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LOCAL AFFAIRS

RATIFICATION.—The Democracy of this vicinity, in view of the fact that they had succeeded in electing their ticket by such overwhelming majorities throughout the State, concluded to "ratify" with a torchlight procession and the usual stentors, which conclusion they carried into execution on Saturday night last.

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SEVERE ACCIDENT.—Wednesday afternoon a young man named Thomas Daniels, in the employ of Messrs. Beach & Monteith, fell from their wharf to the deck of one of the P. T. Co.'s steamers, a distance of fourteen feet, and was severely hurt.

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BRIEF MENTION.—Mr. Wm. Cannon lost a fine cow on Wednesday. Disease—"final" complaint. Slight rain-fall on Thursday. City full of Eastern people, all looking for homes among us.

RIVER STILL IN FAIR STAGE, boats getting up as far as Harrisburg. Politicians getting ready for the Fall fights—so says Dick. Business so-so. Weather cool and pleasant. Look out for the "four wonders" next week.

NOT THE LAST.—F. M. Wadsworth, Esq., to convince us we were mistaken in thinking strawberries had disappeared for the season, on Thursday as we were going to press, brought us in a "mess" which he raised in his garden, from seed brought from America.

FOUND.—A small oil cloth sack, containing clothing and a new testament, a leather pocket-book containing money, was found on the Eugene road, two or three miles south of the Boston Mills, and about fifteen miles from this city, on Wednesday, 15th inst.

WILD CHERRY BALSAM.—The memory of Dr. Wistar is embalmed in the hearts of thousands whom his Balsam of Wild Cherry has cured of coughs, colds, consumption, or some other form of Pulmonary disease.

HAYING.—Some of our farmers have commenced haying, others are preparing to open out next week. The general impression seems to be that the crop will be equal to former seasons.

SEWING SOCIETY.—The meeting on Tuesday evening was a success, and the church was benefited by several dollars.

LIVELY.—Messrs. Blain, Young & Co. sold over \$4,000 worth of agricultural machinery in one day last week, and it was not a good day for machines either.

SHEEP.—We hear of the sale of a small band of sheep, effected a few days since, at \$1 50 per head.

SHOO FLY.—Is the name to be given to the new boat now in course of completion by the P. T. Co.

GREEN.—Several instances are recorded of late where greens have been taken in by the "lock game."

CAUGHT.—One of the three prisoners that escaped from the Multnomah county jail the other day has been captured.

The new steam engine for the Albany Warehouse is of seventeen horse power. Financial and Commercial.

Gold in New York 112 1/2. Legal tenders 89, 89 1/2 @ 90c. From San Francisco we get the following reports: Flour firm, with local demand; superfine \$4 50 @ 5 50; extra, \$6 12 1/2 @ 25. Oats quotable at 1 65 @ 1 95. Potatoes, new, at \$1 80 @ 1 90. Corn, yellow, \$1 37 1/2.

Prices for wheat here are unsettled. We have heard of seventy five cents being offered by one firm; there is some probability of an advance on this figure. Produce generally remains at former quotations.

Illinois boasts of a canine population of 300,000 live dogs. Every advantage is offered to the hydrophobic.

The vote of Ada county (Boise City) in the late election was 513 Democratic, and 339 Republican. This is a considerable reduction as compared with the vote of former elections.

A wag wrote on the back of a fatal derman—"Widened at the expense of the corporation."

An exchange says that "in the absence of both editors, the publisher succeeded in securing the services of a gentleman to edit the paper that week."

A liquor law has finally passed the Massachusetts Legislature, excluding the sale of wines, and permitting that of ale and lager.

A collision occurred on the Indianapolis and Cincinnati Railroad on the 14th, killing one man and injuring several others.

Dayton claims to have a population of 42,000, and sets Columbus down at 36,000.

Several citizens of Cambridge City, Indiana, have been expelled from church for dancing.

"Christadelphians" is the title of the latest new sect. The members live at Jefferson, Ind.

The grand Lodge of American Protestants met at Boston on the 14th. The word "white" is to be stricken from their Constitution.

W. H. Greenwood shot and killed Alexander Fleming, at Parker's Landing, near Pittsburg, because the latter would not keep away from the former's sister when told to.

The Four Wonders, ALBANY, June 21st, 1870. MR. EDITOR:—As I observe in reading the papers that the world-renowned Nova Scotia giantess, and the equally famous French giant, are about to visit us, I take this opportunity to steal a little time from business matters to give your readers a short account of a parlor reception given by them at the International Hotel, San Francisco, at which I had the pleasure of being present as an invited guest, during my late sojourn in that city.

Miss Anna Swan, the Nova Scotia giantess, is indeed a perfect living wonder. Weighing 413 pounds without the appearance of "squabbiness," 8 feet 1 inch in height by actual measurement, social, sparkling and interesting in conversation, she suddenly rises to move across the room for some little article, when her immense proportions darken the air, and you involuntarily catch your breath and mentally ejaculate—well, I'm afraid to guess what you would ejaculate. As for myself I was so overawed that, for almost the first time in my remembrance, I forgot for two whole minutes to say anything.

The giant, with the gallant characteristic of his countrymen, seeing your humble servant sitting there as a silent splotter, came over to the side of the room where I had been stationed by the usher, and taking a seat upon the sofa, which trembled under his weight, soon engaged me in a conversation upon general topics. My tongue was loosened, and for ten minutes at least, I talked, or listened to his praises of our country and its most successful national humbug—Mr. Barzoum.

Little Major Green, the Virginia dwarf, a sprightly little body, less in size than a Bantam rooster, accompanies them as a contrast. A Circassian lady, remarkable for her beauty, completes this wonderful party whose coming among us will be hailed with pleasure by all who can go to see them.

I was honored on another occasion by a special invitation to visit the giant at his parlor. I complied, and spent a half hour in a very engaging conversation with him upon his travels. Especially upon the Pacific Railroad and his views of our country, which he styles superb magnificent grand, with all the politeness and eclat of sixteen little Frenchmen, did he grow eloquent and interesting.

He is over eight feet high, of excellent proportions and dignified demeanor, and receives company in full military dress. I also had the pleasure of several social interviews with Miss Anna Swan and the Circassian lady, at one of which the little Major and their business manager were present. Repartee, sense and nonsense composed our conversation on such occasions, while the time was made profitable to me at least in making a fancy dress for Miss Anna, which you may all have an opportunity to see her wear at a public reception before many days in Albany. Mrs. D.

One hundred and forty-one thousand cigars were made in one week at the penitentiary at Joliet, Illinois.

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Post Office building, Brownsville, Oregon. April 20, '70-33 PETER HUME.

To Whom It May Concern: G. H. BABER is my Legal Agent during my absence. SAMUEL DENNY. Albany, March 15, 1870.—23-37.

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