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The Banner.

HARPER, Editor and Proprietor.

Official Paper of the County.

MOUNT VERNON, OHIO.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 22, 1885.

This is an "off year,"—yes, we might remark that it is an off year, politically speaking.

Five Chinamen were burned to death in a fire which broke out in their laundry at Oakland, Cal.

The Cleveland Press nominates "ALLEN G. THURMAN, for President of the United States in 1888."

FORAKER was a mere figure-head in the campaign—was Sherman's fight and Sherman's victory.

The Mugwumps and all the Mugwump papers in New York support the Republican State ticket.

CLEVELAND has driven out her gamblers, and they have emigrated to Columbus, Cincinnati, St. Louis and other points.

We presume the Republicans will now permit Bro. Leonard to enjoy his "ale and toast," without making a howl about it.

It is believed that Archbishop Gibbons of Baltimore, will succeed Cardinal McCloskey as possessor of the scarlet hat and mitre.

In the Licking-Muskingum double Senatorial district, the majority for John O'Neill (Dem.) is 118, and for Dr. Sinner (Dem.) 103.

In a poll of 18,000 votes in Indianapolis, last week, the Democrats lost their Mayor by 60 votes, but elected the City Clerk by 102.

It is reported that Judge Thoman will soon retire from the Civil Service commission, and join a firm of patent lawyers in New York.

The Circuit Court of Michigan, at Detroit, has decided that the law prohibiting the manufacture of oleomargarine, is unconstitutional.

It is difficult to realize that the Democratic party is in power when nine-tenths of the public offices in the country are filled by Republicans.

Instead of Jim and Jack, it is now proposed to have John and Jack as the Republican candidates in 1888. This refers to Sherman and Logan.

It is announced that the Republicans of New York, in imitation of their brethren in Ohio, will at once raise the standard of the "Bloody Shirt."

The motion for a new trial in the Webster murder case at Warren, Trumbull county, has been overruled, and he will be hung in the penitentiary.

A COLORED girl was found guilty of murder in the second degree at Pittsburgh, Pa., for causing the death of a child by putting poison in its food.

The wife and child of a farmer residing near Fargo, D. T., were burned to death in a prairie fire in the presence of husband and father, who was unable to rescue them.

WHILE M. D. HARTER had a majority of 1457 for Senator in Richland county, Mr. Flannery, the Democratic candidate for Sheriff, pulled through with a bare majority of 259.

The Western Union Telegraph company last year earned \$17,700,000, and its expenses were \$12,600,000, leaving over five millions of dividends, interest and sinking fund.

A REVIEW of the Southern industrial growth for the first nine months of 1885 shows a wide diversity of new industries in which a large amount of capital has been invested.

A COMPANY has been organized in Pittsburgh, for the purpose of sending natural gas in pipes from that city to Philadelphia and New York, for fuel and light. What next?

HON. MALCOLM HAY, who was First Assistant Postmaster General for a brief period, but resigned on account of ill-health, died of consumption on Tuesday morning, at Pittsburgh.

A FIRE broke out in a brick cottage at No. 81 Vernon Park Place, Chicago, owned and occupied by W. P. Bates, on Monday morning, in which four persons were burned to death.

THE Republican papers are bringing out the old pictures of John Sherman, and giving them a conspicuous place.—The Youngstown News facetiously calls him "the Dean of the Senate."

AMERICAN ways and fashions have found their way into England, where a Duchess has fallen desperately in love with the horse-jockey, Fred Archer, and is anxious for him to marry her.

THE Republicans and the Readjusters are not getting along harmoniously in Virginia,—each faction wishing to boss the political job. A grand Democratic victory is confidently looked for.

HON. ALLEN G. THURMAN, Hon. Samuel J. Randall and Hon. George Vest have been invited by the New York Democratic state committee to speak during the campaign in that state.

At Honesdale, Pa., a large number of guests who partook of a wedding breakfast were seized with severe symptoms of poisoning. The bride and groom escaped without eating.

In the city of Akron, at the late election 4,615 votes were polled, divided as follows: Foraker, 2,584; Hoadly, 1,772; Leonard, 259. This would indicate a population of over 20,000 in Akron.

PALERMO had a heavy shock of earthquake on Monday. A three story brick house fell and its occupants were buried in the ruins. Eight corpses have been recovered from the scene of disaster.

A SNA RABBIT, who eloped from Germany with her brother-in-law and was followed by her husband, was captured in Hoboken with her lover. Raabe forgave his wife and she returned to him.

MR. PHILLIPS, a Methodist preacher was tried before the Conference at Syracuse for forging notes amounting to \$4,000. He was convicted of immorality and suspended from the ministry for a year.

THE Republican "deceit" of "godly" Oberlin, "painted the town red" the night after the election, and among their brilliant performances was the burning of Hoadly and Leonard in effigy.

HON. J. J. SULLIVAN had no opposition for Senator in this district, as no Republican could be found who was willing to be assessed \$50 in each of four counties for the fun of being defeated.

UTOTIA, a small village in Clermont county, on the Ohio river, was the scene of a horrible murder last Thursday. Wm. McClellan, a drunken character, deliberately shot and instantly killed Charles Olinus, an industrious and peaceable German, without any provocation whatever. The scene of the crime exists among the people, and the lynching of the murderer is freely talked about.

NEARLY one hundred thousand persons attended St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York, last week, to view the remains of Cardinal McCloskey. The funeral, which took place on Thursday, was attended by an immense concourse of people, without regard to sect or party—all appearing anxious to show their appreciation of the many noble traits of character of the distinguished divine.

A DISPATCH from Louisville, Ky., Oct. 14, to the Enquirer, says: "Republican whiskey men of Louisville sent money to help elect a Legislature that would send John Sherman back to the Senate. They are not content with their defeat, on both sides of the fence, that the cold-wave statesman will probably be returned. Democrats do not feel that the election will effect the issue in 1888."

The Toledo Blade (Rep.) refused to support O. S. Brumbaugh, (Rep.) for Representative, on account of his position on the liquor question, but he ran ahead of his party ticket, and was elected. This is the way "Nashby" pulverizes the run power."

HON. M. D. HARTER, of Mansfield, although defeated for State Senator in the Richmond-Medina district, ran 300 ahead of his ticket at home, thus showing that the Republican cry about him being a "Free Trader" didn't seriously alarm the people.

GEN. LOGAN denies the story now current in the papers that at the battle of Hartsville, Tenn., he pretended to be dead, so that he might be left on the field. The only time that he ever did that, he says, was on the 4th of last November.

THE Democrats and Republicans each ran a colored man for Representative in Cuyahoga county; but they failed to secure the vote cast for the white men on their tickets; which goes to show that prejudice is stronger than party ties.

THERE is being built in Washington the largest sewer in the world. It is twenty-two feet in diameter for a distance of two thousand feet, and twenty feet for another five thousand feet, or a total of seven miles. A train of cars could pass through.

LAMPSON, the regular Republican candidate for Representative in Ashland county, is elected, having received 4001 votes, while Thro, Independent Republican, received 2427, and Hoyt, (D.) received about the same vote cast for Hoadly.

THE Democracy of Virginia are making a gallant fight, and hope to win. Gen. Fitz Hugh Lee, their candidate for Governor, was tendered a magnificent ovation at Lynchburg last Thursday, the crowd being estimated at 16,000.

THE murder of the Kester brothers at Sayreville, Pa., has caused great excitement throughout the neighborhood. The detectives have discovered a clue, which they believe will lead to the capture and conviction of the criminals.

THE Plain Dealer shows that there were 5,000 men in Cleveland who registered their names as voters, but didn't exercise that glorious privilege on election day. Perhaps they were paid to go a fishing or hunting.

It is said that the Prince of Wales recently purchased 500,000 barrels of oil in New York on speculation, realizing a profit of \$22,500. He is known to have speculated in the London Stock Exchange for many years past.

THERE is already a bitter contest for United States Senator in Dakota, although the Territory has not been admitted to the Union as a State. We presume some aristocrat, who owns a gold mine, will buy the place.

THE contest in Stark county was very close. For Representative, L. C. Cole, Democrat, had a majority of 40 over Murray Webb, Republican. The Republicans elected their treasurer, recorder and commissioner.

JOSEPH BREIL, a poor German saloon keeper in Columbus, having been swindled out of \$100 by a party of confidence sharpers, who sold him bogus diamonds, took his loss so hard that he shot himself on Monday night.

OHIOANS in Los Angeles, California, have formed themselves into an Ohio Union, and hold monthly meetings, where speeches, songs and good eating are the principal features. Col. H. G. Otis is the President.

Gov. HODLEY has appointed Gen. John Beatty, of Columbus, a member of the Board of State Charities, in the place of Joseph Perkins, of Cleveland, deceased. The law required the appointment of a Republican member.

OUT of a vote of 22,505 for Sheriff in Franklin county, Barbee, Republican, leads Custer, Democrat, only 58 votes. Custer is a railroad engineer, and a brother of the celebrated Gen. Custer, but still he got left.

PARKELL, the Irish patriot, has telegraphed President Egan that he will attend the National Convention of the Irish National League of America, which meets in Chicago, on Wednesday, January 20, 1886.

THE Cleveland Plain Dealer is of the opinion that if the administration had made a clean sweep of Republican office holders in Ohio (they being the only ones who would have voted who did not vote).

BURLINGTON, Vermont, is greatly excited over the appearance of small-pox in that city. The disease having been imported from Montreal in the clothes of a Frenchman, from Montreal, who had recovered.

MARK HANNA, of Cleveland, recently appointed a Director in the Pacific Rail-way by President Cleveland, was one of the most active, unscrupulous and "offensive" Republican workers in the late campaign.

THE New York Times, a Mugwump Republican paper, says of Ohio, that "all good Democrats voted the Republican ticket to sustain Mr. Cleveland's administration." This is too silly to laugh at.

HERBY W. SHAW, better known as "Josh Billings," a writer of humorous sketches, principally noted for bad spelling, died in California last week. It was probably a bad spell that carried him off.

SQUIRE D. BRICKER, of this township, was honored with the chairmanship of the John Sherman meeting at Mt. Vernon, Monday, Oct. 20. Squire presided with his usual grace and dignity.—Centerville Gazette-Star.

It was an empty "honor" to preside at the Sherman meeting. Squire Bricker was the undoubted choice of the Republicans of Knox county for Representative; but the Mt. Vernon Ringsters, failing to obtain the consent of Mr. Delano to become their candidate, determined to place Tom Odert on the track, without consulting a single Republican outside of Mt. Vernon—the argument being that he could "bush" his way through. We all know the result.

Two years ago (says the Cleveland Plain Dealer) Governor Hoadly received in Cuyahoga county 19,756 votes and J. E. Foster 19,364 votes. Hoadly's majority over Foster was 392. This year Hoadly received 19,263 votes and Foster 19,066 votes showing that Foster received this year 102 votes less than he received in the county two years ago. There was a total vote cast in the county last October for secretary of state of 44,109. In the last election Hoadly was cast a total vote of 35,562, showing that Cuyahoga county alone 8,544 men remained at home and did not vote. The vote of the state will be about what it was one year ago.

The unfortunate split in Holmes county in regard to the treasurer, whereby two candidates were run, resulted, as was generally expected, in the election of the Republican candidate Mr. Rudy by a plurality of 131, over Wise, the highest Democratic candidate. The vote stood: Rudy, (Rep.) 1,525; Wise, (Dem.) 1,394; Beagle, (Dem.) present incumbent, 1,284. The Holmes county Democrats have learned a dear lesson by their folly.

The green glass bottle manufacturers of the United States, in session at Pittsburgh, last week, decided, in view of the depressed condition of trade, that a reduction of from ten to fifteen per cent in wages is an absolute necessity. Most of the factories throughout the country have been closed for some time, and the manufacturers claim that operations will not be resumed unless the bottle blowers agree to the terms of the new scale.

OCTOBER elections in Ohio are done away with forever. Hereafter, this State, like every other State in the Union, will hold her elections in November, which will not only be a great saving of money to the people, but will prevent the thieves and pensioners who prey upon the State, and the Legislature was in doubt, and a few votes either way might determine the result. The Democracy have been cheated so often and so outrageously, especially at Presidential elections, that a spirit of resistance against the great wrong has become intense and bitter, and is liable to break out at any time in open revolution. The Democracy want nothing but what is right, and most assuredly they will submit to no repetition of wrong. If the Republicans have a majority in the Legislature, fairly, honestly and legally obtained, every good Democrat will gracefully submit to the verdict of the people; and if the Democrats have the Legislature, obtained in like manner, the Republicans should cheerfully acquiesce in the result.

A YOUNG man named Clark M. Seeds, a school teacher, who has been engaged in the diabolical work of wrecking trains on the Midland Railroad, between Columbus and Cincinnati, has come to grief through the adroit management of Detective Norris, who dressed himself in striped clothes, and played the role of an escaped penitentiary convict, thus completely winning himself into the confidence of Seeds, and when all the arrangements were completed for the wrecking of a freight train, detective Mahoney, of Columbus, suddenly appeared, and in attempting to arrest Seeds the latter fought desperately, and finally made his escape on horseback, ridden with bullets. He was afterwards found at the residence of Dr. Helmick, Harrodsburg, where he went to have his wounds dressed. He is now safe in jail at Columbus.

REV. DR. LEONARD, late Provisional candidate for Governor, in a dispatch to the New York Voice, says: "The Republicans have caused Ohio by securing the support of the liquor vote. The party will now be obliged to stand by the liquor interest. The Republican party is pledged to both suppress the evils of the traffic and protect the saloon interest—a task it will not be able to perform."

LEONARD seems to like it. A dispatch from Springfield says he wants to run again for Governor, believing he can do better the next time. In the mean time he should not challenge to the office of Mr. Foraker to discuss the whiskey question, when, possibly, he might succeed in smoking out the artful dodger, and get him to say whether he is for or against prohibition.

GIBSON ATTORNEY, one of the Democratic candidates for Supreme Judge, ran behind his ticket in many counties in the State, purely on account of the charges that were made against him by the Catholic Columbian, at Columbus. Mr. Atherton, in justice to himself and his party, will give the Columbian an opportunity to substantiate its charges in a court of justice.

ADAMS county, which usually gives from 300 to 500 Democratic majority, gave Foraker 282, and elected a Republican member of the Legislature by 400 majority. Adams is the home of John P. Leedom, Sergeant-at-Arms of the U. S. House of Representatives, a particular pet of Johnny McLean, but this result does not speak well for his influence at home.

EDWARD HIGGINS has had his photograph taken, and is shown "with a smile on his guileless face." The artist probably said: Now Mr. Higgins, just imagine that you had been ordered to turn over old-time Republican in your department." Then Higgins smiled.

THE work of canvassing the returns of the election in Hamilton county, has been progressing for over a week past, and will probably be completed by Thursday. Both sides are claiming a victory, and crying "Fraud!"

A WASHOUT on the Sny Kill Canal at Birdsboro, at a spot called Six Mile Level, caused a breach in the embankment of 100 feet, from which the water flowed in immense volumes, flooding the country, and causing great damage and alarm.

JULIUS DEXTER, a wealthy and leading Republican of Cincinnati, has been arrested, charged with perjury in swearing that John Miner and Patrick Kelly, judges of the election at Precinct F 19th ward, had removed the ballot-box after the count commenced.

At the depth of 106 feet, a natural gas well was struck at Rochester, N. Y. last week. The rock from the bottom of the well was produced in a strata underlying nearly half the city.

THE Democrats of Hardin did nobly at the late election. They elected their Treasurer by a majority of 144, and only lost their Representative by 18, their Sheriff by 75, Coroner by 30, and Inferior Director by 45. Last year the Republican majority in Hardin was 570. Bro. Flanagan, shout.

OUR opinion is asked in regard to the result of the New York election in November. We have no opinion on the subject. There are so many factions and "tail" organizations in the Democratic party in that political Nazareth, that we can expect no good to come out of it.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND appointed one Vincent Chief Justice for New Mexico, but upon learning that he had been an associate with the notorious Steve Dorsey in some of his jury packing outrages, he promptly annulled the appointment.

THE faithful old Mansfield Shield and Banner says: The Knox County Democrats did well on Tuesday, carrying the county by 158 majority, and electing their Representative and other county officers.

ALREADY the Philadelphia Press proposes John Sherman for President, and Ira Davenport, of New York, for Vice President in 1888. This means a revival and continuation of the war.

THE last Fredericktown Free Press was an unusually readable paper—its best reading matter being copied from the BANNER. Do it some more, Doctor, and make your readers happy.

THE fellows who were so liberally stuffed with money and whiskey by the Republicans to secure their votes, will become very dry before another election comes round.

MR. VAN CLEAF, the Democratic candidate for Senator in the Franklin-Pickaway district, had no Republican opposition. His majority over Fetheroff, (Pro.) is 13,795.

NOW that the Republicans have obtained power in Ohio, laboring men will be looking anxiously for the "two dollars a day and roast beef," that was promised.

NEWS ITEMS.

HIRAN W. DONLEY, an old citizen of Lebanon, O., is dead.

John Hixon, of Urbana, O., was killed by cars at Creston, Iowa.

Cholera is playing havoc among the hogs of Hancock county, O.

A congress of the Episcopal Church was begun at New Haven, Conn. Tuesday. An association to prevent burial before death has been formed at Bridgeport, Conn.

President Iglesias will take command of the Provisional army against the revolutionists.

Michael Gallagher was crushed to death by loaded cars in a coal mine at Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Since January 28 the Governor of New York has issued 103 restorations of convicts to citizenship.

Teresa Desari and her husband, Italians, attempted suicide in a New York prison, cell Saturday.

Chief Engineer Vanhookenow, U. S. N., attached to the Iroquois, now at Patuxent, Md., died of cholera.

Benjamin Burton, found dead at Newport, R. I., is thought to have been murdered by a relative.

Several iron mills at Reading, Pa., which have been idle for two years and upward, are to resume work.

Private Wood, of the Seventh cavalry, shot and killed Post Interpreter George P. Carter at Fort Buford, D. T.

The faculty of St. Mary's College, Emmettsburgh, Md., passed resolutions in honor of the late Cardinal McCloskey.

A resident of Shenandoah, Pa., was run over on the Catawissa branch of the Reading Railroad and his body torn to pieces.

A young girl retired in a prominent Uicla hotel without turning off the gas. She was found unconscious and subsequently died.

Long Lambbrick was accidentally shot and killed at Homestead, N. J., by Henry Willmar, who was casually examining a gun.

A young woman registering at the National Hotel, Terre Haute, Ind., as Sadie Price, of Union City, committed suicide by taking poison.

Senator Dan Cameron is retarding home much improved in health. There is no foundation for the report that he intends to resign his seat.

Cardinal McCloskey's will bequeathed his estate to Archbishop Corrigan, Bishops McLaughlin, of Brooklyn and McKenney, of Albany, N. Y.

Wm. Evans, living near Springfield, O., who had been in health and despondent for some time, borrowed poison from a neighbor and committed suicide.

He May Not be Eligible. ZANESVILLE, O., October 18.—Quite a ripple of excitement was created yesterday by a rumor that Mr. David Stewart, one of the Republican Representatives-elect from this county, was not an elector and was consequently ineligible to office.

An investigation of the records of the Probate Court showed that Mr. David Stewart took out his naturalization papers on October 9, 1858, swearing at the time that he was twenty-one years of age, but failing to give the month or day of his birth, as required by law, thus leaving his eligibility somewhat in question. In case of Mr. Stewart's ineligibility Hon. C. E. Addison, who received the highest vote of any Democratic candidate, would be entitled to Mr. Stewart's seat.

Riot at Pittsburgh. PITTSBURGH, October 19.—A serious disturbance occurred at the Sunday exhibition of Captain Paul Boyton here. Thirty thousand people assembled on the river bank, and the excitement was so great that the three boats provided being inadequate to accommodate the throng, a crowd of men, women and children, when a rush was made for the boats, sinking the Geneva, and causing a panic on the Edna and Alice. A mob of toughs completely gutted the latter boats, knocking down and robbing the ticket sellers, and three several of the ticket takers into the river. A number of the leaders were arrested.

Blacksnaked His Wife's Assistant. ELIZ, Pa., Oct. 18.—A sensational horsewhipping case was made public yesterday, and William Tryon had a warrant issued for the arrest of Leroy Young, alleging that Young gave him a terrible flogging with a "blacksnake" whip. To justify the whipping Young says that Tryon caught his wife while walking in the woods and attempted to make her a victim of a shocking crime. He said that he was angry because she had been unfaithful to him, and he had been deceiving the punishment not commensurate with the offense, best him as he could, he could feel the lash around his body.

SHERIFF'S SALE. C. G. Cooper & Co., vs. J. C. Kinnel, et al. In Knox Common Pleas. BY virtue of a writ of Vendit Exponas issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Knox County, Ohio, and do hereby give notice that I will offer for sale on Monday, November 2nd, 1885, the following property, to-wit: One Twelve Horse Power Engine, and One Separator, as the property of C. J. Rogers, deceased.

Terms of Sale—CASH. ALLEN J. BRACH, Sheriff Knox County, Ohio. A. R. McIntire, Atty. 22oct21w3 75

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"Stoga Kip Boots, 2.00

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The Banner.

ALL SORTS.

The Morgan collection of flowers now being sold in New York cost more than \$300,000.

Hamilton Blount undertook to boss a negro dance at Indian Creek, Va., and was shot dead.

Somewhat late in the day the inhabitants of Syracuse have erected a monument to Archimedes.

Henri Greville, the French novelist, will begin a series of lectures in Boston about November 10.

A New Haven man has sent a check for \$2,500 to D. L. Moody, to be used in his work as an evangelist.

"A parlor maid who knows her place and fears the Lord" has been advertised for in an English paper.

A hoodlum party raided a ballroom at New Orleans. One of the dancers was killed and several injured.

Cardinal Newman was received into the Roman Catholic church forty years ago on the 9th instant.

Oscar Wilde has re-entered the lecture field with his hair cut and English trousers on his lower limbs.

Senator Coke, of Texas, says that prohibition is the mania of women who think that babies are a nuisance.

The \$100,000,000 silver coin put on board a man-of-war at New Orleans, carried the ship down two and one-half feet.

Senator Gray, of Delaware, who was elected to succeed Senator Bayard, is one of the handsomest members of that body.

Wm. Evans, a good boy but despondent, got out on parole on his last day at Springfield, and died in exercising agony.

The biggest thing now afloat on the Great Lakes is the City of Cleveland, a mammoth double-decker, just launched at Detroit.

Findlay Democrats choose W. H. Hammaker to finger their letters. He will probably be commissioned for the second time.

Forest has chromo, a bull dog, and a copy of Ohio statistics of 1879, for the man who will start a foundry and machine shop there.

Sir Arthur Sullivan and Mr. R. D'Oyle Carte have sailed for England. Mrs. Helen Lenoir remains here in charge of Mr. Carte's affairs.

Secretary Whitney will add a ballroom to the Frelinghuysen mansion, which he will occupy during his residence at Washington.

Two sections of a freight train collided at Annapolis station, on the Reading railroad. Thirty cars were wrecked, but no one was injured.

Two trains collided at Black Creek Junction, on the Lehigh Valley railroad, resulting in the destruction of a locomotive and forty cars.

Robert Dowdy, Wooster's murderer, was not granted a new trial, and sentenced to the pen Saturday for life. Wayne county's first life man.

At Caledonia, New York, a week ago occurred the marriage of Miss Anna McFarland, who enjoyed a fortune of \$70,000, and John Barker, her coachman.

Editor Pulitzer, of the New York World, is said to have forbidden, on pain of dismissal, any person employed on his paper to run for a political office.

A number of Buffalo physicians are forming a "protective and collective agency," by which they hope to save themselves from the depredations of frauds.

Canon Farrar will deliver lyceum lectures on secular subjects "only on certain conditions." The certain conditions are a certainty of \$300 per lecture.

Lord Bishop of London has been placed in charge of the Senate restaurant, and under his management no "cold cut" will be served. Shades of Jackson!

A Byfield (Mass.) farmer bought a large quantity of campaign torches last fall, and has stuck them about his garden keeping them lighted at night to kill the frost.

The bicycle is to be introduced in some European armies. If this is because it is an instrument of death it would be much better to substitute the American baseball.

W. R. Travers, New York's millionaire humorist, who had a release on Friday, thought to be improving now. He is still at Baltimore, where he was visited by Secretary Bayard.

Josh Billings is said to have been the only man, barring the single exception, possibly, of Artemus Ward, who ever wanted to thrash a compositor for correcting his spelling.

Sam W. Snell ("Old Sam") of the Atlanta Constitution, recently preached in that city to a very large audience. He was recently "converted" under the influence of San Jones.

A temperature of over 100 in the shade was reported a week ago in several portions of California, and the intense heat was said to be doing serious injury to the grape crop.

Heidelberg University will celebrate the five-hundredth anniversary of its existence next August. A festival capable of holding 5,000 persons will be erected for the occasion.

Pomegranate is a new Southern drink for which rare virtues are claimed in the way of taste, health and refreshing quality. It consists of the juice of half of a sour pomegranate, diluted with water.

America Ahead.—Peculiar Characteristics of American Character.—The Evils and How Restored.

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