

Weekly Monitor.

BRIDGETOWN, SEPTEMBER 20, 1876.

THE BREAKING DAY.

Diurnally we have light and dark days; and these contrasts are often used in illustrating the changing aspects of human affairs.

For some three or four years a cloud of darkness has been resting upon the mercantile and industrial interests of the world.

There are some, however, who imagine they already discern indications of "better times." Say they, "if the night has been dark and long, the day is breaking."

It is a trite saying that "there is no effect without a cause," and this truth being admitted, it cannot be denied that the prevailing depression is the result of wide-spread wrong-doing in matters of business.

An interview the other day with a patriarch of fourscore and four years, who prompted these remarks on the brevity of human life, and on the comparative uselessness of those who pass the divinely indicated bounds of "three score years and ten."

A very strange incident in the lives of George Sand and Frederick Chopin is told in the Music Trade Review, on the authority of Louis Blanc.

Some men talk of "luck in trade," as if success depended on chance. They seem to imagine that the result of business is as uncertain as the shuffling of a pack of cards, and that if trumps are dealt to them they may play a winning game.

A good man of old, under the influence of divine inspiration, in addressing his Maker, said: "Behold, thou has made my days as an handbreadth."

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WHAT A CALIFORNIA LABORER FOUND.

One of the workmen engaged in excavating from the foundation of Col. Martin's new building on First Street, San Francisco, near the express office, recently struck his spade against a substance not usually met in the loam here abounding, and a moment later the deliver brought to light the neck of a large earthen jar, of very primitive style.

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CAUTION! I hereby forbid any person or persons harbouring or trusting my wife, Rebecca A. Pomeroy, on my account, as I will not be accountable for any debt or debts contracted by her.

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