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Gold Nuggets

That fortunes have been made in mining from time immemorial is a fact patent to everybody.—Here and there the precious metal is discovered under the earth, and the discoverers, or those who purchase the right of discovery, are enriched. Frequently we hear of mines "pinching," giving out, and providing no rock save that known in miner's parlance as "country rock."

This is not, nor never has been, the experience in White Oaks.—As work progresses in our mines richer developments have resulted until now, the North Homestake, South Homestake, Old Abe, Lady Godiva, etc., are richer in development and prospect than ever before. And we honestly believe that as rich, if not richer beds of auriferous ore have been spread by the mining chambermaid of Nature which in time will be uncovered and revealed. Indeed we believe that the Little Mac, and other mines which have been partially opened, will prove veritable Pandora boxes so soon as the litigation locks now enclosing them are broken.

In this belief all experts who have investigated the matter agree—that unlike mines in other sections ours do not "pinch," but, like wine, improve with age. The deeper down they are sunk the greater and richer the reward given to industry and enterprise expended.

It is known to all of our readers that every business man of standing in the United States is rated by commercial authority—Bradstreet or Dunn—and that such authority governs credits of business men.

With this for a starter, let us take a single case, or association, to prove the position we take in the first part of this article. A year ago Messrs Hewitt, Ferguson, Watson and Hoyle, proprietors of the Old Abe, had no commercial rating. They were then dependent on their callings for their daily bread, each struggling for an honest, an honorable livelihood. Fortune smiled upon their efforts to better their condition, and the more they tickled the Old Abe with drills and powder the more Old Abe laughed until finally it gave out $1,500 a day of the yellow stuff, enough to employ all the stamp mills in camp could they be secured and rendering essential the procuring of one of the largest mills manufactured for it's special service.

Well, what has been the result? Now, the gentlemen named have commercial, financial status.—Hewitt is rated by the authority indicated at $350,000; Ferguson $250,000; Watson, $200,000; Hoyle, $50,000; all in proportion to their share in the Old Abe.

As a lawyer would say for ju..., believing that we have made ... plain we submit it without further argument.

FROM WASHINGTON, D. C.

Washington, D. C.
July 21, 1891.

MY DEAR MAJOR:

I visited the Navy Yard here the other day. I found that Uncle Sam has about 125 of his improved guns under way, some of them completed and ready for delivery, and others just beginning. They range in size from the largest to the smallest. The machinery is large and powerful, and has the Alliance, Ohio, maker's mark on it. The traveling cranes are no less a curiosity than the big guns. The cranes run from one end of the building to the other, probably 400 feet and the guns are 30 feet long.

The enclosed steel shaving is from one of the largest guns that is now being finished for a harbor defence vessel.

Washington is very quiet now. Many employees are off on their annual vacation or furlong, and those who have homes here are making excursions every day to the various parks, gardens and the beaches down the river. There seems to be no check on work in the Departments and the Government work is progressing nicely at the Rock Creek Zoological Garden and on the river front and Island. The Government is building a rock wall around the Island and raising it by dredging the river and branches around it and depositing the deposits from the bottom to the low places.

BEN. HENRY.

There has been a great deal of talk about the ferocity of Tip, the big elephant in Central Park, New York. But those people who happened to be in the elephant house the other afternoon came to the conclusions that he was very playful. Two men in company a little girl had been feeding the big fellow lozenges (above all things he likes lozenges), but the stock at last gave out. Tip waited patiently, when at last a thought struck him. He cautiously advanced his trunk, and in a second had removed one of the gentlemen's hats. He carefully laid it down on the hay and waited again. Peanuts were offered him, so were crakers; but not until the owner of hat had bought more lozenges did Tip relent, for as soon as he saw them he with good display of grace, returned the hat and received a whole handful of favorite sweets in return.

THE United States cannot be conquered by any other power or any other probable combination of powers, the task being doubtless, in all likelihood too great even if all Europe were allied to make the attempt. Such being the case the attempt is not very likely to be made. Probably there will be no real provocation. Europeans will come to see the futility of attempting to compel us to remodel our political organism to conform to their ideas. In the meantime Americans will be more and more disposed recognize all their international obligations and to deal justly and indeed generously with even the weakest powers.

PROMISES of abundant crops all over the country are certainly very good.

WE received a call on Monday from Seab. Gray, of the Solodo. He looked funny, but said "it didn't feel funny to feel that way." A horse had fallen with him and dislocated his collar bone. He informed us that H. J. Nugent, of Nogal, last April, purchased from Mrs. Bingham and Mr. Bayley two coal prospects on the Solodo, situate about a mile north of Bear Canon and about a mile north of Seab. Gray's residence. Mr. Nugent at once set out to develope his prospects and has since raised them from the low dignity of "prospects" to the prouder one of "mines." He is now down 60 feet and stands in a seemingly inexhaustible body of coal bearing a 6 foot vein. It has been pronounced by all judges who have inspected it as a coal bonanza.—The product has been tested and proven to coke as well as that of any discovery yet made in this Territory or Colorado.

WE were apprised in time last week but it escaped our think-keg hence failed to chronicle the marriage of Josh Church and Mrs. Fritz, both of Roswell and good fortune. We wish them both a long and happy voyage over the matrimonial sea on which they now sail and trust that nothing but the most innocent SMALL CAPS will intercept them in their voyage.

"The name of Hannibal Hamlin," says the Boston Transcript, "recalls those medals issued during the campaign of 1860. They contained ambrotype portraits of the candidates. On most of them Mr. Hamlin was given such a swarthy complexion that perhaps the very medals confirmed the belief in the lie industriously circulation in the South that one of his parents was a mulatto and that he was named in honor of the great Carthagenian to blazon his African descent before the world. At all events thousands of people in the South actually believed that 'Lincoln and a nigger' were the Republican candidates."

Yes, we were in that campaign, and well remember that the democratic press in chorus said that the Republicans were running a baboon for President and a nigger for Vice President. Both have passed away. Democrats are left but none so audacious as to call Lincoln a baboon or Hamlin a nigger. There is not one of the lying scoundrels who will deny that Lincoln was a pure statesman and Hamlin a gentleman. "All is fair in love, war or politics," may be all right, but we think that truth should be an essential factor in all things—if not in love, then everything commencing with d., follows, discontent, divorce, and the devil knows what—if in war, freebooters will estrange valuable adherents—in politics it creates dissension and deserved defeat.

The Parent of Insomnia.

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A Liberal Proposition.

Who has not heard of paragon of family papers, the enterprising and popular WEEKLY DETROIT FREE PRESS! For a generation its name's been a household word and it has become a synonym for all that is excellent, pure and elevating in journalism. It is delightfully entertaining without resort to cheap sensationalism, instructive without being prosy or pedantic. Combining the literary qualities of the expensive magazine with the bright breezy characteristics of the newspaper, it leaves nothing to be desired by the average reader. It is looked upon as a welcome visitor by every family who reads it, while thousands regard it as indispensible and would on no account go without it. An enormous circulation of 125,000 copies per week attests its wonderful popularity. Recognizing the fact that there are those who are unfamiliar with its surpassing merits as a home paper, the publishers offer to send THE FREE PRESS to them for the balance of this year (about five months) for only 30 cents—a club of four for $1, or a club of ten for $2. All our readers should subscribe at once. Send for free sample copy. We will send you the LEADER and The Weekly Free Press for the rest of the year 1891, for $1. Send your subscriptions to this office.

THE Twin Cities of Minnesota St. Paul and Minneapolis, were all broken up last week. For weeks the news had been trumpeted that on a certain day or night a fight between two distinguished pugilists would take place there and as a consequence thousands of people hied thither and purchased tickets for the show. At the last moment the Governor intervened and proclaimed that unless the scheme were abandoned he would call out the militia and disperse the mob. We think the Governor was wrong If a couple of human dogs want to chaw each other they should have free license. They are really beyond the purview of law, albeit lawless, are a menace to society and the direction they chose to take for hell should not be interfered with.

IF you wish to secure bargains in dry goods, clothing, gent's furnishing goods, etc., call at the New Store in Bonnell's building, opposite the lumber yard. For the next few days we will sell everything at lowest figures immaginable. Call soon and convince yourself.

BEN. FLESHER, Manag'r.

THE steel shaving, of which Ben Henry speaks in his Washington letter, is on exhibition at this office. It is a sure enough curiosity.

McDOWELL, of the defunct Liberty Banner, called on us the other day. We enquired where he was going—said he didn't know. We chimed in that we thought he was going to the devil. He scooted.

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 ... [illegible] ... Price 25c. a bottle.

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Saturday, July 18, 1891

SOCIETIES.

I. O. G. T.—White Oaks Lodge No. 40, meets every Saturday night, at Castle Hall, at 8 o'clock. Visiting Good Templars cordially invited. J. A. Woodland, C. T. James H. Adamson, Sec.

G. A. R.—Kearney Post, No. 10, meets on the last Monday night of each month, at their Hall.

White Oaks Congregational Church. Lord's Day Services—Morning, 11 o'c. Evening—7:30 o'clock. Sunday School—9:45 a. m. Weekly Bible reading, Wednesday Eve. at 7:30 o'clock—Seats free. All are welcome. N. W. Lane: Pastor.

Directory of the Methodist Church. Preaching each Sunday in the month except the 2nd, at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. Sunday School every Sunday at 3 p. m., and Prayer Meeting every Thursday evening at 7 p. m. W. T. Buns, Pastor in charge. Potter P. E.

LOCAL ROUNDUPS

Each sometimes makes a news,
But printers ink so black and solemn,
Will give a man peculiar fame,
When put in this peculiar column.

Lots of locals on 1st page.

Last week we advertised for a shoemaker. This week we have two in town.

Jos. Seipe, shoemaker, offers his services to the people of White Oaks. He guarantees his work and his prices are bed-rock. Shop first door west of Brother's Hotel.

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Jas. B. Ryan, ex-treasurer of Indiana, and father of W. S. Ryan, of Roswell, died at his home in Indianapolis, on Friday of last week. His son, William was at the bedside of the old gentleman at the hour of dissolution, and has our unfeigned condolence.

Last Thursday morning Sheriff Roberts passed through town on his way home from Pueblo, Col., where he had gone to deposit a crazy man in the asylum. We hope he wont take all of our crazy people there as in such event the Leader would be liable to loose a good many subscribers.

We were highly pleased this week to receive a call from J. D. Brashers, of Owensboro, Ky., whom we have had the pleasure of meeting several times before. Mr. B. is one of the proprietors of the American Mine (Billy Gill,) Nogal, and has come with the purpose of extracting the yellow metal from out that rich depository with all possible dispatch.

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Last week a party consisting of Will Lane and wife, Mrs. Joseph Biggs and children, George Sligh and family, Mrs. L. W. Stewart, Mrs. S. M. Parker, Miss Rice and Gus. Schinzing, constituted a fishing party to the Bonito, where they fished and ate for nearly a week. One of the spouses inform us confidentially that he can't hug his wife since her return without having his anatomy punctured by fish-bones. We acknowledge receipt of a little mess of the delicious trout.

D. B. Berger, of Ft. Scott, Kansas, owner of some twenty town lots and some patented mining claims here, is in town. He says he has had several opportunities to dispose of his holdings here but declined. His confidence in the future of White Oaks is unabated. He proposes erecting one or more buildings here this fall.—Years agone Mr. Berger took and read a paper we published at Fort Scott and he has taken and paid for the Leader since it's establishment.

An observant exchange says that when a young man meets an acquaintance with a new hat, he takes it off and serenely tries it on his own head. When a young lady meets acquaintance with a new bonnet she lifts up her nose and wonders where she got that thing.

Strayed or Stolen—On or about the 15th of June, from the Patos, a horse mule, brown in color, aged 7 or 8 years, about 15 hands high and branded A. S. on the shoulder and hip. A liberal reward will be paid for the recovery of the animal to

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White Oaks, N. M.

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W. M. Lane.

April 25, 1891.

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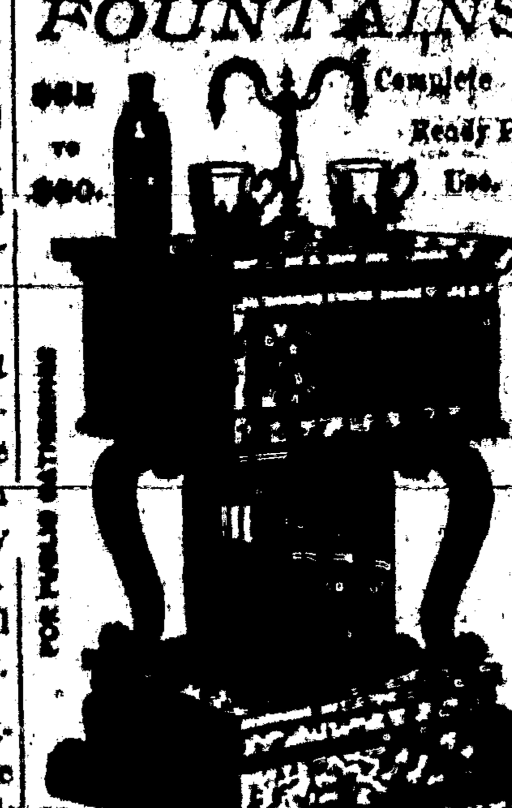

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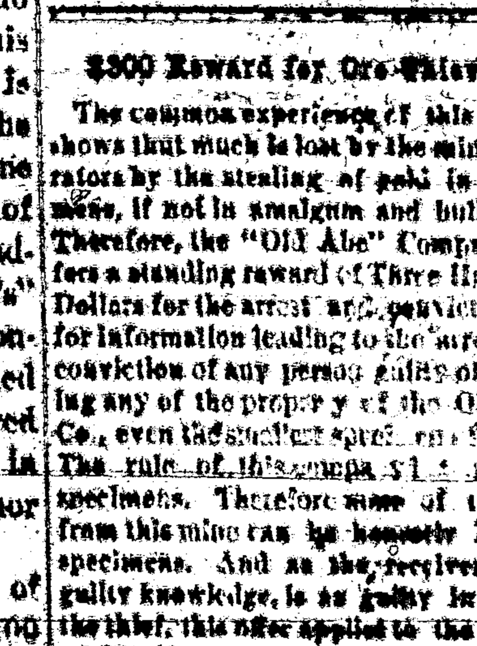

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The attempt of the opposition to get into the Convention with the very apparant design of defeating the enterprise for which it was called to promote by introducing irrelevant business, and other dire schemes that would not nor could not be regarded as anything but absurdity, pure and simple, will meet with rebuke from those most deeply interested.

El Paso has nothing to hope or ask for from the self-important and vain glorious plazas up the Rio Grande Valley, and the [illegible] [illegible] for too serious importance to her to [illegible] for the sake of [illegible] to the [illegible] arguments of the kickers.

We, of White Oaks, believe that the people who formulated the call are serious and mean business, therefore we cheerfully join them in their honest efforts to bring us the great relief for which we have been laboring (to little end) for lo, these many, many years. We are not opposing anybody for any railroad project, but do feel an interest in the Convention gotten up by El Paso, and shall do all we can to make it a success and oppose all that interferes with the carrying out of the enterprise as projected by the promotors of the Convention.

We want a railroad for we have more need for one than any place in New Mexico, and can give a R. R. more business than any other place in the Territory.

Let Santa Fe, Albuquerque, et al. get up their conventions: we certainly will not oppose them but do all we can to make them a success. The more the better, but let's do one thing at a time, and do that one thing well.

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Gold Nuggets

That fortunes have been made in mining from time immemorial is a fact patent to everybody.—Here and there the precious metal is discovered and unearthed, and the discoverers, or those who purchase the right of discovery, are enriched. Frequently we hear of mines "pinching," giving out, and providing no rock save that known in miner's parlance as "country rock."

This is not, nor never has been, the experience in White Oaks.—As work progresses in our mines richer developments have resulted until now, the North Homestake, South Homestake, Old Abe, Lady Godiva, etc., are richer in development and prospect than ever before. And we honestly believe that as rich, if not richer beds of auriferous ore have been spread by the mining chambermaid of Nature which in time will be uncovered and revealed. Indeed we believe that the Little Mac, and other mines which have been partially opened, will prove veritable Pandora boxes so soon as the litigation locks now enclosing them are broken.

In this belief all experts who have investigated the matter agree—that unlike mines in other sections ours do not "pinch," but, like wine, improve with age. The deeper down they are sunk the greater and richer the reward given to industry and enterprise expended.

It is known to all of our readers that every business man of standing in the United States is rated by commercial authority—Bradstreet or Dunn—and that such authority governs credits of business men.

With this for a starter, let us take a single case, or association, to prove the position we take in the first part of this article. A year ago Messrs. Hewitt, Ferguson, Watson and Hoyle, proprietors of the Old Abe, had no commercial rating. They were then dependent on their callings for their daily bread each struggling for an honest, an honorable livelihood. Fortune smiled upon their efforts to better their condition, and the more they tickled the Old Abe with drills and powder the more Old Abe laughed, until finally it gave out $1,200 a day of the yellow stuff, enough to employ all the stamp mills in camp could they be secured and rendering essential the procuring of one of the largest mills manufactured for it's special service.

Well, what has been the result? Now, the gentlemen named have commercial, financial status.—Hewitt is rated by the authority indicated at $350,000; Fergusson $250,000; Watson, $200,000; Hoyle, $50,000; all in proportion to their share in the Old Abe.

As a lawyer would say to a jury, believing that we have made the case plain we submit it without further argument.

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, [illegible]. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. Noyes, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

FROM WASHINGTON, D. C.

Washington, D. C.
July 21, 1891.

MY DEAR MAJOR:

I visited the Navy Yard here the other day. I found that Uncle Sam has about 125 of his improved guns under way, some of them completed and ready for delivery, and others just beginning. They range in size from the largest to the smallest. The machinery is large and powerful, and has the Alliance, Ohio, maker's mark on it. The traveling cranes are no less a curiosity than the big guns. The cranes run from one end of the building to the other, probably 400 feet and the guns are 36 feet long.

The enclosed steel shaving is from one of the largest guns that is now being finished for a harbor defence vessel.

Washington is very quiet now. Many employees are off on their annual vacation or furlong, and those who have homes here are making excursions every day to the various parks, gardens and the beaches down the river. There seems to be no check on work in the Departments and the Government work is progressing nicely at the Rock Creek Zoological Garden and on the river front and Island. The Government is building a rock wall around the Island and raising it by dredging the river and branches around it and depositing the deposits from the bottom to the low places.

BEN. HENRY.

There has been a great deal of talk about the ferocity of Tip, the big elephant in Central Park, New York. But those people who happened to be in the elephant house the other afternoon came to the conclusions that he was very playful. Two men in company a little girl had been feeding the big fellow lozenges (above all things he likes lozenges), but the stock at last gave out. Tip waited patiently, when at last a thought struck him. He coutiously advanced his trunk, and in a second had removed one of the gentlemen's hats. He carefully laid it down on the hay and waited again. Peanuts were offered him, so were crakers; but not until the owner of hat had bought more lozenges did Tip relent, for as soon as he saw them he with good display of grace, returned the hat and received a whole handful of favorite sweets in return.

THE United States cannot be conquered by any other power or any other probable combination of powers, the task being doubtless, in all likelihood too great even if all Europe were allied to make the attempt. Such being the case the attempt is not very likely to be made. Probably there will be no real provocation. Europeans will come to see the futility of attempting to compel us to remodel our political organism to conform to their ideas. In the meantime Americans will be more and more disposed recognize all their international obligations and to deal justly and indeed generously with even the weakest powers.

PROMISES of abundant crops all over the country are certainly very good.

WE received a call on Monday from Seab. Gray, of the Solodo. He looked funny, but said "it didn't feel funny to feel that way." A horse had fallen with him and dislocated his collar bone. He informed us that H. J. Nugent, of Nogal, last April, purchased from Mrs. Bingham and Mr. Bayley two coal prospects on the Solodo, situate about a mile north of Bear Canon and about a mile north of Seab. Gray's residence. Mr. Nugent at once set out to develope his prospects and has since raised them from the low dignity of "prospects" to the prouder one of "mines." He is now down 60 feet and stands in a seemingly inexhaustible body of coal bearing a 6 foot vein. It has been pronounced by all judges who have inspected it as a coal bonanza.—The product has been tested and proven to coke as well as that of any discovery yet made in this Territory or Colorado.

WE were apprised in time last week but it escaped our think-keg hence failed to chronicle the marriage of Josh Church and Mrs. Fritz, both of Roswell and good fortune. We wish them both a long and happy voyage over the matrimonial sea on which they now sail and trust that nothing but the most innocent SMALL CAPS will intercept them in their voyage.

"The name of Hannibal Hamlin," says the Boston Transcript, "recalls those medals issued during the campaign of 1860. They contained ambrotype portraits of the candidates. On most of them Mr. Hamlin was given such a swarthy complexion that perhaps the very medals confirmed the belief in the lie industriously circulation in the South that one of his parents was a mulatto and that he was named in honor of the great Carthagenian to blazon his African descent before the world. At all events thousands of people in the South actually believed that 'Lincoln and a nigger' were the Republican candidates."

Yes, we were in that campaign, and well remember that the democratic press in chorus said that the Republicans were running a baboon for President and a nigger for Vice President. Both have passed away. Democrats are left but none so audacious as to call Lincoln a baboon or Hamlin a nigger. There is not one of the lying scoundrels who will deny that Lincoln was a pure statesman and Hamlin a gentleman. "All is fair in love, war or politics," may be all right, but we think that truth should be an essential factor in all things—if not in love, then everything commencing with d., follows, discontent, divorce, and the devil knows what—if in war, freebooters will estrange valuable adherents—in politics it creates dissension and deserved defeat.

The Parent of Insomnia.

The parent of insomnia or wakefulness is in nine cases out of ten a dyspeptic stomach. Good digestion gives sound sleep, indigestion interferes with it. The busy and abnormal symptoms, one of the prominent symptoms of a weak state of the gastric organs is a disturbance of the great nerve centres, the brain. Invigorate the stomach, and you restore equilibrium to the great centre. A most reliable medicine for the purpose is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which is far preferable to mineral sedatives and powerful narcotics which, though they may for a time exert a soporific influence upon the brain, soon cease to act, and invariably injure the tone of the stomach. The Bitters, on the contrary, restores activity to the operations of that all important organ, and their beneficent influence is reflected in sound sleep and a tranquil state of the nervous system. A wholesome impetus is likewise given to the action of the liver and bowels by its use.

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THE Twin Cities of Minnesota St. Paul and Minneapolis, were all broken up last week. For weeks the news had been trumpeted that on a certain day or night a fight between two distinguished pugilists would take place there and as a consequence thousands of people hied thither and purchased tickets for the show. At the last moment the Governor intervened and proclaimed that unless the scheme were abandoned he would call out the militia and disperse the mob. We think the Governor was wrong If a couple of human dogs want to chaw each other they should have free license. They are really beyond the purview of law, albeit lawless, are a menace to society and the direction they chose to take for hell should not be interfered with.

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BEN. FLESHER, Manag'r.

THE steel shaving, of which Ben Henry speaks in his Washington letter, is on exhibition at this office. It is a sure-enough curiosity.

MCDOWELL, of the defunct Liberty Banner, called on us the other day. We enquired where he was going—said he did'nt know. We chimed in that we thought he was going to the devil. He scooted.

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THE [illegible] SCOUTS.

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The mine from which the reciter draws his material is in itself dangerously broad and deep—nothing less than the wide field of English literature. In it he finds things he is tempted to recite because he loves them. But that is one of the worst of reasons for choosing them. They may or may not gain by recitation. His personal love for them must not cloud his judgment. He finds pieces magnificent in drama and scope for declamation, but the drama may be purely taken from the literary point of view, and its very excellence judged thence may be faults from the actor's and reciter's points of view.

Or the drama may be impossible for a public audience. One poem may touch too intimately or penetratingly some domestic or life sorrow, and another may jar on some feeling, possibly even some prejudice, which the reciter may not sympathize with, but which he is none the less bound to respect in his listeners. And, lastly, some tiresome incongruity of appearance or manner may be the touchstone that decides his sentence against a poem, which, if it be a poem he particularly likes and desires to recite, is more than sufficiently annoying.

A man, for instance, with a cherry face should not recite "The Dream of Eugene Aram," "The Raven" or "Il Penseroso;" nor should a pale, spare man recite a line of Falstaff's or expect any great success in a scene from "Pickwick." As a rule (a rule with exceptions, of course,) men should avoid all pieces written in the first person singular in which the speaker is a woman. Shelley's "Cloud" is difficult for a man because of its ideal personality. It is impossible to resist the suspicion of ridiculousness when a man gravely says:

"I am the daughter of earth and of water,
And the nursling of the sky."

Matthew Arnold's "Forsaken Merman" generally falls of its full effect for the same reason. I once heard a man, remarkable for a gift of plainness, recite (very well but very vainly) Tennyson's "Dream of Fair Women." So an elderly gentleman declaiming Lewis Morris' "Psycho;" a lady, Tennyson's "Revenge," and a young man Christian Rossetti's "A Royal Princess" were all equally undermined in their efforts by direct physical inappropriateness.

I remember the occasion when I first gave in public an admirable piece for recitation which Mrs. Harriet Child-Pemberton sent me, called "Prince." In the last verse comes the line—

"I was the little chap, curly and brown."

I gave it with conviction, and the answer was an audible smile. All such pathos and drama as had been wrought by the story were defeated by this candid assertion to which my appearance gave the lie direct. The ridiculous inference that time and romance had singularly changed me turned the whole thing into fun. In subsequent recitals I altered the line, and the recitation held its own uncontradicted.—Murray's Magazine.

THE POLARIS CLOCK.

A Time-Piece That Was Buried in Arctic Ice for Four Years.

On the desk of Edson B. Bra o, chief clerk of the Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting in the Navy Department, is a little rosewood case, bound and inlaid with brass and bronze. It is in the form of a cube, about eighteen inches high, and contains a chronometer such as is used on all naval vessels. This little instrument has quite a tragic history, and is held of considerable value. It was the ship's chronometer of the unfortunate Polaris, that was sent out on an arctic expedition by the Navy Department in 1871. When the Polaris was nipped in the ice Captain Hall saved the instrument and some other things from the vessel. As long as Captain Hall survived he kept the chronometer with him. When he perished it was buried in the arctic snows and abandoned. This was some time in 1872. For four winters it lay buried in the snow and ice.

In 1876 Captain Nares, of the British navy, now Sir George Nares, then in command of the royal expedition to the arctic region, discovered this chronometer at Newman's bay. He dug it out of the snow and took it to England with him on his return. It had then been buried in the snow for four years in a region where the mercury sinks to 104 degrees below freezing point. It was found to be in perfect order, and was wound and ran all right as soon as taken from its cold bed. On returning to England Captain Nares turned the instrument over to the British admiralty office, from whence it was sent as a present to this Government. With all this experience it loses only a single second in twenty-four hours.—Washington Star.

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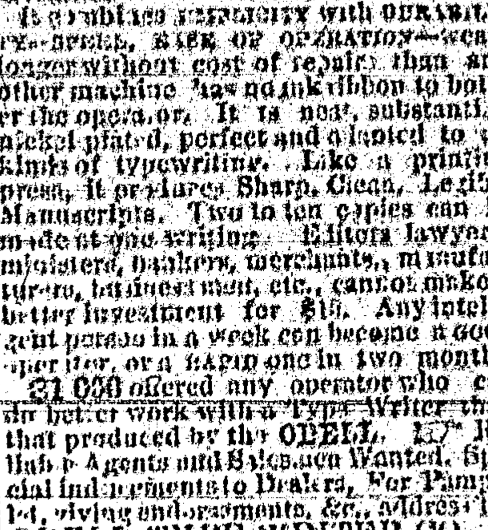

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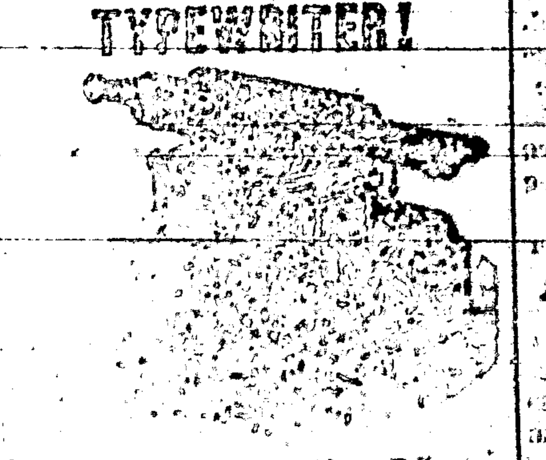

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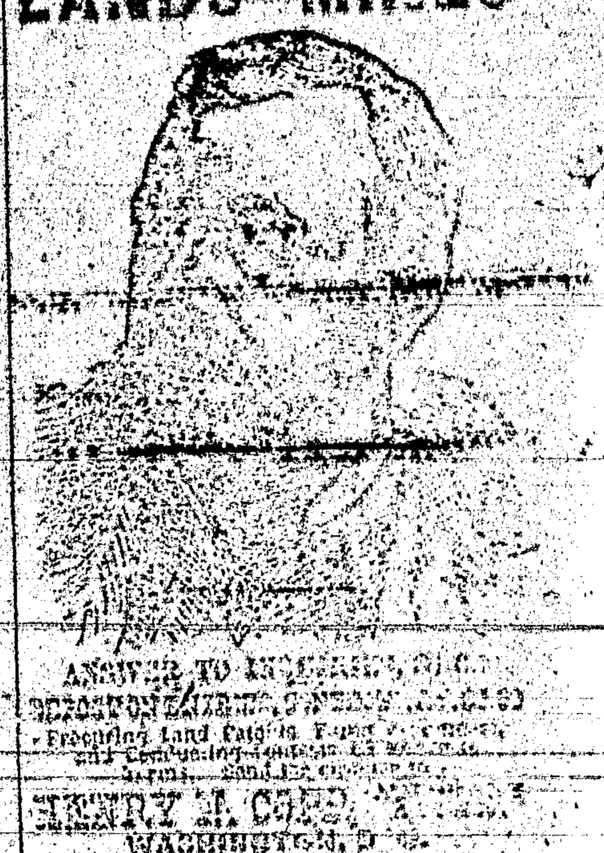

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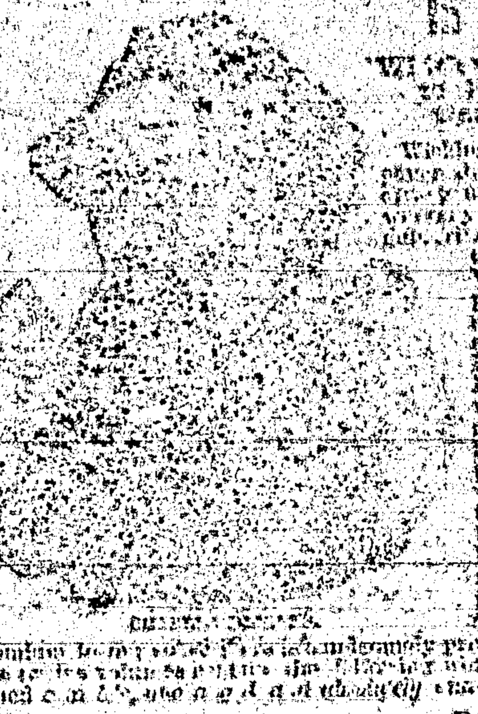

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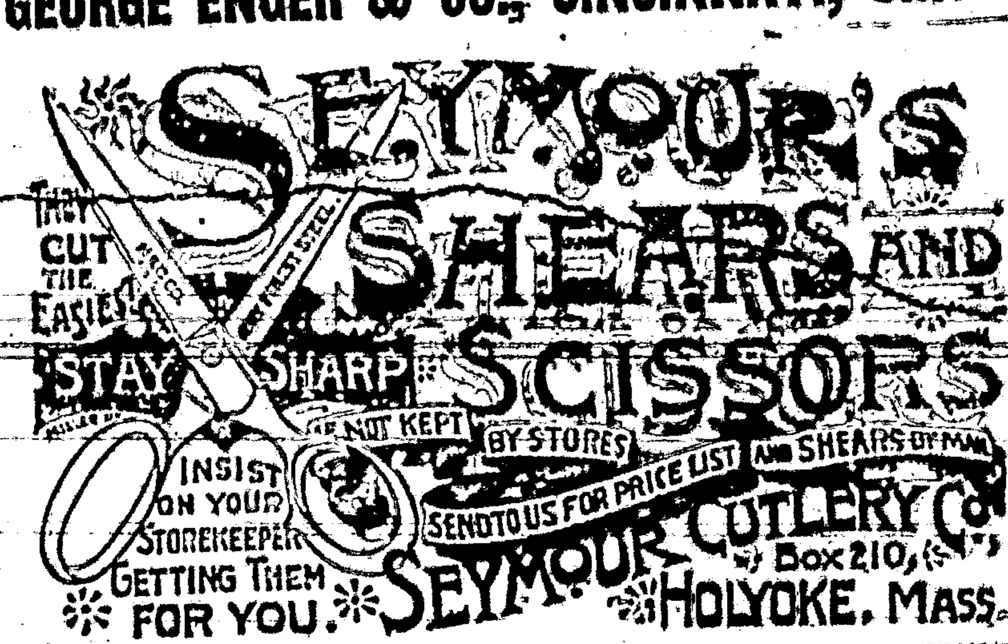

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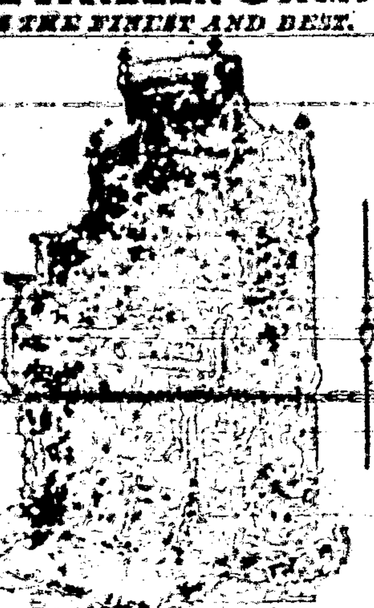

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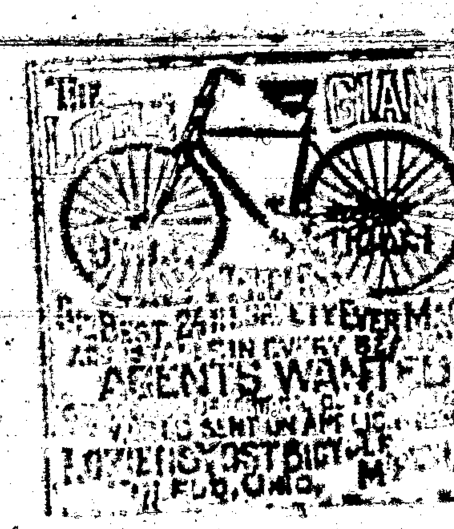

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Or the drama may be impossible for a public audience. One poem may touch too intimately or penetratingly some domestic or life sorrow, and another may jar on some feeling, possibly even some prejudice, which the reciter may not sympathize with, but which he is none the less bound to respect in his listeners. And, lastly, some tiresome incongruity of appearance or manner may be the touchstone that decides his sentence against a poem, which, if it be a poem he particularly likes and desires to recite, is more than sufficiently annoying.

A man, for instance, with a cherry face should not recite "The Dream of Eugene Aram," "The Raven" or "Il Penseroso;" nor should a pale, spare man recite a line of Falstaff's or expect any great success in a scene from "Pickwick." As a rule (a rule with exceptions, of course,) men should avoid all pieces written in the first person singular in which the speaker is a woman. Shelley's "Cloud" is difficult for a man because of its ideal personality. It is impossible to resist the suspicion of ridiculousness when a man gravely says:

"I am the daughter of earth and of water,
And the nursling of the sky."

Matthew Arnold's "Forsaken Merman" generally fails of its full effect for the same reason. I once heard a man, remarkable for a gift of plainness, recite (very well but very vainly) Tennyson's "Dream of Fair Women." So an elderly gentleman declaiming Lewis Morris' "Psyche;" a lady, Tennyson's "Revenge," and a young man Christina Rossetti's "A Royal Princess" were all equally undermined in their efforts by direct physical inappropriateness.

I remember the occasion when I first gave in public an admirable piece for recitation which Mrs. Harriet Child-Pemberton sent me, called "Prince." In the last verse comes the line—

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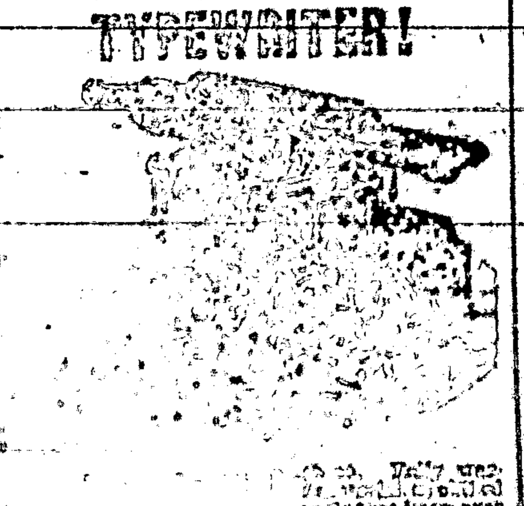

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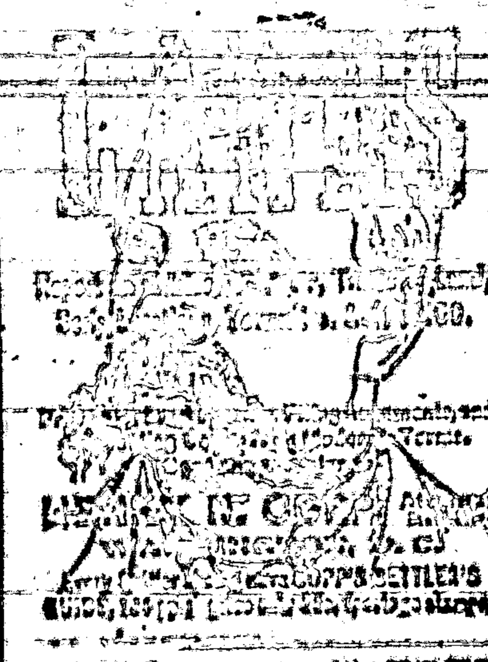

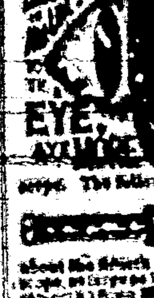

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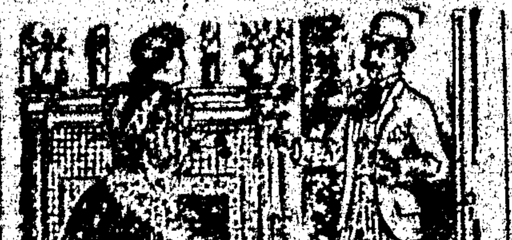

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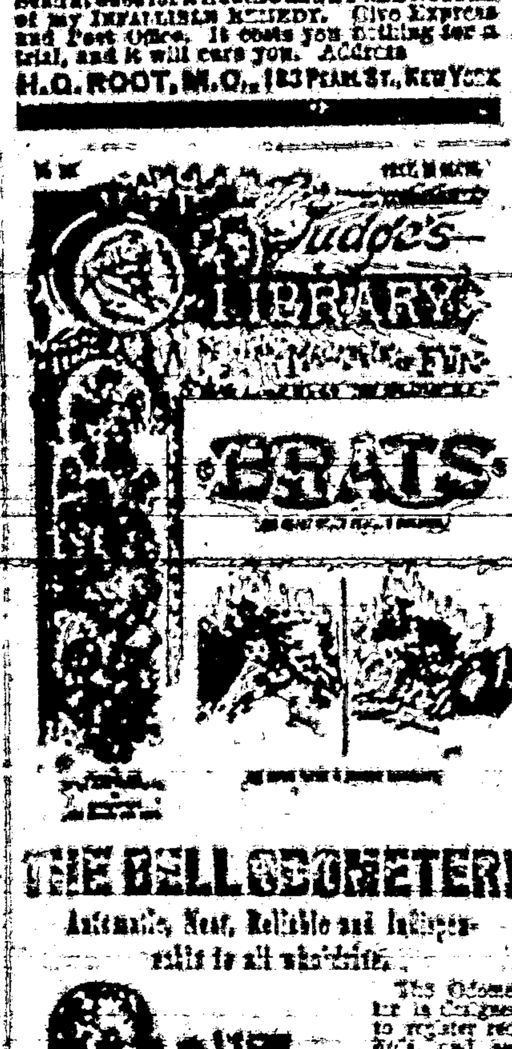

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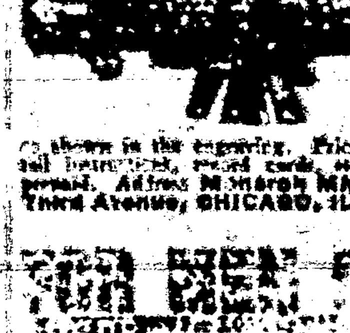

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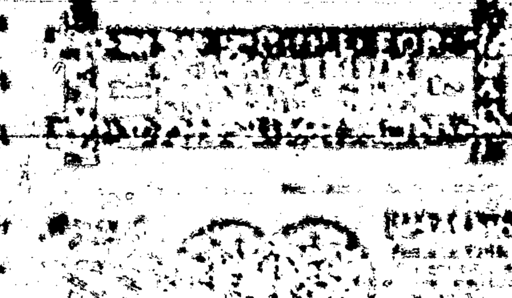

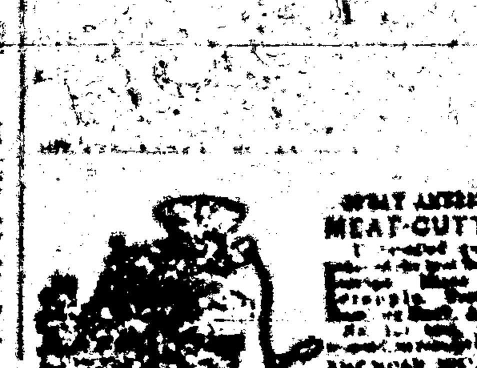

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We are indebted to D. B. Berger for a large and luscious mess of trout.

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D. B. Berger left on Wednesday last for his Kansas home via. Trinidad and Denver.

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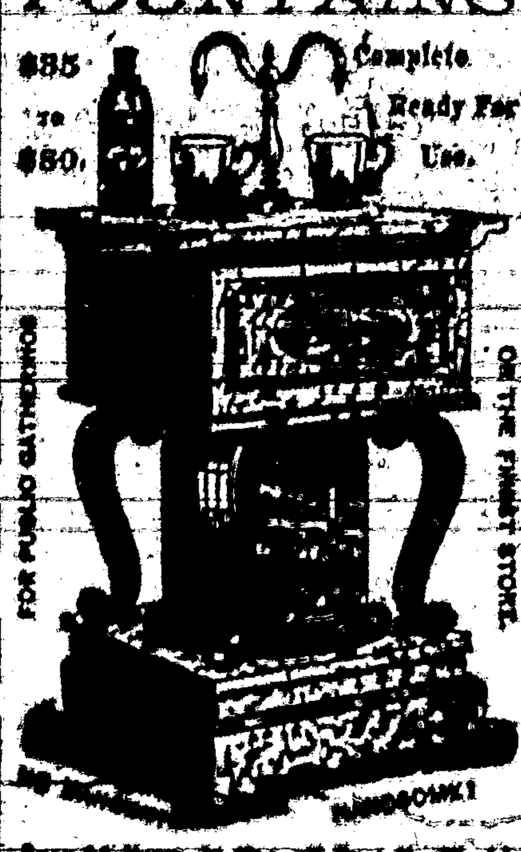

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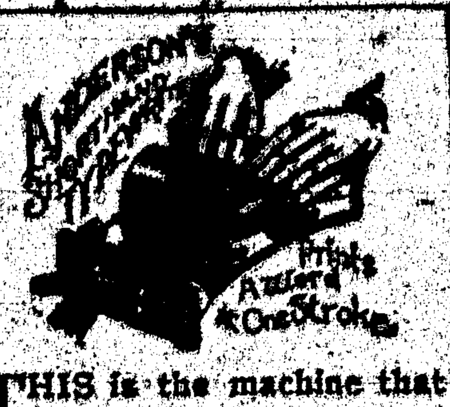

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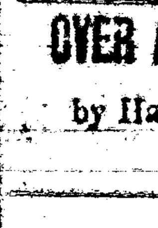

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