

BREVITIES.

"Compound cathartic candy" is an Illinois production.

Twelve percent, per annum is the legal interest in Virginia now.

Portland flyers advertise "Peabody" and "Shoo-Fly" hats.

The fiftieth birthday of Maine as a State occurs next month.

Garibaldi was at Paris on the day of the great anti-Bonaparte demonstration, but left the same evening for London.

What is the difference between a man paralyzed with fear and a leopard's tail? One is rooted to the spot and the other is spotted to the root.

There are 300,000 negroes in Maryland including 200,000 children.

Nearly 1,000 buoys are moored around the coast of England, and in the channels of its chief rivers.

Louis Kossuth is engaged in writing his autobiography, which will be simultaneously published in six different languages.

A rich man of Nashville owes his will with the provision that none of the bequests shall be paid until a "nice monument" is put up over his grave.

One of the intimate personal friends of Daniel Webster, at Boston, is preparing a volume which will contain incidents of his private and social life.

"I don't care so much about the bugs," said Wormley to the head of a genteel family in which he resided, "but the fact is, marm, I haven't got the blood to spare; you can see that yourself."

The Hartford and New Haven Railroad Company have a locomotive which during the past twelve and a half months, has run upwards of 40,000 miles, without the loss of a single trip, and without five minutes detention any time, and has never needed repair.

A lottery suit in New York has developed the fact, that no less than six million dollars is received there yearly by the sale of lottery tickets. Most of the money comes in small sums from poor people who actually need it to buy bread.

A lady named Cotton, from the town of Epinal, in France, claims to be the heir of Terry, of Venice, who left property estimated when Napoleon I seized it in Venice, in 1797, as amounting to \$30,000,000. She has spent the greater part of her life collecting evidence. The suit has commenced before the French courts.

A girl in Chester, Va., died a few days ago from tight lacing. For several months previous to her death this poor victim had been obliged to sleep with corsets on and tightened to the last notch, for the loosening gave such pain, internally, that she could not bear it.

The London and South-western Railway Company have been experimenting on the Winton branch with an engine and sixteen carriages (cars), as to the new method of more quickly stopping trains. The power is obtained by reversing the engines, thus discarding the old-fashioned brakes entirely. By this means trains can be brought to a standstill in a very short distance. The experiments are said to be satisfactory.

This is the latest about the Pittsfield and North Adams Railroad: Queries one passenger, as the train comes to a dead halt.

"Well, I wonder what we've stopped for now?"

"Why," explains a fellow-traveler, "it's to take the cow catcher off the engine and put it on behind, to keep the cows from running over us."

Marshal Soult, once showing the pictures he stole in Spain, stopped before one and remarked:

"I value that picture very much; it saved the lives of two estimable persons."

An old de-camp whispered in the listener's ear:

"He threatened to have them both shot immediately unless they gave it up."

The following days of the week are those set apart for public worship in different nations: Sunday, by the Christians; Monday, by the Greeks; Tuesday, by the Persians; Wednesday, by the Assyrians; Thursday, by the Turks; and Saturday by the Jews.

Funeral style in Paris consists in not issuing the *bulletin de mort* till a month after the death, and then including a photograph, the size of a postage stamp, of the departed, with scriptural extracts suitable to his life, and with a request to pray for the repose of the soul.

Among the candidates for the vacant *fauteuils* of the French academy are Alexander Dumas, Jr., Victorien Sardou, Theophile Gautier, and Philarete Chables. The last is a distinguished classical scholar, of whom it is said that at 7 years of age he knew Latin, at 10 Greek, at 13 philosophy, and at 15 everything.

Timothy Cook, who killed a stranger while infuriated by liquor, in Michigan, because he would not step off the sidewalk at his command, has been sent to prison for two years and a half. His counsel vigorously defended him on the ground that he had only committed a serious accident, and, as no words had previously passed between the parties, there was "an evident want of motive."

When the great American, also, belonging to Mr. Van Rensselaer, of Albany, was on its way up the river, under the care of the gardener or keeper, a gentleman struck with the beauty of the plant, made many inquiries regarding it. In the course of the passage the inquirer remarked: "That plant belongs to the catnip family, does it not?" "No, sir, it belongs to the Van Rensselaer family," was the reply.

By Telegraph.

CALIFORNIA.

Rich mines discovered.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Legal tenders not at 89.

The Panama steamer *Lopez* says that great excitement prevails in the extreme southern counties over the discovery of new and rich gold fields, about sixty miles from San Diego. Quartz has been exhibited free from sulphur or other metals and literally full of fine gold. The people are leaving San Diego and Los Angeles in large numbers for the new mines.

NEW YORK.

The Bible in public schools—Horrible time among the icebergs—Horrible story from Spain.

NEW YORK, 7.—The Rev. Dr. Clarke, of the Forty-second street Presbyterian Church, lectured last evening. His subject was the Bible in public schools. He made a severe argument against the Roman Catholics, and asserted that the cause of this sectarian movement was that the Pope, which is growing weak in Europe, seeks to recover vigor on our soil. He warned the people of the divine displeasure in seeing God's word banished from school. The Rev. Hepworth, of the Church of the Messiah, preached last evening on the same subject. Previous to the sermon, a petition to the Legislature against the declaration of independence, which he said his principle was the bottom dollar for the public schools, but not one cent for sectarianism.

John George Harding, the Englishman who committed suicide in a disreputable house on Twenty-seventh street, on Thursday night, was a man of some literary character. He was the author of a translation of Dante, copies of which, found in his room, show that he left England and came to this country in consequence of domestic difficulties, and having squandered all his money in gambling, and being penniless and miserable, he ended all with poison.

Six inches snow fell in the city last night, and the storm still continues. The ship *Glad Tidings*, from Glasgow for this city, arrived last night; she had a hard time between gales and fields of floating ice; she was caught on the fifth of February in a terrible south-west gale, and lost her foremast, main sail, foremast, and three life and crew.

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The *Quantis* gives an account of a horrible and mysterious affair in Spain, which it says it would not believe, had not the details been confirmed by a letter from "our own correspondent." The story is that on February 17th a band of people broke into a house in the village of Alleda, near Valencia, making a hole in the roof. The owner of the house, M. Balda, was in bed with his wife. The invaders pulled them out of bed, gagged them both, and then went into the rooms where six children were sleeping. The whole were bound with cords, and then, in sight of their parents they tore out their eyes and tongues, and afterwards cut off the feet of M. Balda and his eldest son, but purposely left the son's head unsevered, and then hanging them up head downward. After this they ransacked the larder and made a good breakfast, feasting at their victims, and left the house at daybreak. Two of the villains have been arrested.

LOUISIANA.

Auditor Bailed out of Prison.

NEW ORLEANS.—Ex-Auditor Wickliffe has delivered the coupons he was charged with embezzling, to acting Auditor Graham, and has given bail and been released from prison.

ILLINOIS.

W. H. Seward for Governor of New York.—A Bill Granting an Extension to the Central Pacific R.R.

CHICAGO.—The *Tribune's* New York special says that several politicians have been canvassing the policy of running Wm. H. Seward for Governor of New York on the ticket of uniting the conservative Republicans with the best portion of the Democrats. The proposition appears to be favorably received, though it is strongly opposed by the Tammany ring, who will nominate Hamilton or Tweed at the next election.

Thirty thousand dollars in American silver were shipped from Montreal to New York yesterday, on the order of restaurant and saloon keepers, who intend to give silver as change.

The captain of the ship *Greyhound* reports having seen a steamer near the Azores islands on Feb. 20th, which resembled an Italian steamer, and there is so no probability that it was the missing steamer *City of Boston*.

Washington special says that both the railroad committees of Congress have reported unanimously in favor of a bill giving the Central branch of the Union Pacific an extension from the present terminus to the junction with

the main line at a point not west of the hundredth meridian. The bill embodies a land grant, but it expressly forbids against a money subsidy.

FOREIGN NEWS.

SPAIN.

Anti-Montpensierism.

MADRID.—In the Cortes on Saturday, Prim reaffirmed his opposition to the Duke de Montpensier, and declared that the entire ministry, with the exception of Admiral Topete, were anti-Montpensierists. His statement has given the latter gentleman offense, and he has tendered his resignation; but it has not yet been accepted. The Unionists are furious against Prim, and are doing their utmost to encourage Topete, and a ministerial crisis is imminent.

WEST INDIES.

Freemasons Arrested.

HAVANA.—The police arrested last night, fifty-one members of the masonic fraternity, who were holding morning services at their lodge; the arrests were made for the violation of the law prohibiting assemblies without the permission of the authorities. The foreigners present were not molested.

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