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A CAMPAIGN INCIDENT.

The Portland papers have not told one of the campaign incidents that is at least amusing and decidedly pleasant. It seems that No. 1 Fire Company had a re-union the other evening, largely attended by the brotherhood of firemen, which was profuse with good feeling and redolent with lager beer. Keg after keg of the latter was disposed of in the most amicable manner, when the brilliant idea struck some one that Beekman was in town, and ought to be in attendance. Word was conveyed to the gubernatorial candidate that a few friends would like to see him, and unsuspecting of the crowd and its surroundings, and accompanied by an old friend, Silas Day, Judge of Jackson county, and as earnest a Democrat as Beekman is a Republican, he came to the hall where he was mounted on a table to make a speech. He complimented firemen in general and Portland firemen in particular, and was winding up his remarks when some one at the back of the hall said: "Hurrah for Thayer!" "Beek" immediately took his cue, and said: "My friend over there can't set me back any by hurrahing for Thayer, who is a friend of mine, and an elegant gentleman with whom I have done business. If I am to be beaten I want it to be done by just such a man as Thayer, and I don't mind giving three cheers for him myself," when he swung his hat to give the signal and led off with the three cheers, which were responded to by the crowd and followed by "three rousing cheers and a tiger for Beekman," given with great good will. Silas Day was then introduced, and told them "Beek," as they called him out south, was "a first-rate man, and if it wasn't for his politics he wouldn't mind voting for him himself." Day said he was at home among firemen, used to be a fireman himself, once ran with "No. 6" at Baltimore, at which a big Dutchman at the further end of the room began to shove things one side and elbow his way to the speaker, vociferating, "Mein Gott, did you use to belong to Number Six?" until he reached the table, caught hold of Silas, pulled him down and gave him a bear's hug of an embrace, swearing that he was delighted to see a man who had belonged to his own old company. Day says that the German was the best friend he ever had, for he was just at the end of his speech and didn't know what to do next. That must have been a jolly re-union.—Salem Record.

FORMATION OF CHARACTER.

If you ever watched an icicle as it formed you would have noticed how it froze one drop at a time until it was a foot long or more. If the water was clean the icicle remained clear, and it sparkled brightly in the sun; but if the water was slightly muddy the icicle looked foul, and its beauty was spoiled. Just so our characters are formed. One little thought or feeling at a time adds its influence. If every thought be pure and right, the soul will be bright and lovely, and will sparkle with happiness; but if there be thoughts and feelings impure and wrong, the mind will be soiled, the character deprived and darkened, and there will be final deformity and wretchedness. How important then that we should be on our guard against every evil impulse and desire?

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED FIVE MEN.

A most unfortunate man, a resident of Murray county, Ga., has, since the war, accidentally killed five men. The first was slain by an ax slipping from his hand and striking the victim on the head; the second he drowned by snagging and sinking a boat in which the pair were crossing a stream; the third was shot through the brain, being mistaken for a turkey; the fourth was killed by a tree he had chopped down, and the fifth was killed at a logging. He was put on trial for his life on several occasions, but each time he was exonerated from all blame. He is a peaceable, law-abiding man, simply the victim of a chain of unhappy circumstances.

MONEY is said, notwithstanding the stringency of the times, was never before so plentiful. The vaults of the various monetary institutions are filled to repletion. Is anything further requisite to the happiness of the fortunate possessors of this golden store? Many of them are the victims of disease—congregation, liver or kidney complaint, piles, fever and ague, or some similar ailment. To such we say, do not be discouraged. Fresco's Hamburg Tea will surely bring relief. It cleanses the bowels, purifies the blood and renovates the entire system.

AN English writer gives a plan for protecting all kinds of fruit from birds. It is simply crossing threads from twig to twig in various directions, so that the birds will strike against them, when seeking the fruit. He says it never fails to scare them away.

A MAN was walking a Chicago street singing, "Heaven is my home." "Don't you feel homesick?" yelled a small boy who passed him.

GOLD LACE.

Gold lace is not gold lace. It does not deserve this title, for the gold is applied as a surface to silver. It is not even silver lace, for the lace is applied to a foundation of silk. The silken threads for making this material are wound round with gold wire so thickly as to conceal the silk; and the making of the gold wire is one of the most singular mechanical operations imaginable. In the first place, the refiner prepares a solid rod of silver about an inch in thickness; he heats this rod, applies upon the surface a sheet of gold leaf, burnishes this down, applies another coating, burnishes this down, and so on, until the gold is about one hundredth part of the thickness of the silver. Then the rod is subjected to a train of processes which brings it down to the state of fine wire; it is passed through holes in a steel plate lessening step by step in diameter. The gold never deserts the silver, but adheres closely to it, and shares all mutations; it is one hundredth part the thickness of the silver at the beginning, and it maintains the same ratio to the end. As to the thinness to which the gold coated rod of silver can be brought, the limit depends upon the delicacy of human skill; but the most remarkable example ever known was brought forward by Dr. Wollaston. This was an example of solid gold wire without any silver. He procured a small rod of silver, bored a hole through it from end to end, and inserted in this hole the smallest gold wire he could procure; he subjected the silver to the usual wire-drawing process, until he had brought it to the finest attainable state—being, in fact, a silver wire as fine as a hair, with a gold wire in the center. To isolate this wire he subjected it to warm nitrous acid, by which the silver was dissolved, leaving a gold wire one thirty thousand part of an inch in thickness—perhaps the thinnest round wire that the hand of man has yet produced. But the wire, though beyond all comparison finer than any employed in manufactures, does not approach in thinness the film of gold on the surface of silver and gold lace. It has been calculated that the gold on the very finest silver wire for gold lace, is not more than one-third of one millionth of an inch in thickness—that is, not above one-tenth thickness of ordinary gold leaf.

TO REMOVE WALL PAPER.

Wet a cloth in pretty warm water and dampen the paper all over. Let it remain some fifteen or twenty minutes, wet again thoroughly, and then use a dry cloth to rub the paper off. Sometimes it will peel off easily; again it will roll up only as far as you can rub it. On wood it adheres very closely. On plastered walls the second wetting softens the paper so that it will peel off almost entire. All wall paper ought to be removed and the walls washed in weak lye or copras water before a new paper is laid, as this renders the room sweeter and preserves the new paper much better. Where grease spots have been, it should be washed thoroughly in hot soap suds, or the grease will strike through the new paper in a short time.

JOSEPH BILLINGS' DESCRIPTION OF AN EDITOR.

An editor is a male being whose business is to navigate a newspaper. He writes fearful editorials, grinds out poetry, inserts deaths and weddings, sorts out manuscript, keeps a waste basket, blows the devil's steels matter, fights other people's battles, sells his paper for three dollars a year, takes white beans and apple sauce for pay when he can get it, raises a large family, works 19 hours out of every 24, knows no Sunday, gets benumbed by everybody and once in a while whipped by somebody, lives poor, dies middle aged and often broken-hearted, leaves no money, is rewarded by an obituary puff in the newspaper.

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR REGENERATOR is a scientific combination of some of the most powerful restorative agents in the vegetable kingdom. It restores gray hair to its original color. It makes the scalp white and clean. It cures dandruff and humors, and falling-out of the hair. It furnishes the nutritive principle by which the hair is nourished and supported. It makes the hair moist, soft, and glossy, and is unsurpassed as a hair-dressing. It is the most economical preparation ever offered to the public, as its effects remain a long time, making only an occasional application necessary. It is recommended and used by eminent medical men, and officially endorsed by the State Assayer of Massachusetts. FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS.

"JOHN," said a poverty-stricken man to his son. "I've made my will to-day." "Ah!" replied John, "you were liberal to me, no doubt." "Yes, John, I came down handsomely. I've willed you the whole State of Virginia—to make a living in, with the privilege of going elsewhere if you can do better."

A HANDBILL announcing a picnic for colored people, in Kentucky, reads thus: "Persons attending are requested to leave pistols and razors at home."



RATES OF ADVERTISING.

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A FLOATING PALACE.

New York, May 21.—Mr. Dion Boucault has gone into yachting, and he will shortly add to our superb pleasure marine the largest steam yacht on this side of the Atlantic. She will possess several novelties in construction, and she is intended to excel in internal arrangements and speed as well as size. She is to be built by Ward, Stanton & Co., of Newburgh. The contracts were signed on yesterday, and work is to commence at once. The yacht is to be one hundred and sixty feet in length over all, with an extreme breadth of nearly twenty-seven feet. She will draw about twelve feet when loaded, and which will make her a stable craft. Her engines are to be compound, of the best type. Two masts, square rigged, forward will carry a large quantity of canvas. She is to be built principally of oak. In the center is to be a grand saloon twenty-five feet square, as wide, and half as long as that of many ocean steamships. Three commodious staterooms for guests are to forward on the port side. On the starboard side is to be a large stateroom for the owner, with bath room and toilet room attached, the bath to be arranged for hot, cold, and salt water. The yacht is to be fitted up in the finest style as regards joiner work and upholstery. It is expected that the yacht will be completed some time this Fall, at a cost of nearly \$100,000. Mr. Boucault will probably go on an extended cruise in Southern waters, and he may possibly cross the Atlantic.

R. KOEHLER, President of the Oregon Central Railroad Company, writes to the Oregonian as follows:

During the last two months reports have been circulated to the effect that the German bond-holders were about to dispose of their railroad property in this State, or that they transferred their interest in the Oregon Central Railroad to the so-called English capitalists. Being on the eve of my departure to Germany, whence I have been called, I deem it my duty to state that such reports are without foundation, but that the purpose of my trip is to effectuate arrangements for the speedy extension of the Oregon Central railroad south. Dispatches received by me within the last few days leave no doubt in my mind concerning the result.

ACQUITTED.

Billy Bangs is the terror of delinquent debtors in Philadelphia. He collects bad bills, and has invented a very ingenious device to aid him. He wears a very high hat with the legend "Bad bills collected" painted conspicuously on it, and the "debtor class" are naturally not pleased to see him hanging around their doors very much. One indignant debtor made complaint of him before a Court of law, but Billy was acquitted, the Judge deciding that Billy could wear a hat with a town clock on it if he wished.

EASILY SATISFIED.

The Asiatic loves monotony. The Spectator says that there are artisan families in India and Damascus who have worked at the same work day by day for a thousand years, peasant families who have not only tilled the same fields, but have gone into them and left them at the same hour according to the season, from a period before the birth of Christ. They have no wish for a change, no ambition to do better, no inclination to roam, no sense of failure, because they are as their forefathers were and as their sons will be.

PERSPECTS FOR GOOD TIMES.

We are informed that J. L. Hullett, the railroad builder, has been awarded a contract for the construction of a railroad in Eastern Oregon, and is now in in for the purpose of employing a number of men to work on the same. He constructed the Oregon & California and Northern Pacific Railroads. We are more than gratified at the prospects of better times for our laboring classes, and the early opening of Eastern Oregon to the seaboard.—Portland Standard.

Among the Whitest Things on Earth

Are teeth, beautified and preserved by SO-ZO-PONT; and the rose is scarce sweeter than the breath which becomes aromatic through its influence. It is the very pearl of dentifrices and the surest preventive of dental decay in existence. It remedies with certainty canker and every species of corrosive bluish upon the teeth, and counteracts the hurtful influence upon them of acidity of the stomach. The formula of its preparation includes only botanic ingredients and it contains only the purest and most salutary of these.

A TOM-CAT is a more independent animal than man. When a man comes home at 2 or 3 o'clock in the morning he slips in as quietly as possible, but a tom-cat don't seem to care. The later the hour, and the nearer the house it approaches, the louder it will yell.

BOB INGERSOLL says: "Woman has the right to do as she pleases." Well, whether she has or not, that's exactly what she does—if she's married.