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Or her eyes be hazel, or brown,
She's fairer by far than the lily or rose,
The girl with the muslin gown.

The haughty queen, in her royal robes,
With scepter and golden crown,
Is not so fair in the month of June
As the girl with her muslin gown.

On nothing fairer upon the earth
The sun or the moon looks down;
She's as sweet and fresh as the morning
breeze.

The girl in the muslin gown.
—Boston Courier.

San Diego Letter.

Ed. HERALD:—I write to tell you what I have learned concerning this country. It is hard to describe. San Diego is a town claiming 7000 inhabitants, and it is the most uneven built town that I ever saw, in the way of being built up solid. Stores are scattered as well as residences, yet there are two business streets of large, fine stores. An immense amount of business is done here, and an endless amount of work to be done. Four or five miles of street car track is being put down now. Work has also commenced on the water works. Iron piping is to be laid about 20 miles to come from the San Diego river. The pipe is about 12 inches in diameter and every train brings a car load of it, and teams are scattering it along the route. Shovelers are at work, and wages are \$2 per day on this and the street car work; workmen find themselves. Carpenters wages are \$3, to \$3.50 per day and find themselves. There are no more needed just now. Every boat brings a tool chest. Still there is an immense amount of work to do. I never saw such a rush for town lots in all of my life—not even in the new mining towns of Colorado. Leadville was not a circumstance. From one to two hundred lots are sold daily; mostly for cash. I attended a sale of lots yesterday afternoon and corner lots ¼ mile from town sold for \$600. They sell according to location—none less than \$100, 25x45 feet. Some of these on the installment plan, and very nicely situated up the bay. The future success of the city seems inevitable, for there is money here. Everything is on the cash plan. The highest points of land along the bay are being selected as building places for fine residences. Farming here in the summer has to be done with irrigation, water being got by means of windmill pumps, which are constantly in motion. From what I can learn, it is as free a place from hard winds as there is on the continent. Small boats can go out to sea 4 or 5 miles at almost any day in the year. A gentle breeze constantly blows off the ocean. During the day the climate of this place is a marvel, being so far south and yet so cool. A stick 4 feet high plumb at noon casts a shadow scarce 6 inches long. Nor a day yet with thermometer higher than 76 degrees; nights about 50. When you hear a man say he has lived in San Diego and that it gets awful hot, set it down that he never was here. It is just simply pleasant all the time; yet you see no forests of green timber. I was out to the cemetery at the funeral of James Nosler 3 miles from here, and had a good look at the country, which, outside of cultivated fields, is covered with sage brush, honey sage, manzanito, cactus of all kinds, sand burs, etc. They tell me feed is good in winter. Rugged mountains are in sight, where is plenty of timber—pine, oak and other woods. Those that wish to farm without irrigation do their farming in winter, which is really the best time of the year to farm. Things are ripe now, such as squashes, potatoes, etc. I am surprised to learn that good potatoes are grown here. Outside of plenty of work, it is not a good place for a poor man. There is no telling what wood is worth. I have not seen one cord of wood

together since I came here. A load that I could wheel on a wheelbarrow, is worth \$1, cash—that is of little sticks the size of one's wrist—oak, buckbrush &c. The new and the old look strangely, together; the old Mexican, and ancient adobe buildings gives you a hint of how things were once, but are passing away. In the place of the adobe is the Queen Ann palace. Old Mexicans around town look strangely out of place. Fish are abundant and cheap. Living water is not as bad as I expected to find it, yet away behind the springs of Coos county. The scarcity of wood is somewhat made up by the use of gasoline stoves. Gasoline 30cts. per gallon, and works well.

Henry H. Nichols.

San Diego, Cal., June 26.

Capt. J. M. Nosler.

When any one dies, it is customary to make the announcement in some newspaper, but in some cases, the announcement would scarcely suffice. Here, then, I wish to pen a short tribute to the late Capt. J. M. Nosler, a man who bore a spotless reputation and an unblemished character; a man firm in support of the right; a man of great force of character and yielding to reason in all things. If he assumed to be a friend, he was a friend indeed. By his many virtuous and generous qualities, he drew around him an intricate network of friendship strong as forged chains and subtle as destiny. He participated in many battles of the late war; was brave and true, and faltered not when the tempest of battle rolled around him. After he came to this coast, fortune smiled upon him, yet he was the same in prosperity as in adversity—a noble man. Years ago we were placed under obligations to him; obligations that in life we had not the opportunity to cancel; hence our tribute to the unrepaying dead. You were a golden link in your family chain; you were an honor to your name. With pride we claim you as a friend and benefactor. We remember you, farewell; you have fought your last fight; you have planted your last banner on the bastion of an imperishable memory, and died, folded in the tri-colored banner of friendship, love and truth; therefore hail, noble spirit and kind friend, hail, and farewell!

A Friend.

Iowa Slough Items.

Rain, rain.
Mr. Barrows is sick.
Light shower last night.
Everything green and growing.
Cattle fat as butter.
Our meadows are gladdened with the song of the mower.
D. Mathers has taken the contract to build Charley Peterson's house.

Miss Lillie Decker was the guest of Miss Ada Nosler a week before the 4th.

We are sorry to see the dissatisfaction continue in our school, and some of the scholars have quit going. We are of the opinion that such cases should be thoroughly investigated and find out who is to blame.

We are under obligations to Miss Florence Lowe for forwarding several of our letters of late.

We haven't got our road decision yet, consequently business is slow on the slough.

More anon.

Pen.

Iowa Slough, July 8.

An injunction suit has been decided by which Wells Fargo and Co., can no longer operate their express line over the Northern Pacific railroad and its branches. This is a slam on Wells Fargo, but will increase the business of the Northern Pacific Express company in the Northwest.

Irish Home Rule.

New York, July 4.—The public meeting in Union Square called by the Central Labor Union tomorrow evening, in favor of Irish home rule, promises to be an imposing affair. The committee on arrangements have sent out a circular to all the Trades Union in the course of which they say: "Organized labor in England is now on trial. We are determined to have a monster demonstration on the 5th of July to encourage our co-laborers in Great Britain and to urge them in the name of the common brotherhood of toil, to register their oft-repeated boast of love of liberty which they will fully show by sustaining Gladstone in his great undertaking to secure for Ireland the right to manage her own affairs and to develop the resources of her own land. To carry out the above views it rests with the organized working men of America to inspire their English brothers to discharge this sacred duty."

A manifesto to the workmen of Great Britain is also being prepared to be read at the meeting and forwarded to the trades and labor organizations in the old country.

Public Debt Statement.

Washington, July 1.—Following is a recapitulation of the debt statement issued to-day: Interest bearing debt, principal and interest, \$1,223,498,126; debt on which interest has ceased since maturity, principal and interest, \$9,928,465; debt bearing no interest, \$536,103,148; total debt principal, \$1,756,445,205; interest, \$13,084,535; total, \$1,769,529,740; total debt, less available cash items, \$1,464,327,493; cash in treasury, \$75,191,109; debt less cash in treasury July 1st, 1886, \$1,389,136,384. Decrease of debt during the month \$9,061,897. Total cash in treasury, available for reduction of the debt, \$205,702,247. Reserve fund total, \$29,282,495. Net cash balance on hand, \$75,191,109. Total cash in treasury, as shown by the treasurer's general account, \$492,917,171. Net increase in cash \$2,510,871.

A party of hunters returning from the Northwest to Ottawa, report the finding of a burning mountain near Manitowish river north of Minnesota. The ground was scorched and too hot to bear the hand. Every living thing is gone. Where the mountain extended under the bed of the river, the water was sensibly heated. They thought it a smothered volcano. The theory of men well acquainted with the geology of the province, is that bituminous coal, in which this mountain range is known to be rich, has by some phenomenal means become ignited, the vast and smouldering mass far down in the mountain's heart, making a mighty caldron of the Manitowish river's bed.

The house committee on Invalid Pensions have resolved to attempt to pass over the President's veto an act granting a pension to Andrew J. Wilson, of New York. Sawyer reported the measure back to the house, giving notice that it would be up to-morrow on application. It was rejected by the Pension Bureau on the grounds that he was disabled before he enlisted, which is also the reason for the veto. The committee takes the position that, under the circumstances, the government is stopped from setting up a claim of prior disability.

O'Reilly, treasurer of the Irish-American National league, had sent \$85,000 for the week ending July 2, to Parnell for campaign expenses on the promise that a thousand dollars would be sent for every Irish member voting for home rule.

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Another Incentive to get Rich.

The Cincinnati Daily Times, not a temperance paper, says on the authority of George Hubbell, secretary of the Mill Creek Distilling company, that the prohibition movement has decreased the sale of whisky forty per cent. He said the decrease is largely in the south. He gives Georgia 113 dry counties, South Carolina 42, Alabama 52, Arkansas 18, Texas 20, Louisiana 6, and Mississippi half its counties, and adds that in the south where local option prohibits, none but the rich can get whisky.

Henry Fawcett the blind Postmaster General of England, desired when a boy to be a member of parliament, with a hope of doing something to move millions of his countrymen up out of their ignorance. After he had graduated from Cambridge he was blinded by a shot fired by his father at a partridge which rose up between the two. He determined to fill his destiny however, and after seven years service as a college professor, he was elected to parliament. After 15 years in that position, he was appointed by Gladstone Postmaster General. The Youth's Companion says "during the four and a half years that he lived to run that great engine he made it deliver parcels, receive the savings of the poor insure their lives and pay their annuities. He lowered the charges on telegrams—the telegraph being a government monopoly in Great Britain—and greatly increased the use of postal orders. If any boy is depressed by the fact that he is poor, unknown and without friends, let him read this narrative of one who, weighted with blindness at the outset, made for himself a noble, because beneficent career."—Ex.

Beautiful Mrs. Cleveland.

Mrs. Cleveland is a beautiful woman, and she is better looking than any of the pictures which have been published to represent her. She is about the same height as President Cleveland, perhaps a trifle shorter. She stands straight upon her feet, and her shoulders are very pretty, very straight, and well rounded. She has a beautiful neck, pretty pink ears, and her arms are large, fair, and beautiful. Her complexion is fair, but not rosy, and her eyes are perhaps the prettiest feature of her face. She smiled upon nearly every man that shook hands with her last night, and the smile seemed each time as though it was intended for the man to whom it was addressed. It was not stereotyped, icy, or effusive, but it was full of friendly feeling and personal magnetism. She made a splendid impression.—Cleveland Leader.

Roseburg Letter.

Ed. HERALD:—No news more than official returns except for governor which under the law is opened and canvassed by the legislature when that body convenes: Pluralities, Hermann 1635, only 500 less than his former vote.

McBride, 290; Webb, 1778; McElroy, 1306; Baker, 1016; Strahan, 234.

Prohibition state ticket vote Miller, 2753; Kinney, 2775; Long, 2725; Lyman, 3666; Shepard, 2700.

The Prohibition States candidates received more votes in Marion county (416) than the entire vote of Curry county. Don't say that Prohibition has not come to stay. I have added the vote of state printer for Curry (28) which the clerk of that county failed to return to the secretary of state.

Pennoyers plurality is estimated at 3536 based upon returns which may be considered official.

"Cor."

Roseburg July 2d.

T. B. Odeneal, one of Oregon's prominent men died at Salem a few days since.

An Offended Conductor.

A man was bounding around in a car on a new Dakota road when the conductor came through.

"Can you tell me," said the man, with a great show of sarcasm, "whether this car is on the track or not?"

"Sir!" replied the conductor, reaching into his pocket, "here is a volume of the rules and regulations of this road."

"But what do I want of it?"

"Look it over and see if you can find any rule saying that I must spend my time running alongside of the train reporting its position to the passengers. See if there is anything in that volume that compels me to go lumping myself along on the prairie and yelling through the windows, 'Four wheels off now!' or 'Hind trucks dragging on the ties!' or 'Gentlemen, the baggage car has just rolled into the ditch?' or 'passengers will please remain seated while we turn on here and scot across the prairie after a jack-rabbit!' Look over them rules, sir, and see if you find any of these directions. If you don't in the future please take your own observations on the wheels."—Estellini Bell.

The Panama Canal Lottery.

Paris, July 4.—The committee elected by the Chamber Deputies to report on the bill proposed by the minister of public works, authorizing the Panama Canal company to issue a lottery loan of 600,000,000, met yesterday and elected M. Germain Casse president of the committee and M. Campytre the secretary. Both gentlemen were decidedly adverse to the idea of the government granting the company permission to issue the loan.

A dog was run over by a small boy on horse back in Salem a few days ago and had a leg broken for which it was deemed best to kill the poor animal. Now, the Statesman comes out and scolds the boy, and adds: "If it had been a child, the result would have been the same," whereat our devil declares he will never go to Salem among those "awfully cruel people, who kill off crippled children and dogs."

Salem papers are whooping up their town since the bridge across the Willamette at that point is an assured fact. If Salem doesn't go ahead and become a city soon she ought to die. Everything has been put up there in the way of state institutions that the town could ask.

Wm. Crow, 16 years old, shot the brains out of "Curley" Hogan at Carson, Nev., a few days ago. Hogan attacked the boy with a shovel a year ago, and cut off two of his fingers, and of late made the threat that he would kill him on sight.

The Oregon state fair bids well to be of great interest this season. Much fine stock will be exhibited, and many fast race horses from California and other parts will be there.

The Young Men's Reform convention has postponed consideration of the question of Canada's independence till next season, at which time it will be renewed with great earnestness.

Parnell keeps a body guard of young Irishmen around him in consequence of the threats of his assassination for dismembering the British Empire.

The people of Southern Oregon rejoice over the revocation of the order abandoning Fort Klamath by government troops.

Edward C. Brooks, of Linkville, is returning to Oregon a full fledged graduate of West Point, with the rank of lieutenant.

There is strong talk of building a railroad from Jacksonville to Medford, by local capital.