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TRUTH AND LIBERTY.

BREVITIES.

Paris has 22 daily political papers.

A salmon eight feet in length has been caught in Paris.

St. Louis is killing its unlicensed dogs at the rate of 500 a month.

Telegraph operators in France are ordered to wear uniforms and swords.

Mrs. Tol of Brooklyn is entirely helpless from paralysis, caused by tight lacing.

An illicit distiller in Chicago kept the revenue officers away by posting the sign "small pox" on the door.

An English sweeper of chimneys has been sentenced to twenty years penal servitude for beating one of his "sweepers" to death.

The Louisville Democrat thinks the ship of State suffers as much from running on the breakers as on the breakers.

The saw in a South Carolina mill was lately broken to pieces by striking a twenty-four pound shot, embedded in a pine log.

A home for the New York newboys, to cost \$30,000, is to be fitted up and paid for from the proceeds of the excise law.

There is a man living in Moultrie county, Ill., who has buried three wives and is now living with the fourth, and all within two years.

Garibaldi declines to be an American agent. It is too hot for him to suffer from lack of agents when the country has such lack of principal.

"Educational piano-fortes" are advertised. Punch thinks the most appropriate piece for performance upon them would be the "march of intellect."

Temple Bar, in London is to be demolished. It is one of the most ancient of the city landmarks.

In describing a new organ, a country editor says: "The swell died away in delicious suffocation, like one singing a sweet song under the bed-clothes."

A machine for removing the stones from cherries at the rate of one hundred a minute, is noticed as a recent invention. The New York Post commenting on this, says that a machine for boring shad would also be very popular, and hopes soon to hear of one.

A boarder at one of the hotels was recently observed to shed tears when the cheese was passed. Upon being asked the cause of this agitation he replied that "the cheese was a very moving sight."

"Owing to the very peculiar arrangement of the programme, no piece can be repeated," was the answer White received from his landlady, upon asking for a second piece of pie at dinner.

A letter from Sitka says that though the thermometer indicates a temperature of fifteen degrees below zero, the Indians come of their lodges in the morning and plunge into the water like so many seals.

The song "Tramp, tramp," was composed by a prisoner confined in the Iowa Penitentiary, and was first written on the walls of his cell with charcoal. It has netted the publishers thousands of dollars, but not one cent to the writer.

The word Free-Mason occurs for the first time in the statute of 22 Edward 1, (1328) entitled, "The Statute of Artificers and Servants," the third chapter of which fixes the rates of wages for Carpenters, Masons, Tilers, and other workmen on houses. The word Free-mason means one who worked in free-stone, as distinguished from the rough Mason, who merely built walls of rough unhewn stone.

The Knoxville Press says that Mr. William Staples of Poplar Creek, Roane County, has been making an excavation at a salt lick on his farm. After digging down about seven feet he struck a solid limestone rock. He found a well about eight inches in diameter, from which he procured salt water in a quantity sufficient to enable him to obtain salt by boiling a few gallons. Near the well he found the remains of a line of salt kettles, made from the same material as that used by the Indians for their home ware, such as plates, dishes, etc.

A child of five years having seen her father for the first time, he having been absent in California, was much astonished that he should claim any authority over her, and on an occasion of rebellion, as he administered punishment, she cried out: "I wish you had never married into our family."

The Bostonians are proud of their new St. James Hotel, which is nearly completed. It contains four hundred rooms, has the largest elevator in the country, has a kitchen where cooking for 1,000 can be done at once, has two miles of gas-pipes and seventeen miles of bell wire, has 500 heavy chandeliers, is truly a first-class hotel, the geographical centre of Boston, and Station, of the Astor House and Long Branch, is to be the landmark.

THE HEADMAN'S AXE.—The headman's axe of state, an interesting historical relic, is still preserved in the Tower. The probable date is the thirteenth century, from which time down to the present it has been occasionally used, and is still carried by the master jailor of the Tower. The staff is studded with brass nails over leather now almost worn through. When state prisoners were conveyed by barge from the Tower to Westminster to be tried, the master jailor stood in the bow, with the blade away from the prisoner; on the return, should he have been sentenced to death, the edge was directed toward him. Hall gives an account of the condemnation and subsequent execution of the Duke of Buckingham—"Then was the edge of the axe," says the chronicler, "turned toward him, and so led into a barge.—The British army, by Sir S. D. Scott, Bart.

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