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M. E. Church South. Religious services will be held by the M. E. Church South, as follows:

Dr. J. W. Watts will preach at this place the second Sunday in every month at 11 a. m., and in the evening at early candle-light.

M. E. Church. Religious services will be held by the M. E. Church, as follows:

L. SAMUEL, is our duly authorized Agent at Portland, Oregon.

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HAS. A. BALL, BILL & STOTT, Attorneys at Law.

DR. ALFRED KINNEY, Surgeon.

HAIR DRESSING SALOON. ED. PERKINS.

HAVE THOROUGHLY OVER-hauled and repaired my BATH ROOM, those in need of a good

OPHERIDE The great silver plater, cleaner, and polisher.

TELEGRAPHIC

[FROM THE PORTLAND DAILIES.]

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fair, comprising 250,000 pounds, nearly all of which was fall wool at 18c20c. The latter price was obtained for a fancy lot lately obtained, and is no criterion of the market.

The proprietors of Mystic Park announce a purse of \$10,000 for the second annual stallion race, open to all stallions in Canada and the United States.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The President has appointed Volney V Smith, of Arkansas, Consul at St. Thomas, West Indies.

LONDON, April 12.—In the Commons to day Lewis asked what course the Government would take if the independence of Belgium was imperiled in consequence of her rejection of Prussia's demands.

OMAHA, April 13.—Six companies of cavalry and two of infantry, have been ordered from the railroad to the base of the Black Hills as an escort to H. Jouney, the Government geologist, who will make a survey of that country.

Letters from Red Cloud agency show that the Indians are fully aware of all that is being done in the matter and are much excited over it.

BOSTON, April 9.—The Advertiser says of the Connecticut election: "The patent lesson of the result is that the Republican party cannot safely undertake to approve or defend the errors of its national administration, and the name of the President is not a potent rallying cry east or west; and if there ever was a design on the part of anybody to make him the Republican candidate for a third term the Connecticut election is a significant warning that it will not do to try it."

The woman most skillful with the jaw doubtless is Mrs. Hanover, a practicing dentist in Charleston, Vermont.

The Great Powers.

The attentive reader of English journals is struck with the persistence with which mention is omitted of our country when what they please to term the "great powers" are mentioned. The Great Powers of Europe are England, Germany, France, Russia and Austria; but we respectfully and modestly suggest that the United States of America may properly be classified among the Great Powers of the world.

During a class-meeting held by the Methodist brethren of a Southern village, Brother Jones went among the colored portion of the congregation. Finding there a man notorious for his endeavor to serve God on the Sabbath and Satan the rest of the week, he said: "Well, Brother Dick, I am glad to see you here. Haven't stole any turkeys since I saw you last, Bro. Dick?" "No, no, Brudder Jones; no turkeys."

The following is a summer episode, as evolved by little Johnny: "Last summer our dog Towser was a lynx in the sun a trine to sleep, but the flies was that bad he cud-dent, cos he had to catch em, and bime by a bee lit on his head, and was a woking about like the dog was hisn. Towser he hel his hed still, and when the bee was close to his nose Towser winked at me, like he said you see what this duffer is a doin; he thinks I'm a lilly of the valley which isn't open yet, but you just wait till I blossom an you will see some fun; and sure enuf Towser opened his mouth very slo so as not to fritten the bee, an the bee went inside Towser's mouth. Then Towser he shot his eyes dreamy, and his mouth too, and had begun to make a peacefule smile when the bee stung him, and you never see a lilly of the valley ack so in all your life."

When a girl crops her front hair, and pulls it down over her forehead like a Mexican mustang, and then ties a piece of red velvet on her neck, who can wonder at the number of pale-faced young men that throw away their ambition, and pass sleepless nights in trying to raise down on their upper lip?

Miss Eastman of Boston speaks of "eyes as bright as buttons on an angel's underclothing."

Our Squirrels.

Miles Brothers of Brooklyn, New York, have forwarded a communication to Governor Pacheco, in substance as follows:

Some time since we saw in the papers that your State was overrun with squirrels. Now these little animals enter largely into the manufacture of brushes. The hair on their tails is the so-called camel's hair. The skins are imported from Germany and Russia by the hundred thousand. The price several years ago was \$10 per thousand, but it has advanced until they are worth \$30 to \$40 per thousand and is still advancing.

The same would apply to this State.

The Judiciary of South Carolina as well as the Legislature of that unfortunate State, are not disposed to tolerate undue freedom of remark from newspapers opposed to the dominant party, and the editor of any journal not in harmony with the carpet-bag Administration in Columbia, if accused of libel, has little hope for from the impartiality of the bench.

A curious example of the notions entertained by the Judges of South Carolina as to their functions in respect to the press has been given in Greenville where a week or two ago Judge Cooke exhibited to the Grand Jury, then in session a copy of the News which contained an article reflecting severely upon the character of J. M. Munion, who is editor of a rival sheet called the Republican. The learned Judge pointed out one or two paragraphs which he declared libellous and desired the jury to do their duty.

The latter retired, and after giving the matter their serious attention reported that they found no bill. Upon this the Judge sent them back to the Jury room with instructions to remain until they reached a conclusion in the libel case, which, as they had already arrived at one, was a mild way of telling them to indict the offending editor without regard to their own convictions.

This remarkable procedure was twice repeated without the jury being able to see that any one had been libelled, when his honor got furious, told them that he would hold them from day to day until action was taken, and further, he would make them serve without pay. Even the last terrible menace failed to bring the obdurate jury to terms, and as they resolutely refused to indict the editor of the News they were finally discharged.—Sun.

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