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New Haven, Conn., is preparing to celebrate its 250th anniversary.

Mexico, it is understood, will invest one million dollars in the drainage of the Mexican Valley.

The Saskatchewan Herald says there are grave fears of another Indian rising in the Northwestern Provinces.

Hereafter the American hog and all its products are to be forbidden entrance into the little Kingdom of Denmark.

Chicago has had her fire, Philadelphia her tornado, Charleston her earthquake, and we have had our snow.—N. Y. Sun.

Captain Charles Brewer has contracted with the New England Ship-Building Company for a small bark for the California trade.

No more than 75 per cent. of a full wheat crop is expected in Ohio, according to reports received by the State Board of Agriculture.

There is to be a great gathering of Baptists at Washington, next May. Some two thousand delegates, representing 30,000 churches have been enrolled.

Out of the eight railroads reporting earnings for the first week of March the Mexican Central and the Northern Pacific are the only two which show earnings.

The washing machine is rapidly coming to the front as a rival to the luzz saw. A woman in New York has just recovered \$175 for the loss of a finger in the machine.

Jerome L. Hill, executor of the estate of William Latimer, at New York, after losing in speculation about \$250,000 has disappeared, and is supposed to be in Canada.

Nearly two hundred and fifty thousand acres of timber lands in lower Alabama and Northern Florida have been bought by capitalists from the Northwest within a few weeks.

If Professor Schellmann is within hailing distance and is not too busy over Pompeii and Herculaneum, will he please come and dig out the lost city of New York.—(Dakota paper.)

McCreary's bill, providing for a congress of American nations, to be held in Washington, on April 1, 1889, will be favorably reported by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

The Chicago News reproduces the historic scene after the interview between the monkey and the parrot to represent the strike situation. It is difficult to tell which has the worst of it.

A bill has been presented to the New York Assembly prohibiting the use of other than stone jars for holding canned food. As glass is as good as earthen ware, the bill ought to be amended.

Think what poor New York must suffer to be cut off from Philadelphia for two whole days! One shudders to contemplate her loneliness and destitution.—(Philadelphia Press, March 17.)

It is said that there is not a negro in Richmond who can be induced to go near Libby Prison after nightfall. They have a tradition that the celler of the old ware-house is a huge pit of human bones, and they believe that the spirits of the dead men stalk about at night.

General Badeau thinks General Grant's memoirs could not have been what they are without his (Badeau's) literary assistance.

Senator Rannells has introduced a bill in the Ohio Legislature, proving that condemned men shall be executed by electricity.

According to an exchange, usually truthful, every member of the Kansas City police force is a church member. Two are elders and several deacons.

During fifty-seven weeks preceding March 12th, the mean rainfall of the British Isles has been 10 inches short. This abnormal deficiency has caused alarm.

Fifteen thousand seals are reported to have been taken on Partridge Island. Men and women are taking them. It is estimated that Green Bay is good for 60,000.

A New York man, who was up town and could not reach Wall Street, on the 12th, inst., is said to have learned the state of the market by way of London and the cable.

Denis Kearney has been telling the president what he thinks of the Chinese Treaty. Denis acknowledges his mission to Washington has been pretty much of a failure.

It is computed that there are nearly a thousand women in Iowa who own farms and give them their personal attention. Only eighteen of these farms are mortgaged.

The House Committee on Agriculture on the 21st, instructed the Chairman to report back adversely the bill granting a bounty on export grain and recommended that it be laid on the table.

The color line refuses to be invisible even in Chicago. A theatrical manager refused to permit colored people to occupy seats set apart for white folks, and has to pay damages amounting to \$100 in consequence.

Richmond, Va., will soon be rid of two of its most conspicuous memorials of days that have happily passed away. The building known as Lumpkin's Jail—an old slave pen—is being torn down, and Libby Prison—a kind of sequel to the slave pen—is about to be removed.

The other day the bookkeeper of the Jackson Iron Company, at Escanaba, Wis., drew \$15,000 to pay of the hands. As he started from the bank his horses took fright and ran away, and \$13,000 in gold was scattered through the streets. All but \$2,000 of it was recovered.

Claus Spreckles has purchased the ship Alexander McNeil, built at Waldoboro in 1869 and registering 1,122 86-100 tons, for the Hawaiian sugar carrying trade with San Francisco. Captain Howard, formerly of a steamship Mariposa, will command her.—(Philadelphia Record, 12th, inst.)

Mayor Hewitt's ideas on rapid transit for New York have been embodied in a bill and placed before the Legislature of the State. The chief feature of this bill is that it authorizes the city to provide its own agencies of rapid transit—in other words, to build its own railroads, tunnels, and viaducts, instead of granting charters for the construction of them to private corporations.

Canada will spend \$12,000,000 on her canals within the next four years.

The immigrants who arrived in New York during the past year numbered 450,845.

The Iowa prohibition law has never been enforced in the cities along the Mississippi.

Texas contains 274,356 square miles, which is more than double the area of England, Scotland and Ireland combined.

The modern habit of wearing a full beard and mustache has come into common use since the days of the Crimean War.

The smallest people of the world are the Ahkas of Central Africa. The average height for both sex is 4 feet 5 1/2 inches.

Says the Chicago Times of March 16: "An immense amount of canned goods is being received here from California and distributed over the Western Territory. The movement is the result of the late advance in transcontinental rates, the shippers sending their stuff forward before it went into effect."

The directors of the Chicago Board have adopted a memorial to Congress urging the construction of a ship canal around Niagara Falls on the American side, as a work of national necessity alike in the interest of commerce and as a means of defense to our exposed like frontier.

Collis P. Huntington has entered suit at New York to recover \$100,000, naming as defendants the Equitable Gaslight Company of Baltimore and Henry Y. Attrill, individually, as trustee for his wife and daughter. Huntington claims that he was deceived by Attrill, to whom he loaned \$100,000 which is now claimed with interest.

Not all the immigrants from Europe come to us. There are twenty-one companies running regular lines of steamships between Buenos Ayres and various European ports. Immigrants are thronging to Mex Zealand and Australia. Out of this new nations are coming, and they will not be German, Italian, English, or Scandinavian, but modifications of them due to differences in climate and environment.

We are not lazy people on this coast, not we. We work; we produce; we get good wages. We receive handsome returns on our investments. We have no abject poor. We have few tramps. We have more millionaires than tramps. But are we, after all, a thrifty people in the best sense? We are not. Why? Because we have too little and spend too much. We are extravagant and not frugal. We do not reduce ourselves to poverty, but we scatter the money we might keep, and allow the hoarders of wealth to gather it up and become rich at our expense. There ought to be fewer millionaires and thousands more really wealthy people than there are—that is, same amount of values should be in the State, but they should be diffused among the producers more generally, and they would be if the producers would spend less and retain more. Extravagant living thus prevents multitudes of us from taking the highway to wealth, and from the possibility of usefulness to which larger accumulations would open the way.—Ex.