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Political Sensation in New York.

NEW YORK November 9th.—Purcell, editor of the Rochester "Union," and Chaiarman of the Democratic State Central Committee, has created a genuine political sensation, by a published article attributing last Tuesday's Democratic defeats principally to the disclosure of the cipher correspondence which Purcell says implicated certain Democratic leaders in a conspiracy to bribe and buy Electors in the late Presidential contest, and press the charge of conspiracy up to the very threshold of the Democratic candidate for the presidency. These lost to the Democratic party the great advantage the cry of "fraud" accomplished in the actual counting in of Hayes, by presenting a prima facie case of fraud attempted in an unsuccessful effort of men in the closest family, personal and political relations to the Democratic candidate to do the same for him. This, he says, lost New York, Connecticut, and New Jersey—three States which gave Tilden and Hendrics fifty electoral votes. The article concludes:

"The future of the Democratic party demands that the charge of fraud attempted to be made by the Republican press against men in representative positions in the Democratic party shall be promptly met by the Democratic House of the present congress when it reassembles, and investigated to the end that the men implicated in it shall be either proved guilty and condemned, or proven innocent and acquitted In any event, the Democratic party must be vindicated, and must wash its hands of all taint of attempted, as well as put its foot upon all fraud accomplished.

The Investigating Committee.

The Galloway investigating committees returned to Salem the other day from Eugene city, where they went to take important testimony in regard to the management of swamp land affairs. It is reported that many ugly transactions were discovered, in which Chadwich and Cann figure prominently—all pertaining to swamp land business. It is feared that these discoveries will place the two C.'s on the "ragged edge." One item is mentioned in the swamp land management. Jos. Gaston "filed" on Wapato Lake, the most valuable swamp land in the State. Frank Stott and a Mr. Wagoner tried to homestead the land, and began suits in the Circuit Court of Yamhill county to have Gaston's claim adjudged groundless. The case was carried to the Supreme Court and gained by Gaston. Although the State was in no way a party to the suits, Gaston was allowed sixteen hundred dollars as counsel fees in the case! Chadwick is also accused of drawing money as attorney fees in swamp land cases. The accounts of Hendershott and McComas, Registers of the La Grande land office, are to be looked into. The Galloway committee seems to be attending to biz.

General Sherman was recently in Arizona. At Prescott the citizens gave him a ball, every one who subscribed $10 being entitled to admission. An army officer, who was one of the three or four hundred, says that "In the midst of the joyous dance a miner, a hardy son of toil, and unkempt hair, soiled face and hands and the usual miner outfit, trousers in his boots, in shirt sleeves, a belt filled with cartridges, pistol and knife approached the entrance door and said to the attendant: 'See here, my friend, how much does it cost to get into this layout?' 'Ten dollars,' replied the attendant. 'Does that give a feller the right to go in and shake hands with General Sherman?' 'Certainly,' was the reply. 'Ten dollars goes,' said the miner, and handed the attendant a ten dollar bill he entered the ballroom. He wended his way carefully through the crowd, avoiding the ladies' trains as deftly as could have done any one of your German leaders, approached the General and said: 'General Sherman. I merely want to shake your hand. I fought under you in the march to the sea,' and turned and left the room immediately.

Special Dispatch to the "Bee:"

UMATILLA, November 8.

Captain Baughman, who was indicted for murder in the second degree for the killing of Pat Whalen, was tried at Pendleton and acquitted by the jury yesterday afternoon.

The Boarding House Piano.

A piano in the average boarding house is a source of great fun to any one who sits in the corner and look on. There is always a youth, very thin, who parts his hair in the middle, or who lets it run to seed all over his head, who is "musical," and plays the flute, that is, blows into it so furiously you wonder his insides don't come out, and the flute sends forth wailing sounds, as if it did not like much hot-air pressure. Then there is the young lady who is on the lookout for a masculine half, and who "dotes" on music, and when playing resemble a flock of sheep going over a fence. When these two play "duetts" together, it is enough to make a man with a Chinese fiddle go out in a back yard and weep. There is the man that makes a noise that would do credit to a first-class lion; he is a bass singer, and when he performs you want to clinch your toes firmly to the rounds of your chair, and hold firmly on to its sides with your hands. The tenor is a youth with a mowed head of hair, who chews peppermint drops and warbles fourth semtimental ditties in a husky, uncertain manner. There is the young lady who does not "sing any English excepting Kathleen Mavourneen," and she might as well sing that in Choctaw for all you understand of it. Her Italian pronunciation is such as to make a native hunt a good ravine to die in. She affects bravura songs of the most intense character, and when she runs up and down a scale, you are reminded of some one falling down stairs; her trills make you shudder and gently say to yourself that Clara Louisa could not have done it worse. She tells you that her friends wanted her to go on the operatic stage, but "paw and ma prefered to cultivated her for the parlor." This causes you to think that her "friends" wanted to get her where they could not hear her unless they paid, being sure in their own minds that they would never be guilty of that folly. She sometimes sings "Within a Mile Edinboro Town" and gets just about a mile off the upper note.

Oregon Iron.

The Portland "Telegram" says: The samples of iron from the Oswego mines, on exhibition at the Mechanics' Fair, have been inspected by several visitors, whose experience in handling iron and iron ores in the Eastern States has been quite extensive. The all agree that so far as they are able to judge of its merits, without actual tests, its quality is fully equal to the best iron found in the United States. When it is remembered that thousands of tons of iron and iron implements, tools and machinery are annually brought to this State from the East and from Europe, the large sums of money that might be saved to Oregon by the complete development of her resources in this direction, and the establishment of manufacturies to work up the wealth now hidden and useless in the hills around Oswego, can be perceived. The valuable population that would be drawn hither by the demand for skilled labor is also no small factor in summing up the benefits that would accrue from the full inauguration of the enterprise to develop the iron wealth of Oregon.

Yreka "Journal:" The river mining on the Klamath has been paying better this season than ever before, every company having been doing well all the way from the mouth of Humbug down to Oak Bar and Humbug Bar, below the the mouth of Scott river. The companies interested have been taking out from 75 to 125 ounces or more per week, and will continue to do even better, unless heavy storms cause a rise in the stream to drive them out. The general supposition is that we may have a light winter in consequence of last winter being such a stormy one, in which case the miners may be able to continue operations until later than usual, or probably all winter. If such should be the case, the gold yield will certainly be the greatest ever realized on this stream during any one season.

The breakwater constructed at the mouth of the Coquille river last summer, under the superintendence to Capt. Parker, by subscriptions of citizens of that section, is having a beneficial tendency. Already the water is being forced toward the old channel, and it is thought that by extending the work the current will re-establish the channel of 1853. This would render navigation safe and comparatively easy.

TOM PAINE'S CREED.

Tom Paine is generally held to have been an atheist, without the slightest veneration or regard for religion. To those who hold this belief it may be of interest to learn what his real opinions were on this subject. The following is his confession of faith: "I believe in one God and no more, and I hope for happiness beyond this life. I believe the equality of man, and I believe that religious duties consist in doing justice, loving mercy, and endeavoring to make our fellow creatures happy. But some perhaps, will say, are we to have no word of God—no revelation? I answer, Yes; there is a word of God—there is a revelation. The word of God is the creation we behold; and it is this word, which no human ivention can counterfeit or alter, that God speaketh universally to man. It preaches to all nations and to all worlds; and this word of God reveals to man all that is necessary for man to know of God. Do we want to contemplate His power? We see it in the immensity of the creation. Do we want to contemplate His wisdom? We see it in the unchangeable order by which the incomprehensible whole is governed. Do we want to contemplate His munificence? We see it in the abundance with which He fills the earth. Do we want to contemplate His mercy? We see it in not withholding that abundacne even from the unthankful. In fine, do we want to know what God is? Search not the book called the Scriptures, which any human hand might make, but the scriptures called the creation."

AN ATTEMPT TO MAKE IT RAIN.—A gentleman who resides near Boydton, Virginia, has aspired to a new science—that of controlling the clouds in order to cause it to rain at will. With a view of attaining this end he built a "rain tower," which novel structure is said to be 30 feet in diameter at the base, which size it retains to the height of forty feet. To this height it contains four flues, each seven feet in diameter. The number of flues is then reduced to two, which run up twenty feet higher, the top of the structure reaching the attitude of sixty feet. The whole concern was erected at the cost of $1,000. The modus operandi of causing rain to fall is as follows: The flues are filled with dry pine wood which is set on fire, and which is kept up until the desired effect is produced upon the elements. His theory is that the great heat produced in the air above the "tower" will cause the clouds to concentrate over it, when plenty of rain will fall in that vicinity. The originator of this novel idea is said to be a firm believer in the practicability and utility of his invention, notwithstanding the fact that after repeated trials, during which he consumed hundreds of cords of wood, his tower failed to produce the desired effect from the unpropitious heavens, he having been a great sufferer from drought during the entire spring and summer

The Chinese Must Go.

It is reported that on Saturday at Oregon City a company of eight or ten men, armed with knives and pistols, met the Chinese operatives as they came from the Woolen Mills, and assaulted them. The Chinese resisted the assault with such weapons of defense as they could command, some of them being armed. In a short time the numbers increased on both sides until some twenty whites and sixty Chinamen were engaged. Several on both side were severely hurt. One Chinaman received a pistol shot which it is thought will prove fatal. The riot was finally quelled by the authorities, but fears are entertained of a renewal at an early day.

The U. S. Minister at Paris reports concerning the Exposition now drawing to a close, that in many respects it is the greatest one ever held, and reflects the highest credit on the French Republic for being able, in the presence of so much general depression, to make so magnificent a display. The minister says we have just reason to be proud of the American exhibit, although it was not as large as it should have been, had the invitation of the French Government been accepted sooner and the Congressional appropriation been more liberal. As it is, the United States will bear off more prizes, according to the number of exhibitors, than any other country. They will take seven or eight grand prizes, and a large number of gold, silver and bronze medals,

A Strange Mistake.

Some time since a disturbance occurred in the famous Rooster Rock settlement between a man named Wm. H. Allison and Charles Littlepage. The former assulted the latter with a rifle and came near sending him across the river. In due time the matter was brought before the grand jury and an indictment of assault with a dangerous weapon found against Allison, but the assaulted was written Charles Little Page. Yesterday the case was called before Judge Bellinger, and nearly 40 witnesses had been summoned. The defense engaged Mr. Edward Menden hall as counsel, who took the indictment, read it over, and discovered the mistake at once. The jury was in their seats and the first witness called, who swore that the person assaulted was Charles Littlepage, instead of that found in the indictment. The attorney at once moved for a dismissal of the case, which was granted, the judge instructing the jury to remain in their seats and render a verdict of acquittal, as the error made by the grand jury was fatal in its character and the defendent must be set at liberty, which was done. This is the first instance of the kind that has ever occurred in Oregon and is one of interest to the legal fraternity. The grand jury will have another trial at the name Littlepage in all probability this session.

Ralston Still Lives.

A Walla Walla paper publishes the following, which savors strongly of sensation: "W. C. Ralston. well remembered by many as the president of the Bank of California when it 'busted,' is not dead as reported, but alive and snugly situated on a pretty little island in the south of Europe. That drowning scene, so well enacted the coroner's inquest and funeral, were all a well matured delusion and would have come off two days sooner, could they have agreed upon the price of a subject, (a corpse) which so much resembled the banker as to deceive those so systematically whom it was calculated to deceive. Some may naturally inquire, how do we khow this? Of course we could not swear to it, but our information is derived from a source which is reliable. A prominent physician in San Francesco was the sole keeper of this great secret up to last Christmas when he became jubilant over the receipt of a large sum of money and divulged the secret to a friend whom he afterwards assisted with some of the money received, and that man is now a highly respected citizen of this city. Call this a sensation or a big hoax; we call it a cold fact if true." It sounds to us like another J. Wilkes Booth sensation.

Of the 800 persons submerged in the river Thames by the Princess Alice disaster, scarcely a dozen saved their lives by swimming. The reason is that at that place the river is a little better than a mass of sewage. It regularly carries away the liquid refuse of London, and at the instant of the collision there was being poured into it near the fatal spot the contents of two great cesspools. The immediate effect of immerseing a person in sewage, say the chemists, is asphyxia, and the 800 excursionists must have become numb, and incapable of any effort. The bodies, when recovered, had undergone strange changes. Indentification was difficult. Clothing had changed color, and decomposition had been swift. Everything pointed to the action of some powerful chemical substance.

It is said that John Jacob Astor was greatly pleased with Washington Irving's "Astoria," and frequently offered him favors, which were invariably declined, because he did not want to be under obligations to a man of such great wealth. When making his will, Astor asked Irving if he would not accept a legacy, but that, too, was at once declined. Irving was made one of the executors, however, and his fee exceeded anything that he had received for any of his works except the "Life of Columbus." The letter was by far the most profitable of all American books up to its day of publication. The American publisher paid Irving $3,000 for that work, but he received from Murray, the English publisher, $35,000.

The average daily cut of timber at Port Gamble amounts to 160,000, feet.

Things Worth Knowing.

1. That fish may be scaled much easier by dipping into boiling water about a minute.

2. That fish may as well be scaled, if desired, before packing down in salt; though, in that case, do not scald them.

3. Salt fish are quickest and best freshened by soaking in sour milk.

4, That milk which is turned or changed may be sweetened and rendered fit for use again, by stirring in a little soda.

5. That salt will curdle new milk; hence, in prepairing milk porridge, gravies, etc., the salt should not be added until the dish is prepared.

6. That fresh meat, after beginning to sour, will sweeten if placed out of doors in the cool over night.

7. That clear boiling water will remove tea-stains and many fruit stains. Pour the water through the stain, and thus prevent its spreading over the fabric.

8. That ripe tomatoes will remove ink and other stains from white cloth; also, from the hands.

9. That a teaspoon of turpentine boiled with your white clothes will aid the whitening process.

10. That boiled starch is much improved by the addition of a little sperm or a little salt, or both, or a little gum Arabic desolved.

11. That beeswax and salt will make your flat-irons as clean and smooth as glass. Tie a lump of wax in a rag, then scour with a paper or cloth sprinkled with salt.

12. That blue ointment and kerosene, mixed in equal proportions, and applied to bed-steads, is an unfailing bed bug remedy; and that a coat of whitewash is ditto for the walls of a log house.

13. That kerosene will soften boots or shoes which have been hardened by water, and render them as pliable as new.

14. That kerosene will make tin teakettles as bright as new. Saturate a woolen rag with and rub with it. It will also remove stains from clean varnished furniture.—"Exchange."

CAPT. BAUGHMAN'S TRIAL.—The following is from the Pendleton paper of the 9th: "The trial of Capt. Baughman for the killing of Pat. Whalen is over. It has been the principal topic of conversation on our streets since the commencement of the court. Some ill-informed people had concluded that he (Baughman) was guilty, as charged in the indictment, never stopped to think that only one side of a case is ever presented to a jury. The jury impanneled in the case was among the most prominent citizens of Umitilla county. The state exhausted all their challenges in the case, while Baughman challenged very few, leaving a margin of five or six if he wanted to avail himself of technicalities. We are satisfied that the witnesses gave their testimony fairly. Sometimes it seemed as though some would like to convict for vengeance, instead that the rights and liberties of defendent should be respected, though we are, as we said before, satisfied that what they swore to was the truth as they understood it. Capt. Baughman after having passed through the ordeal of a trial comes out unscathed; the jury declared he did his duty nothing more. In the discharged of his duty Whalen was killed. He is exenorated from all blame by a jury of his countrymen, and we cannot help but congratulate him in having been tried by a good, honest, sensible jury

THE FIRST WHITE MAN ON AMERICAN SOIL.—A writer in the "Jewish Messenger" cites Alexander von Humboldt's "Cosmos" as an authority for a claim that a Jew was the first white man who set foot on American soil.

The Jew, however, had been baptized. In a note in volume II, chapter vi., Humboldt relates that, on his first expedition, Columbus, when approaching the islands of Cuba, believed himself to be between two Chinese ports. Desiring to hand the letters which he possessed from the European monarchs to the "great Chan of Moguls" in China, and then return to Spain, he "sends a baptized Jew, Louis de Torres by name, to the shore, because he understands the Hebrew, the Chaldac, and some Arabic, those languages being used in all the mercantile places of Asia."

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