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Keeps the finest billard hall in the city.
I will also sell real estate, merchandise household goods, etc., at auction for any one in the city or county Store opposite Revere House, Albany, Or.
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Oh, dose shildren, dose shildren, they baddher mine life!
Vhy don'd dey keep quiet, like Gretchen, mine vife?
Vot makes dem so shock fool off mischief, I vunder,
A-shumping der room roundt mit noises like dunder?
Hear dot! Vas dere anyding make sooch a noise
As Herman und Otto, mine two leedle poys?

Ven I dake oup mine pipe for a goot quiet shmoke,
Dey crawl me all ofer, und dink id a joke
To go droo mine bockets to see vot dey find,
Und if mit der latch-key my vatch dey can vind.
Id takes someding more as dheir fader und moder
To quiet dat Otto und his leedle broder.

Dey shtub nudt dheir boots, und vear holes in der knees
Off dheir drowsers, und shtockings, und sooch dings as dese.
I dink if dot Cresus vas liing to-day,
Dose poys make more hills as dot Kaiser could pay;
I find me qu'ck gudt dot some rishes dake vings,
Ven each gouple a days I must buy dem new dings.

I pring dose two shafers some toys efry day,
Because "Shonny Schwartz has sooch nice dings," dey say.
"Und Shonny Schwartz' barents vas poorer as ve"
Dot's vot der young rashkals vas saying to me.
Dot oldt Santa Klaus mit a sheigh fool off toys
Don'd gif sadisfactions to dose greedy poys.

Dey kick der clothes off ven ashleep in dheir bed,
Till get so mooch crump dot dey almoost vas dead;
But it don'd make no difference before id vas light
Dey vas oup in der morning mit billicks to fight.
I dink id vas beadher you don'd got some ears
Ven dey blay "Holdt der Fort," und den gif dree cheers.

Oh, dose shildren, dose shileren, dey bodther mine life!
Budt shtop shout a leedle. If Gretchen, mine vife,
Und dose leedle shildren dey don'd been around,
Und all droo der house dere vas nefer a sound—
Vell, poys, vy you look oup dot vay mit surbrise?
I guess dey see tears in dheir oldt fader's eyes.

—CHARLES FOLLEN ADAMS, in Editor's Drawer, in *Harper's Magazine for May.*

REV. GEORGE W. PEPPER.

The Patriot Minister's Latest Sermon on the Irish Question.

WOOSTER, O.

Editor Irish World:—There was recently delivered here, by the Rev. Geo. W. Pepper, in Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, an interesting sermon on Ireland, an extract of which I send you, as follows:

I stand here on this sacred Sabbath day as an apologist, the defender of the suffering and infamously oppressed Irish people. It has been asserted that they are too far off, but our voices and prayers can travel through the wind and the waves and find a pathway in every Irish heart. Sprung from the same stock, redeemed by the same blood, believing in the same God, and candidates for the same immortality, are not these five millions reduced to starvation and driven to frenzy by the tyrannical and brutal British Government? Are they not, I inquire, entitled to our sympathy, consideration, and active co-operation? I would to God that our words to-day might be so effective as to cause the young men of Ireland to clasp their virgin blades like virgin brides to their hearts.

Who in this Methodist American audience can think of Ireland without tears? Who can remember her poets, her orators, her philosophers, her statesmen, her soldiers, and her saints, without wondering that a land once so bright and so mighty in intellect should now be a prostrate wreck? We owe much as Protestants to that unfortunate land. The first Methodist preacher in this country, Philip Embury, the first Presbyterian minister, the first Episcopalian dean, and the founder of the church to which the lamented Garfield belonged, Alexander Campbell, were all from Ireland. In every struggle for the independence, unity, and preservation of this glorious Republic, Catholic and Protestant Irishmen poured out their rich blood in torrents to strengthen the bonds and to perpetuate the country of Washington.

As Americans we love and almost worship the memory of Robert Emmet. He had as much of the spirit of God as any mortal that ever lived. The sentiments of his immortal vindication have penetrated into every corner of America, and all Christian colleges and schools pronounce his name in the same breath with that of Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln! And although for a hundred years the iron hoof of Britain has with devilish malignity tried to trample his principles into the earth, yet, glory be to God, his memory lives in the hearts of thousands and tens of thousands, and it is a proud eulogy on the character of the Irish people that, despite all the vigilance, all the Landlordism, all the hired soldiers, all the cruelty of England, the people of Ireland are more rebellous now than when young Emmet died upon the scaffold.

Among the first lectures I ever delivered was one in this city when for the first time I was your pastor. You received me with a generous enthusiasm. Since then I have revisited the scenes of my childhood. I have pressed the same flag stones with thrillings emotions which were walked over by Grattan, Curran, Tone, Burke, and Emmet. I have traveled extensively in the North and South of Ireland. Never in any land have I seen such pictures of natural scenery. Never did the pencil of the Almighty Artist appear so exquisite in its delineations as in that distressed and landlord-cursed country.

It has been asserted that the Irish people were murderous, turbulent, and lawless. I contradict the assertion and solemnly swear before the eternal throne of God that

THE REAL MURDERERS

in Ireland are the governing officers, the landlords, the spies, the soldiers, and the obscene brood of court hirelings. Where is there a nation so ground to earth as Ireland has been for centuries, so crushed by the Moloch of landlordism, that can show so stainless a record as that people? For every tyrant executed by the oppressed one hundred thousand of the poor have been exiled, starved, slain. If such a vile system of slavery existed in any other country on the earth the people would rise in their might and exterminate their oppressors. When Fox, one of England's great statesmen, was denouncing the slave trade, some one said, "Let us regulate it." "Let us regulate it." "Regulate murder!" exclaimed Fox; there is only one method—extermination." So let it be with Irish landlordism.

I am no fanciful enthusiast, but the solemn examiner of historical facts. And I have no hesitation in saying that Ireland will yet rise from her disasters and take her place among the representative nations of the earth. My hopes still vastly preponderate over my fears. Thicker, thicker darkness may gather over Ireland, like the clouds round the summit of Sinai; but out of all the gloom shall come a voice the voice of the Almighty—calling Ireland, like Moses, to come to the Mount.

JEFFERSON ITEMS.

Jefferson, Or., May 9, 1883.

Eds. Democrat:

The weather again looks favorable for farming.

Brilliant Lodge, No. 42, I. O. G. T. is in good running order, and meets at 4 o'clock P. M., Sundays of each week.

Mr. M. G. Caldwell, of Sweet Home, is stopping at Jefferson visiting friends and relatives; will return via Albany, where he will attend to some business of a public nature to the Sweet Homers—from Albany home.

School at the DeVaney school house progresses finely. Miss Charlton is the right man (woman) in the right place—Lydia understands perfectly the norma methods of education. She manages the little folks admirably, and each pupil has a pride in believing that they are the favorite of the school.

Miss Addie Longworth meets with the best of success in the Kelly district, which was no more than was expected by all who knew her, from former experience.

G. M. DeVaney seems to have a tact in learning the young idea how to shoot.

Remember merchandise of all kinds cheaper than ever before at Jefferson, and this is saying more than one at once might think, from the fact that most all standard articles of general use on a farm and in the family, are usually cheaper here than in Albany, consequently Jefferson is the best place to go for bargains in merchandise of all kinds, in the valley south of Portland, and don't you forget it. And if our "Mermaiden" (T. L. W.) had bought pants at Jefferson, there would not have been such remarks as appeared week before last about them.

Agricultural implements and all kinds of household hardware, will be found at E. H. Bellinger's hardware store, Jefferson, Oregon. Also the renowned "Bain Wagon," and some nobby buggies on hand, and the prices are bottom. Call and see him.

All kinds of drugs, notions, glass and paints kept by J. A. Beard, and the prices are the lowest ever offered in Jefferson.

E. J. Hearn will be found at his old stand, with a larger supply of harness and a better grade than ever. His supply of notions are larger than usual, and you can do well in his line by calling on him.

A Tanzler & Son are at their old stand with a supply of boots and shoes of such standard notoriety that they can give you bargains defying competition.

Mr. Sparrow keeps a supply of flour at the mill for all his customers, although his supply of water is just as he saves it in the mill-pond.

The prospect for crops rather flattering.

The livery stable under charge of its new manager, Bud Bilyeu, is in a flourishing condition, and anyone desiring anything in that line, will find Bud always ready and obliging.

Dr. Deardorff was called to counsel in a very bad case of diphtheria with Dr. Hyde, and the patient rapidly improved, which is another testimonial for our young and efficient medical man.

UT. SUPRA.

Every color of our Diamond Dyes is perfect. See the samples of the colored cloth at the druggists. Unequalled for brilliancy.

WATERLOO ITEMS.

Waterloo, Or., May 9, 1883.

Eds. Democrat:

We are having some very fine weather after a fair amount of rain.

There has been nothing strange transpired in our city lately.

Our Waterloo mills have started up now and are doing general business.

The soda springs will soon be open and Waterloo will liven up.

Waterloo beats the world for liveliness and is the boss place for summer resorts.

We have organized a spelling school here which seems to be in a flourishing condition it is well attended with considerable interest.

The general health of our community is good with the exception of a few cases of spring fever.

Mr McClung is getting along nicely with his school and gives good satisfaction.

The people of Sodaville seem to be very much pleased about their quartz ledge, which was discovered by one of our friends Mr. J. Haupert. They say it has proven to be good.

There has been a flying report going around that Mr. Tommy S. and one of our fair damsels of Waterloo was going to be married, but that is a grand mistake and don't forget it. It takes two to make a bargain. Tommy has to set on the fence now and see her go by.

Waterloo also beats the world for sham weddings, etc.

Stealing saw mills, popping the question, tying poles to horses tails and playing croquet is the favorite pastime of the young people of this place.

Maudy and Granger are both very green,
But are not often to be seen,
But when they go over to the dance
They'll bow their necks and how they prance.
We had a dance here Saturday night,
And beheld all the rest we liked to had a fight.
A wife's love is charming,
As every body knows,
And a handsome cousins love is nice
At least I should suppose;
But the love of a California fellow,
Is the love that never palls;
But the love of writing poetry
Is the nicest love of all.
Maudy Muller is no stranger,
And that you well know,
And Tommy is feered out
Now give him a blow.

MAUD MULLER.

FIGHT WITH THE APACHES.

The recent Indian fight in the Sierra Madres has been confirmed by a letter from the headquarters of the army o Northern Mexico, at Apasura, Sonora. The engagement occurred in Sierra Talmosa, near the Chihuahua line, on the 20th of April, Colonel Garcia left the Mexican headquarters with one company of the Sixth regiment, under Captain Devess, numbering eighty-six men, and fifty State troops, under Captain Kosterlitzky, to take up and follow the trail of the retreating Indians in their late raid into Sonora in the direction of the Sierra Madre mountains. After five days' forced marching he succeeded in tracking the Indians to their camps, six in number, located in the Sierra Madras, near the Chihuahua line. The Indians had notice from scouts two days in advance of the arrival of the troops at that point, and from appearances determined to make a desperate fight. They secured a position in the roughest part of the mountain, and there awaited the approach of the troops. Col. Garcia, as soon as he ascertained and understood the position of the Indians, divided his troops into two columns, placing one under Col. Ternes of the State troops, and heading the other himself, and commenced the battle. After three hours' hard fighting he succeeded in dislodging the Indians from their stronghold and putting them to flight, leaving on the field eleven of their bucks dead. Many were observed during the action being carried away wounded. The Mexicans lost three State troops and two federals killed, and some eight or nine wounded, two or three very severely. A large amount of stock, stolen by the Indians in their last raid, was captured, and is now on the way to headquarters. From indications during and after the fight, it is supposed 150 or 200 Indians were engaged. The mountains appeared to be covered with them. Some were shot from the highest peaks and came rolling down the mountais to the very feet of the troops. Two days before the fight, when the scouts discovered the troops coming, they removed their families from the camps, and for that reason no prisoners were taken.

In his eloquent funeral oration on the late Peter Cooper, the Rev. Mr. Collyer said that the founder of the Cooper Institute "stands alone, so far as I know, among the men who would do some great work for the help and blessing of the whole nation and have lived to see that work perfected in their own life and time."

Ex-Senator Conover of Florida is practising medicine in Philadelphia, at the office of the Marine Hospital. Next year he expects to return to Florida and settle down as a physician and surgeon.

GENERAL NEWS.

Jay Gould has returned to New York.

Ex-Senator David Davis is in California.

The bricklayers of Chicago have been on a strike.

Bismarck is very sick, and there is some doubt of his living.

The Southern Baptist Convention is being held at Waco, Texas.

The Mechanic's fair at San Francisco will be held Sept. 11.

The New York *World* has been purchased by Jos. Pulitzer of St Louis.

Seattle has five policemen, but proposes to reduce the number to three.

A large rolling mill is to be built at Irondale, W. T., to cost about $750,000.

It was reported last week that Gen. Crook had been defeated by the Indians, but this report is thought to be untrue.

The Mayor of Milwaukee has issued orders that all saloons shall be closed at midnight, and no policeman shall drink while on duty.

The comptroller of the currency has authorized the first national bank of Union, Oregon, with a capital of $50,000, to begin business.

Eastern Pennsylvania was visited by a severe storm last week, at about the same time Chicago had a taste of a little gale, as well as New York and other places.

A dentist in Troy, New York, had his name changed from Ryan to Millington because there was a noted pugilist by that name, and the dentist was thereby displaced from good society.

In Chinatown, at Tucson, Arizona, a Chinaman lost his money, but grabbed it and ran, when the winner followed and shot him three times in the leg, inflicting serious wounds. The shooter is in jail.

At a meeting of whisky distillers in Indianapolis it was decided that less whisky will have to be produced. This is good news. They will now run to 20 per cent of their capacity instead of to 40 per cent as in the past.

The bill in the Pennsylvania Legislature prohibiting the manufacture, sale and use of any article, device or invention for the purpose of surreptitiously destroying human life and injuring property, by explosion or fire, passed the Senate and went to the House for concurrence.

A tragedy which caused a great sensation was enacted at Paris, the other day on the rue Sainte Denis. While a marriage party was proceeding along that thoroughfare on its way to a church, the rival of the groom shot and killed him The assassin then poisoned himself.

The special committee appointed to investigate the alleged frauds in the customs service at San Francisco, in connection with the importation of Hawaiian sugars, had an interview with Secretary Folger and received their final instruction from him. The committee leave for San Francisco in a few days.

The war begun by the Young Men's Catholic society of the Transfiguration church against the Chinese has caused the closing by the police, of opium joints in that neighborhood. Two girls and a Chinaman were arrested, one girl on complaint of a brother. New Yorkers will soon appreciate the troubles of Pacific Coast people on the Chinese question.

A train on the Vanderbilt line in Nebraska went through a bridge about four miles from Norfolk, the other morning, and Joseph Fressenden was found killed in the wreck, and Engineer Sam Keem will lose one leg and perhaps his life. The wreck is a bad one, the cars being piled in a heap in the narrow bed of a stream. A washout caused the accident.

Two prisoners in the Western penitentiary at Alleghany City, Penn., set fire to the bad clothes and bedding in their cell the other night with the intention, it is believed, of escaping. The flames were confined to two cells, which were badly burned. During the progress of the fire the guards were on the alert and thwarted the plans of the incendiaries, who were immediately remanded to other quarters.

Last week the north bound freight train on the S. P. C. R. R. Cal., when at Alma, met with an accident which miraculously resulted in no loss of life. The conductor was thrown under the forward car, and the others piled up on top of him. An iron rod bent above his body, and protected him from the wreck, and saved his life. Nobody was injured save two firemen and the conductor, who are merely severely bruised.

Here is a case of heroism rarely witnessed: Governor Blackburn, of Kentucky, pardoned James Sizemore, sent to the penitentiary from Clay county in 1880, for six years on a charge of murder. Sizemore made no defense on the trial. His brother, a man with a large family, being the real criminal. Sizemore voluntarily took the odium and penalty on himself for the sake of his brother and family. The brother dying the other day, confessed his guilt, and gave unmistakable proof of the truth of his confession. The governor, on learning of the facts, at once issued a pardon to Sizemore.

They are coming fast, as can be seen by the following telegram of a few days ago: A large number of immigrants have arrived here during the past few days en route to Oregon and Washington territory. This afternoon the ticket office, on Montgomery street, was besieged by a crowd of men and women, who expect to leave for the north during the present week. It is evident that the business done at that office recently is such as to tax the ticket agents to the utmost, as it not unfrequently happens that three and even four steamers, sail on the same day.

Secretaries Lincoln and Teller have been considering the case of Chief Moses and the Nez Perce Indians, the tribe who have been disposed to be troublesome because of an executive order issued some time since, cutting off a portion of the Nez Perce reservation in Idaho. Moses laid his complaint before the war department positively refusing to enter into negotiations with agents of the interior department. He desired to come to Washington to talk the matter over, and Secretaries Lincoln and Teller are consulting as to the advisability of bringing him here.

The number of cases finally disposed of and stricken from the docket of the United States Supreme Court during the term just ended was 387. As compared with last term this is a decrease of twelve in number. The number of cases waiting action by the Court continues year by year to increase. At the end of the term of 1879 there were left undisposed of 791 cases, and at the end of the October term of 1880 the number had increased to 837. Among those which the court still has under consideration are civil right cases, the Mercer colony land case from Texas, and the case of the county of San Mateo against the Southern Pacific Railroad Company.

A San Francisco dispatch says: Reviews with prominent shipping houses here show little cause for apprehension as to the presence of a small wheat fleet here during the coming season. Within the past few months California charters from English and other foreign ports have been so frequent that there is a certainty that all available wheat cargoes for export to Europe will be taken at profitable rates to exporters and carriers. A dispatch received this morning by a prominent grain firm states that most of the vessels chartered to load at Liverpool were for quick dispatch, and that owners of vessels are interested in reaching this port as soon as possible, so that little delay will be experienced in loading. Foreign bottoms at present in port seem to regard the situation favorable, and, as a rule, are prepared to accept a little advance over the rates offered. Vessels on the way here to-day, from all points, aggregate almost 200,000 tons.

CHESS COLUMN.

We begin with this issue, April 6 h, another Tournament consisting of eight problems. To the person who will solve all these problems a prize will be given. If two or more shall tie in the solution of problems, then neatness and system in the mechanical arrangement of the solutions, as well as fullness of solutions, will be taken into the account in determining to whom the prize shall be given. Dante's Works is the prize to be given. The letter containing solution must be post marked within two weeks from date of paper containing problem. This is open to all.

TOURNEY PROBLEM NO. 7.

White	Black
K at K Kt 4	K at K 5
Q at K B 7	Q at K R 8
Rat K 2	B at K B 7
B at Q 6	Kt at K 2
B at Q R 2	Kt at K 3
Kt at Q Kt 5	P at K Kt 2
Kt Q R 5	P at K Kt 4
P at K Kt 6	P at K Kt 6
P at Q B 2	P at K R 7
	P at K 6
	P at Q 2

White to play and mate in twe moves.

SOLUTIONS

Tourney Problem No. 5, J. T. Ford.

A fine grove of natural forest trees surrounds the unpretentious two-story house of Judge W. O. Gresham of Indianapolis, Ind. His daughter Kate has some artistic talent, while his son Otto is a lawyer of ability, and his wife is prominent in society.

Comment is made in London on the fact that John Bright's son, although he and his bride both belonged to the Society of Friends, were married in a church of England by a Canon, who by special desire, substituted a short address for the address in the Book of Common Prayer.