

Brevities.

An English fleet has sailed for Gibraltar.  
The wheat crop in Canada will be below the average.  
There are several cases of yellow fever in Philadelphia.  
War between San Domingo and Hayti is said to be imminent.  
The channel of the Wesser is now thickly with torpedoes.  
A Herald correspondent on the Baltic Coast has been arrested as a spy.  
The corn crop of Arkansas will be larger this year than for several years past.  
The first bale of new Texas cotton sold in New York on Monday at 36 1/2 cents per pound.  
There is serious trouble between the whites and Negroes in Woodford county, Kentucky.  
One hundred grocers in Brooklyn have been prosecuted for selling packages without stamps.  
The nail makers of Weymouth, Massachusetts, are on a strike, and those of Taunton threaten to join them.  
The number immigrants arriving last week at New York was only 331 in consequence of the war.  
The Apache Indians lately made an incursion into Sonora, destroying the lives and property of citizens.  
The Reform party of Massachusetts will hold a State Convention on the 8th of September at Worcester.  
The first ship from China through the Suez Canal arrived at London on the 6th instant with a cargo of spring teas.  
The funeral procession of Reel, the murderer, executed last Friday in New York, was attended by 4,000 persons.  
Eighteen young men have been fined \$10 each for habitually "loafing" on the street corners of Boston.  
On Sunday morning the dwelling of F. R. Smith, one and a half miles of Salem was burned.  
A severe hail storm visited Terre Haute, Indiana, on Monday evening. The hail stones are reported to have been six inches in circumference.  
A Niagara Falls man advertises: "All persons wanting my wife to do washing or sewing from this date, are prohibited from bringing or sending anything to be washed or made without my consent."  
A California law-maker, more accustomed to the arts and phrases of poker than to the parliamentary usages of legislative halls, once seconded a motion by saying, "Mr Speaker, I straddle that blind."  
A paper encourages the young by the example of a "youth who formerly lived in a hovel yet, with only his two hands and a crowbar, opened a jewelry store; and now he is living in a large stone residence in Sing Sing."  
A policeman in Boston arrested a boy for some offense last Saturday, when he was set upon by a large crowd of boys, attempting to rescue the prisoner. He fired four shots into the crowd, wounding as many boys.  
The following amendment to the Revenue law will take effect October 1st: "On and after the 1st day of October, 1870, the stamp tax imposed in Schedule B, or promissory notes for a less sum of money, or for payment of any debt, and the stamp tax imposed in Schedule C, on canned and preserved fish, and the same is, hereby repealed," etc.  
HIGH ART IN LYING.—A gentleman of transatlantic "raising" had mentioned the (exceedingly likely) fact that he had seen as many as fifty snakes up a tree at one time. A stupid Britisher having ventured to evince a very decided incredulity, "Waal, stranger," said the Yankee, "there wor forty," "forty! but that is as wonderful as fifty," exclaimed the other. "Waal, stranger," was the rejoinder, "you seem tarnation hard to please, we'll say twenty, there! and I'm darned if I don't fight afore I take off another snake." But even this, as "a clincher," must yield to the following: A Yankee, possibly the same man, having told an Englishman that he shot, on one particular occasion, nine hundred and ninety-nine snakes, his interlocutor asked him why he didn't make it a thousand at once? "No!" said he not, "likely I'm going to tell a lie for one snake." Whereupon the Englishman, rather "riled," and determined not to be outdone, began to tell a long story of a man having swam from Liverpool to Boston. "Did you see him, asked the Yankee, suddenly, "did you see him yourself?" "Why, yes, of course I did, I was coming across, and our vessel passed him a mile out of Boston harbor." "Well, I'm glad you saw him stranger, 'cos you a witness that I did it. That was me!"

What is that which by losing an eye has nothing but a nose left?—A nose.  
The Chicago Tribune has an entire new dress and does not say a word about it.  
The Legislature of Texas has an "infernal racket" every few days. So says a reporter.  
The Emperor Napoleon keeps one telegraphic wire constantly employed with his correspondence with the Emperor.  
WHAT man always speaks well of every one?  
The Assessor of taxes; he never underrates anybody.  
Amateur gardeners are the most generous of men—it is a pleasure with them to "fork over" their grounds.  
A lot of wool amounting to 40,000 pounds is ready at Salem for shipment to Boston. It goes to A. Peabody.  
G. Webster has sold the Roseburg Ensign to G. R. Swain, who will continue its publication.  
To any who can say "Shoes and socks Shock Susan" with rapidity and faultless pronunciation, four times running, a large reward will be paid.  
An old Greenland seaman said he could really believe that crocodiles shed tears, for he had often seen whales, blubber.  
A Montana local makes an item of the casting of a \$20,000 brick at a certain banking house. One would think he had stumbled into a foundry by mistake.  
THE Sentinel learns that between three and four hundred soldiers have left San Francisco for Fort Klamath. They are "going for" the Indians who have left the reservation against orders, and now are threatening to be troublesome.  
SCANDAL—Dr. Johnson being once in company with some scandal mongers, one of them having accused an absent friend of resorting to rouge, he observed: "It is, perhaps, after all, much better for a lady to redder her own cheeks than to blacken other people's characters."  
BRITISH ART EXHIBITION OF 1871—AN IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.—The first of a series of annual exhibitions of selected works of fine and industrial art and scientific inventions will be opened at south Kensington, London, on the 1st of May, 1871, and closed on the 30th of September.  
The productions of all nations will be admitted, subject to their obtaining the certificate of competent judges that they are of sufficient excellence to be worthy of exhibition. The first exhibitions will consist of the following classes.  
Division 1st—Fine arts applied to works of utility.  
Division 2d—Manufactures, machinery and raw material.  
Division 3d—Scientific inventions, and new discoveries of all kinds.  
Division 4th—Horticulture.  
All objects must be delivered at the exhibition building during the month of February. Prizes may be attached to the objects, and exhibitors will be encouraged to state their prizes. Full particulars can be obtained on all matters connected with the exhibition to the British consul.  
TO REMOVE MOTES AND CHAFF FROM THE EYES.—M. Tinkham, St. Louis, Kansas: Calomel is one of the best remedies for motes or chaff in the eyes of horses or cattle. I had a cow that got an oat chaff on her eye-ball which resisted all efforts at removal. Her eye became so swollen that she could not open it, and a white film began to grow upon the ball. I was speaking to one of my neighbors about it; he recommended the above remedy, which I applied, blowing it into the eye with a goosequill, about the bulk of a grain of wheat. Twenty-four hours after, no one would have supposed anything had ever ailed the eye. I know of other instances where it has been used with equal success.—Exchange.  
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SAM—lived on the banks of the Delaware, and was a mighty hunter. He was plagued with a degenerate son, who manifested no predilection for his father's pursuits. One day Sam's patience gave out entirely, and exclaimed, in the bitterness of his mortification, "Cuss me, Tom, if you're not getting perfectly worthless; you'll neither hunt nor fish. I'll be hanged if I don't send you to school!"

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Plans and specifications can be seen at the County Clerk's office in Dallas.  
CHAS. COOLEGG, Superintendent.  
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Administrators' Notice.  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned was duly appointed at the August term of the County Court for Yamhill county, Oregon, administrator of the estate of John B. Kirby, deceased, late of said county. Those having claims against said estate are required to present them with proper vouchers to the said administrator within six months from date hereof.  
JOEL A. KIRBY, Administrator.  
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