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LATE NEWS SUMMARY.

Foreign and Domestic.

St. John has opened the Prohibition campaign for 1888 in Illinois.

At Stromsberg, Neb., two married women eloped with a saloonkeeper.

It is estimated that the wheat harvest in Texas will average 23 bushels per acre.

An election riot occurred in Lampasasa, Mexico, recently, in which three men were killed outright.

The President has appointed Israel Lawton to be Superintendent of the Mint at San Francisco.

Parnell and several followers will visit America in the Autumn to raise funds for the political campaign.

James Russell Lowell's name is mentioned in connection with the vacant presidency of Cornell University.

Randleman's cotton factory in Randolph County, N. C., was partially destroyed by fire, the loss reaching $150,000.

Over 10,000 tons of metal have been used in the construction of the ironclad Beubon, recently launched at London.

The steamer Joe Fleming, owned by a St. Louis brewing company, was burned at Dupue, Ill., the loss being $30,000.

A gale on the Newfoundland coast recently wrecked several fishing-boats, causing the drowning of several persons.

By an explosion of a soda fountain at Strany's drug store at Pittsburg, James McConnell, a clerk, was fatally injured.

While standing in the door of their residence at Mendota, Missouri, a father and son named Kinley were killed by lightning.

Five hundred policemen in citizens' clothes are still employed in guarding the public offices of London against dynamiters.

Frank Ryers, who was convicted of wife beating at Baltimore, was sentenced to six months in jail and to receive fifteen lashes.

Farmers in Illinois are busy replanting corn, some for the third time. Never before was there such a universal failure in the seed.

Near Jacksonville, Arkansas, Martin West, a planter, was assassinated by his son-in-law, Al Clemens, who used a Winchester rifle.

Confederate Memorial Day was observed at Norfolk, Va. All places of business was closed and the parade was the largest ever seen in the State.

A terrible explosion took place June 18th in the Pendbury colliery near Manchester, England. Over 100 men were killed, many leaving large families.

A French gunboat, having on board a crew of ninety-two persons' is reported to have been lost during the hurricane in the Gulf of Aden on June 3.

The towns of Leutschan, in Hungary, and Tysnan, in West Hungary, have been partly destroyed by forest fires, and fourteen persons burned to death.

The ravages of the Hessian-fly will cause an estimated loss of 40,000 bushels in the wheat crop of Richland Township, Kalamazoo County, Michigan.

The New York banks used to pay 3 per cent. interest on margin deposits, but last month the rate was reduced to 2 per cent. and now one bank only offers 1½.

While sailing on the Delaware river near Trenton, N. J., Fred Weiss, aged 14, fell overboard. N. Cook, aged 19, plunged after him, and both were drowned.

At Minneapolis, Minn., Rev. F. S. Bowdish, a Methodist preacher, was sentenced to three years imprisonment for the larceny of $350 from his divorced wife.

Cass Corwine, well known as an artist who made a specialty of sketching blooded stock from life, committed suicide at Lincoln, Ill., by shooting himself through the head.

There is great excitement in Ripley county, Mo., over the discovery of silver. One company has ordered machinery and will employ 300 miners to develop its property.

The steamer Peerless, valued at $50,000, was burned to the water's edge at Montebello, Ontario. An excursion party was aboard the vessel when the fire broke out, but escaped uninjured.

At Tarentum, Pa., the explosion of a can of petroleum, to which one of the lads applied a lighted match, fatally burned the three sons—aged seven, five and two—of Henry Altmeyer.

A sail boat containing twenty men was run down near Philadelphia by the excursion steamer Columbia on the Delaware river. Two drowned bodies are supposed to have been carried out by the tide.

At New Orleans, garroters attacked James Stafford, a wealthy butcher, with slung shots. An officer came to his rescue, and during the melee Joseph Martin, one of the garroters, was shot and instantly killed.

Official information has been received at Paris to the effect that the French dispatch boat Renard, recently reported lost in the Indian ocean, foundered in a cyclone and all the crew, numbering 127 souls, were drowned.

Adolph Caillon, the French cook of Ferd's Hotel at Richmond, Va., cut his throat with a large carving knife and jumped from the third story of the building, falling in an almost unrecognizable mass upon the pavement..

The casualties of the recent tornado in Iowa foot up seventeen persons killed and sixty wounded. The damage is over $1,000,000. Many heartrending scenes occurred, and many houses were ruined, and also many public edifices.

On account of the reduction of the appropriation for West Pennsylvania Hospital, in Pittsburg, sixty-five old soldiers were notified that they must seek other quarters. In notifying comrades, General Sweitzer was visibly affected.

Reports from Indian Territory state that Ben Williamson, Pete Moore and George Morgan, members of a gang of desperadoes and horse and cattle thieves were overtaken by a vigilance committee near Healton, and hanged to a tree.

The Secretary of the Treasury has issued a warrant for $15,000 to the Director General of the New Orleans Exposition and the head of the Woman's Department, to be used exclusively in payment of claims against the Woman's Department.

Near Arkansas City, Ark., a man and woman named Taylor were struck by lightning. The woman was killed instantly and the man died the following morning. A child who was sitting on the same seat with the parents was not hurt.

A train on the new cable road at Kansas City, rushed down a steep incline and collided with another train. Ernest Roberts, a passenger, had both his legs amputated and will die. Three others were seriously injured. The grip man got excited and lost control.

The Pike's Peak Railway, which will be in operation probably next year, will be the most noticeable track in the world. It will mount 2,000 feet higher than the Lima and Croya railway in Peru. It is now in operation to a point over 12,000 feet above the sea level.

The Naval Advisory Board have requested Secretary Whitney to appoint a court of inquiry to investigate their official action in connection with the construction of the Dolphin. They say they have been maligned by the press, and that nothing else will satisfy them.

Mrs. Caroline Amber, aged 56 years, wife of a German stonemason of Madison, Wis., suicided by casting herself from the pier at Angleworm Station into Third lake. She was very proud, and, being poor, was unable to occupy the station in life she coveted, hence her tragic act.

While T. J. Law, owner of a barge on the river, was talking with a woman in her dooryard at St. Paul, Otto Lavensky, a Pole, shot him through the back, killing him instantly. Lavensky's son, while working on Law's barge fell overboard and was drowned. Lavensky swere vengeance and laid in wait for him.

At Osgeod, Ohio, Turner Graham and wife (colored) were killed by a mob, armed with shotguns. Graham is a barber, and both he and his wife were addicted to drink and were quarrelsome. They were harmless to others. They had been away during the fore part of the night, and when they returned the mob riddled them with shot.

SILENT PIANOS.

Mute Instruments that Reduce the Strain Upon the Player's Sense of Hearing.

Joseffy, the pianist, practices hours daily upon a dumb piano; Von Bulow carries one with him in his travels to keep up his practice; and Liszt is said to use one assiduously. The object of substituting a silent instrument, which is said to be growing in favor with musicians, is to subordinate the sense of hearing in practice, and to protect the player from the nervous fatigue produced by the use of that sense, at the same time that the senses of sight and touch are employed. A skilled musician said recently that the exhaustion from practicing upon a piano was greater than most persons imagined. He doubted whether a street-paver was as much exhausted by a day's labor as a man who is obliged to practice all the afternoon. He favored the use of a piano that made no noise. He had heard a physician say that the nervous headaches of young women in musical conservatories were largely due to the din of practice, and it was often thought that this noise impaired the musical sense. The mute piano makes the performer depend upon his eye and his touch, and enforces more attention to the score, so that he will be able to get a notion of the music upon sight reading.

There are some mute pianos in New York and several in Boston. The first one sent to this country came from Weimar, and after the model of this one others were constructed. The mute piano has a full keyboard and has the appearance of an ordinary piano, but there is neither sounding-board nor strings within the instrument. The keys are weighted with lead and provided with springs which cause them to quickly go back to their places when touched. The tension may be regulated so as to correspond with the piano to be used for playing the music with sounds. Then the touch need not be varied and the sounding piano need not be used except to correct errors in the shading of notes. It is further claimed that it is economy to use a mute piano, as an expert will play havoc with a good piano in two or three years' hard practice.

The muscular and nervous strength required in modern exhibition playing is surprisingly great. Faellen, of Baltimore, has so worked upon the muscles of his fingers as to be able to surprise his acquaintances with feats of digital strength and nerve. Carreno, with a very small hand, can crush the fingers of a strong man without moving her arm. This power comes from long practice, which, to the devotee, is limited only by endurance, and it is expected that the mute piano will increase practice, and accordingly develop more brilliant and difficult piano-playing. The instruments are inexpensive, but are made only when ordered. A piano manufacturer says that they should not cost over $25 or $30, as one can easily be made out of a cast-off instrument.—*N. Y. Sun.*

HOIHOW.

A Chinese City With Novel Smells Rivaling the Far-Famed Smells of Cologne.

Hoihow is not an attractive town. The streets of the suburb outside the wall are even narrower than those of ordinary small towns in China, much dirtier, and the visitor, who has already some knowledge of China, detects a few varieties of bad smell that impress him with the idea of absolute novelty. The inhabitants show the mixed types of Fokien and Kwang-tung, with such indigenous elements as have, during many thousands of years, been finding their way here from the mainland of the peninsula of Father India, or the islands that lie to the southward of it. They are well-disposed and far less curious than the Chinese of mainland cities. The shops contain such Chinese goods as are suited to a population of this class, with odds and ends of European and American notions which have within thirty years found their way to the most retired villages in the interior of Asia. The markets make a liberal display of fish and pork, which is considered the diet in China, and, what can not be seen elsewhere, a kind of water-snake (for sale at the fish-stalls), which is esteemed a delicacy by the Hainanese. The dress is with some variations, that of the Kwang-tung provinces. The language heard in the streets is so different from that of the mainland as to be hardly intelligible to a native of Canton. The houses are of lava-stone, or brick, one story in height, and though swarming with pigs, dogs, and vermin, are permanent and comfortable in a climate that is always cool and sometimes cold in winter. The residences of the merchants and officials are spacious. The guilds have large halls, or detached buildings, conspicuous by their Chinese ornaments in front, their two lofty poles bearing huge baskets, and a stage where theatrical representations are occasionally given. The wall of the old town is not crenelated. The streets within it are broader and cleaner and the shops larger and better stocked. The foreigners connected with the customs and consulates are comfortably domesticated in Chinese houses, no European residences having been built during the eight years since Hoihow became an open port.—*Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.*

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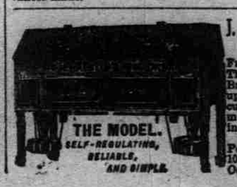

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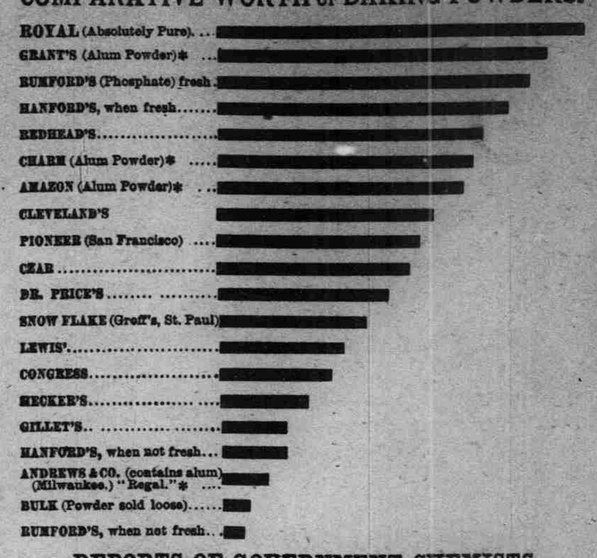

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SHAD.

Some of Their Habits and the Influences Which Determine Their Habitation.

"In the spring," said Fish Commissioner Blackford, of New York, recently, "the young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of broiled shad. It's generally around St. Patrick's Day that shad make their first appearance in the North River, and there is a tradition among Weehawken fishermen that the saint was himself a mythical shadow," and even as the Commissioner spoke he inadvertently stuck the lighted end of his cigar in his mouth. Recovering quickly from the surprise which this act occasioned, he resumed: "The experts tell us that the temperature of the water governs the appearance of shad in the rivers and harbors along the Atlantic Coast, so that there is really no accurate method of determing when they will appear. Observations taken in 1881, 1882 and 1883 showed that on an imaginary plateau out in the deep sea, extending from the capes of the Chesapeake to the Delaware Breakwater, the temperature of the water was much higher than in the rivers and bays along the shore. The presumption, therefore, is that schools of shad belonging to the Chesapeake, the Delaware and the North rivers have their common winter quarters on this plateau. When the shore water, as the season advances, becomes warmer than the ocean water, the shad migration into continental waters begins. If the northern era should be warmer than the southern, then an unusual proportion of shad will be thrown into our waters. If, on the other hand, cold waters should sweep down from the northern rivers, then the shad will make a dead set for the Chesapeake, and our fisheries will prove a failure. Warm rains and the absence of snow in the mountains at the beginning of the fishing season will also determine the movements of these fish. If, in the early spring, they get up to the mouth of a river and find the water warm, then a tumultuous rush of shad and herring takes place up the river, and the markets will be glutted. I trust this will prove the case this season."

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