

men of both parties who have been elected to handle municipal money and manage the city's affairs, to believe that they will be hurried into any scheme of vast financial and sanitary importance, at the behest of demagogues or for fear of any lash that may be applied to them, no matter who holds the whipstock.

This is not a question of faith, or politics, or position; it is one of common sense, of fact, of prudence and economy, of the greatest good to the greatest number. And no public officer or public spirited citizen can afford to drift with the tide of a craze or swell the chorus of a cry to please a few theorists and schemers, for fear of a false accusation, no matter what may be its nature or who may be its manufacturer.

AN ATROCIOUS BUSINESS.

SOME excitement has been caused in the neighborhood of North Hudson, New Jersey, over the disappearance of a number of young girls who were employed at very low wages in the silk mills at that place. They work very hard for two or three dollars a week, and the only enjoyment they have is in attending the picnics which are frequent in the parks in that vicinity. The names of eight missing girls 17 or 18 years of age are given, and several others not named have also passed out of sight, to the great distress of their parents.

It has been ascertained that flashy dressed women from New York have attended these picnics, and that they appear to have usually been followed by the disappearance of one or two girls. The mystery has been solved by the discovery that these women are procuresses, and that by enticing the girls with fine jewelry and rich dresses they induce them to visit their houses in New York, where they are inveigled into a life of shame.

If there is one crime more deserving of condign and unflinching punishment than another, it is that of leading away innocent girls into the path of vice, and betraying them for money into the clutches of licentious brutes who know no mercy and feel no shame. Signal examples ought to be made of the wretches, both male and female, who engage in the atrocious business, and the laws ought to be made more stringent and the penalties far heavier than at present.

It is to be hoped that the excitement in North Hudson over this matter will not subside, until the whereabouts of the girls are discovered and the vile creatures who decoyed them are fast behind the bars of a prison. Such infamous preys on female virtue are not fit to breathe the breath of life.

FRENCH AND ITALIAN COMPLICATIONS.

ITALY has ambitions, like all the rest of the European powers and will take risks in gratifying them. The occupation of Keren, which has recently been effected by that government, does not please France and may lead to serious complications. Keren is about fifty miles northwest of Massowah, and is the fortified capital of the Bogos territory, one of the most fertile and prosperous provinces in Africa.

Turkey is angry over this Italian movement and the Porte has protested, but the "sick man" is not much feared by any of the great powers. The action of France, however, has great significance, particularly as it is backed by the endorsement of Russia. Notwithstanding the danger, Crispien, the Italian Premier, has thus met the protest of France. "It is not from Turkey that complaints and objections reach us, but, as is always the case, from France, who has succeeded in attracting Greece into the orbit of her demands; from France, who would appear to regard the pacific progress of Italy as tending to diminish her own power; as if the African continent did not afford ample scope to the legitimate activity and civilizing ambition of all the powers."

The assertion about Turkey appears to be untrue, and Italy seems to have learned a lesson in German policy. These two governments evidently have a good understanding with each other, while Russia sides with France, in spite of the apparent cordial relations existing between the Russian and German Emperors, during their recent association.

In the complications that may arise, it looks as if Russia and France would be allied with Turkey against Italy and Germany. There will, however, be great exertions among the powers to preserve the peace, for a spark of war would set all Europe on fire, and the very earth would tremble under the clash of arms and the collision of those immense armies which are maintained by the millions drained from the very lives of the people.

A suggestion which fruit-pickers and commission merchants may find profitable comes from a Tampa (Fla.) orange-grower. He experimented in a small way with different schemes for packing his fruit until he finally settled upon sand as the best possible material. He claims that oranges packed in dry sand have kept fresh since the 1st of last December.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

It is believed the English wheat crop will be one-third under that of 1887.

In California they are giving boys \$1 a day and their board for picking fruit. Here they give them the hard side of a single or hand them over to the police—when they catch them.

The Boston Globe thinks that the spirited canvass which the Democrats will make in the State "will be formidable enough to make Massachusetts a very debatable State on election day."

The great adaptability of Mr. Rider Haggard leads many to believe that the great romancer does not write with a stub pen and blue ink, as has been stated, but with a pair of scissors and a pot of glue.

The girl with the auburn locks should take courage. Recent statistics show that only one in 150 inmates in lunatic asylums are red-headed. The proportion of white to other horses in the vicinity of the asylums is not given.

There are seven presidential tickets in the field, representing seven separate and distinct political parties. Among all the platforms put forth by these parties there is only one that favors high tariff and that is the republican platform.

The Saturday half-holiday is growing rapidly in favor. In the east not only the stores and shops are closing Saturday afternoon, but the factories and foundries also. It looks as though the half-holiday is destined to be as much an occasion of regular observance as is Sunday.

The Swedes and Norwegians are for tariff reduction and will vote in large numbers for Cleveland this fall, says that influential Scandinavian organ the *Sevenka Folkets Tidning* of St. Paul, Minn., which has always up to the present campaign been a straight republican paper.

The statistical reports show some remarkable features of trade-life in foreign countries. In England there are 347 female blacksmiths, not blacksmiths in the sense of owning and running smithies merely, but actual swingers of the hammer and bellows. There are also 9,138 women who are employed in nail-making.

Visitors to the big steamship *City of New York*, in New York harbor, have paid fifty cents each to gratify their curiosity, and the proceeds of the exhibition, amounting to over \$1,500, will be divided between two benevolent societies for seamen and the fresh-air fund. A similar amount was raised before the vessel sailed from Liverpool.

It is expected that the population of Illinois will reach 4,000,000 when the next census is taken a year hence. Of this number Cook County will have about 1,000,000, or nearly one-fourth of the entire population of the State. This large per centage gives Cook County wonderful political power, an influence which has been repeatedly felt in shaping legislation.

The crops in the Northwest are yielding better than was anticipated. There will be a fair average crop of wheat in Minnesota and Dakota, but it will be a little under the yield of 1887 being estimated at between 90,000,000 and 100,000,000 bushels. The quality will be a little inferior to last year's crop through damage by storms. In the upper part of the Red River valley the yield is considerably below the average.

The Washington Post says: It is noteworthy that while the enumeration of General Sheridan's property includes \$5,000 worth of swords, etc., the sword which the General carried all through the war, on which the record of his victories were engraved, and which was the ceremonial sword that lay upon the General's bier all through the obsequies, was purchased by him at the beginning of the war for \$3 from another officer, who had bought it at an auction in Chicago for the same amount of money.

In Harper County, Kansas, an old and insane woman was recently found in a corn field where she had strayed and died of starvation. It is stated that there are only two insane asylums in the State and they are terribly overcrowded. This case has stimulated a movement for the establishment of a third asylum by the Legislature. Similar complaints of overcrowding come from Minnesota, where also there are but two asylums and where more are needed. Insanity seems to be increasing in many parts of the country.

It may not be known to everyone that there is a law regulating the making of the American flag. The law of 1818 requires that on the Fourth of July following the admission of a new state a new star shall be added to the blue field of the flag. There are now thirty-eight states in the Union, and there should be thirty-eight stars in the field of the flag. Many of the cheap flags have not the requisite number of stars, because it is much easier to have the stars in rows, with an even number each way, which cannot be secured with thirty-eight.

"What good is it?" asks the *Louisville Courier-Journal*, referring to the tariff on wool. "The wool duties have long been in operation, and such effects as they are capable of have been in force, of course, and yet we are importing an average of 110,000,000 pounds a year, besides importing more than \$40,000,000 worth of woollen goods a year, costing two and a half times as much as the wools imported, and the number of sheep in the United States has dwindled from 54,000,000 head in 1884 to 44,000,000 head in 1888.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY AUG 21, 1888

THE AUGUST ELECTION.

The Official Count Proceeding Slowly.

The Board of Canvassers appointed by the Utah Commission met yesterday afternoon and commenced their labors. The counties were taken up in alphabetical order.

BEAVER COUNTY

being first, the returns were examined and showed the following result, the People's Party candidate being successful in every instance:

For Commissioners to Locate University Lands:
F. A. Mitchell.....290 I. M. Waddell.....250
R. A. Ballantyne.....290

Selectman.

P. T. Farnsworth.....258 John B. Williams.....129
Scattering.....2

Clerk of County Court.

Henry Emerson.....233 Wm. H. Marrion.....93
Scattering.....1

Assessor and Collector.

S. N. Slaughter.....230 Wm. M. Law.....142
Scattering.....1

Prosecuting Attorney.

F. K. Clayton.....226 C. W. Zane.....148
Scattering.....1

Coroner.

Joseph Ash.....261 J. H. Dupax.....108
Louis Lessing.....23

Recorder.

Chas. C. Harris.....261 W. H. Marrion.....117
Henry Emerson.....2 Scattering.....6

Sheriff.

Jesse Baldwin.....294 P. B. McKeon.....88
Scattering.....1

Treasurer.

John F. Tolton.....226 E. W. Thompson.....164
Scattering.....1

Chas. P. Bird.....236 J. E. Serkley.....110

Scattering.....1

BOX ELDER COUNTY

also went solidly for the People's Party candidates for county officers, the following being the full returns.

Commissioners to Locate University Lands:
F. A. Mitchell.....436 R. A. Ballantyne.....423
I. M. Waddell.....436 C. W. Stayner.....32
Scattering.....1

Selectman.

Carl Jensen.....449 John Gernon.....7
Scattering.....4

Clerk of County Court.

Jonah Mathias.....455 Geo. R. Chase.....6
Scattering.....1

Assessor.

David P. Burt.....419 Willis Booth.....6
Scattering.....33

Treasurer.

Adolph Madsen.....441 J. B. Carrington.....6
Scattering.....11

Prosecuting Attorney.

R. H. Jones.....447 J. M. Coombs.....7
Scattering.....6

Coroner.

M. L. Ensign.....460
Scattering.....1

Recorder.

John Burrows.....464 Scattering.....1
Scattering.....1

Sheriff.

C. C. Loveland.....438 Scattering.....3
Scattering.....1

Surveyor.

N. P. Anderson.....462
Scattering.....1

Treasurer.

O. N. Stahl.....481 R. K. Wilson.....6
Scattering.....3

Up to 2 o'clock this afternoon the canvass of the

CACHE COUNTY

returns had not been completed, the board still being engaged on them. The votes of Richmond, Smithfield, Trenton, Wellsville and Hyrum precincts were yet to be examined. The vote for the People's candidates in the other precincts is: Benson 15, Clarkston 24, Coveville 16, Hyde Park 23, Lewiston 49, Logan 153, Mendon 46, Millville 43, Newton 23, Paradise 44, Petersburg 3, Providence 51.

In Peterboro Precinct, the Liberals cast 4 votes to 3 for the People's candidates. In Coveville and Hyde Park precincts there were no Liberal votes. In the other precincts the Liberals cast from 1 to 14 votes, the highest being in Logan. In the precincts counted they have a total vote of 37, to 503 cast by the People's Party. In Peterboro Paul M. Poulson was elected justice of the peace by a majority of one, he having 4 of the 7 votes cast. Peter Peterson was voted for by both parties to fill the office of constable.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY AUG 22, 1888.

The Count.

The following are the returns as canvassed up to 2 p. m. today.

CACHE COUNTY.

Commissioners to Locate University Lands:
F. A. Mitchell.....787 I. M. Waddell.....787
R. A. Ballantyne.....787

Selectman.

Neviel W. Kimball.....781 S. P. Hall.....70
Scattering.....2

County Clerk.

W. W. Mangham.....781 W. J. Goodwin.....75
Scattering.....1

Assessor and Collector.

C. F. Olsen.....778 Fred. Larsen.....77
Scattering.....6

Prosecuting Attorney.

Jas. T. Hammond.....781 C. H. Bevan.....62
Scattering.....12

Coroner.

T. A. Thoresen.....782 L. A. Norman.....74
Scattering.....2

Sheriff.

N. W. Crookston.....786 Mark Fletcher.....58
Scattering.....13

Recorder.

John T. Caine, Jr.....783 William Goodwin.....75
Scattering.....1

Surveyor.

Edward Hanson.....786 O. M. Goldsberry.....78
Scattering.....3

Treasurer.

H. E. Hatch.....783 A. DeWitt.....73
Scattering.....3

DAVIS COUNTY.

Commissioners to Locate University Lands:
F. A. Mitchell.....375 I. M. Waddell.....375
R. A. Ballantyne.....375 Scattering.....2

Selectman.

Thos. F. Roueche.....361 Scattering.....13
Scattering.....1

County Clerk.

J. H. Wilcox.....366 Scattering.....5
Scattering.....1

Assessor and Collector.

Richard E. Egan.....363 Scattering.....9
Scattering.....1

Prosecuting Attorney.

Joseph Barton.....344 Scattering.....20
Scattering.....1

Recorder.

J. E. Robinson.....370 Scattering.....6
Scattering.....1

Sheriff.

David O. Willey.....366 Scattering.....16
Scattering.....1

Surveyor.

Joseph Barton.....363 Scattering.....10
Scattering.....1

Treasurer.

J. E. Robinson.....369 Scattering.....8
Scattering.....1

EMERY COUNTY.

Selectman.
J. T. Ballantyne.....331 M. H. Beardsley.....4
Scattering.....2

Selectman (unexpired term).

E. P. Snow.....317 J. F. Brown.....4
Scattering.....1

Clerk of County Court.

W. W. Crawford.....302 C. J. Millas.....4
Scattering.....1

Assessor and Collector.

E. W. Jones.....291 David Killpack.....11
O. H. Mason.....14 Scattering.....2

Prosecuting Attorney.

A. Ballanger.....381 E. P. Bolton.....7
John K. Reid.....45 Scattering.....3

Coroner.

Thos. P. Page.....314 Robt. Hatrick.....4
Scattering.....1

Recorder.

W. W. Crawford.....306 J. M. Thompson.....4
Scattering.....10

Sheriff.

H. S. Loveless.....295 George Dean.....4
James Henry.....34 Scattering.....2

Surveyor.

A. E. Smith.....315 Theodore Finch.....4
Scattering.....1

Treasurer.

C. G. Larsen, Jr.....312 J. T. Farrer.....4
Scattering.....1

GARFIELD COUNTY.

Selectman.
James Houston.....74 A. Workman.....33
Scattering.....7

Clerk of the County Court.

George Dadds.....101
Scattering.....1

Prosecuting Attorney.

John Houston.....93 Scattering.....5
Scattering.....1

Coroner.

D. O. Littlefield.....81
Scattering.....1

Recorder.

Jas. A. Worthen.....101
Scattering.....1

Sheriff.

Jas. W. Pace.....99 Scattering.....1
Scattering.....1

Surveyor.

Wm. Lewman.....101
Scattering.....1

Treasurer.

John L. Sevey.....99
Scattering.....1

JUAB COUNTY.

Selectman.
Isaac H. Grace.....316 Jas. Mendenhall.....203
Scattering.....3

Clerk of County Court.

James M. Paxman.....300 Timothy L. Foote.....249
Scattering.....1

Assessor and Collector.

H. F. McCune.....199 Peter Sutton.....187
Wm. A. Starr.....170

Prosecuting Attorney.

F. W. Chappell.....353 John S. Cooper.....189
Scattering.....14

Coroner.

Wm. W. Allen.....359 John S. Painter.....187
Scattering.....8

Recorder.

John R. Hickman.....359 John Kirgan.....162
Scattering.....1

Sheriff.

John Sidwell.....359 J. T. Sullivan.....199
Scattering.....1

Surveyor.

Chas. Price.....361 P. D. Schroeder.....103
Scattering.....1

Treasurer.

Edwin Harley.....365 C. R. Foote.....186
Scattering.....1

Iron County was taken up next, and was being canvassed this afternoon.

FROM THURSDAY'S DAILY, AUG 23, 1888.

ELECTION RETURNS.

The Board of Canvassers Still Busy Counting the Votes.

Up to 2 p. m. today the board of canvassers had completed the counting of the votes in the following counties, in addition to those already noted:

IRON COUNTY.

Selectman.
Robert Bullock.....217 Scattering.....2
Scattering.....1

County Clerk.

Wm. Davenport.....219
Scattering.....1

Assessor and Collector.

R. W. Heybourne.....216
Scattering.....1

Prosecuting Attorney.

J. J. Adams.....211 Scattering.....4
Scattering.....1

Coroner.

F. W. Pendleton.....218
Scattering.....1

Recorder.

W. H. Holyoak.....218 Scattering.....1
Scattering.....1

Sheriff.

Hugh L. Adams.....210
Scattering.....1

Surveyor.

E. Schoppman.....218
Scattering.....1

Treasurer.

J. H. Henderson.....216
Scattering.....1

KANE COUNTY.

Commissioners to Locate University Lands:
F. A. Mitchell.....97 I. M. Waddell.....97
R. A. Ballantyne.....97

Selectman.

B. Y. Baird.....96
Scattering.....1

County Clerk.

J. E. H. Johnson.....97
Scattering.....1

Assessor and Collector.

Herman S. Cutler.....96
Scattering.....1

Prosecuting Attorney.

H. E. Bowman.....95
Scattering.....1

Coroner.

Z. R. Judd, Jr.....97
Scattering.....1

Recorder.

Joel H. Johnson.....97
Scattering.....1

Sheriff.

J. F. Brown.....95 Scattering.....2
Scattering.....1

Surveyor.

H. E. Bowman.....97 H. K. Foundry.....19
Scattering.....1

Treasurer.

John E. Riggs.....97
Scattering.....1

MILLARD COUNTY.

Commissioners to Locate University Lands:
F. A. Mitchell.....324 I. M. Waddell.....324
R. A. Ballantyne.....324

</