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A Memphis woman took baking powder for strychnine and laid around five hours waiting for death. When it didn't come she arose and spanked her four children and went over to condole with a neighbor.

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12:50 p m..Lv	Albany	Ar	2:45 pm
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GENERAL NEWS.

Latest Reports From the Cyclone Districts.

THE LIGHTWEIGHTS CONTEST.

Mahan, of California, and Mulholand, of Australia, Battle for the Lightweight Championship.

[The HERALD's Special Dispatches].

PORTLAND, Jan. 10.—More complete reports from the cyclone districts in the eastern states give the loss of life as appalling.

LIGHTWEIGHTS BATTLE.

Mahan and Mulholand Fight Eighty-Seven Rounds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 10.—The fight which occurred at the Golden Gate Athletic Club last night between lightweights Billy Mahan, of California and George Mulholand of Australia, was the longest ever seen on this coast. The battle commenced at 9:40 o'clock and continued until 3:25 this morning, when it was declared a draw, at the close of the eighty-seventh round, by Joe McAuliffe, recently defeated by Peter Jackson, who was referee. Throughout the fight Mulholland showed himself superior in science and quickness, but Mahan exhibited qualities of game an a hard fighter. About the fiftieth round it seemed almost certain that Mulholand would win, as he had been punished very little, while Mahan's lips and cheeks were badly swollen. His eyes were nearly closed and he had lost one tooth by coming in contact with the Australian's head. However Mulholland did not seem able to give the knockout blow, and during the last two hours of the fight Mahan was as fresh as his antagonist and administered some severe punishment to Mullholand's wind. Both stopped and fell to for several minutes during the battle.

A clean knock out was in the fifty-second round, when Mulholand was sent under the ropes by a terrific blow in the stomach. After it became apparent that neither of the men was likely to be knocked out there was numerous demands for a draw and the referee finally consented to the proposition, after the battle had lasted five hours and three-quarters and when both men were too weak to strike an effective blow.

Government Tug Missing.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 10.—The government tug Nellie left here at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Mare island with a number of navy officers aboard. She had not arrived there this morning and the steamer Monterey started out in search of her. The Monterey has arrived here but has seen no trace of the Nellie.

A Brutal Fight.

NASHVILLE, Jan. 10. — Mervin Thompson of Cleveland and Bert Schiller fought a fierce fight of twenty-eight rounds, London prize ring rules, near here yesterday. Both were fearfully battered up. Thompson really whipped Schiller, but the fight was given to the latter on a foul, Thompson having struck him while on his knees in the twenty-eight round.

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, OF Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to Shiloh's Consumption cure." For sale by Foshay & Mason.

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WHY WILL YOU COUGH, WHEN Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief? Price 10c., 50c. and $1. Foshay & Mason.

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VAN BUREN SAUER KRAUT.

An Interesting Incident in the Life of Long John Wentworth.

The recent death of the Hon. John Wentworth (Long John as he was usually called) of Chicago and the late presidential campaign, reminds us of an amusing incident of early political doings, which was well told in the Chicago Times some ten years since and is worth reproducing.

Politics about 1840 had an edge to it that has since been worn off, and when men in those days were opposed to each other politically, they felt in duty bound to regard themselves as personal enemies. The last of this bitterness worked itself out in the flings of "abolitionists" and "copperheads" and now politics has sunk what Carlyle would call the "eternal inanities." It is well to let it remain there.

One fine morning it became rumored about the young city that Martin Van Buren, who had just stepped out of the White house, and was on a tour of sight seeing with certain members of what had been his cabinet, would pay a visit to Chicago. Of course the town was all agog at the news, and until the event became a matter of history, was the one and all-absorbing topic of conversation among the gossips of evenings as they congregated to whittle the dry goods boxes that lined the principal streets.

The democrats as a matter of course, were jubilant, but the whigs were mad as hornets—and the leaders laid awake o' nights to conjure up something that would serve as a dampener on the coming festivities. Among the democrats a great celebration was decided upon. Long John, who was beginning to loom up more ways than one, in those days, had given the order, and all short Johns were running their legs off to see that it was carried out. A number of meetings were held, committees were appointed, a delegation was advanced as far as Ottawa to meet the distinguished guest and party, and extend a formal invitation, while another and far more pretentious body, was organized to mount themselves on horseback, at the proper time repair to Bridgeport, and act as an escort to the distinguished party into town.

The lying awake of the whigs in the meantime had resulted in an idea, and some of the "boys" were not slow in putting it into practice. Free lunch sauer kraut layouts were comparatively quite as numerous then as they are now, and the article was held in no better repute by many folks then than it is at the present. Even as in these days, in those it had an ancient and fish-like smell, to which one must be brought up to be endurable. To make a long story short, the whigs had decided on defeating the celebration by stinking it out, and sauer kraut had been hit upon as the most effective means for accomplishing their purpose. Accordingly a delegation set itself on foot to interview various free lunch spreaders, to secure a proper amount of the desired article.

Among other places they dropped into a beer shop on Randolph street where the following conversation ensued:

Delegation—"Say, boss, got any sauer kraut?"

Teutonic Beer Vender—Vell, no, I tinks not. I gots some, yes, but I guss you don't vants any of it, for it shtinks like the werry dybel, —it got shpiled.

D.—That's good, will take some of that, how much have you got?

T. B. V.—Oh, I gots blenty of it. Gots two, dree, seberal barrells full ov it, but I tells you can't use it; no tam felars will eat it, I dried it on the bummers, dat used to come in here, but that sour krout has drived dem all away. I wish it was out of my cellar once.

D.—Well, if you will sell it to us, will take it out quick enough, will warrent you, say the word, can we have it.

T. B. V.—You kin have it, all dewhile, if you wants it, but I tells you without foolin, no dam fellars will eat it.

D.—That's all right, boss, we've got a man for it; old Van Buren, we guess, will take it in.

T. B. V.—Vat, dat feller dat was bresident dat is comin' by jiminy, he won't touch it. Vy, I bet you he'll run away from it de moment he gets a good schmell of it.

The Teuton was at a loss to understand why the boys should laugh so inordinately at his last sally, little dreaming that he had given his kraut the highest recommendation he possibly could for the purpose for which it was wanted. They paid him for the kraut, though he insisted they could "take de tam stuff for nothing," if they would clean and bring back the barrels, and left with the understanding that it would be called for at any time when wanted.

It is now time to leave the scheming whigs and return to the jubilant democrats, who have decided on holding a great jollification in the public square, then an open grass plat, and with a view of making things more cozy about there, they determined to surround it with a fence and ornament the center with a rostrum. There being no common party fund to draw from, every prominent "unwashed" was invited to "chip in." Some donated boards, others nails, still others their labor, while the bulk gave their share in money. Thus out of the pride of party and the occasion a fence was born and a glorious rostrum created, which, gorgeously festooned and bannerhung, was by all odds the handsomest thing that had ever been seen in the town. The work was all completed the night before the day which was to see the ex-president enter Chicago, and ye democracy, feeling that their work had been well done, retired unsuspicious to their downy couches, in order to be up betimes in the morning to escort his ex-excellency into town.

While Long John and his compatriots were sound asleep the whiggish cohorts were wide awake, and about midnight might have been seen making their way to the domicile of the Randolph street beer vender, who was also custodian of the much coveted sauer kraut.

They dropped into his place just as he was about to close up for the night and remarked that they had come to take their purchase.

"Vell, py dam, I is glad you come to dake dem tam stuff away, for it looks like it be alive and run all ober my cellar. Golly, but it shtinks, and I tells you again, you mustn't plame me if dem fellars to morrow won't eat it, but I tells you beforehand now that it's shpiled."

A moment later a dray drove up to the door, the kraut was drawn up out of the basement and away it went for the public square, where the heads of the barrels were knocked in and the contents judiciously and evenly spread out under the rostrum. This done, the whigs went to their homes, with clear consciences and the satisfaction of a party duty well performed. The sun didn't rise very gloriously the next morning. In fact it rained during the early hours, and the dampness that chilled the ex-president and his escort, plodding their way in carriages and on horseback from Bridgeport, also had the effect of making heavy the atmosphere about the rostrum, and as a matter of course, of intensifying the perfume of the sauer kraut.

About noon there was a clearing of the sky, and the ex-president's party, who had been holding a reception at the City hotel, were now invited to the public square for a grand demonstration. A procession meanwhile had been parading the streets, and about the time Van Buren, under Long John's wing, reached the grounds, the unterrified in line also came up, and in a few moments the square presented an exceedingly animated appearance.

But what ails those good people, and especially the ladies on the rostrum? Has the morning's damp given them a cold? It must be so, or why this universal application of the handkerchief to the nose? Lean, lank Long John seems to be the only one who is not aware that there is something the matter, so full is he with the occasion, and at the earliest opportunity draws himself up to his full height, and in a florid address introduced the honored guest to his admiring fellow citizens.

Shrewd observers and especially whig observers, have been noticing for some time that Mr. Van Buren is particularly ill at ease, and wonders if he will come to time with his speech

Long John having concluded his eulogy, turns to the great man and is about to lead him forward to speak his piece, when the great man, rather nervously, but not without some humor in his eye, remarks, "Mr. Wentworth, I don't know how you feel about it, but it appears to me that there is something rotten in Denmark."

"Rotten in Denmark, what is ey?" sniffing the breeze "Well, I do smell something kinder strong. I presume you ain't used to sauer kraut; you should live here, then you wouldn't mind it by and by. We've all got used to it, though their breath is rather stronger than usual."

"Breath, Mr. Wentworth, breath, you don't mean to tell me that it's breath that smells like this? Phew! why its enough to knock a body down. But, perhaps, it don't get up to your height with its full flavor."

"Can't say about that, your excellency," with a grimace, "but it can't be anything else than breath, for I guess they don't carry it in their pockets."

At this point some one disclosed where the cause might be discovered, and when the bosses found that there were "dead loads" of the stuff stowed away there, with no means handy to get it out, an adjournment to the First Presbyterian church, at the southeast corner of the square, was moved, and, it need scarcely be added, unanimously carried, and the jollificators took up their line of march, amid the jeers and cat calls of the exultant whigs, who were in an ecstacy of joy over the success of their well laid plan.

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