

them carry some things for them, probably to their own wounded husbands, and saying, "Eh! ye cowardly devils, this is all you're fit for, to be our servants; you are afraid to fight!" And on our return I saw a young middy drawn up before some 50 of them, abusing them most heartily for their having run away. One of them made a sign as if he were going to draw his sword, when master middy sang out, "Oh," said he, "I'm not afraid of you, such a set of cowards as you are," sets his arms a-kimbo, and then stood, the picture of a young lion, and, I should say, about as brave.

THE COWARDLY TURKS TURNED OUT FROM BALAKLAVA.—The greatest indignation was expressed by our sailors and soldiers at the extraordinary cowardice displayed by the Turks. It was with difficulty that the former could be restrained from giving vent to their feelings in an unpleasant manner. The Turks, who had fled in the morning into Balaklava, were summarily ejected from that place, and they now occupy a piece of ground outside of the port. These scamps did not confine themselves to actual cowardice but had the villany to plunder many of the tents of the Scots Greys whilst the latter were absent fighting. They were also seen despoiling alike the British and Russian dead of their boots and clothing. It is said that the officer who commanded the first redoubt, and who, it would seem, was the very first to fly, has been tried by court-martial, and shot. This, if true, is an excellent innovation on Turkish military customs.

RUSSIA DRAINING ENGLAND OF GOLD.—The Philadelphia Ledger remarks that it is a curious fact that the blockade of the Russian harbors, so far from reducing the exports of Russia, has only diminished the capacity of England to pay for those exports otherwise than in gold. This extraordinary result has been brought about by the Russians shipping their hemp, hides, tallow, &c., from Prussian ports, while they have not received in exchange, as formerly, their raw cotton, coffee and sugar from the London merchants. Thus while England has received thirty-five million dollars worth of Russian produce since the commencement of the war, she has given Russia but six millions worth of goods in return. For all these articles from Russia, England has been obliged, of course, to pay double prices, so that besides being unable to barter off her own ordinary share of tropical products for the productions of her enemy, she is compelled to contract nearly twice as great a debt as usual to obtain the quantity of Russian articles she requires.—She is therefore obliged to disburse gold to an unprecedented amount, and thus, furnishes the Czar with those very sinews of war in which he is most deficient. The Ledger says: "This condition of affairs is attracting the attention of the British press. Many journals are even calling for a return to the old practice of seizing enemies goods in neutral bottoms. The large quantities of lead shipped to Prussian ports, and thence carried into Russia to be manufactured into musket balls, has particularly exasperated the British press.

The recent report that news had been received at Lake Superior from Dr. Kane, of this expedition, that he had discovered Sir John Franklin's remains, is erroneous, without any doubt. Neither the expedition nor Dr. Kane could have been heard from in that direction. The Commercial Advertiser intimates that measures will be taken by the Chamber of Commerce of that city, in co-operation with Mr. Grinnell, Dr. Kane's father, and others, to urge upon Congress the propriety of immediate steps to assure the safety of the expedition.—Montreal Herald.

FIT FOR THE LAW.—An old lady walked into a lawyer's office lately, when the following conversation took place: Lady: Squire, I called to see if you'd like to take this boy and make a lawyer of Lawyer: How old is he? Lady: Seven years sir. Lawyer: He is too young—decidedly too young. Have you no older boys? Lady: Oh yes, I have several; but we have concluded to make farmers of the other. I told my good man I thought that this little fellow would make a first-rate lawyer, and so I called to see if you would take him. Lawyer: No, ma'am, he is too young yet to commence the study of the law. But why do you think this boy so much better calculated for a lawyer than the other sons? Lady: Why, you see, sir, he is just seven years old to-day: when he was only five he'd lie like all nature when he got to be six he was sassy and impudent as any creature could be, and now he'll steal everything he can lay his hands on.—New Yorker.

The Irish American says the Know-Nothing excitement is having the effect, already, to check Irish immigration. The Editor says:—"A great many Irish in America are returning to Ireland—and the Irish in Ireland turning their faces anywhere than here. The 'Know-Nothings' are exceedingly delighted, and are about to hold a public demonstration of rejoicing upon the subject. It was once written on the bridge of Bandon, County Cork—

Turk, Jew, or Atheist
May enter here, but not a Papist.
Some wag cut on the stone underneath—
"Whoever wrote this, wrote it well,
The same is wrote on the gates of hell."
The editor of a western paper thus introduces some verses:—"The poem published this week was composed by an esteemed friend who has lain in the grave for many years, merely for his own amusement."

It has been decided by the legal tribunals in the United States that a free negro is not entitled to any of the rights of a citizen, or to maintain a suit before the United States Circuit Court.

INSTINCT OF ANIMALS.—The instinct of the dog, the cat, and the rat, are so well known, that one anecdote will suffice to illustrate the three. A terrier and a tom cat were pursuing a large rat down the street. The rat was almost caught, when it dodged suddenly and ran into a sausage shop. The cat and dog stopped convulsively at the door, and, looking at the sausages, hung their heads, and slunk away terror-stricken.

"Willie," said a doting parent at the breakfast table, to an abridged edition of himself, who had just entered the grammar class at the high school—"Willie, my dear, will you pass the butter?"—"Certainly, sir; I like to parlie anything. Butter it's a common thubthantive, neuter gender; agreeeth with 'hot roth'; and in London, it's governed by 'hog' th' land—understood."

A CURE FOR NERVOUS PEOPLE.—A clergyman was once sent for in the middle of the night by one of his congregation. "Well, my good woman," said he, "so you are very ill, and require the consolation of religion? What can I do for you?" "No," replied the old lady, "I am not very ill I am only nervous, and can't sleep." "How can I help that," asked the parson. "Oh, sir, you always put me to sleep so nicely when I go to Church, that I thought if you would only preach a little for me!" They say that the parson "made trucks" in less than no time.

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