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All Sorts of Paragraphs

1 Reports from the Texas cotton are very favorable.

2 Belle Boyd in Maryland says Boyd in Texas is a fraud.

3 A Georgian pawned his shot to obtain a marriage license.

4 The insurgents in Daghestan have been defeated by the Russians.

Farmers in Western are New Y
recovering from the hard times.

The Scientific American says all
 trees are not unwholesome.
 The Houston Telegram thinks
 Texas cattle fever is all a canard.
 The white Malaga grape crop
 is said to be unusually good this year.
 Miss Cary reminds a San Francisco
 critic of "birds trilling in the trees."
 Onions, fourteen inches in girth
 are grown in the rich Minnesota soil.
 Gen. Harlan, of Ky., is believed
 to be the coming Supreme Court Justice.
 In the line of early rising the com-
 monest way is "yard of the lark."
 A good many "improved" silk har-
 vests are made at Patterson, N. J.
 The Emperor of Austria is hunt-
 ing chamois and stalking deer in Styria.
 Chicago bank presidents are strug-
 gling up on the advantages of rapid trans-
 port.
 The wife of the Arctic explorer,
 Captain Wyse, is a Washington milliner.
 Lucy Stone has found Harvard
 graduates digging in the mines of Colo-
 rado.
 This year the British imports
 of wheat are \$25,000,000 greater than
 in 1876.
 Though almost rainless for eight
 months, Northern Vermont has abundant
 crops.
 Pennsylvania has the largest num-
 ber of Sunday schools among the States,
 1,660.
 A Bridgeport, Conn., firm are mak-
 ing machinery for a cartridge factory
 in Turkey.
 Death hasn't crossed the portals
 of Connecticut State Prison for six months.
 The Russian estimate places Mul-
 alpa's loss on the 2d and 3d of Octo-
 ber at 5,000.
 The South Park, Chicago, will so-
 be beautified by the planting of 6,000
 choice trees.
 Men are fined \$10 for spitting
 tobacco juice on the floor of a church
 in Chambersburg.
 It is claimed in Raleigh that there
 are ninety-one gold mines in operation
 in North Carolina.
 At a fire a ladder company col-
 lected more crackers and cheese than a
 fire organization.
 Collector Arthur has seized
 \$100,000 worth of goods for smuggling. His
 haul totaled at \$150,000.
 The population of the city of Mex-
 ico has remained almost stationary since
 the fall of Maximilian.
 The Susquehanna Coal Company
 men at Nanticoke have resumed work
 on per cent. advance.
 Gen. Dix now in his 84th year is
 gunning regularly, and but seldom fail-
 ing to hit his game.
 Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll, of
 Iowa, will move to Washington, Ter-
 ritory to practice law.
 Some one says that a cauliflower
 is an educated cabbage. Well, Sam
 Matthews is a cauliflower.
 The Russians have commenced
 shelling before Plevna under the superin-
 tendence of Gen. Todleben.
 It is reported that the Eng-
 lish mission lies between Governor Hart-
 ington and ex-Secretary Brewster.
 Collector Simmons employed
 a woman to clean up the windows
 of the Boston Custom House.
 The "President" has signed
 the commission of Robert S. Anderson to
 U. S. Attorney for Montana.
 The President has signed the com-
 mission of Robert S. Anderson as United
 States Attorney for Montana.
 James Homer, the oldest resident
 of Hartford, Conn., has lived in his pre-
 sent home ninety-four years.
 English military critics do
 not seem to have any doubt concerning the
 superiority of the Russians.
 Newport's Common Council re-
 solves to pay the cost of entertaining Hayes
 at that place. It amounts to \$18.
 The Rev. M. Baxter of Manchester,
 England, has come to the conclusion to
 Prince Napoleon is Anti-Christ.
 Brigham Young's grave is guard-
 ed night and day. We don't know how
 he would want to steal his remains.
 All the glass manufacturers on
 the coast are busy, are running out of
 time on account of large orders.
 San Francisco papers chron-
 icle with much enthusiasm the first arrival
 of coal load of larger from Milwaukee.
 The highest railroad bridge in
 the United States is on the Cincinnati
 branch line across the Kentucky river.
 There is a man living at York-
 eburg who never offers to say his prayers ex-
 cept when he is tight. His wife says so.
 The son of Abd-el-Kader, who
 has said, has developed considerable liter-
 ary talent.

- ♣ The battle between France and England have already been begun on the Fre side.
- ♣ The Trustees of the Central Lunatic Asylum have contracted for erection of a \$17,000 barn. Rather expensive.
- ♣ Two infants were killed by boys who started and rolled on by shouting words in a negro camp meeting, at Lancaster, Georgia.
- ♣ The Denver Tribune says that the recent fight for woman suffrage in Colorado brought out every element that was its favor.
- ♣ M. R. Foster, Assistant Treasurer of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada has absconded. Amount of default not known.
- ♣ Although the Brazilian law recognizes the death penalty, the present Emperor has never yet consented to give a single death warrant.
- ♣ Mackerril, equal in flavor and weight to those of the Atlantic coast, caught in large numbers off the Charleston, California.
- ♣ A Rhode Island Judge has decreed that pigeons are not covered by the word "animals" in the statute relating to prevention of cruelty.
- ♣ A North Carolina girl pierced her ears in order to get a pair of earrings. She got into a four-pound tumor, which had to be removed.

Wit and Humor.

A waste of T—putting it in depot.
You must not expect pens because the enemy's city is shelled.
Better to have loved a short girl than never to have loved a tall one.
The car-punch is a failure, too. Only the milk-punch is left us now.

"Potatoes," says an Irish agricultural journal, "should be boiled in cold water."
George Sand, it is said, died of strong coffee. Then there were good grounds for his decease.

Several newspaper men have been swindled by the new counterfeit five thousand dollar bills.

A Pittsburgh man bought a horse by photograph. This was getting the carte before the horse.

A man who had a scolding wife, being asked what he did for a living, replied that he kept a hot-house.

The Turks have extracts from the Koran printed on their shirts so that Russians who read may run.

When a man is making love to a widow he always feels as if he had to begin where the other fellow left off.

They went fishing. She looked languidly at him and said, "I wish the fish would bite at your hook. If I was a fish I would."

The other day a tobaccoist of Cleveland hung in front of his shop the following notice, written on a board: "Wanted—a girl to strip."

"I say, Bill," asked an insulting fellow, "why is your hat like a gilet pie?" "Give it up," replied the other. "Why, because there's a goose's head in it."

When a young lady offers to lend a can-bic handkerchief for a rich bachelor, depend upon it she means to sew in order that she may reap.

"Avoid that which you blame others for doing," says one of our wise men. Well, things have come to a pretty pass if a man can't kiss his own wife.

Knox County Farmer.

Corn Fodder.

It is a difficult matter to cure corn fodder properly, so that it will store for winter use. The stalks retain their water with much pertinacity, and when the material is piled, and the circulation of air prevented, fermentation is apt to set in, and mould usually appears. The fodder becomes mouldy.

The best method in our experience, is to cut the corn and stack it, and to leave it thus in the field until dry enough to lay in thin layers on top of the hay in the barn, or it may be stacked by leaving an opening in the centre of the stack and when of sufficient height may be covered by thatching, or by a rude shingle of boards.

If but slightly mouldy, the cows will eat it, and it does not seem to do them any harm. It is not well, however, to calculate on having this mould, because if we attempt to have the cows eat it, we shall get much. The best we can do, we do get some, and as long as we cannot help ourselves, we are willing to be comforted by the thought that the little we have is rather beneficial than otherwise. One thing is quite certain, mould is better than fermentation. Hence, when storing, keep the fodder in thin layers, so the air may have all the access that our space for storage will admit of.

Profits of Sheep-Raising.

The following from a Pennsylvania farmer shows that sheep-raising is profitable: "I have been in the Agricultural Report of 1870 that there were nearly seven acres of improved land in Pennsylvania to each sheep, and that each sheep produced a little more than 44 lbs. of wool. This, at 40 cents per lb., amounts to \$2,500,000. My object in giving these figures is to show the profits of this business, and to suggest that I am now keeping on an average farm, one sheep to every two acres, improved land. The wool of each sheep averages four lbs., but these sheep do not consume one-half the feed of the others. I raised my first crop of sugar beets, and find that 30 or 40 tons may be raised per acre. I think these will enable me to keep at least one sheep to every improved acre, and still have one-half the hay, grain and roots left to feed the team and necessary cattle. If these conclusions be correct, and one-half of each crop be sold, making a total of one and one-half lambs to each sheep, worth \$4 each, we have a total of \$6 for lambs and \$1.60 for wool per acre, or \$18,500,000 for lambs and \$69,000,000 for wool. This, at 40 cents per lb., gives the value of lambs for 1870, and cannot compare the difference. The wool produced was 6,500,000 lbs., but at my estimate there would be 46,000,000 lbs., making a difference of \$18,000,000, at 40 cents per lb. This result is of course not attainable in one or two years; it must be brought about by degrees. I find sheep are little to disease if kept large flocks, unless the very best breeding stock be selected and the rams changed each year.

How to Preserve Eggs.

Among the discoveries of the present century there is nothing new in preserving eggs. The old method of packing them on their small ends in a vessel and then filling it with lime water is still practiced. The lime water should be salted, as a quart of salt to a half gallon of water, which is made by slaking some lime, then add water enough to have it sufficiently thin to run among the eggs freely, and when it has settled turn off the clear liquid and the salt, and it is ready for use. Eggs preserved in this way six months or longer are not as good as fresh eggs, and there is no way to keep them that time, but as good as those that are freshly laid. But a better way for preserving eggs in small quantities, as for family use, is to take salt and pack the eggs in it in small layers, the small ends down, filling up the places between the eggs with salt. Keep the vessel in a dry place, or the salt will become moist. Eggs may be thus kept six to nine months, and they will be as it is possible for them to be by any known preservation.

To Pickle Beef.

To each 100 lbs. of beef take 6 lbs. of salt, 1 lb. of sugar, 2 ozs. of saltpetre, 2 ozs. of soda and 3 gallons of water. Mix together in a large kettle, and place over the fire, letting it remain until it boils; take off the scum and let cool; pour it over the meat, which should be placed in a tight case or barrel, until the meat is entirely covered. If there is not enough pickle to cover the meat, add a little more water; but the above amount will be sufficient, if the meat is properly packed. I have tried the above recipe, and find it to be the best means for preserving beef that I have ever found. Beef put down in pickle, pressed as above, will retain its former freshness, and will be as sweet and juicy for a month after, when as first put away.

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Sept. 21-1878

Sheriff's Sale—In Partition.

Cynthia Hawk, et al.,

vs. Knox Common Pleas,

Mary E. Bryant, et al.

BY virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Knox County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the door of the Court House in Knox County, on

Monday, Oct. 22d, 1877,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., of said day, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: Being part of the South-east quarter of section 24, township 3, range 10, S. M. Lands, Knox county, Ohio, bounded on the West by lands of John R. Phillips and Ely Bixby. On the East by lands of Thomas Field and on the North by the North line of said quarter. Estimated to contain fifty acres, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third cash on day of sale; one-third in one year and one-third in two years, with mortgage notes on premises sold to secure deferred payments.

JOHN F. GAY,

Sheriff Knox County, Ohio.

Sept 21st 1878

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Charles R. Hooker,

vs. Knox Common Pleas,

Mary Wirt, et al.

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at 1 o'clock, P. M., of said day, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: Being Lot No. 324 in the City of Mt. Vernon, Knox County, Ohio, also part of lots Nos. 328 & 329 in the City of Mt. Vernon, Knox County, Ohio, bounded as follows: Beginning on the west line of said Lot No. 324 at the north-west corner of a tract heretofore conveyed by David Potwin and wife, to David and Joseph Travis, one of them, thence east to the Alley, thence north 66 feet, thence west to Mulberry street, thence south 66 feet to place of beginning.

Lot No. 324 appraised at \$4,000.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third in hand on day of sale; one-third in six months; one-third in twelve months from day of sale. The deferred payments to draw interest at 8 per cent, and secured by mortgage on the premises.

JOHN F. GAY,

Sheriff Knox County, Ohio.

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