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Arbor Day Proclamation.

Whereas—The legislature has directed that the second Friday in March of each year be observed as Arbor Day, and thus a new official sanction has been given to the beautiful and useful custom inaugurated here by proclamation in 1890.

Now, therefore, I, L. Bradford Prince, Governor of New Mexico, do proclaim and give notice that

Friday, March 13,

is set apart for Arbor Day, to be observed by the people in the planting of trees, for the benefit and adornment of public and private grounds, roads, streets and avenues, and in such other undertakings as are in harmony with the general character of such holiday.

In accordance with the newly enacted law, I recommend and enjoin the due celebration of the day on all our people. The day shall be a holiday in all public schools in New Mexico, and school officers and teachers are required to have it observed by the schools under their charge, by the planting of trees and other appropriate exercises.

I repeat the suggestion made a year ago, that trees be planted along all acequias, as this in a very short time, will entirely change the appearance of our valleys, and also afford grateful shade and refreshment to man and beast.

Witness my hand and the great seal of the Territory of New Mexico, at Santa Fe, the Capital, this 2nd day of March, in the year of our Lord, 1891.

[Signed.]

L. BRADFORD PRINCE.
Governor of New Mexico.

By the Governor:
B. M. Thomas, Sec. of the Ter.

THE El Paso Tribune publishes a column of mining news from the LEADER, and then puts it's oar in thus:

"The Tribune is personally and reliably informed that Mr. Wilson met with a backset with his second-hand mill, the machinery being of no account, compelling him to replace it with new. This mill would have been running now on his rich ore had the machinery been good. Mr. Wilson is one of the oldest miners in White Oaks, and he is now on the road to make a fortune either by getting the ore out or disposing of the mine. He claims $1,000,000 for the mine, but if he gets half that we predict he would be satisfied. Five hundred thousand dollars piled up on our imposing stones would be a great inducement to the Tribune to shut up shop and go fishing.

HEARST, U. S. Senator from California, died at Washington this week, in the 71st year of his age.

FROM WEED.

Weed, Feb. 20, '91.

EDITOR LEADER—

As your paper is the only Christian paper published in the county of Lincoln I will give you a synopsis of a little trouble in this part of the moral vineyard.

On the 6th of this month Milbern Mackay and Jim. Mackay, two brothers, took their wagon and went out into the woods, there killing a cow and steer for beef. Some men in the neighborhood saw them and conveyed the news to Garst's ranch. Frank Garst, and his foreman, Fred. Behingro, started out to see what cattle they were killing, and had not gone far when they met the Mackay's, Frank asked to see the hides and consent was given, but as a hide was thrown out by one the other drew a gun, but Frank got the drop on him, and soon satisfied himself as to the brand being his. A search found a hide belonging to Morgan Davis. A warrant was then issued for the arrest of the Mackay's but they skipped and now the deputy sheriff is after them. A search was made for the other hide and it was found where the beef was butchered, cut half in two and the side having the brand on was gone and the ears were cut off, and some eight or nine pieces were found scattered about.

These men are hard citizens—one of them killed a man in Texas while the other has killed two in this county. They are dangerous, and some say they will not be taken; but that is nonsense as anybody can be taken if well located.

I would wager that Garst has lost 50 head of cattle that have been illicitly killed for beef. A class of men hunt for elk and get cattle instead, and as Garst's cattle are always fat the thieves get choice beef.

If the fugitives can be located they will surely be captured, and we hope to see them at Lincoln court. May God help on to their arrest

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Feb. 23, '91.

Frank Garst, a good stockman, citizen and Republican, to day received from Sheriff Roberts the appointment of deputy sheriff. A good appointment. The Mackay boys are in the woods hiding from law offended through their killing beef that did'nt belong to them.

There is plenty of water in the creek this year and I think there will be peace and harmony among settlers henceforth as disturbance caused by lack of water will not ensue.

If you want good crops it is time you were fixing for planting

There is a good farm or two for sale here.

I am told that the Banner man will talk to us on Monday night.

The LINCOLN COUNTY LEADER is the best paper in the county.—I can't see why everybody don't take it.

Old Tom Cat-ron, as you facetiously call him, had a narrow escape from dem. guns. Tom is a stumbling block to the dems., and they want him out of the way, but were he out others would take his place.

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LECKY, the historian, says geology has completely disproved what was once the universal belief concerning the origin of death. That this fearful calamity appeared in the universe on account of the transgression of man; that every pang that convulses the frame of any created being, every passion or instinct or necessity that contributes to the infliction of suffering, is but the fruit of the disobedience in paradise, was long believed with unfaltering assurance, and is even now held by many who cannot be regarded as altogether uneducated. And this general proposition became a great archetype, a center around which countless congenial beliefs were formed, a first principle or measure of probability guiding the predispositions of men in all their inquiries. If all death and all pain resulted from the sin of Adam it was natural to give every particular instance of death or pain a special signification; and if these the greatest of terrestial imperfections were connected with the history of man, it was natural to believe that all minor evils were no less so. But geology has now proved decisively that a profound error lurks in these conclusions. It has proved that countless ages before man trod this earth death raged and reveled among its occupants; that it so entered into the original constitution of things that the agony and infirmity it implies were known as at present when the mastodon and the dinotherium were the rulers of the world. To deny this is now impossible; to admit it is to abandon one of the root doctrines of the past.

Mr. Blaine's Article.

"The Youth's Companion" of March 5th is to have an important paper by Hon. James G. Blaine, entitled "How Reports of Debates in Congress Grow."—Such a paper, relating to the National Legislation and written by our eminent Secretary of State, will be of universal interest.

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Another of those Double Numbers which the publishers of "The Youth's Companion" seem to delight in offering as a pleasant surprise to it's readers comes to us this week. A careful reading of one of these Special Numbers renders it easy to understand why this favorite paper rarely loses an old friend and gains so many thousands of admirers every year.

Half a million copies of this, the March Double Number, are published.

LADY cricketers are in fashion in Melbourne, but a sad discovery is likely to unsettle the public faith in feminine honesty. Recently a team of lady cricketers carried all before them, owing chiefly to the skill of their captain, who played with the deftness of a masculine proffessional. One day this talented lady was playing in a high wind, and as she ran a sudden squall caught her cap and carried off, not only the cap, but the feminine wig beneath. Alas! an unmistakable boy's head was revealed, and the secret of the feminine proficency was out—the supposed damsel was a disguised medical student.

Raised the American Flag.

Secretary Phœbe Cousins, of the board of lady managers, is a patriotic woman. Recently she noticed that there was not an American flag in the building, which are the offices of the Columbian Exposition, at Chicago. She went from one office to another, scanning the walls carefully, but never mentioning the occasion of her visit Friday morning she brought two silk flags into the building and tossed them over a picture frame in the rooms of the board. "It is peculiarly appropriate," she said, "that it should be left to the women to raise the first American flag for the World's Columbian Exposition. The flag was designed by a woman, Mrs. Betsy Ross, of Philadelphia. Betsy Ross was born in 1742. She was a member of the Society of Friends and had a sort of a bazar in Philadelphia, where her many sisters and neices worked. Betsy was the most expert needle worker of her day. Being a Quaker, she understood the grandeur of primary colors. General Washington, Jared Ingersoll and Robert Morris were her intimate friends and freqently complimented her work. Betsy used to adorn the halls of Congress at Philadelphia and she cut a star with a single clip of her scissors. At the request of Dr. Franklin, John Adams and Thomas Jefferson she designed a flag, composed of thirteen red white stripes and a field in the upper left hand corner. This flag was officially adopted by congress July 4, 1776, and with it we acquired our present name as a nation, "The United States of America," which was inscribed on the flag. Red was chosen to typify fervency and zeal, white integrity and the blue field, and the stars, unity, power and glory.—Before many weeks a handsome portrait of Betsy Ross will adorn the walls, the ladies having decided to pay that tribute to the patriot's memory.

COMPARE the salaries paid to cabinet members with some of the amounts allowed to men in like positions abroad—say in England. There the First Lord of the Treasury, who performs similar duties to those of our own Secretary, is paid $25,000 a year, and he has a number of other little lords to help him, who draw all the way from $5,000 to $8,000 each per annum. The Secretary of State for home affairs has $25,000 per annum; so has the Foreign Secretary and the First Lord of the Admiralty. None of these officials do half the work that is performed by any one of our cabinet ministers and all of them are possessed of large private incomes.

THE Tennessee legislature has declined to pass a bill forbidding sheep to run at large. Per contra, the Missouri solons recently enacted a law prohibiting domestic geese from appearing on the high road or in other public places under penalty of imprisonment.

THE Lancaster News says that a fool out west drank a quart of whisky and it killed him. A woman in New York drank seven cups of tea and the result was death. A man in our own State drank fifteen glasses of water and died.

LAST Sabbath night was an era in the Christian history of White Oaks. It being understood that on said night Rev. Lane would deliver his farewell sermon and take final leave of the ministry, at an early hour the church was filled, largely with regretful admirers of the parson. The subject preached upon was "Crimes and criminals—rewards and punishments," and the text, "Show thyself a man." The speaker was at his best and his every word found lodgement in the minds and hearts of his auditors. During the day a purse of $41 was gotten up for him and presented. Had the effort been made on a week day over a $100 could easily have been secured.—As it was voluntary additions were made which swelled the purse to about $60. The Dr. will hereafter apply his talents to mining.—If he succeeds in enriching himself as successfully in his new field as he did in impoverishing himself in the field just vacated his many friends will have just reason to rejoice.

THE Land Court Bill has passed Congress and been signed by the President, hence is a law. It is hoped and believed that the workings of this law will do much to settle long standing feuds growing out of lands held under disputed land grants.

WHEN the bill prohibiting free railroad passes was ordered engrossed for a third reading in the Nebraska Legislature, Church Howe, of Nemaha County, stepped to the front and tore up his "annual," calling upon the other members to do likewise. In the excitement of the moment he forgot his recent declaration that he had accepted no passes, but his associates recalled the assertion to the great detriment of the dramatic effect which Howe had hoped to create. We know Howe well, and never knew a bigger demagogue. It goes without saying that he is a "reformer."

AMONG the notable utterances at the recent congress of women in Washington was Susan B. Anthony's statement: "With all of Belva Lockwood's faults I stood by her until she began to bleach her hair and paint her face. I couldn't stand that." And Miss Anthony's disgust was quite justifiable. A woman who aspires to be commander in chief of the armies of the United States has no business with hair bleaches and face paints.

At Sheridan's funeral General Sherman became impatient at some delay, and said to Senator Carlisle: "I am not going to have any of this nonsense at my funeral." "How do you know?" responded Senator Carlisle; "you will be there, but helpless."—Gen. Sherman replied: "I have already made all arrangements for my funeral, and if they are not obeyed to the letter I will do some tall kicking, dead or no dead."

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5. The courts have decided that refusing to take periodicals from the office or removing and leaving them uncalled for, is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud.

6. If subscribers pay in advance they are bound to give notice at the end of the time if they do not wish to continue taking it, otherwise the publisher is authorized to send it, and the subscriber will be responsible until an express notice, with payment of all arrearages, is sent to the publisher.

The latest postal laws are such that newspaper publishers can arrest any one for fraud who takes a paper and refuses to pay for it. Under this law the man who allows his subscription to run along for some time unpaid and then orders it discontinued, or orders the postmaster to mark it "refused," or have a postal card sent notifying the publisher, leaves himself liable to arrest and fine the same as for theft.

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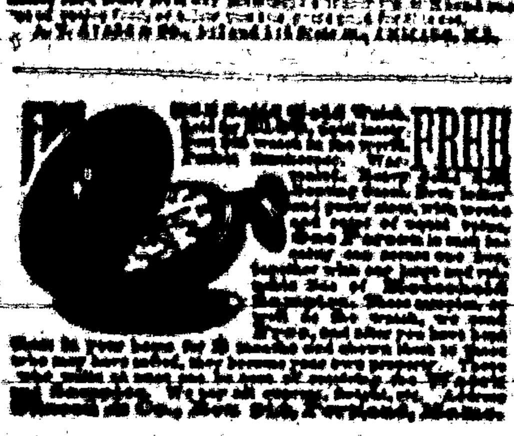

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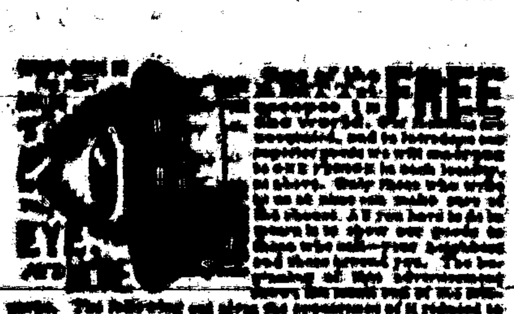

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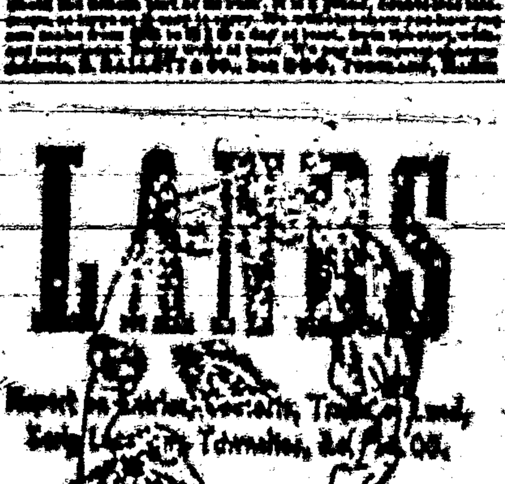

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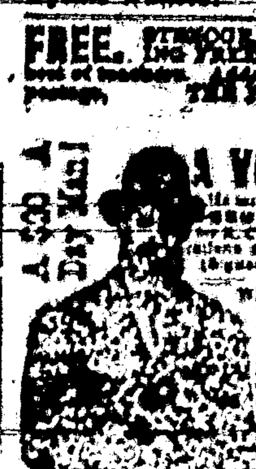

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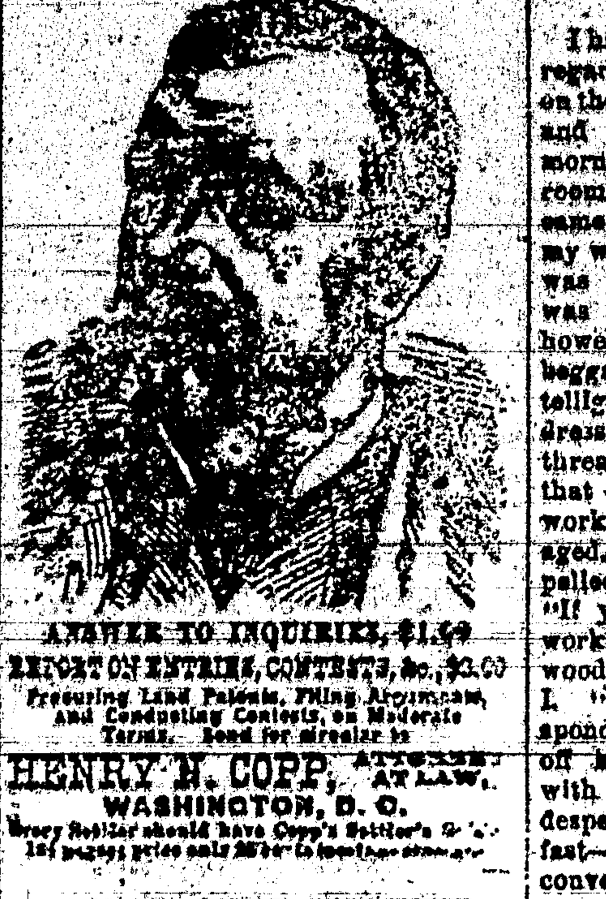

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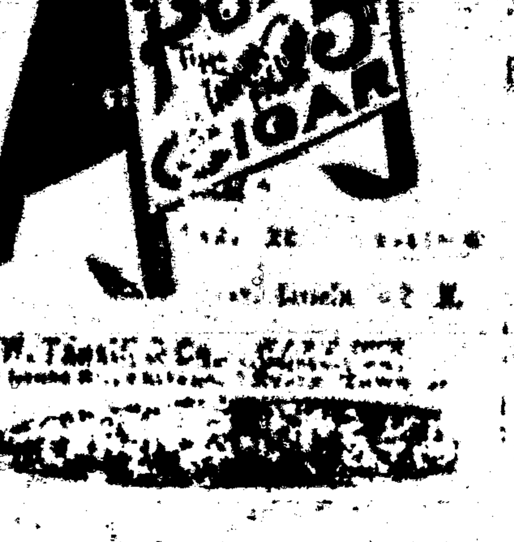

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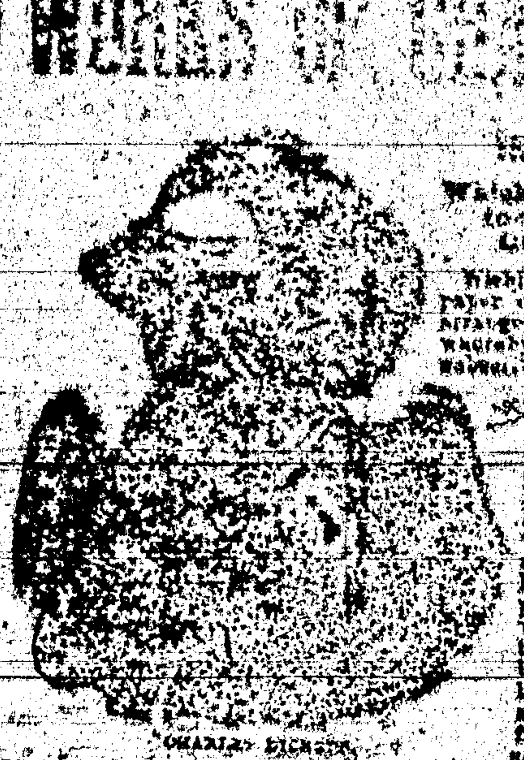

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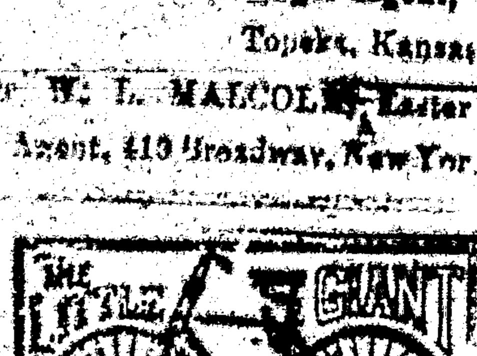

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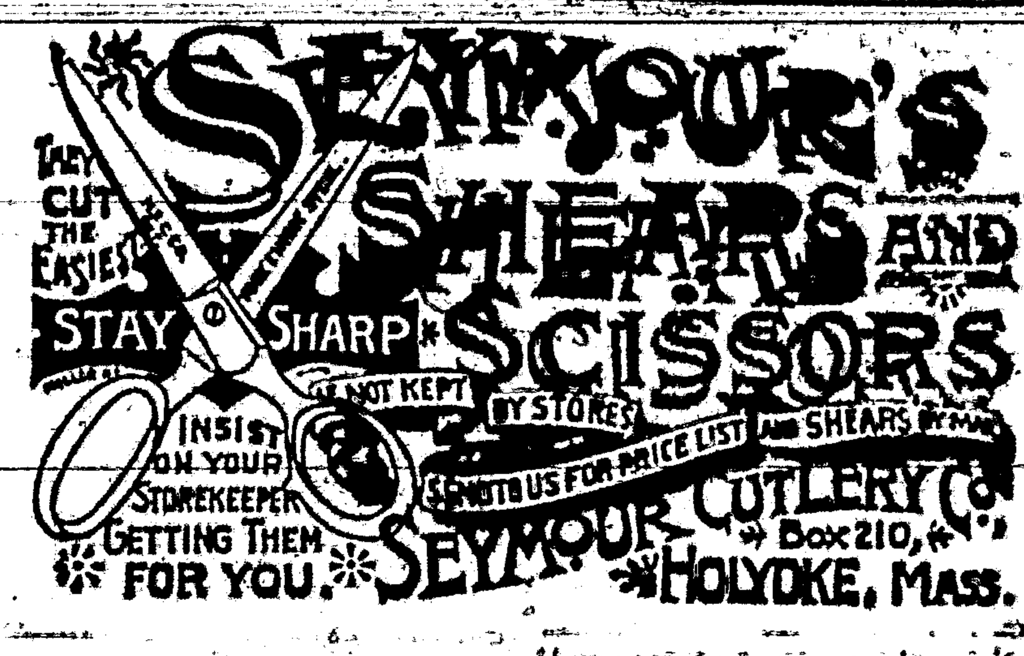

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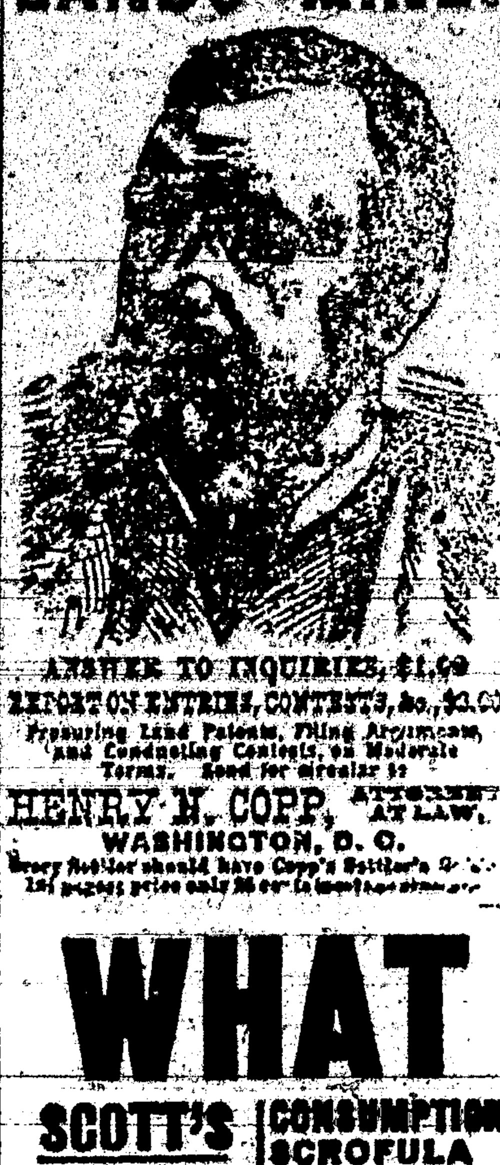

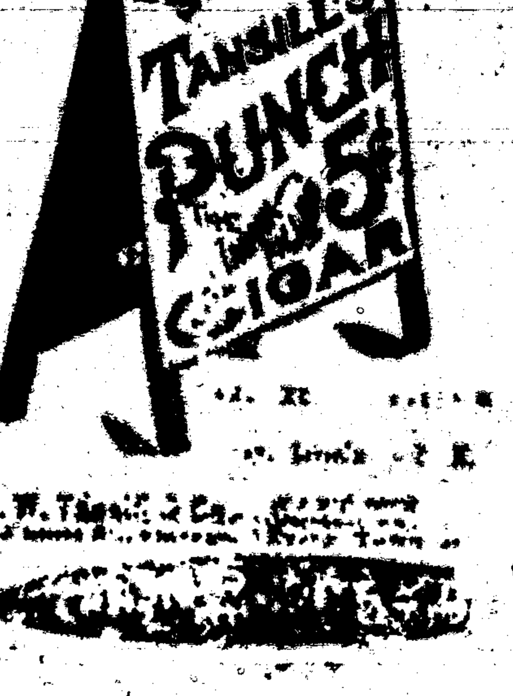

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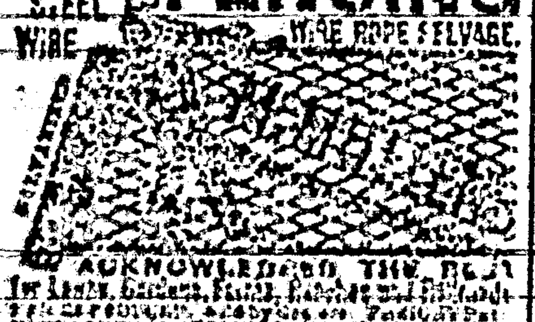

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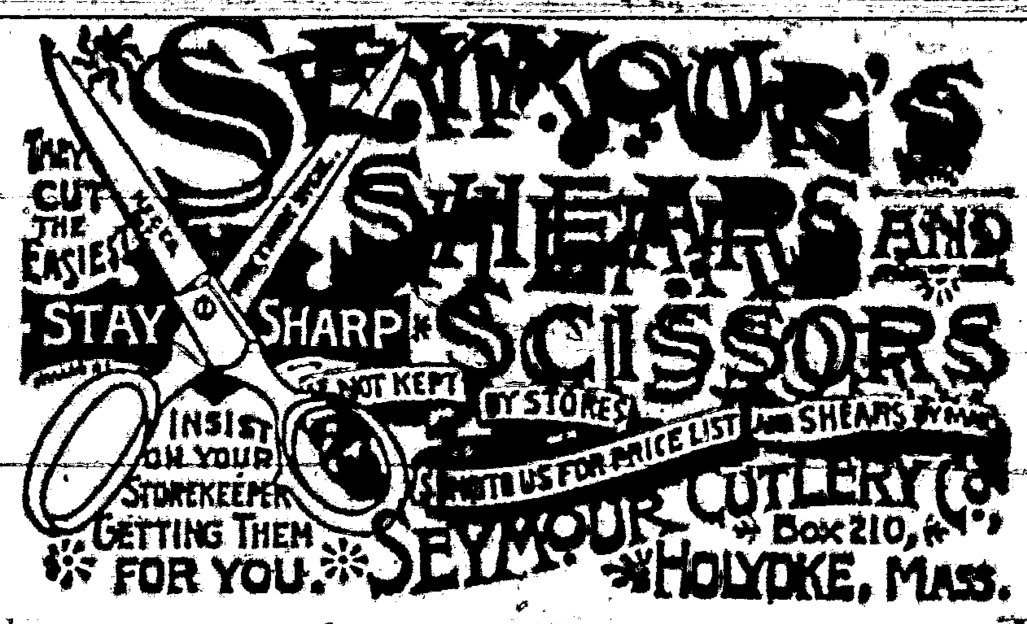

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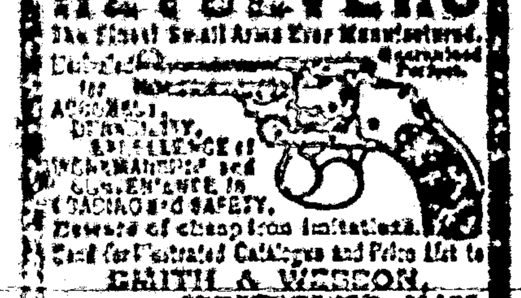

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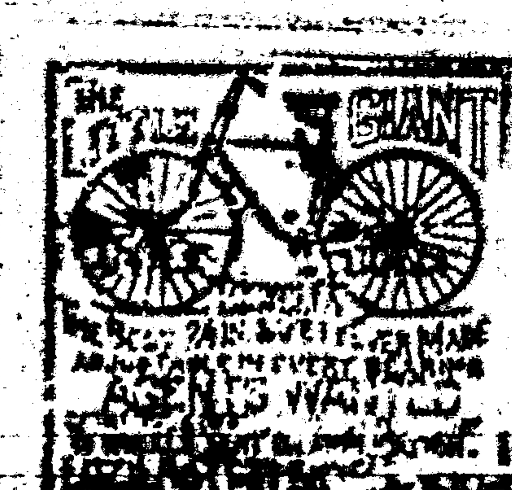

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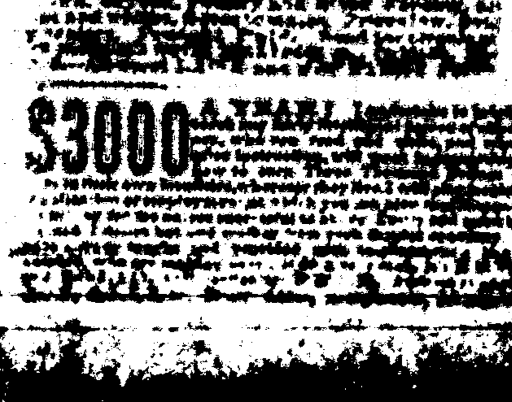

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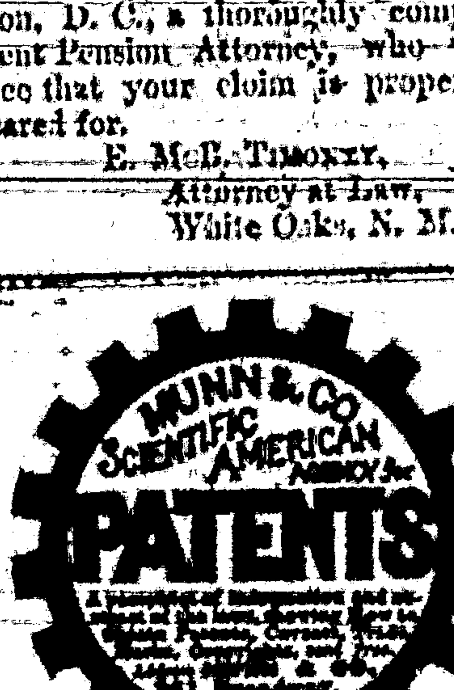

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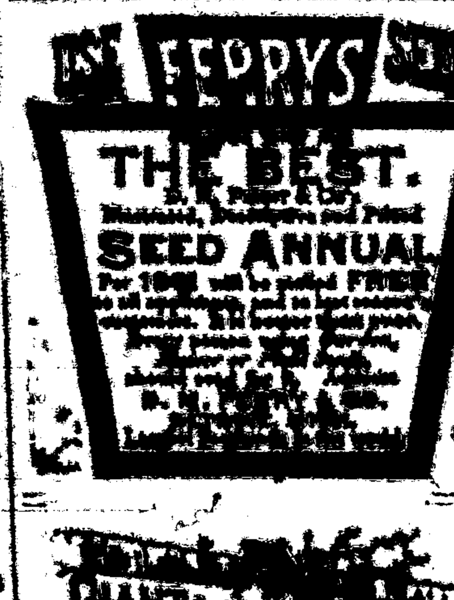

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