

THE WANDERER.

Upon the mountain height, far from the sea. I found a shell. And so my curious ear this melody thing...

The Pony Express.

A. B. Miller, the prime mover, the man who prepared the way and kept it in running order from the Missouri to the Pacific...

Probably no country can furnish more striking proofs of patriotism in the sacrifices voluntarily made by individuals than the great German nation...

The woman spoke the truth. The abode of the O'Neils is perhaps as odd a one as can be found in this city or its suburbs...

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Charlotte O'Neil, Laborer.

The freshly hewn rock glittered in the hot sun and a film of dust floated over the triangular space at Second avenue and Seventieth street...

The old man and young woman have been a wonder in the neighborhood. The novelty of a woman taking to such a pursuit has been a source of ceaseless comment...

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preserved in the Museum of the College of Surgeons. 1798-1820. Joseph Rice, seven feet eight inches. At the age of twenty-six years he was exhibited in London, 1802-05...

Charles O'Brien of Byrne, Irish giant, eight feet four inches. His skeleton is preserved in the museum of the college of surgeons. 1763-1873. Patrick, his brother, was eight feet seven inches...

The Squatter's Daughter. "Light and look at yer saddle," said the squatter's daughter, as a man stopped at the fence. The man, who had been several weeks in the neighborhood...

"Where's all the folks?" "Scattered. Dad's gone to the still-house, mam's gone to a quiltin', Bob's lying round loose somewhere and Dick's drunk, I speak."

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"I know jes' what I'm talkin' about," she replied, "an' thar ain't no use you tryin' to talk book larnin' again me, 'case I've got the figures. A mighty eddy-catted feller come to see me, fur a long time, an' folks 'lowed we'd marry, an' I reckon we would ef it hadn't er bin that his eddy-catted proved to be a failure."

W. R. Polston, of Nashville, has a three legged bay colt, which is now over a year old. Excepting the fact that he possesses one leg less than any other members of his species, he is a perfectly formed animal...

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