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## True Version of Alaskan Troubles.

A correspondent of the house of William T. Coleman & Co. gives another version of the troubles in Harris district, Alaska, very different from the statement in the petition which has been forwarded to Washington. The correspondent states that a number of roughs from the British territory and Montana invaded Harris district, and, finding the place unprotected by civil law, proceeded to run affairs to suit themselves. They first objected to the manner in which the town of Rockwell had been laid out in lots, with a frontage of 50 feet, by 200 feet in depth. Seeing an opportunity to do some profitable land jumping, the desperadoes resolved to reconstruct the plan of the town and make the lots 50 by 100 feet, thus leaving a goodly part of the slice to squat on. Naturally the peaceable settlers who had laid out the town, with the honest purpose of building it and following lawful occupations, objected to these high handed proceedings. There being no civil law to aid them, the distressed pioneers applied to Capt. Glass, senior officer of the Jamestown, stationed at Sitka. Capt. Glass inquired into affairs, and being the only representative of the national authority in the district, issued the following proclamation:

Notice is hereby given that, considering the absence of any form of civil government in the territory of Alaska, and the liability that acts of violence, threatening the safety of the lives and property of citizens, may occur at any time, and also considering the necessity of preventing such acts, I, Henry Glass, commander of the United States navy, and senior United States officer in the territory, do hereby announce that, until instructions to the contrary are received from the President of the United States, the military authority will be the only government recognized, and that all residents of the territory will be governed in accordance with military law. This announcement will not affect the operation of any local mining laws properly established and not conflicting with the United States, and it is not intended to affect in any way the rights to property now held or to be acquired under such laws.

The marauding band of cow boys and other outlaws, it is said, had not only announced their intention of reconstructing the town of Rockwell, but of making changes to suit their own purposes in the mining laws and locations. Capt. Glass forwarded to Washington an official report of his acts, and the condition of affairs in the district. It is said by those conversant with the facts that not only did Capt. Glass not exceed his duty in the premises, but that he would have been derelict in his duty had he done less.

## How to Cook a Husband.

Kansas City Journal.  
The first thing to be done is to catch him. Many a good husband is spoiled in the cooking. Some women keep them in hot water, while others freeze them with conjugal coldness; some smother them with contention, and still others keep them in a pickle all their lives. These women serve them with tongue sauce. Now, it is not to be supposed that husbands will be tender and good if treated this way; but they are, on the contrary, very delicious when managed as follows: Get a large jar, called the jar of carefulness, which all good housewives have on hand; place your husband in it and place him near the fire of conjugal love; let the fire be pretty hot, especially let it be clear; above all, let the heat be constant; cover him over with the spice of pleasantness, and if you add kisses and other confessions, let them be accompanied with a sufficient portion of secrecy, mixed with prudence and moderation.

E. G. White, of Douglass county, blew into the muzzle of a gun on Saturday to see if it was loaded, and it in turn blew half of his head away. Almost every day we are called upon to chronicle just such accidents. It would seem that people ought to profit by so many sad examples.

## A Very Improbable Story.

Mrs. M. P. Sawtelle, editor of the Medico-Literary Journal of San Francisco, in the June number, tells this story of Senator Conkling: "During Grant's first term, and just after we had graduated in medicine, with honors; as the New York papers stated; our insignificant heart being stirred by some great national question, and backed by Wm. H. Vanderbilt and Horace Greeley, accompanied by the handsomest little imp of a six-year-old daughter that ever climbed the capitol steps, having a mind quite free from any previous political etiquette, we soon caught the idea that there were little senatorial courtesies due visitors from their state, naturally we lit on the distinguished senator from New York, with a tenacity only equalled by his own. We were desirous of securing the great name on our card to secure us an interview with the president. Conkling was carrying to a successful issue a strong debate in favor of giving homesteads to maimed soldiers. We were in sympathy with his side of the question, but we wanted to see Grant; so card after card was sent by the polite page, who kindly informed us that it was no use, that Senator Conkling's attention could not be secured. We had waited a long two hours, had seen our fourth and last card flutter from his desk to the floor, brushed away by his unconscious coat sleeve, when lo, the lion of the hour darted to the door where we were waiting, and with an eagle glance from his keen blue eyes, said: 'Madam, I will vote for your measure when it comes up. Don't you see me conducting this debate?' 'Yes, Senator,' we replied timidly, 'twas not that we wanted; we wished you to put your name on our card to insure an interview with the president.' He gave us a withering glance, and wheeling about, said, 'Go to Grant and get a card to me; the President isn't half so big a man as I am.'"

## How Many Apples Were Eaten?

The following, though not what may be called brand new, may yet afford amusement to those mathematically inclined, who have not seen it: A calculation respecting the number of apples that Adam and Eve ate: Some say that Eve 8 (ate) and Adam 2 (too), total 10; others Eve 8, and Adam 8, total 16; others say if Eve 8, and Adam 8 2, the total is 90; but if Eve 8 1, and Adam 8 2 the total is 163; if Eve 8 1, and Adam 8 1 2, the total is 893; if Eve 8 1 1st, and Adam ate one 2, the total is 1,623; if Eve 8 1 1 Adam, and Adam 8 1 2 4 Eve, the total is 8,938; if Eve 8 1 1 Adam, and Adam 8 1 2 4 2 oblige Eve, the total is 82,056. Still wrong: Eve when she 8 1 8 12 many and probably felt sorry for it, so Adam in order to relieve her grief, 8 1 2; therefore, if Adam 8 1 4 2 40y Eves depressed spirits, they both ate 81,896,864 apples.

This story comes to us from across the seas. That such immense damages could result from a gypsy camp fire, seems very improbable: "The famous cypress of Mistra was accidentally burned to the ground last March by a band of gypsies, who had encamped under its shelter and lit a fire to cook their supper. Mistra is near the site of the ancient Sparta, in the valley of the Eurotas, and is identical with the Sparta of Vilchardouin. The cypress was 3,000 years old, and is mentioned in the Latonia of Pausanias. Its dimensions were extraordinary. Its height was 169 feet, its diameter at the base 9 feet 10 inches, and its circumference 34 feet. The diameter of the branches, covered with leaves, was 81 feet, and the circumference 260 feet. The people of Sparta and Mistra are inconsolable, for besides their affection for the patriarch, it attracted visitors from all parts of Greece, and was thus a source of regular profit.

## IOWAS WALLED LAKE

Was it Human Hands Walled it in? Burlington Hawkeye.

The greatest wonder in the state of Iowa, and perhaps in any state, is what is called the Walled lake, in Wright county, 150 miles west of Dubuque. The lake is two or three feet higher than the earth's surface. In some places the wall is ten feet high, fifteen feet wide at the bottom and five feet wide at the top. Another fact is the size of the stone used in the construction. The whole of them varying in weight from three tons down to 100 pounds. There is an abundance of stones in Wright county, but surrounding the lake to the extent of five or ten miles there are none. No one can form an idea of the means employed to bring them to the spot or who constructed it. Around the entire lake is a belt of woodland half a mile in length, composed of oak. With this exception the country is a rolling prairie. The trees must have been planted there at the time of the building of the wall. In the spring of the year 1856 there was a great storm, and the ice on the lake broke the wall in several places, and the farmers in the vicinity were obliged to repair the damage to prevent inundation. The lake occupies a ground surface of 2,800 acres; depth of water as great as twenty feet. The water is clear and cold; soil sandy and loamy. It is singular that no one has been able to ascertain where the water comes from nor where it goes, yet it is always clear and fresh.

## A Tear Dropped by Eve.

Altoona Tribune.

A gentleman in this town claims that he has a small quantity of the water that covered in darkness the face of the great deep when the earth was without form and void. In other words, this water is a portion of the first that was created during the first six days and became entangled among the particles of the rock during the process of crystallization. This valuable specimen consists of a piece of rock of the primitive order of formation and of the pentahedral order of crystallization and contains in its center the globule of water. The rock being primitive or of the first creation, if there be any truth in geology, must be far more ancient than the waters of the flood. Perhaps it was a tear dropped by Eve when she was ordered from the garden.

Going fishing was a man up terribly. He comes home so worn out he's staggering, and it some how makes him see double. That's why his fish weigh so much, in his estimation.

An Irishman once remarked to an Englishman that the devil a bit of fun could he see in Dickens at all, and the Englishman retorted that he never could extract a square laugh out of Charley O'Malley. The moral of this story is that it is a pure impossibility to perpetrate fun to please everybody. The best plan, good brother, is to please yourself. What tickles you is pretty sure to tickle some unhappy mortal in this vale of tears. If it tickles the fair sex so much the better.

In large cities it has been made a paying business, by those having no scruples, to mutilate coins by boring holes in them, and by various other ways, to get the amount in gold or silver which may be taken from them, thereby making enough to support the persons who are thieving in this manner. The only way of abating this outrage is by refusing to receive these coins in trade, and so the merchants and leading business men of San Francisco do not take any coins which have been robbed of their original value. They are, however, accepted at a discount and sold as old coin. Having thus been disposed of in the city, they will be circulated in the country, where the gullible of ye wandering rustic will still go on.

---Warranty deeds, quit claim deeds and mortgages, for sale at this office.

## A Fair Proposition.

From this date the Astoria photograph gallery will contact business on the following plan. We will take negatives of any lady and everybody that will favor us with a call. We will print a proof of the same free of charge, no one being under any obligation to order from such negatives unless they desire to do so.

We will take the Astoria engine companies and all lodges and societies, any time they will assemble for the purpose, and present each lodge or society with one picture of such group, either taken all together or in separate pictures and grouped afterwards.

We will take views of residences and buildings, hotels, canneries, mills, etc., on the same terms, viz: We will take the negatives free of charge.

We do this in order that our work shall stand on its merits, as we are prepared to do good work. No one need wait until they go to San Francisco.

## Peruvian Bitters.

Cinchona Bitters.

The Count Cinchona was the Spanish Viceroy in Peru in 1630. The Countess, who was married to an interested merchant, from which she was freed by the use of the native remedy, the Peruvian bark, or, as it was called in the language of the country, "Quintina." Grateful for her recovery, on her return to Europe in 1632, she introduced the cinchona in Spain, where it was known under various names, until Linnaeus called it Cinchona, in honor of the lady who had brought them that which was now known as the cinchona. To this day, after a lapse of two hundred and fifty years, science has given us nothing to take its place. It effectively cures a morbid appetite for stimulants, by restoring the natural tone of the stomach. It attacks excessive love of liquor as it does a fever, and destroys both alike. The powerful and virtuous of the Cinchona is preserved in the Peruvian Bitters, which are as effective against malarial fever today as they were in the days of the old Spanish Viceroys. We guarantee the ingredients of these bitters to be absolutely pure and of the best known quality. A trial will satisfy you that this is the best bitter in the world. "The proof of the pudding is in the eating," and we guarantee our Peruvian Bitters to be all druggists, grocers and liquor dealers. Order it.

## To Live Men.

THE ASTORIAN has now reached a circulation which places it at the head of the list of Oregon dailies, and in order to advertisers thereof more benefit for the amount paid than may be secured elsewhere, to those who wish to reach the largest number of readers at the smallest expense, we offer the columns of an attractive daily, the success of which our own statistics have long carried beyond the expectations of the most sanguine.

## Ingersoll's Infidelity.

Dr. J. L. York, the noted orator of California, will be about the 20th of this month on his way to eastern Oregon and Washington territory, at which time he will speak on Ingersoll's infidelity and its results.

## Notice to Fishermen.

From one to 1,000 pounds of black spaw from sturgeon wanted. Cash paid at J. T. BOURCHERS Dew Drop Inn.

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