THE DESERET NEWS

Using Big Words.

In Nashville, many years ago, there resided a gentleman of great hospitality, large fortune a d, though uneduca e', possessed of hardknot sense. Colonel W. had been e'ected to the Legislature and had also been Judge of Match Factory. the Coun y court. His nonors had made him in using big words. On his farm he had a large mischievous ox call d "Big Brindle," which frequently broke down his neighbor's fences, and committed other depredations, much to the Colouel's annoyance. One mornafter breakfast, in presence of gentlemen who had stayed with him over night, and who were now on th ir way to town, he called his overseer and said to hum:

"Mr. Allen, I des re you to impound 'B'g Brindle' in order that I may hear no more anima versions of his eternal depredations "

Allen bowed and walked off, sorely puzzled old Post Office, Main Street. to know what the Co'onel meant. So after Colonel W. left for town, he went to his wife and asked her what Colonel W. meant by telling him to 'impound' the ox?

"Why, he means to tell you to put him in a pen. "

Allen, after a great deal of trouble, sucereded in shutting up the ox. "Well," said he, wiping the perspiration from his blow and soliloquizing, "this is impounding, is it? Now, I'm dead sure the old Colonel will ask me if I impo nded Big Brindle, and I'll bet Ill puzzle him as bad as he did me."



The next day, the Colonel gave a dinner party, and, as he was not aristocratic, Allen, After the second or th rd glass was discussed. the Colonel turned to the overseer and sail:

"Mr. Allen, did you impound B g Brindle?"

"Yes, I did," answered Allen, "but old Brindle transcended the impannel of the impound and scatterlopbisticated all over the equanimity of the forest."

with discomfiture.

"What do you mean by that, sir?" said he.

"Why, I mean, Colonel," said Allen, that idea of the cholery, ripped and tared, snorted and pawed dirt, jumped the fence and tuck to the woods, and would not be impounded no how."

This was too much; the company roared again, in which the Colonel was forced to join, and in the midst of the laughter, Al en left the table, saying to himself as he went:

"I reckon the Colonel won't ask me to impound any more cattle."

Office-Seekers of the Olden Time.

pers, among the domestic scenes of the reign of Charles II., are these curious applications:

Jane Penning, widow. To be set down for Mistress Laundress to the Queen, on mediation of the Queen-Mother and of the Duchess of Orlean, his Majesty's sister, whom she has served nine years, chiefly without wages; lost two husbands in her Majesty's service, and has a heavy burden of debts and five distressed children.

Dame Martha Jackson, widow. For the place of Gentlewoman of the Horse and Lady of the Crup er to the Queen; also to be dilly, and Baroness of the Mews. Has suffered much for the service of horse and foot officers, and was once shot in the thigh. Robert de Foge for the place of Page of the back stairs or Greem of the Privy Chamber to the Queen, one of the choicest ravities of her sex in this our age. His Majes y, on sight of part of his collection or rarities, mainder of his rarities, collected in many foreign Courts during his exile. Elizabeth Carey, widow, prays that the pension granted her for service to the late King may be transferred, she being old and decrept, to her son Peter, who followed his Majesty to Oxford, and was there bitten by his dog Cupid. faithfully served during the late rebellion; Cromwell, but was taken in the gallery at failed to be sentenced to death by want of evidence on the trial. William, Earl of Airth and Monteith. For a warrant for making a Baronet, so that he may be enabled to subsist, until some satisfaction can be granted from the great sums due to him from the king, for want of which he is reduced to strange extremities.

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