



The Weekly Monitor.

BRIDGETOWN, AUGUST 28, 1877.

There passed our office on Monday afternoon, the remains of an Indian maiden, followed to the grave by a number of the descendants of the aborigines of this country.

In fancy we see the smoke curling up from some sequestered spot where the council fire has been lighted, and the great chiefs and warriors have assembled to talk over the affairs of the nation, or commence the war dance before departing upon the war path to avenge themselves upon some hostile tribe.

Years ago, centuries, have rolled away since just such scenes as we have tried to depict were no doubt transacted in the lovely valley then in all its primeval beauty, and in which we are now so peacefully dwelling.

READINGS.—Poetic Readings, consisting of Select Poems, from various authors, will be given by J. W. Hersey Esq. in Tupper's Hall, on Thursday evening next, 9th inst. Reading to commence at 8 o'clock. Admission, 25 cents.

PIE-NIC.—A picnic is to be held on the Berwick Camp Grounds, on Friday the 10th inst. The Hon. Alexander MacKenzie is to be present, and will address those assembled.

BERRIES.—In the upper part of this and the adjoining county of Kings, the crop of all kind of berries has been very prolific this season, and large quantities have been gathered and sent to market.

ENTERTAINMENT.—We understand that Wm. Warwick Esq., of Lawrence town, intends throwing open his mansion soon for a grand entertainment, the proceeds of which are for the benefit of the Wesleyan Church, Middleton, now being built to replace the one recently destroyed by fire.

GOOD CATCH.—The schooner Queen, of Littlefield, has washed out her second fare of fish of two hundred gals. caught in fourteen days, making about four hundred quintals secured this season.—Journal.

DEATH FROM HER MAJESTY.—The Queen has been pleased to send Mrs. Jane McCullough, widow of Bear River, and daughter of the late Lieut. James Anderson, who served in the regiment under the command of His late Royal Highness, the Duke of Kent, her father, at Halifax, the sum of £20 sterling, to relieve the pecuniary demands of her requirements in her old age.—Daily Courier.

NEW VESSEL.—The keel of a new vessel was laid down during the past week in the yard at Granville Ferry which is to be ready for launching in November next. Her dimensions are—keel, 85 feet, beam, 24 feet, depth of hold, 10 feet. She will be owned by Messrs. Wm. McCormick, Jas. E. Shafer, Robt. Delap, Troop & Irvine, and Capt. Joseph Hall, who is also to be her commander. Her rig will be that of a brigantine.—Journal.

THE FISHERY COMMISSION.

From the Toronto Globe.

The term "sharp practice" is frequently applied to American diplomatic action, but seeing that the characteristic so termed is both consistently and persistently practised by our neighbors in determining treaty and other international rights obligations, there is room for believing that it may arise from a radical difference of moral standard rather than from any intention of deceiving their language and ours, so it is possible that there may have arisen a divergence in our respective notions of what is strictly honorable.

The Subscriber being desirous of making a change in his business, offers his house well known as the Middlesex Hotel, for sale or rent.

CATTLE IN POUND.

THE Pound Keeper at Hampton, Bay Shore, has in pound the last month, the following lot of cattle:— One three years old Steer, mark, square crop of left ear.

Granulated Sugar.

100 B BLS. Granulated Sugar. Land-Ex. "Guaranteed."

New Weighing Scale!

The subscriber tenders his thanks to the general public who have so largely patronized his dry goods store for the last twenty years as a largely of Hay, Stock, &c., and as he has just had a more modern and capacious scale erected on the old stand.

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Miscellaneous.

HOW SOME RACES WERE WON.

When the fair season was unfolding, a keen jockey living near the State Capital had a horse that had made his mile in 2:15...

MEN OF STRAW—THE ORIGIN OF THE PHRASE.

It would seem that the above designation is not exclusively applicable to the particular class of men who have borne it in modern times...

WHAT THE BIRDS ACCOMPLISH.

The swallow, swift and night hawk are the guardians of the atmosphere. They check the increase of insects that would otherwise overtake it...

ICE WATER.

The Cincinnati Commercial has recently published a series of articles pointing out the evil effects of ice water, and condemning its use in the strongest terms...

MORE OIL.

Allan McDonald Talloch, West Lake Annisie, has discovered a sort of cavern on his farm near the shore of the Lake, which shows sure indications that an immense body of oil is hidden in close proximity...

A REMEDY FOR BED-BUGS.

A correspondent writes to the "British Medical Journal" as follows: "The best remedy for bedbugs is a bug-a-bug made by boring holes in a piece of wood with a gimlet and placing in the holes the mixture of such and such of wood to be placed periodically in Indian hospital water. This is an English firm is negotiating with the Viceroy of Egypt for a concession giving it the right to export from old Egyptian cemeteries, which will be made into phosphate manures for English acres...

SOMETHING WORTH REMEMBERING.

Men are drowned by raising their heads above the unobeyed weight of which death neither motions. Other animals have learned and therefore act in a similar manner when they fall into water, they rise to the surface and continue there if it does not elevate his hands. If he moves his hands under water in any way he drowns, his head will rise so high as to give free liberty to breathe, and if he will use his legs, as in the act of walking (or rather walking up) his shoulders will rise above the water, so that he may use less exertion with his hands to apply them to other purposes. These plain directions are recommended to the recollection of those who have not learned to swim in their youth, as they may be found highly advantageous in many cases.

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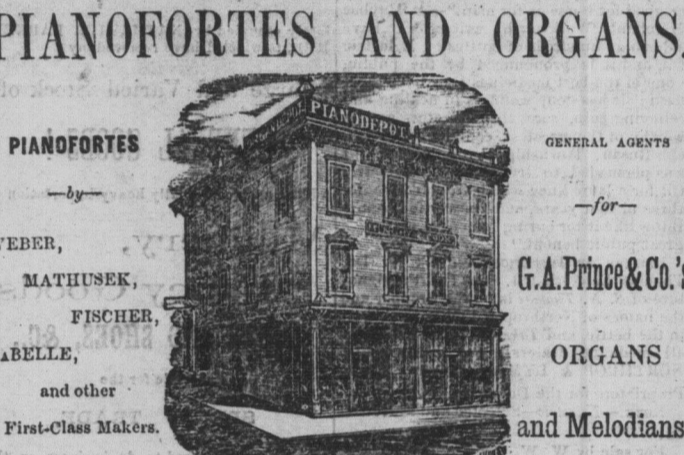
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Jokers' Corner.

A CLEVER RUSE.

A Paris paper says: A gentleman was seated before the Cafe Miche, when a young artist passed with his companion.

"I will bet you," said the artist to his friend, "I will drink that gentleman's coffee and he will thank me for doing it."

"You are crazy."

"You will see."

"You know him then."

"Come and see the proceeding for yourself."

Very solemnly they approached the gentleman.

"Sir," said the artist, "I am an inspector of the Board of Health. If I ask for coffee they will give me without doubt a very good cup, for they know me. You, sir, whom they do not know, are served like the rest of the world. Will you permit me to taste your coffee?"

"Certainly," said the gentleman.

"This is really good, the government has great care over the people. The police cannot be too watchful over the public health."

The artist drank the coffee, and having finished it said politely, "They do things properly at this cafe; this is excellent coffee."

He bowed and left the gentleman to pay for the coffee he had not had, but profoundly grateful for the care of the government.

INFLUENCE OF GREENBACKS.

He looked like a man who might have had fifteen cents last fall, but who had used the last of it weeks ago.

When he sat down in the restaurant the waiter paid no heed to him, and he rapped several times before a colored man slid that way.

"I want fried oysters," said the man as he looked over the bill of fare.

"Do you just out, fried oysters is," replied the waiter.

"Bring me a chicken, then."

"Here isn't a chicken in de place."

"Got any venison?" inquired the man.

"Not an inch, sah."

"Any ham and eggs?"

"No, sah."

"See here," said the man getting vexed, "I want a square meal. I've got the ducks right here, and I can pay for my dinner and buy your old coopshop besides."

He lifted a big roll of greenbacks out of his pocket, shook it at the darkey and continued:—

"I have you a chicken?"

"Yes, sah, I guess so, sah; I've had the biggest kind of a belief dat since we commenced to talk a chicken has blown right into de kettle and been cooked. And now about dat venison and dose fried oysters—dey has also arrived."

NOT WHAT HE MEANT.

"Can I get a room to sleep in to night?" asked a gentleman who had just arrived from the North on the evening train of the hotel clerk.

The clerk thought a moment and then remarked:—"I'll have to put you in 27 I reckon."

"I'm a stranger here, and not well posted about your manners and customs, but as I never slept in twenty-seven rooms at once before, I will be satisfied with one room with twenty-seven in it, if that will answer your purpose as well?" was the comment of the stranger.

All that the clerk said was that if he kept on being hotel clerk until another railroad arrived here, there would be no end to his knowledge.

MATRIMONIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

The following correspondence took place between a young Baltimore lady contemplating matrimony and a lady friend in San Francisco, whose father was on a visit to Baltimore:—

"Dear—: I have your father's consent to your serving as bridesmaid. Will you come?"

To which the following laconic answer was received in a few hours:—

"Dear—: You bet. What is the color of your dress?"

The following concise response was sent:—

"Dear—: Navy blue, and hurry up."

A colored man, who was lately resuscitated from what seemed death, but who was cantelepy, was entertaining his friends with the sights he beheld in the other world:—

"Plenty colored brethren in heaven, I spec, Tom."

"Oh, yes!" said Tom.

"And how about hell—any down dar?" asked another interlocutor.

"Oh, yes! massa, plenty of dem der too."

"Lord sabs us, dar ain't no end on 'em, but, by gosh, massa, ebry white man done got a nigger holding between him and de fire."

A DIFFERENT SPELL.

"Before we were married," said he to a friend, "she used to say 'by-by' so sweetly as I went down the steps."

"And now what does she say?" asked a friend.

"Oh! just the same," exclaimed the man, "buy buy." "Ah! I see," said the other; "she only exercises a little different spell over you."

Hens do not usually do half so much damage in a garden as does the woman who goes out to throw things at them.

"You seem to walk more erect than usual, my friend." "Yes, I have been straightened by circumstances."

The married ladies of a Western city have formed a "Come-home-husband club." It is about four feet long, and has a brush on the end of it.

Ninety-nine out of a hundred people make a great mistake when they cut off a dog's tail in throwing away the wrong end.

What species of love is that which is never reciprocated? A neurological affection.

A man with water on the brain should wear a plug hat.

THE RIGHT KIND POULTRY FARM.

A considerable number of trees for shade and shelter from rain (for it is not desirable the fowls should be forced into the houses in rainy weather) are needed, and crop-bearing trees would necessarily be selected, which should not only shelter the birds, but at the same time yield a considerable return of their own. Apples, pears, plums, and a clump of alberts should also be in every run, to afford shelter better than standards would be obtained, which only assumes 30a. worth of fruit from each half-acre run. We may be asked, "Who is to do all these things?" We reply that if poultry farming is ever to pay it must be conducted like every other kind of wholesale business, and every possible thing must be thought of by which returns may be increased or expenses reduced to well-ordered system, in which everything necessary is done at small cost possible expense—or, to put it in plain way of our own, in which capital is freely employed to save expenditure of revenue—the levianth establishments which are the pride of civilized nations have been built up, and the perfect way of our own, in which capital is put to work on a large scale we have no successful experience to fall back upon. Such experiments as have been made were failures; and it is therefore all the more necessary to supplement such a want by the most anxious thought and care regarding all details which can bear upon the result.

DESTROYING PLANT INSECTS.

At this season of the year aphids and thrips are apt to be very troublesome, and from the fact that many greenhouses attached to villa residences are badly constructed, an effectual fumigation by means of tobacco smoke in these ordinary ways becomes somewhat difficult. My own house is a case in point. The roof is so loosely constructed that the smoke passes away through the opening before the insect pests are destroyed. I am therefore led to adopt a plan of my own. Once a week I put some soft soap and some flowers of sulphur into four gallons of soap-suds, mixing all well together. The next process is to turn the plant heads up-ward and immerse their heads in the soapy solution; but before doing this I prepare a circular piece of stiff card with a hole half an inch in diameter, and a slit reaching from the center opening to the circumference of the card. This is then stretched so as to allow it to surround the stem of the plant, and by pressing the fingers of the left hand firmly against it and the rim of the pot when the plant is turned upside down no soil can fall into the mixture. By gently moving the head of the plant backward and forward in the solution, the leaves become cleansed of insects, and as a kind of soapy gloss clings to the leaves after they are dry, insects do not very soon infest them again.—The Gardener.

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