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The Land [illegible] passed severe[illegible] provisos. We shall take them up and [illegible] than from time to time. Many of them passed very late in the session with important amendments inserted in conference, or in great haste, and their actual provisions are very imperfectly known even to the members by whose votes they became laws. We do not care to discuss these without better knowledge of their contents.

The new Act regulating practice in the district courts is before us. It's main interest is of course for lawyers. But it contains one provision which one needs not to be a lawyer to understand the folly of The time for taking appeals in equity cases and writs of error in common law cases is extended to one year from final judgement. We submit that this is an outrage. If a litigant cannot make up his mind in sixty days whether he wants an appeal or not, he should be made to do without it.

PHYSICAL culture! What is physical culture? The present aim and the certain result of this new "fad" include the attainment of good health and a fine form; and a fine form outranks a pretty face in the popular estimate of physical beauty. Who is not willing to make some effort for such a desirable attainment? It is not so difficult after all,—if you only know how; and if you want to know how, you may learn from the April number of DEMOREST'S FAMILY MAGAZINE which contains a splendid article [illegible] "Physical Culture," by Prof [illegible] M., giving a [illegible] man, woman, or [illegible] ful, apple [illegible] and without going to a gym[illegible] even spending a cent for apparatus.

Above [illegible] the only attract[illegible] of this excellent number of excellent magazine: "The land of Our Best Neighbor," "The Cave of Palms in the Drawing Room," "How Art students Live in New York," "Grotesque Ways of Decorating Easter Eggs," "Kite Flying" (for the boys), all handsomely illustrated, several capital stories, a fine article on "Thinness: Its Causes and Cure," by Susanna W. Dodds, are a few of its other features, and there are nearly three hundred illustrations, including a full-page water-color Easter card. As an all-around "family" magazine, this one cannot be beat: there is something in every number for father, mother, and every one of the children; and it is only $2 per year. Published by W. JENNINGS DEMOREST, 15 East 14th street New York.

LAST October an oath-bound organization of Italians in New Orleans assassinated Hennessey, the Chief of Police of the Crescent City. The crime was bro't home to the assassins but their trial last week resulted in the acquittal of the monsters, whereupon many thousands of the best citizens took it upon themselves to administer wholesome justice, and breaking into the jail where the murderers were placed for safety, they shot [illegible] of the hellions in [illegible] partition. If foreigners don't [illegible] and country they [illegible] on the realm—cer[illegible] will never be permitted to rule the United States of America.

SUDDEN DEATH.

On the of the early days of last week, Everet Williams, brother of Mrs. Dr. Paden, after a residence of a year or more here, left for his old home in West Virginia. He was accompanied by a brother who came hither to take him home [illegible] sion—but the sequence was more mournful. He patiently endured his stage trip to the railroad, but between Socorro and Albuquarque his life's light went out and his spirit soared above this terraqueous sphere having lived thereon but little over 28 years.

He was a consumptive. Consumption is the most hideous form in which death can reveal itself, for, paradoxical as it may sound, the presence of a living consumptive reveals that of a dead one.—The marked victim of the insidious disease does not realize the tightening of the reaper's grasp, but loved ones can see him receding daily from them and behind his figure can see the grave yawning to receive his body and bury it forever from sight, and yet love and all of it's forces have no power to stretch forth a hand, or voice to affright the scythe-bearer. The poet has said:

"Hope springs eternal in the human breast,"

but in none does it germinate as in the bosom of a consumptive.—He or she is flattered with the hope and conviction that some little ailment is affecting them which Nature will throw off, but death rapes in a twinkling, and at the bidding of his fleshless knuckles the soul bursts from it's mortal casket, and while it pierces the azure sky to the bands of it's Maker friends weep and sometimes question why so noble a spirit should have been taken from amongst so many ignoble ones—why so gifted a soul should not have been provided a more enduring tenement.

When Albuquerque was reached the lifeless form of the pleasant faced and sunny dispositioned Everett Williams was taken off and embalmed, after which it was forwarded to a city of the dead in Virginia where sleep his kindred and more will in time be garnered.

Joseph was the first man who ever played Pharaoh

It seems odd that foreign born girls should be the best domestics.

We are said to be made of clay, and it's all right to call some of us bricks.

It's awful hard to tell what the cross-eyed man with the hammer is driving.

Women persist in violating the laws of beauty in the hope of securing it.

Newspaper liars are just as mean and dangerous as the common everyday article.

The tighter you pull the corset string, girls, the looser grows your grip on life.

Contentment is the best form developer, but because it is not patented the girls ignore it.

Coquettes should remember that age and lost love transform little whitches into old hags.

A fund of $50,000 has been raised by the friends of the late Geo. Windom and will be handed Mrs. Windom in a few days.

We clip the following testimonials from the Las Vegas Optic, which we believe are deserved:

GRANVILLE A. RICHARDSON of Chaves County, appeared in the Senate, this winter, prominently. Mr. Richardson is thirty years of age; was born in Kentucky; in appearance, he is of medium size of spare form, and rather sharp features of the blonde cast.

He took his seat in the Senate as a member from Chaves county, one of the new counties created two years ago.

He was a stranger to most of his brother members and a democrat in politics, but he at once took a front rank as an able debater on the floor and as a hard and clear-headed committee worker. His persistent and conscientious attention to all of the duties of his position, together with his able advocacy of all general measures which met his approval, commanded the respect of his opponents, as well as maintained the confidence of his friends. Mr. Richardson retired from the Senate an acknowledged leader among the few who have achieved such a distinction in that body. It is no flattery to say that his work in aiding the passage of the public-school law and many other measures of almost equal importance to the whole people, has proven him to be a safe legislator. Independent, when the needs of the hour demanded of party trammels or any other influences, which might antagonize duties demanded to be performed by general public interest. The memory of the services performed, this winter, by Mr. Richardson and by others of his stamp in both houses, should not be forgotten by the people. Neither should their personalities. The day may come when such men will again be needed.

WM. C. MCDONALD, member of the House from Lincoln county is thirty-two years of age. Born in New York and has a fine general and legal education. Mr. McDonald was admitted to practice as a lawyer, but for several years has been employed in mining matters, and is now superintendent of an extensive cattle ranch, known as the Carrizozo ranch, near White Oaks. He is of medium size and has a decided florid, or what is calld a sandy complection. He entered this legislature, politically, as a democrat, but being of a very independent turn of mind, and having no direct personal objects to maintain, through legislation, Mr. McDonald has proven to be one of the most useful and respected members of this legislative body. He has been a cogent and forceful reasoner, on all subjects on which he has chosen to speak from his place on the floor of the House.

While he has not occupied the time of the House in discussion as frequently as many others, it has been apparent that no member has been listened to with more attention nor has there been one whose opinions have carried more weight in the lower House.

No measure before the House of merit or public importance failed to receive Mr. McDonald's hearty support, and he is entitled to the credit of formulating two of the most important measures introduced during the session, namely, the road and jury laws. New Mexico can ill spare from her legislative halls such men as W. C. McDonald.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

New York, March 16, '91.

Gen. Tarpee Wood, the colored midget who drove Tom Thumb's carriage when he visited Queen Victoria at Buckingham Palace, died in this city last week. He was advertised as the oldest and smallest colored midget before the public, and was on exhibition at the Globe Museum on the Bowery His right name was Charles J. Fletcher, and he was 60 years old. He was 40 inches high, his legs and arms each measuring one foot He wore No. 7½ silk hat. For more than 30 years he traveled with various companies and was exhibited as a curiosity in many parts of the world. There was a standing joke between him and the fat woman over the price they had been offered for their bodies after they were dead. A physician offered the fat woman $900, but would give only $500 for the midget. The General met with his death accidentally, being suffocated by escaping gas while he slept.

The famous Western Union time ball, which used to drop daily from a pole on top of the telegraph building, will soon be in position again, and down town people will welcome their old way of regulating their timepieces correctly. For 25 years the old time-ball had dropped every day, with but few exceptions, at 12 o'clock exactly, Washington time. Since the fire in the Western Union last July this has been greatly missed by hundreds who were accustomed to stand in crowds at the hour of noon waiting for the ball to descend. The new ball will not be on the roof as before but will be in a more conspicuous position, projecting outwards from the 8th floor. It will be visible as far up town as 8th street and in the other direction as far as Staten Island.

Edwin Arlington.

An Eye to Business.

"I have just been up in Vermont," said a Treasury clerk yesterday. "The natives have lost none of their cuteness. The town where I was stopping has about 4,000 inhabitants. One of the selectmen runs a hardware store, and two weeks ago his dog was bitten by a neighbor's dog. It was a small enough matter, but see what happened. First, he had the neighbor's dog killed; then he raised the cry that the dog had been mad, and had bitten other dogs. The selectmen met and ordered that every dog should be muzzled for forty days, and the thrifty hardware man has sold nearly 800 muzzles at $1 apiece. Field old family dogs travel around town with leather thongs around their jaws, which never closed on any thing more human than a beef bone. I saw one big mastiff that had worked his muzzle off and was lugging it around in his mouth."—Washington Post.

—Two Frenchmen recently made a strange wager. One was positive that his cook could prepare a dish the strict ingredients of which the other, a renowned epicure, could not name after eating. When the dish, a very savory one, was placed before the epicure, he tasted, smacked his lips, mulled, but was perplexed. He guessed "chicken," "frogs," "tripe," "calf's head," and half a dozen other dishes. At last, when he was informed that he had not guessed aright, and confessed himself utterly bewildered, he was informed that the dish was composed of old white kid gloves.

Go where you will you will find people using Knight's Blood Cure and unanimous in it's praise.

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SOCIETIES.

K. of P.—Baxter Lodge No. 8, Knights of Pythias, meet every Thursday night, at 8 o'clock. Visiting Knights are cordially invited to attend.

J. P. O. LAMBERTON, C. C.
JOS. H. VALTEMAN, K. of R. & S.

I. O. O. F.—White Oaks Lodge No. 11, meets every Saturday night, at Castle Hall, at 7 o'clock. Visiting brothers cordially invited.

J. A. WOODLAND, C. T.
JAMES H. CARSON, Sec.

G. A. R.—Kearney Post, No. 12, meets on the last Monday night of each month, at their Hall.

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Evening—7:30 o'clock.
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A. POTTER P. E.

LOCAL ROUNDUPS

Lucks sometimes makes a name,
But printers look so black and solemn,
Will give a man peculiar fame,
When put in this peculiar column.

NEXT Tuesday will be St. Patrick's Day.

THE outlook for stock and grass was never so good as now.

THE last 'clean-up of the Old Abe was the largest and richest yet had.

H. B. FERGUSSON, the eminent Albuquerque attorney, is visiting White Oaks, his original home in this Territory.

ALBERT ZIEGLER has gone to the R. R. It has been whispered in our larbord ear that he has gone duck hunting. We hope he will capture a good, plump one.

WE are in receipt of notification from Editor McDowell that the Liberty Banner has been removed from Nogal and located at Lincoln. The LEADER will follow it.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.
Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP, for children teething, is the prescription of one of the best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and has been used for forty years with never failing success by millions of mothers for their children. During the process of teething it is invaluable. It relieves the child from pain, cures dysentery and diarrhœa, griping in the bowels, and wind colic, by giving health to the child it rests the mother. Price 25c. a bottle.

THAT the Old Abe is rich beyond computation admits of no dispute and we are pleased to learn that it's richest vein runs south ward, penetrating it's sister mine, the "May Lode" owned by W. J. Littell, Sr., so that dame fortune, who has so long coquetted with the old gentleman, now gives promise of filling his lap with inexhaustible wealth.

CONSUMPTION CURED.
An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 149 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y.

REV. E. Lyman Hood spent several days in camp the past week and paid the LEADER several visits. A communication from his pen appears in another column. His talk about a debt due by the church on the parsonage is Choctaw to the poor men who built the church edifice and are out in the gold, cracking their heels together and piteously begging for their pay. They naturally think that the linen of the church trustees should not be put in the same tub with theirs. As the "laborer is worthy of his hire," we hope that those who reared the Congregational church edifice may soon be paid. No one is suffering on account of the parsonage debt.—Belle that afterwards.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will contribute to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

JOHN H. McCUTCHEON, editor of the Socorro Advertiser, paid our town a visit this week. He had been here before. In 1880 his father was commissioned the first postmaster of White Oaks. The office was located in a log cabin, still standing near the Academy building. The family then consisted of father, mother, son and daughter. The latter is now the wife of J. S. Snifen, Socorro. In '80 the family moved to Socorro, where the old gentleman died in '81. Albeit an editor and a democratic one at that, Jno has all the attributes of a true gentleman as he is acknowledged to "be up in his part" as an editor.

THE San Diego Sun speaks as follows of a former citizen and editor of White Oaks:

"Col. John A. Helphingstine, one of the best known real estate men in the city, has accepted the position of general agent for the Southern California Investment Company. This company is a gent for the Pacific Coast Land Bureau, with headquarters at Los Angeles. The arrangement made with Col. Helphingstine is an indication that the work of the investment company will be vigorously pushed

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J. A. CARRUTH, the popular job printer and gentleman of Las Vegas, has established a paper in the Meadow City and christened it "The Las Vegas Free Press." The publisher does'nt state his object, whether it be to "fill a long felt want" or his pocket book. It is a pretty sheet and we hope will long ride the billows of the journalistic sea.

WE are in receipt of a new journalistic venture yclept the Roswell Record, J. D. Lea sponsor. As Joe picked type on the LEADER for a long time we feel free and qualified to endorse him as a gentleman of the first water, worthy of all confidence, and a good printer. We wish him a pleasant voyage on the newspaper sea.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE, is hereby given to the general public warning them not to purchase any cattle having my brand thereon—"JM" connected—except the sale be made by me

JOSE MONTANA.

Lincoln, N. M.,
March 2, 1891.

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The common experience of this camp shows that much is lost by the mine operators by the stealing of gold in specimens, if not in sand and bullion—therefore, the "Old Abe" Company offers a standing reward of Three Hundred Dollars for the arrest and conviction, or for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person guilty of stealing any of the property of the Old Abe Co., even the smallest specimen of ore.—The rule of this company is to mill all specimens. There are none of the ore from this mine can be honestly held as specimens. And as the ore lies, with gold in knowledge, is as rusty in law as the thief, this offer applies to the holder of Old Abe specimens.

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The marshy, overflowed lands, swamps, lots and half submerged river banks, which give them birth, the seeds of malaria impregnate the air, and are inhaled at every breath by thousands unprovided with any adequate safeguard against the baneful influence. Yet such exist—potent alike to remedy as to prevent, pure in its constituents, and the professionally recognized substitute for the hateful drug, quinine, its name is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a family medicine and safeguard, foremost not only as an antidote to malaria, but also as a means of permanently removing dyspepsia, and relieving constipation, liver complaint, rheumatism, kidney and bladder ailments, and nervousness. Among invigorants it takes the first place, and is also a superb appetizer. Use it systematically.

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The homestead law is untouched except that the period of commutation to cash entry is lengthened. Until now, after six months actual residence, the entry man might commute his entry into cash entry at $1.25 per acre. Under the new law fourteen months actual residence must be proven.

The desert land law is so far amended that entries are restricted to 320 acres, that being the largest amount of public land that any individual is now permitted to acquire under any or all of the land laws. Proof of actual reclamation is rendered more difficult and the entry man is now required with his application to submit a plat of his proposed method of reclamation.

The new law exempts mineral land from the operation of the 320 acre clause, and in that respect is an improvement on the Act of Aug. 30, '90.

The general tendency of the new law is to render the acquisition of public lands more difficult and expensive. The men of the East who make these laws (and when we say East in this connection we mean everything east of the Missouri,) know nothing of the conditions surrounding us, and persistently refuse to be informed. Vast areas of the present public domain are valueless for want of water with which to irrigate, and must remain so. Under the new law an enormous percentage of the public land will remain public property f[illegible] time.

The Territorial legislature [illegible] passed memorials [illegible] portunes. We shall take the up and discuss them from time to time. Many of them passed very late in the session with important amendments inserted in conference, or in great haste, and their actual provisions are very imperfectly known even to the members by whose votes they become laws. We do not care to discuss them without better knowledge of their contents.

The new Act regulating practice in the district courts is before us. It's main interest is of course for lawyers. But it contains one provision which one needs not to be a lawyer to understand the folly of. The time for taking appeals in equity cases and writs of error in common law cases is extended to one year from final judgement. We submit that this is an outrage. If a litigant cannot make up his mind in sixty days whether he wants an appeal or not, he should be made to do without it.

PHYSICAL culture! What is physical culture? The present sign and the certain result of this new "fad" include the attainment of good health and a fine form; and a fine form outranks a pretty face in the popular estimate of physical beauty. Who is not willing to make some effort for such a desirable attainment? It is not so difficult after all,—if you only know how; and if you want to know how, you may learn from the April number of DEMOREST'S FAMILY MAGAZINE which contains a splendid article on "Physical Culture," by Prof [illegible] Womans, A. M., giving a [illegible] man, woman, or child [illegible] good health, supple form, and without going to gym[illegible] or even spending a cent for apparatus.

And [illegible] the only article of this excellent number of excellent magazine: "The land of Our Best Neighbor," "The Care of Palms in the Drawing Room," "How Art students Live in New York," "Grotesque Ways of Decorating Easter Eggs," "Kite-Flying" (for the boys), all handsomely illustrated, several capital stories, a fine article on "Thinness: Its Causes and Cure," by Susanna W. Dodds, are a few of its other features, and there are nearly three hundred illustrations, including a full-page water-color Easter card. As an all-around "family" magazine, this one cannot be beat: there is something in every number for father, mother, and every one of the children; and it is only $2 per year. Published by W. JENNINGS DEMOREST, 15 East 14th street New York.

LAST October an oath-bound organization of Italians in New Orleans assassinated Hennessey, the Chief of Police of the Crescent City. The crime was bro't home to the assassins but their trial last week resulted in the acquittal of the monsters, whereupon many thousands of the best citizens took it upon themselves to administer wholesome justice, and breaking into the jail where the murderers were placed for safety, they shot eleven of the hellions in [illegible] It foreigners don't [illegible] and country they [illegible] never be permitted to rule the United States of America.

SUDDEN DEATH.

On one of the early days of last week, Everet Williams, brother of Mrs. Dr. Paden, after a residence of a year or more here, left for his old home in West Virginia. He was accompanied by a brother who came hither to take him home. A mournful mission—but the sequence was more mournful. He patiently endured his stage trip to the railroad, but between Socorro and Albuquarque his life's light went out and his spirit soared above this terrequeous sphere having lived thereon but little over 28 years.

He was a consumptive. Consumption is the most hideous form in which death can reveal itself, for, paradoxical as it may sound, the presence of a living consumptive reveals that of a dead one.—The marked victim of the insiduous disease does not realize the tightening of the reaper's grasp, but loved ones can see him receding daily from them and behind his figure can see the grave yawning to receive his body and bury it forever from sight, and yet love and all of it's forces have no power to stretch forth a hand, or voice to alarm the scythe-bearer. The poet has said;

"Hope springs eternal in the human breast,"

but in none does it germinate as in the bosom of a consumptive.—He or she is flattered with the hope and conviction that some little ailment is affecting them which Nature will throw off, but death raps in a twinkling, and at the bidding of his fleshless knuckles the soul bursts from it's mortal casket, and while it pierces the azure sky to the bands of it's Maker friends weep and sometimes question why so noble a spirit should have been taken from amongst so many ignoble ones—why so gifted a soul should not have been provided a more enduring tenement.

When Albuquerque was reached the lifeless form of the pleasant faced and sunny dispositioned Everett Williams was taken off and embalmed, after which it was forwarded to a city of the dead in Virginia where sleep his kindred and more will in time be garnered.

Joseph was the first man who ever played Pharaoh.

It seems odd that foreign born girls should be the best domestics.

We are said to be made of clay, and it's all right to call some of us bricks.

It's awful hard to tell what the cross-eyed man with the hammer is driving.

Women persist in violating the laws of beauty in the hope of securing it.

Newspaper liars are just as mean and dangerous as the common everyday article.

The tighter you pull the corset string, girls, the looser grows your grip on life.

Contentment is the best form developer, but because it is not patented the girls ignore it.

Coquettes should remember that age and lost love transform little whitchs into old hags.

A fund of $50,000 has been raised by the friends of the late Sec. Windom and will be handed Mrs. Windom in a few days.

We clip the following testimonials from the Las Vegas Optic, which we believe are deserved:

GRANVILLE A. RICHARDSON of Chaves County, appeared in the Senate, this winter, prominently. Mr. Richardson is thirty years of age; was born in Kentucky; in appearance, he is of medium size of spare form, and rather sharp features of the blonde cast.

He took his seat in the Senate as a member from Chaves county, one of the new counties created two years ago.

He was a stranger to most of his brother members and a democrat in politics, but he at once took a front rank as an able debater on the floor and as a hard and clear-headed committee worker. His persistent and conscientious attention to all of the duties of his position, together with his able advocacy of all general measures which met his approval, commanded the respect of his opponents, as well as maintained the confidence of his friends. Mr. Richardson retired from the Senate an acknowledged leader among the few who have achieved such a distinction in that body. It is no flattery to say that his work in aiding the passage of the public-school law and many other measures of almost equal importance to the whole people, has proven him to be a safe legislator. Independent, when the needs of the hour demand it party trammels or any other influences, which might antagonize duties demanded to be performed by general public interest. The memory of the services performed, this winter, by Mr. Richardson and by others of his stamp in both houses, should not be forgotten by the people. Neither should their personalities. The day may come when such men will again be needed.

WM. C. MCDONALD, member of the House from Lincoln county is thirty-two years of age. Born in New York and has a fine general and legal education. Mr. McDonald was admitted to practice as a lawyer, but for several years has been employed in mining matters, and is now superintendent of an extensive cattle ranch, known as the Carrizozo ranch, near White Oaks. He is of medium size and has a decided florid, or what is called a sandy complection. He entered this legislature, politically, as a democrat, but being of a very independent turn of mind, and having no direct personal objects to maintain, through legislation, Mr. McDonald has proven to be one of the most useful and respected members of this legislative body. He has been a cogent and forceful reasoner, on all subjects on which he has chosen to speak from his place on the floor of the House.

While he has not occupied the time of the House in discussion as frequently as many others, it has been apparent that no member has been listened to with more attention nor has there been one whose opinions have carried more weight in the lower House.

No measure before the House of merit or public importance failed to receive Mr. McDonald's hearty support, and he is entitled to the credit of formulating two of the most important measures introduced during the session, namely, the road and jury laws. New Mexico can ill spare from her legislative halls such men as W. C. McDonald.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

New York, March 16, '91.

Gen. Turner Wood, the colored midget who drove Tom Thumb's carriage when he visited Queen Victoria at Buckingham Palace, died in this city last week. He was advertised as the oldest and smallest colored midget before the public, and was on exhibition at the Globe Museum on the Bowery His right name was Charles J. Fletcher, and he was 60 years old. He was 40 inches high, his legs and arms each measuring one foot He wore No. 7½ silk hat. For more than 30 years he traveled with various companies and was exhibited as a curiosity in many parts of the world. There was a standing joke between him and the fat woman over the price they had been offered for their bodies after they were dead. A physician offered the fat woman $900, but would give only $500 for the midget. The General met with his death accidentally, being suffocated by escaping gas while he slept.

The famous Western Union time-ball, which used to drop daily from a pole on top of the telegraph building, will soon be in position again, and down town people will welcome their old way of regulating their timepieces correctly. For 25 years the old time-ball had dropped every day, with but few exceptions, at 12 o'clock exactly, Washington time. Since the fire in the Western Union last July this has been greatly missed by hundreds who were accustomed to stand in crowds at the hour of noon waiting for the ball to descend. The new ball will not be on the roof as before but will be in a more conspicuous position, projecting outwards from the 8th floor. It will be visible as far up town as 8th street and in the other direction as far as Staten Island.

Edwin Arlington.

An Eye to Business.

"I have just been up in Vermont," said a Treasury clerk yesterday. "The natives have lost none of their cuteness. The town where I was stopping has about 4,500 inhabitants. One of the selectmen runs a hardware store, and two weeks ago his dog was bitten by a neighbor's dog. It was a small enough matter, but see what happened. First, he had the neighbor's dog killed; then he raised the cry that the dog had been mad, and had bitten other dogs. The selectmen met and ordered that every dog should be muzzled for forty days, and the thrifty hardware man has sold nearly 500 muzzles at $1 apiece. Staid old family dogs travel around town with leather thongs around their jaws, which never closed on any thing more human than a beef bone. I saw one big mastiff that had worked his muzzle off and was lugging it around in his mouth."—Washington Post.

—Two Frenchmen recently made a strange wager. One was positive that his cook could prepare a dish the chief ingredients of which the other, a renowned epicure, could not name after eating. When the dish, a very savory one, was placed before the epicure, he tasted, smacked his lips, smiled, but was perplexed. He guessed "chicken," "frogs," "pigs," "calf's head," and half a dozen other dishes. At last, when he was informed that he had not guessed aright, and confessed himself utterly bewildered, he was informed that the dish was composed of old white kid gloves.

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Newspaper Laws.

Dr. Tolmann, editor of the Workman, Cleveland, has taken a position to collect and compile the decisions of the U. S. Courts on this subject. In addition to the Washington Post, as the result of his investigations, the following, which may be relied upon as correct:

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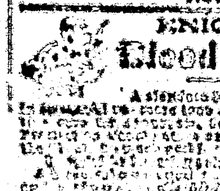

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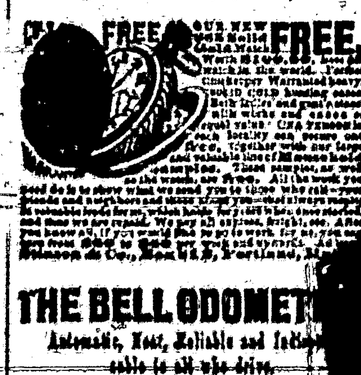

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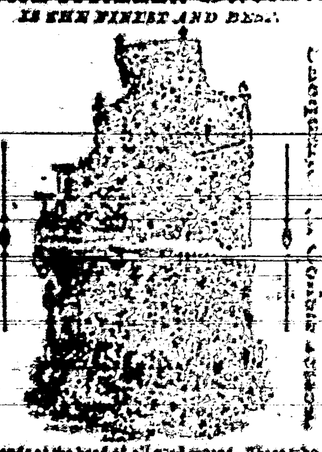

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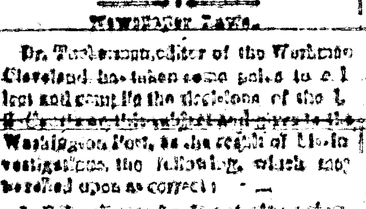

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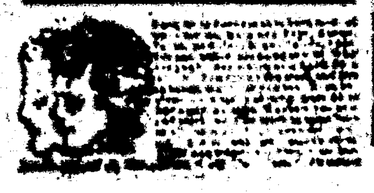

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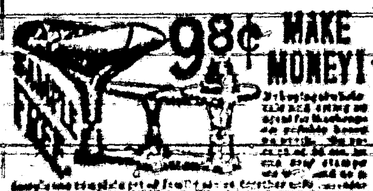

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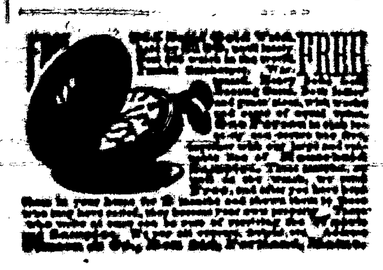

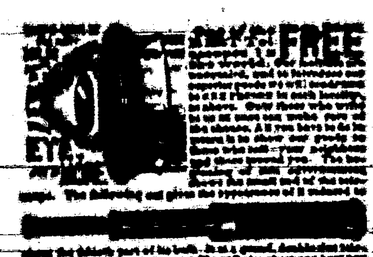

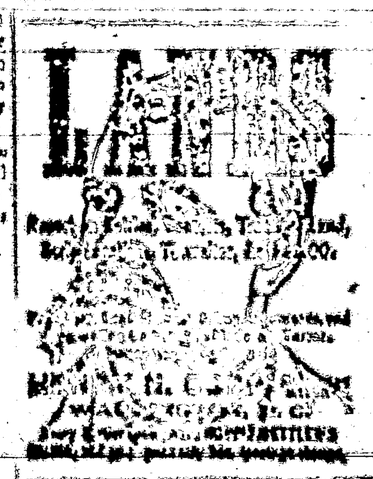

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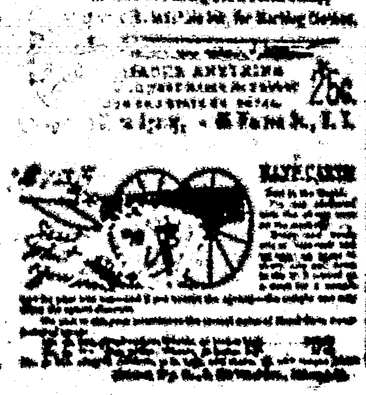

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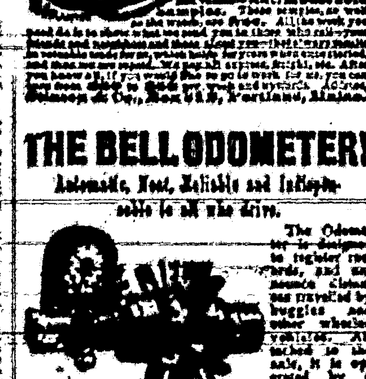

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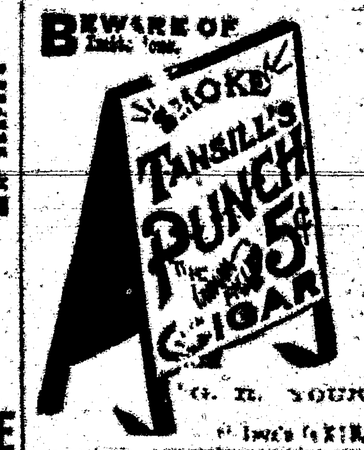

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Argentine Domestics.

They Are as Unmanageable as Those of the United States.

Servants are as unmanageable in Buenos Ayres as they are every where else, and in many respects more trying. General house workers are unknown. Even the smallest family one needs a cook, a housemaid and, instead of a maid-of-all-work, a boy of any age from ten years, and I have seen even younger on duty in native households. Besides these no washing can be done at home. There was, I am told, at one time even a law against the drying of clothes in one's own patio or on the roof. At any rate a laundress is an almost impossible person to get and clothes are given out to the lavanderas, who support themselves by the pursuit of that profession alone. They wash in the river, which is very wide, and very shallow on its southern shore, and rising only when gales are blowing from the sea leaves on its retiring great pools of water in the hollows of the beach. These pools are the wash-tubs for the whole city and flat stones are used as boards, the clothes being rubbed between two such; so it is not to be wondered at that all kinds of wash goods want frequent replacing. The same women who wash do not iron. They are themselves employed by the person engaged by one's self, who usually is the ironer and who receives the pay for the whole. I found this arrangement very unsatisfactory, for there was no one person who seemed to be responsible for the return of the things and for the manner in which they were done. It is a fault found by every one, but there seems to be no way of remedying it. Some few families have succeeded in getting regular laundresses to join their retinue of servants, but it is still a hard thing to manage and the cooks object to it. Wages are high. Cooks get from $12 to $20, these are not remarkable servants, but only ordinary ones. Men, French or Italian cuisiniers, are much better paid. The lowest ship of a housemaid will get from $12 to $16, and the necessary mulhaco gets nearly the same.—Good Housekeeping.

FEASTING IN SARDINIA.

Some Curious Features of Life in an Italian Province.

If religious festivals make a people religious, the Sardes are among the most religious of nations. Scarcely did we enter a town or village without finding the place either in the midst of a festa, anticipating coming festa or discussing the festa just enjoyed.

Scattered over the island are a multitude of small chapels, dedicated to obscure saints, and to which the villagers for miles round flock with provisions and bedding once or twice a year. They camp out in the open or sleep in adjacent caves; a priest says mass in the midst, and they all eat and drink as if they had never before had a good meal, or as if the rest of their lives was to be one of long fast.

A disagreeable litter of ox bones, ribs of sheep, orange-peel, bean chaff and stones of olives, strewn amid the grass near the hermitage, or on the level earth at the very chancel door, bears constant witness to the character of this sort of religious festivity. [illegible] The following statistics of food consumed at a traditional gathering, merely to celebrate the ordination of a priest in the district of Alonzo, shadow forth the magnitude of the famous festa in general.

Two thousand five hundred people were present, and between them they ate 22 cows, 40 calves, 35 deer and wild boars, 70 sheep, [illegible] cooking pots, [illegible] what else [illegible] pounds of pipe and [illegible] ounces of cows, a third [illegible] hundred-weight of [illegible] cakes, 3,000 eggs, 25 [illegible] wich, 3,000 [illegible] and a [illegible] quantity of confectionery.—Chambers' Journal.

Libraries for Our Warships.

The purchase of libraries for our new ships of the navy has [illegible] the use of the [illegible] About three hundred volumes [illegible] to be placed on each [illegible] years ago the usual [illegible] consisted of a Bible [illegible] almanac, a [illegible] half a dozen [illegible] Admiral Walker [illegible] of the Department [illegible] taken pains to [illegible] made to these, [illegible] contains from [illegible] hundred volumes [illegible] libraries [illegible] of the best [illegible] Thackeray [illegible] various [illegible] intended for the [illegible] men in the [illegible] Bancroft's [illegible]

Now [illegible]

The new [illegible] is the [illegible] is imitated [illegible] and these are strung [illegible] of red [illegible] form a [illegible] are made [illegible] are more [illegible] rolling. [illegible] are not [illegible] used for [illegible] It would [illegible] look [illegible] But only [illegible] when it [illegible] expressly [illegible] gowns [illegible] the fitted to [illegible] dress trimmer is worked [illegible] floral designs with a [illegible] like meadows.—Pall Mall [illegible]

Reading for the Young.

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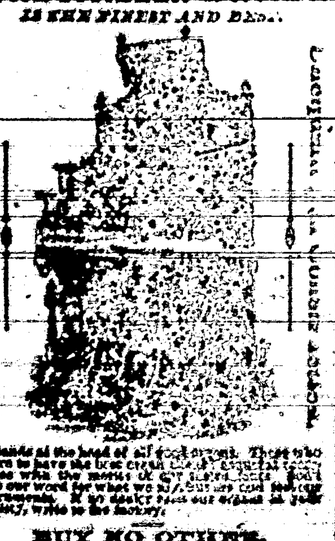

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LOCAL ROUNDUPS

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WE regret to learn that Ed. R. Bonnell has been seriously ill this week.

THE streets were so muddy on St Patrick's Day that even the Irish could'nt raise a dust.

JOHN Y. HEWITT has leased the McPherson mansion on the hill, and is fitting it up for a residence.

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WE learn that the brick building occupied by Goodman, Ziegler & Co., together with the 25 feet adjoining on the corner of White Oaks Avenue and Placer Street, and the 50 ft. lot adjoining immediately back, corner of Harris and Placer Streets, changed hands during the past week, John Y. Hewitt being the purchaser. This is one of the most desirable properties in town.

THIS week we had the pleasure of meeting Capt. A. F. Leach, successor to the patrol Walker as U. S. Timber and Land Agent. In '61 Mr. Leach was commissioned Capt. in a Connecticut regiment. He was then but 19 years of age, and he was then the youngest commissioned officer of his grade in the service. He is an accomplished gentleman and attracted many friends while here.

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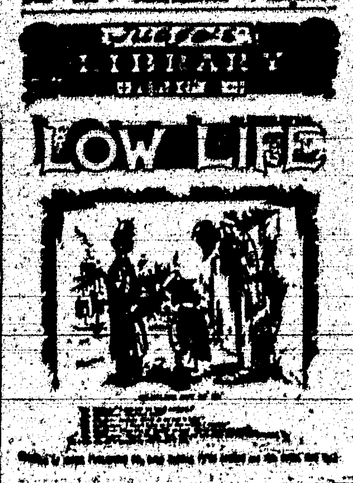

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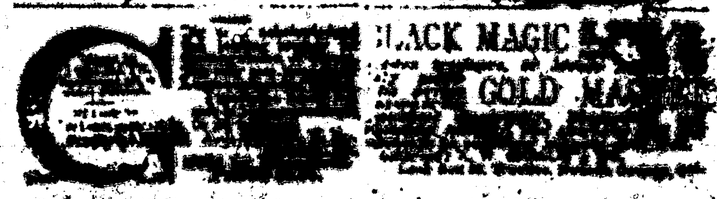
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