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## AMERICAN.

NEW YORK, 3.—The excise commissioners have adopted a resolution declaring that lager or malt beers are intoxicating liquors, that their sale on Sunday is in violation of law, and the board will not grant a licence to any place where music is introduced on Sunday. The 13th is the date fixed for the enforcement of the law.

At the inquest in Newark, over the body of young Nodler, it was disclosed that he and his cousin, Edward Buckler, were in love with the same woman, a young widow, and as the two could not marry her, and one did not wish to deprive the other of the possession of her, both agreed to commit suicide, and Nodler succeeded.

A Washington special says the second expedition to the arctic regions promises already to prove perhaps as signal a failure as the first, and from the same cause. The *Junata*, commander Braine, is hardly under way, when commander Greer, who is to have charge of the *Tigress*, writes to Commodore Ammen, "I will be in Annapolis on Thursday, and hope you will have instructions there for me to the effect that when I fall in with Braine, he shall not, without my consent, interfere with the personnel of my vessel. I care nothing for newspaper articles, but thus far the public mind seems to center on Braine, entirely omitting the *Tigress* and its officers. Now I don't care to have other men steal my thunder. If I find the *Polaris* before Braine comes home, I wish to have full charge of her, and power to detail such officers as I deem fit to assist in bringing her home. I hope under Providence to have a safe and prosperous voyage."

NEW YORK.—A sister of Colonel Mosby, of Confederate fame, has been appointed clerk in the dead letter office at Washington.

Special post office agent, A. Comstock, who acts as a detective for persons engaged in efforts to prevent the sending of improper articles through the mails, came in conflict yesterday with Dr. Selden, a witness for the defendant in a pending case, and each succeeded in drawing the blood of the other.

WASHINGTON.—The misfortune on the part of all expeditions to the North Pole, at least those fitted out in this country, is due to inordinate jealousy on the part of those in command of the vessels. This was sadly illustrated in the Hall expedition, and now the one that is being fitted out under the auspices of the navy department, is developing the same feature before it starts. Commander Greer, who is to take charge of the *Tigress*, writes to the navy department, that he wishes it clearly understood that Braine, who is in command of the *Junata*, which has gone to discover the *Polaris*, shall not interfere with the personnel of the *Tigress*. He also stipulates that if he, Greer, find the *Polaris* before Braine comes home, he shall have full charge of her and power to detail such officers of the *Tigress* as he sees fit to assist in bringing the *Polaris* home; and the probabilities are that a serious difficulty will arise between the commander of the *Junata* and the commander of the *Tigress*, as to the honor of the command of the expedition, unless the Secretary of the navy shall interfere with special instructions.

CLEVELAND, O., 3.—James Rossa, a butcher, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor, cause unknown.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., 3.—Last night Dewitt Comstock, while drunk, killed his wife by breaking her skull with a cobbler's stone, jealousy was the cause. Comstock gave himself up.

NEW YORK, 3.—Wm. J. Sharkey, for the murder of Robert S. Dunn, was sentenced this a. m., to be hanged on Aug. 15.

ST. LOUIS, 3.—The storms a few days past have done great damage to property of various kinds in this and adjoining States. At Springfield, Mo., on Tuesday night the Woolen mill of L. K. Smith was demolished and a large stock of wool and manufactured goods destroyed. The store house of E. L. Kroft was ruined and several buildings blown from their foundations and greatly injured. The Methodist church at Ottville, Mo., was totally destroyed and several houses badly damaged. The growing crops were also severely injured in many locations, the wheat particularly. In some places it is said that not

more than half the crop will be saved.

INDIANAPOLIS.—Judge George Bushkirk, a wealthy banker at Bloomington, Ind., shot a bar tender named Aaron Rose, in the right side yesterday p. m. Rose is in a critical condition.

WASHINGTON.—The California Central Pacific Railroad Company having refused to deliver government freight at San Francisco without the prepayment of charges accruing in the railroads west of Omaha, the attorney general decides that this act is in violation of law, and that a suit will be brought against the company for the delivery of freights without the payment of such charges.

HUDSON, N. Y., 3.—A collision on the Hudson branch of the Boston and Albany railroad this p. m., caused the death of one person, and severely wounded six others.

HARTFORD.—The Senate, today passed resolutions condemning the back pay bill of Congress, and commending the Senators and Representatives from this State for opposing it. The Senate repealed the bill providing for a constitutional convention, and passed a bill giving the appointment of Railroad Commissioners to the government instead of to the legislature.

The heat, to-day, exceeded that of any day this summer, the thermometer, during the afternoon, ranging from 97 to 98 in the shade.

The London *Economist*, of June 27, has a leading article on the bill for increasing the circulation of the Bank of England, from which it appears that the British government cannot take the proposed action without the consent of parliament.

Three families bound to Chicago, arrived here recently from Germany, and while in charge of the board of immigration were kidnapped by runners and sent to North Carolina, where, after working a month at the roughest kind of farm work, they escaped and begged their way back here, where they found their tickets in possession of the officers of emigration, which had been sent from friends in Chicago.

The *Express* says great indignation was expressed against the government to-day, by the Union Pacific bondholders, when they collected their interest.

Jeff. Davis is in town.

WASHINGTON.—In assuming the genuineness of the recently published extracts from the letter of commander Greer of the *Tigress*, in reference to what his conduct will be regarding the *Polaris*, and his declaration not to be interfered with by commander Braine, naval officers here express their surprise that he should have written such a letter, as he bears a high reputation for seamanship and for caution in the expression of his sentiments; besides they are more astonished at the temper of the letter, as the general character of commander Braine affords no ground for the assumption that he would undertake to interfere with commander Greer, who is in full charge of the expedition in search of the *Polaris*, while commander Braine is dispatched to make inquiries respecting that vessel on the Arctic Coast. The two expeditions are distinct, as are the instructions of the respective commanders.

The maximum temperature of this city to-day was 101 in the shade.

LOUISVILLE.—Three deaths occurred in this city to-day, the cause of which physicians pronounce to have been cholera.

ALBANY, N. Y., 3.—A fire at the U. S. Arsenal, at Watervliet, this afternoon, destroyed a warehouse and four sheds filled with lumber; loss \$40,000. The fire was caused by lightning.

NEW YORK.—The prizes of the winners in the late billiard tournament were presented this evening by H. W. Calender, at Chris. O'Connor's billiard rooms. The first prize, consisting of a silver champion challenge cup, the billiard table used during the tournament, and a money prize of \$1,127.31, was given to Albert Garnier; Cyrille Dion received a check for \$936.27 for the second prize; a diamond locket and \$645.19 were presented to Ubassy for the best general average; John Deery got a similar locket and \$322.10 for the third largest run; Maurice Daley received \$805.23, and Joseph Dion \$483.15. At the conclusion of the presentation ceremonies, a collation, provided by O'Connor, was partaken of.

A tornado this evening demol-

ished a shed 450 feet long in course of construction over the pier at the Hamburg S. Co., Hoboken. Fifty men at work in the building received warning barely in time to escape with their lives. Clinton Hall at Hoboken was also destroyed by the gale, three workmen were buried in the ruins and one fatally injured. A number of other buildings, and fruit and shade trees at Jersey City Heights and West Hoboken were damaged.

CINCINNATI, 3.—There were four deaths from cholera in the city to-day.

The river raised suddenly here, from nine to fifteen feet to-day, in consequence of heavy rains last night.

NASHVILLE, 3.—There were five deaths from cholera in this city to day, and five from other causes; no new cases reported.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., 3.—There were twenty interments here to-day, six of which were from cholera. The weather is clear and hot. The river is falling.

CINCINNATI, 3.—The Hamilton woolen mills, owned by Peter Shephard and Israel Williams, Hamilton, Butler county, Ohio, were burned at 2 o'clock this morning; loss \$30,000, insured for \$25,000. Opinions differ as to the cause of the fire. Some suppose the building was struck by lightning. Three men were injured, one fatally, by the falling of a roof during the fire.

PITTSBURG.—This evening about half past nine this vicinity was visited by a terrible wind and rain, the storm doing considerable damage in Alleghany, where Howe's circus was exhibiting at the foot of Robinson street. A whirlwind raised the centre pole out of the ground, causing the tent to fall. A panic was created, but nobody was killed. Several were bruised and two boys were badly cut about the head.

CLEVELAND.—This p. m. the men engaged in the water works tunnel struck a vein of gas, which ignited from the workmen's lamps and exploded with terrible force, severely burning and bruising Jos. McDonald, boss, and Geo. Dennon, a workman. Other explosions were heard and the tunnel commenced to fill with water immediately. The extent of the damage is not yet ascertained, though no serious damage to the tunnel is apprehended.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo.—The river is now within four and a half feet of high water mark of 1844, when the flood was the greatest ever known in Missouri. The river is still rising and has caused considerable damage to the St. Joseph and Council Bluffs railway track, near Nebraska city.

VISALIA, 3.—Frank Reid, a fireman who was run over by the cars at Tulare station, is dead.

Two children of Mr. Elster, living about fifteen miles east of here, were yesterday bit by a rattlesnake. One died in about six hours, the other is not yet affected by the poison.

A bull and bear fight are among the advertised amusements for tomorrow.

PALISADE, 3.—This morning a stranger, named Lewis Dallinger, committed suicide by drowning himself in the river at this place. He seemed determined to die, as he laid himself across the railroad track, so that the 11 o'clock train might run over him, but he was pulled off in time to save him. They have not succeeded in recovering his body yet.

Hollister & Pond's block, Main street, was burned to-day; loss \$30,000, insurance \$25,000.

NEW YORK, 5.—John Dennis, driver of a market wagon, was found in his wagon at Jamaica, Long Island, yesterday, having been fatally beaten and robbed by two negroes, to whom he had given a ride on his way home from market. The people of Jamaica turned out and scoured the woods for the murderers, but they are not captured yet.

MEMPHIS, 4.—There were thirteen interments to-day, five of cholera. The disease, while abating in the city, is spreading in the country adjacent to Memphis.

MILWAUKEE, 5.—A terrible storm swept over Wisconsin yesterday, and numerous heartrending disasters are reported. At Green Lake, Wisconsin, a number of pleasure seekers were on the lake when the storm struck them, capsizing the boats, and twenty souls were sent to eternity. The following are the only names that could be obtained: M. C. Russell and daughter, from Berlin, Wisconsin; Jennie Olin, a child of Mrs. Allis, Mrs. A.

P. Carman, Mrs. Geo. Harding, Wm. Blasham, wife and child, and Mrs. John Barn, are from Dartford. Further particulars will be got as soon as the lines will work.

NASHVILLE, 4.—Deaths from all causes in the city are fourteen, nine from cholera.

CINCINNATI, O., 5.—At Owensville, Ky., on Thursday, Wm. G. Satterfield was placed on trial for the burning of that place in April. While one Haydon was testifying in regard to being employed by Satterfield to burn the place, Satterfield and his friends rushed toward him with revolvers in hand, but several determined citizens interfered and averted a collision. Yesterday Satterfield and friends rode into town with double barreled shot guns and revolvers, and were met by Hoon, the jailer, and other citizens. Hoon fired at Satterfield, killing him instantly, when the rest of the party fled. Satterfield has been regarded as a dangerous and desperate character, and his death is not much regretted by the law-abiding citizens.

The like of the storms during the past three days has seldom if ever been seen in the States of Ohio and Indiana. Hurricanes and tornadoes with floods of rain have followed each other in rapid succession. The city and its immediate vicinity have escaped the fury of these storms. The country north of this parallel, in Indiana and Ohio, has suffered severely. Furious storms passed over it on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th insts., and the telegraph wires have been generally prostrated. At Springfield, Ohio, it is reported that the telegraph poles had been blown across the turnpikes so thickly in some places as to entirely obstruct travel. East of Springfield, on the Pacific and Atlantic telegraph line, there were two hundred poles down, some of them struck by lightning, others prostrated by wind. Passengers from Logansport say the storm yesterday leveled the trees nearly all the way from Logansport to Richmond, Indiana. In Richmond trees were blown down in the streets, one of which fell across an express wagon, breaking both the legs of the driver and crushing the wagon. At Troy, Ohio, a large cordage factory was unroofed. This side of Troy, on the line of the Dayton and Michigan railroad, houses were seen tumbling down, fences prostrated, fields of grain leveled, corn fields flattened, and in some instances the corn uprooted. Everywhere fields seemed like lakes of water. On the Zanesville road five bridges were washed away. No trains will go east of Circleville before Monday. A number of feet of the railroad track have been washed away. The same prostration of trees and devastation of crops are reported in this section of country as that further west. At Port Washington, O., about seventy miles east of Columbus, a storm of wind and rain last night uprooted trees and unroofed houses. At Washington, Indiana, the storm was exceedingly fierce. Sheaves of wheat were scattered about wildly, and carried many feet in the air. Everywhere in the belt north of this city was affected by the storm, whose centre seemed to be a few miles south in the latitude of Columbus. Testimony agrees as to its severity and destructiveness. The general prostration of telegraph poles is without parallel in the history of telegraph companies. An alarmingly large number were shivered to pieces by lightning and totally destroyed.

SAN FRANCISCO, 5.—The national anniversary was celebrated here on a grander scale than on any previous year. Thousands of flags floated in the breeze, and the streets were thronged with an immense number of people. The militia, civic societies, school children, etc., paraded at 11.30 a. m. and were an hour and a half passing any given point. There were nearly three thousand persons in line. After the parade literary exercises were indulged in at Horticultural Hall, consisting of an oration and poem. In the afternoon the master mariners' regatta was sailed. There were 31 entries. The champion flags of the respective classes were awarded to the schooner *N. L. Drew*, the scow *Columbia*, and the sloop *Gazelle*. At the various halls and gardens, games of ball, etc., were the order of the day.

NEW YORK.—Walworth, who shot his father, was sentenced this a. m. to imprisonment for life. Walworth was attended in court by his mother, brother, sisters and a number of relatives and friends. His

counsel, except Mr. Beach, were present. Mr. O'Connor sitting beside the young criminal. Walworth preserved the same demeanor which has characterized him throughout the trial, being apparently wholly insensible of the position he occupies in the estimation of the great body of the people. He heard, unmoved, the sentence to the State Prison for life. At the close he retired from the Court room, accompanied by his mother and the sheriff's officers. O'Connor is said to be endeavoring to induce the sheriff to allow Walworth to remain in the Toombs in the hope that of a pardon from the Governor may save him from the State Prison.

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Two gentlemen, two ladies and a boy were sailing in a boat at Chippewa, yesterday, and got into the rapids and were carried over Niagara Falls. Their names are unknown. Pieces of the boat have been recovered.

HEART'S CONTENT, N. F., 4.—Independence day, 1873. The laying of the cable #1873 was successfully completed this morning, shortly after midnight.

WASHINGTON.—Rear Admiral Alden, late commander of the European station, left Villa franca, June 10, in the U. S. steamer *Brooklyn* for New York.

The discovery, at Vienna, of a comet, has been announced to the Smithsonian Institute. The right ascension of comet no hours and seven minutes, right declination south, four degrees thirty-four minutes. Motion unknown.

BOSTON.—In South Acton, Mass., yesterday, Geo. Curtis, aged 8, enticed a boy named Lane, 3 years of age, into a wood, and there beat him with a club in a most shocking manner. Lane was soon discovered, but died of his injuries four hours after. The child murderer fled, but was arrested last evening in Cambridge.

The wife of Robert Gilpatrick died suddenly in Warwick street, Highlands, and her husband has been arrested, charged with beating her to death.

EASTPORT, Maine.—Four men from St. Stephen, on a fishing excursion, were drowned at Deer Island, N. B.

WHEELING, W. Va.—About 11 o'clock to-day, a man named Martin G. Evans, a painter, but at present in the employ of the signal service at Cincinnati, went to visit a Mrs. Dunlap in this city, whom he was very desirous of marrying. He was very jealous of a Mr. Flannagan, who boarded with Mrs. Dunlap. Upon entering the house he went directly to Flannagan's room, and finding him lying in bed, he drew a revolver. Flannagan jumped up and seized the weapon, and which, in the scuffle, went off, the ball injuring several fingers of Evans' hand, and passing through Flannagan's hand. Mrs. Dunlap and her sister rushed to the room, and Evans, upon observing her, tried to direct his pistol towards her, but Flannagan prevented it. A second shot passed through the skirt of Mrs. Dunlap's dress and lodged in a door, the third shot inflicted a scalp wound on Evans, the fourth shot lodged in his Evans' brain, causing his death in a few minutes. The parties cognizant of the affair relieve Flannagan of any intention to turn the course of the weapon towards Evans, his aim being evidently to secure the weapon for failing in that to prevent any injury being inflicted until the revolver was emptied.

CLEVELAND.—The Scioto River has overflowed the extensive broom corn fields in this vicinity, probably ruining from 500 to 1000 acres. The streams are high and the roads impassable between here and Columbus. No trains from the east since Thursday.

INDIANAPOLIS.—At Greensburg, Ind., yesterday, Wm. Odenholder shot and killed George Leisure. The parties were brothers-in-law, and a feud had existed between them several years. They were out squirrel hunting, and met in the woods and the quarrel was renewed. Leisure drew a knife, when Odenholder fired, killing Leisure instantly. He then surrendered himself to the officers, on the way to the town stopping to ask a man to see that Leisure's remains were properly taken care of.

NEW YORK.—Judge Davis, before passing sentence on young Walworth, said the evidence, in his opinion, justified the verdict, and he was not sure but it would have justified a verdict of murder in the first degree, although he could understand the motive which prompted the jury to render the