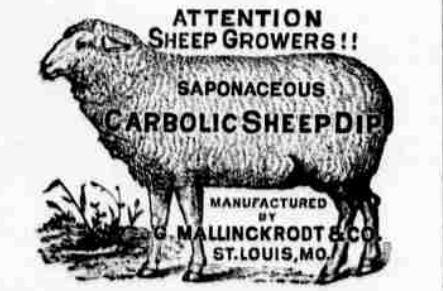


**THE CENTENNIAL BUILDINGS.**—It was about this art gallery that most solicitude was felt; for it was not until the last Fourth of July that ground was broken for it; and as it is to be a fire-proof structure of granite, glass and iron, built in the most substantial style and with elaborate ornamentation, few people were found sanguine enough to believe that it could be completed by 1876. The contractor, however, displayed an energy that has put the croakers to confusion. He ran railroad tracks right into the building inclosure, so that materials are delivered upon the very spot where they are to be used. He encircled the walls with a broad-gauge railway, upon which run steam cranes for raising ponderous blocks of granite to their places. He set to work a moderate army of men, and the result is that to-day the massive interior walls have reached the water-table, and will be ready in the early spring to receive the finer granite of superstructure which is now being dressed at the quarries. It is Dobbins' purpose to complete the inner walls before cold weather sets in, to temporarily inclose them, and continue indoor work in brick, wood and stone through the winter. There is little doubt that next summer will witness the completion of the exterior of this great building, the largest devoted to art in the world. As to the main exhibition building, there is now to be seen little more than indications of its future whereabouts. There are the long rows of stone piers, upon which the supporting columns are to stand, and running between them, three long lines of rail, upon which will be brought in, next spring, the iron columns, trusses and roofing material, which are now being constructed in different shops. This building is of iron and glass, and will be delivered upon the ground, so to say, all ready to put together, so that when once commenced, it will spring into form with almost magical celerity. —*Cor. N. Y. Republic.*

**THE TRANSIT OF VENUS.**—English observations on the transit of Venus at New Zealand are reported as unfortunate, while those of the Americans were measurably successful. The London *Times* takes a melancholy view of the situation, saying that the Americans at both southern and northern stations, relying on the Halleyan method and photography, "have got all they want;" while the English at east and west stations, depending on the Delisleian method, will have nothing very suitable to compare with their observations in Egypt (since those in New Zealand failed), if they were unsuccessful in the Sandwich Islands. Fortunately this last supposition is not justified by the event, as the transit was well observed at Honolulu. But in any case it seems probable that the American parties have been more successful than those of any other nation in the choice of stations and methods. This is true not only in respect to the fitness of their observations to be compared with each other, but also for those international comparisons which will be required for final decision. —*New York Tribune.*

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