perished in the city of Meshed, and 40,000 persons of the province were carried off into slavery by the Afghans, who took advantage of the general disorganization to make invasions for plunder. The pestilence still rages, and its horrors are increased by destructive inundations, yet the Persian Government has refused to avail itself of the aid proffered by Great Britain and Russia.

The Whig says there was received at the Maine Central Railroad station in Bangor last week, and forwarded to other stations to the westward, over a thousand tons of coal. The month of September just passed has been the best month for freight since the road was first opened.

Returns of 114 towns in Connecticut show that the Republicans carried on Monday 65, the Democrats 87, and in 16 mixed tickets were elected.

Hiram Marden, of Palermo, was recently killed by falling from the scaffold of his barn. He was 64 years of age, and a prominent citizen.—[Belfast Journal.]

THE HUTCHINSON FAMILY, "Tribe of Aca,"—Assa B, Lizzie C, Abby, Fred and Dennett—will give a concert at Town Hall in our village, on Tuesday evening, Oct. 17th, as will be seen by referring to a notice in our advertising columns, and we feel confident that our citizens will be delighted at the announcement. We have all heard these sweet singers many times; and their simple melodies always do us good and are pleasant memories ever after. They sing with a mission and for a purpose, and in this way do much for moral progress and the cause of humanity. Their audience here will be measured by the capacity of the hall, and it will therefore be advisable to go early that a comfortable seat may be secured.

MR. M. C. MILLIKEN, an accomplished musician, and an able and successful teacher, well known to the musical people of Portland and Kennebec county, who now resides in Augusta, made a visit to our village one day this week and tuned the pianos of several persons of his acquaintance. As will be seen by his card in another column, he proposes to visit us occasionally for the same purpose, and orders for services may be left at the Bookstore of C. K. Mathews.

MR. BENJ. SOULE, aged 95 years and 4 months—supposed to be the oldest person in Waterville, died at the Town Farm on the 12th of September, of paralysis. He had resided on the farm ever since its purchase, and for some twenty years previous had been supported by the town—latterly in payment as much as he thought his age and health allowed.

The Brunswick Telegraph is informed that the deposition of John Rogers, the defaulting cashier, was taken on Tuesday, in behalf of his bondsmen. He states that he was short in his accounts \$5,000 as cashier of the Brunswick Bank, when it was converted to the Pejepscot Bank, and that he was short \$16,000, when it was changed to a National Bank.

The above statements, which are fully substantiated by the published deposition, show the utter worthlessness of official examinations of our moneyed institutions, as they have been conducted. The high reputation and standing of persons holding offices of trust blinds the examiners; the probing is not thorough, and the whole thing is too often a formal farce.—

Here was a bank which had twice changed its name and character, and which was in the care of shrewd and careful men; and yet the cashier was enabled, little by little, to absorb nearly all its capital, without detection. How many other institutions of this kind are in a similar condition? The carelessness and indifference of stockholders, we venture to say, invites this very condition of things: so long as their dividends are regularly paid, they will not even trouble themselves to attend the election of officers, and only awake from their criminal slumber, as in the case above, to denounce the breach of trust for which they are partially responsible. But it is said, nobody doubts the honesty of the men in charge. Well, nobody doubted Rogers, and he was allowed to go on as long as the capital of the bank held out. For the very safety of these honest men, and to help keep them honest, they ought to be looked after and have their doings carefully criticised.

MR. ROGERS has been sentenced to six years hard labor in the State Prison, and no one will say that his punishment is too severe, though it is not all, for he himself says, "The mental suffering which during the last twenty years the knowledge of my undiscovered guilt has caused me, has been a heavier penalty than any which the Court can impose." Verily, "The way of the transgressor is hard."

MR. H. C. BURLEIGH drove his fine Herefords to Skowhegan, last week, and was awarded the first premium on Herds; 1st and 3d on thoroughbred bull calves; 1st on thoroughbred cows; 1st on thoroughbred 2 and 3 years old heifers; 1st on grade Durhams 2 yrs. old; and several minor premiums.

A correspondent of the Kennebec Journal complains that many of the young men of Augusta—belonging to respectable families, and some of them holding places of trust—are nightly found in the drinking saloons, gambling dens and bagnios of that city, going fast to destruction; and that this condition of things continues through the Sabbath, even. Virtuous Augusta!

THE SOMERSET MUSICAL ASSOCIATION will hold its annual convention this year at Skowhegan, commencing on the 24th of Oct. and continuing four days, under the direction of that accomplished teacher and musician, L. W. Ballard, of Lewiston.

A TEACHERS' INSTITUTE for Kennebec Co. will be held at Gardiner, commencing on the 23d inst. and continuing five days, under the direction of C. B. Stetson and N. A. Luce.

A Sunday School Convention will be held at Getchell's Corner, Vassalboro', on Saturday, Oct. 14th; also one in Clinton on Friday, Oct. 20th.

The Kennebec Co. Union Sunday School Institute is to be held in Hallowell, Nov. 1st and 2d.

CITY MARSHAL OFFICERS, of Gardiner, lost a four hundred dollar horse on Monday night, poisoned, as it is alleged, by the rum-sellers of that city, in revenge for the Marshal's activity in enforcing the liquor law. If that fact is established, the city should make up his loss.

REV. WM. R. ALGER, the well known Unitarian clergyman and author, who went abroad for his health, has been pronounced hopelessly insane and is on his way home in charge of keepers.

THE COIL is tightening about the N. York City officials.

PRESIDENT GRANT will visit Maine week after next to be present at the formal opening of the European and North American Railway. He will arrive in Bangor on Tuesday, the 17th, where extensive preparations are going forward for a grand reception, &c. There will be a torchlight procession, with military salute on the evening of his arrival; and a grand procession next day, with a collation, trial of fire engines, regatta, military drill, review, and dress parade, with a general illumination and display of fireworks in the evening, &c. Portland and Augusta will also probably do something.

CLASS OFFICERS.—The Freshman Class of Colby University have chosen the following officers:—

President, J. H. Cox; Vice Pres., C. F. Hall; Sec., C. K. Merriam; Orator, H. M. Heywood; Poetess, Miss M. C. Low; Historian, L. C. Cornish; Prophet, E. J. Colcord; Toast Master, H. Tilden; Committee on Odes, H. Hudson, Jr., E. H. Smiley; G. W. Hall, G. B. Howard; Committee of Arrangements, W. Goldthwait, C. F. Hall, E. A. Read, J. Brownville.

The corporation meeting on Monday evening last voted to purchase 600 feet of new hose, and appointed a committee to inquire into the practicability of supplying the fire department with water by means of a force pump. Two of the committee, S. Keith, and H. G. Tozier, have since visited Skowhegan, which is successfully supplied by the above means; and at the adjourned meeting, Monday evening, at Town Hall, we may expect a report from the committee with such further action as the Corporation may see fit, towards accomplishing the object contemplated.

The members of Ticonic Division, of the number of thirty or forty, young and old, recently made an evening visit to the residence of Mr. C. H. Thompson (late Henry Taylor's "Brookfarm," on the Kendall's Mills road. With walking and riding and the genial sociality of that order. The company spent a most delightful evening. Mr. Thompson is connected with the Dow & Co. furniture manufactory, and has bought the portion of Brookside on the east side of the road for a home. May it prove a home indeed.

"Seven" minnows, three horn-pouts and a clam have been trying all summer to get above the Augusta dam.—[Ken. Jour.]

Why don't you petition the State to help the city of Augusta give the poor critters a lift?

The municipal court in Hallowell has fined a woman for "night walking." Wonder if she walked alone?

REV. C. R. MOOR, of Augusta, will preach in the Universalist Church on Silver Street next Sunday, at 10 1-2 A. M.

REV. DR. WHEELER, of Topsham, will preach in the Unitarian church next Sunday.

MR. H. M. HOPKINSON, a graduate of Colby University, of 1868, under appointment as a missionary to Bassein, Burma, was ordained at Bangor, yesterday. He sails, with his wife, on the 21st.

CORRECTION.—The Kennebec Journal, in its enumeration of the public buildings and institutions, located at Augusta, forgot the extensive "Paper" works so successfully carried on there during the war. "Honor to whom honor is due."

At the Prohibitory convention in Massachusetts, on Wednesday, R. C. Pitman was nominated as candidate for Governor—Gen. Butler receiving a few votes. An endorsement of Woman Suffrage was refused.

A COWARDLY CORPORATION.—Leavenworth, Oct. 3.—All the colored laborers on the extension of the Chicago and Southwestern railroad have been discharged on the demand of the Irishmen employed on the work.

ANOTHER FENIAN RIOT.—There was a riot in Cork Sunday, between some police and some Fenians. Shots were exchanged and one policeman wounded. Three of the rioters were arrested. The collision was the result of illegal drilling by organized bands of Fenians, a number of whom were arrested. Some of these men were found to have Snyder rifles in their possession. The discovery caused considerable excitement among the police, and there was active searching for the violators of the law, which resulted in the dispersion of several bands and the arrest of a few more Fenians and the capture of their weapons.

SUICIDE AT GORHAM.—Henry Alden, a highly respected citizen of Gorham, committed suicide on Sunday morning a little past twelve o'clock, by hanging himself in his barn. He has been greatly depressed at times for many years, and has lately conceived the false idea that he was a bad financial manager, and that he must eventually come to want. He always a wife and three children, for whom he always manifested deep affection, and to whom he was particularly indulgent. He was an industrious farmer, and he was reported to be worth about \$20,000.—[Port. Press.]

On Monday, Horace Moody of Skowhegan, a young man twenty-one years of age, while shacking two freight cars at Gardiner, was jammed so badly that several ribs on his left side broke and penetrated the lung.

The Union Farmers Club of Gardiner will hold their cattle show and fair at the meeting house on Brunswick road next Tuesday, Oct. 10th.

"Five years ago," remarks the Philadelphia Press, "we fought the Democracy with the spelling book and whipped them. This year our weapon is the arithmetic, and it is just as deadly."

The next session of the Board of Agriculture of this State will be held at Paris Hill, next January.

The Whig says seventy car loads of freight came into Bangor over the E. & N. A. R. R. on Friday, and sixty-four on Saturday.

Mr. Avery Allen, for many years conductor on the Maine Central Railroad, has bought of Mr. H. K. White his ash and blind factory at Skowhegan, and he will carry on the business. Mr. White leaves for California this fall.

INVESTMENT OF MONEY.—Just now, when nearly every holder of Five-twenty Bonds is debating in his own mind whether he had better sell out, so as to realize the great premium on his bonds, or to wait till he is offered a new bond bearing a lower rate of interest, a hesitation, natural with many who hardly knew how or where to reinvest their money so as to retain the higher rate of interest and still have their capital safe and tangible—we can refer them with pleasure to the announcement of Messrs. Fisk & Hatch, the widely known and respected Bankers in another column. All will remember the efficiency and earnestness of this Firm in the sale of the great Government Loans during the dark days of the Rebellion, and many will appreciate the wisdom of their great faith in "the ultimate value of the very Five-twenties which are now commanding a high premium. Also at a later date, their wonderful activity and foresight in predicting a great success for the Central Pacific Railroad, which has been so fully borne out by the rapid construction and great earning capacities of the road, and the enviable distinction its securities have achieved the world over. Those who have had dealings with Messrs. Fisk & Hatch know that their statements may be relied on; and feel that when they say a Bond is sure to be paid, principal and interest, as a Government Bond, it means that they have given careful scrutiny to the security, and that the statement is not made on their part without a thorough conviction that it is so. They now recommend with that same confidence the Chesapeake and Ohio Bonds, of which but a small portion remain unsold. We entertain no doubt that time will show their recommendation of these Bonds to have been fully warranted as in the case of Five-Twenties or Central Pacific's.

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REWARD OF MERIT.—We are happy to lay before our readers the following cure, effected by the use of Miss Sawyer's Salve.

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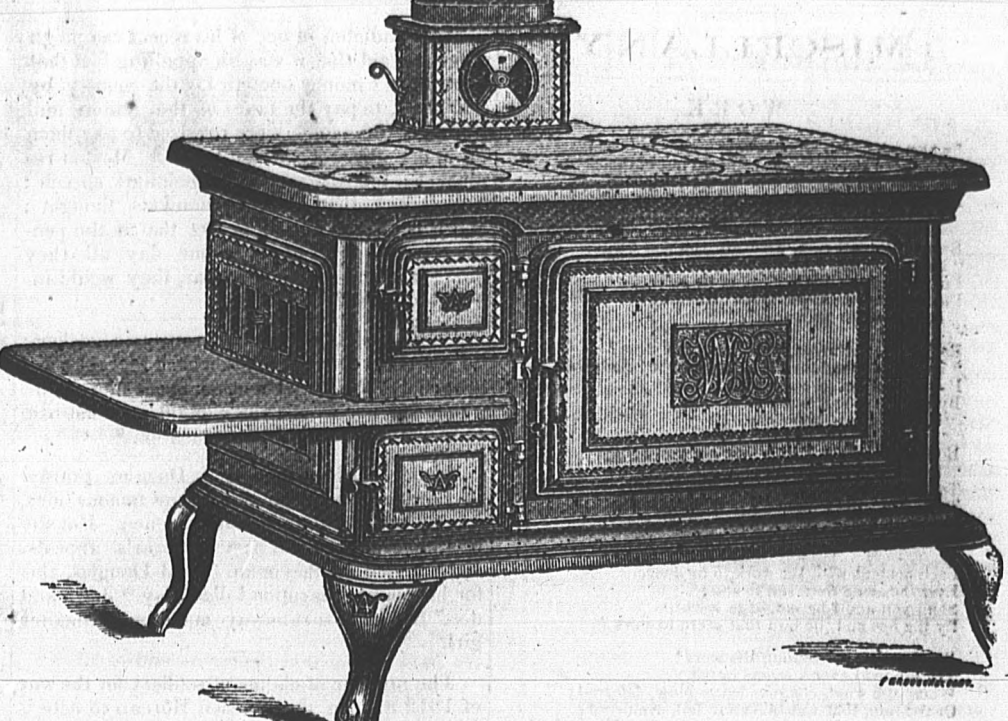
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Sweet wind, fair wind, where have you been? I've been sweeping the cobwebs out of the sky; I've been grinding the grist in the mill, hard by; I've been laughing at work, while others sigh; Let those laugh who win!

Sweet rain, soft rain, what are you doing? I'm urging the corn to fill out its cells; I'm helping the lily to fashion its bells; I'm swelling the torrent and brimming the wells; Is that worth pursuing?

Redbreast, redbreast, what have you done? I've been watching the nest where my fledglings lie; I've sung them to sleep with a lullaby; By and by I shall teach them to fly, Up and away, every one!

Honey-bee, honey-bee, where are you going? To fill my basket with precious pollen; To tell my neighbor as well as myself; To find out the sweetest flower that grows, Be it a thistle, or be it a rose, — A secret worth the knowing!

Each content with the work to be done, Ever the same from sun to sun; Shall you and the bird that seem to shrink By the bee and the bird that seem to shrink?

Wind and rain fulfilling his word! Tell me, was ever a legend heard; Where the wind, commanded to blow, deferred; Or the rain, that was promised to fall, demurred? — Mary N. Prescott, in Our Young Folks.

A GOOD TEMPERANCE SERMON.—A few days ago a gentleman rapped at the door of a tenement in this city, and a voice faintly responded—"Come in." Upon opening the door and entering the room he beheld a woman, pale and emaciated, reclining on a scantily furnished bed, her features indicating a degree of culture and refinement not at all in keeping with her surroundings. The room though tidy did not probably contain fifteen dollars worth of household furniture including a small stove and the bed on which the suffering woman lay. In reply to inquiries she said her disease was chronic; that she never received but little care from her husband, who then was on a "drunk" and had been for four days; that she had had no food for the three days preceding; that her husband generally returned home about dark, but beat and abused her cruelly; that that morning he "carried away three bottles and the last two dollars in the house"; that there was no provisions of any sort in the house nor any wood for a fire. She said she had been unable to get my body to ask the city authorities to take her to the almshouse; she implored that she might go there before her husband returned at night. The gentleman promised her that the overseers of the poor should be made acquainted with her condition, at which her countenance expressed deep satisfaction. In the course of two or three hours she was tenderly conveyed to the poor-house, where, two days subsequently, she breathed her last. Her burial took place in due time, but her husband, whom she once dearly loved and implicitly trusted and who once swore to love, honor and cherish her until death should part, was the same hour arrested for drunkenness and disorder and incarcerated in the county jail!

People of Augusta, this is a true incident, or tragedy, or whatever you may call it. "Oh, thou invisible spirit of Rum! if thou hadst no other name, we would call thee Devil!"—[Ken. Jour.]

Rev. Dr. Nast, a noted German Methodist of Cincinnati, writes a letter to the Advocate of that city from the Water Cure at Danville, in which he chronicles his deliverance from a long habit of using tobacco, in this victorious strain: "I have no adequate language to express my gratitude and joy for this glorious deliverance; I feel like shouting glory, halleluiah! How often did this conviction force itself upon me, that I would be healthier, a happier Christian, and a more useful minister of Christ, if I were free from tobacco! We can never adequately realize the effects of an injurious habit, before we are delivered from it. Although I was a moderate smoker, smoking once at each meal, the poisonous narcotic had so penetrated blood and nerves, that the effort to quit its use at my age would have been fruitless or dangerous, without a radical change of my whole system, without a physical reconstruction, such as I got here, and such as younger men may experience even at home, if they will follow the hygienic prescriptions of Dr. Jackson. I feel like the man in the parable, who unexpectedly found a great treasure. I feel a cure of new life in my veins. I feel as if my blood was cleansed. With the physical cleansing I received a new spiritual cleansing; for, O, how intimate is the connection of soul and body! I see now that the poisonous narcotic affected injuriously my soul as well as my body. The consciousness of being dependent on such an agency for my comfort threw a cloud over every act of conversation in my Christian experience. Deep down in my heart I felt that something was yet lacking, that I did not glorify God in my body as I ought. It made me more or less a melancholy Christian; henceforth, I trust, I shall be a joyous one."

SKIP THAT.—After the capture of Mobile by Farragut's fleet the Honorable Secretary of the Navy, Gideon Welles, wrote to the Admiral a letter of thanks, &c. The Admiral was in his cabin when the despatch from Washington came on board, and, as his sight was not very good, he handed the letter to his private secretary asking him to read it. The secretary commenced reading: "Sir, the Department has heard with great pleasure of the capture of Mobile by the fleet under your command, and I take the occasion to thank you in the name of the Government of which you are so noble a servant. Your name will go down to posterity among—" "Stop, stop, sir! Stop all that flourish of trumpets. Skip all that sir, and let us know what they want to do next," said the noble old fellow.—[Grand Army Journal.]

The theory of physical deterioration in Mass. is illustrated in an address just delivered before the Farmers' Club at Princeton, by Dr. Nathan Allen. He says that in 1840, when the population of that town was 1,357, "the number of children between the ages of five and fifteen was twice the number in 1870, when the population was 1,279." For the last ten years, seven-eighths of all the births in this town have been in families of foreigners, though the population of this kind does not exceed 100 in number. Whatever may be the bearing of this fact politically, the Tribune thinks it certainly does not furnish a very good economical argument in support of the Know-Nothing doctrine.

A Bonn correspondent tells an amusing story of a German General, who, on inspecting his troops not long ago, addressed them thus: "Now, my children, we can once more get seriously to work. The pastime of war is at an end, and drill must go on regularly as heretofore." The Spectator says the great Hohenzollern drill-sergeant must have got his well into the very heart of the people, before that speech could have been imagined.

Mr. Pendleton in one of his recent campaign speeches said that it was an appalling fact that there wasn't money enough in the country, by \$150,000, to pay the taxes of the nation and States, if the people were required to pay them all in one day. To which Senator Morton replied as follows in his Cincinnati speech: "Well, now, that is a tremendous thought; and it is also an appalling fact that if the people were required to eat in one day all they now eat in the course of a year, they would inevitably burst!"

Punch makes a Scotchman say to a teacher: "I see that you've put my son into geography and grammar. Noo, as I neither mean him to be a minister nor even a sea captain, it's o' nae use. Gie him a plain business education."

Annie Laurie, whom Wm. Douglas praised so glowingly in his passionate and famous lines, was no myth, but an actual existence. But she was proof against the poet admirer's appeals, and married another man. And Douglas, alas for his poetical devotion! didn't lay "down and die," but made a runaway match with another girl.

The number of claims of soldiers for the war of 1812 filed in the Pension Bureau to date is 32,475; the number of certificates of pensions issued to survivors is 4879; the whole number of certificates to widows this week is 593.

Harper's Weekly hits the nail squarely on the head when it remarks: "It is our duty as Republicans to nominate men above suspicion. If we do not, we ought to be beaten. If these unscrupulous men are to be elected, let it not be by Republican, for unscrupulous and smart men ruin every party and every cause."

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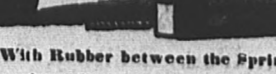
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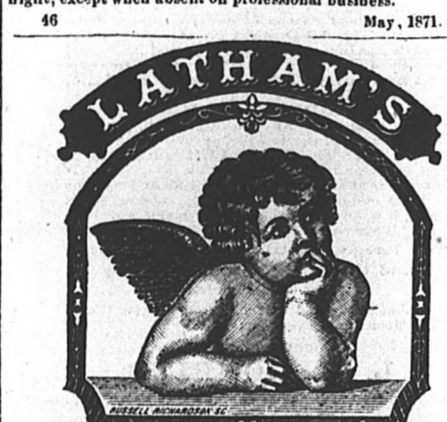
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GENTLEMEN'S CALF BOOTS, BOTH PEGGED AND SEWED. Aiming to do a cash business hereafter, I shall of course be able to give customers over better terms than heretofore, and trust by prompt attention to business and fair dealing to deserve a liberal share of public patronage. Waterville, Aug. 5, 1871. O. F. MAYO.

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CALL AT O. F. MAYO'S, AND get a pair of Gen's fine hand made Shoes.

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The Birnie and Franconia are fitted with the most convenient and comfortable berths for travellers between New York and Maine. Passage in State Room \$5.00. Cabin Passage \$4.00. Goods forwarded to and from Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, St. John, and all parts of Maine. Shippers are requested to send their freight to the Steamer as early as 4 P. M., on the day they leave Portland.

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