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BREVITIES.

Pendulum clocks first invented, 1639.

There are 235,000 smokers in New York.

When is a window like a star? When it is a skylight.

There are 145,000 public houses in England and Wales.

New York State has 14,556 school houses.

There is not a single theatre open in Tennessee.

Hoboken has a man named Schmeidrakamnahamar.

Ladies' long gloves, with four buttons, are the style with nice young men.

Tom Thumb proposes to retire to private life.

Are horses wounded in battle considered "hors de combat?"

The New York Legislature has decided to tax clergymen.

The irreverent negro minstrels of New York are burlesquing Dickens.

There are more savings banks than pawn shops in Brooklyn.

A colossal bust of the poet Bryant is to be placed in Central Park.

The Emperor of the French has begun to call his son boy Napoleon IV.

Tobacco should not be chewed but eschewed.

England is selling its "wooden walls" for firewood.

Florence Nightingale has joined the suffragists.

Give your son a trade, and you do more for him than by giving him a fortune.

Beecher preaches from a desk made of wood brought from the Mount of Olives by the Holy Land excursionists.

Uncle Sam sold 700,000,000 acres of land last year.

Joubert says: "The drum makes thought impossible, and that is why it is, *par excellence*, a military instrument."

The site of the original town of Huron, O., has long since disappeared, the waters of the lake having washed away the broad acres, streets and buildings.

A rural couple in New York State were bathing a cow with kerosene for sanitary purposes the other day, when the oil took fire, and barn, stock, hay, cow and one woman were destroyed.

Madame de Stael defined happiness to be a state of constant occupation upon some desirable object, with a constant sense of progress toward its attainment.

A letter writer from Japan says the present political condition of that empire and people is well illustrated by that of England's history under King John and the powerful barons.

We have been asked the question: What material makes the best bed-comforter? Being inexperienced in such matters, we refer the querist to the Committee of the Aupson County Fair, who put it in this way: "Best bed-comforter—Miss Jane Van Buskirk."

"Sir," said the Hon. Mr. Poundesk, as he caught the speaker's eye, "Sir," I am opposed to women's rights, for woman is a snare, and a delusion, and"—"men are always geting caught by snares, and always *hugging delusions*," interpolated a rival member.

Two brothers, coming to be executed for some enormous crime, the eldest was turned off without a word. The other, mounting the ladder, began to harangue the crowd, whose ears were open to hear him. "Good people," said he, "my brother hangs before my face, and you see what a lamentable spectacle he makes; in a few moments I shall be turned off too, and then you'll see a pair of spectacles."

Another emigration on a very large scale is to take place from England to Utah. A very important conference relative to this has lately been held in London.

The president (Mr. Franklin Richards) said that it was rather doubtful whether all the "Saints" could be emigrated this year to Utah. He said, hundreds were applying to him, every month, for their emigration, and was sorry he had nothing to do but reject them. By the usual lifting up of hands, it was signified that the fraternity should sustain Brigham Young, his councilors, the twelve apostles, and other officers in the church in their present position.—Welsh paper.

A nobby dinner party for twenty was given by a lady in New York recently. The cards of invitation were engraved in gold and enclosed in three-cornered envelopes with gilt edges. At dinner the table cloth was of white velveteen, edged with gilt fringe, and the centre standard, a massive *epergne* of gold, with small baskets hanging from it loaded with fruit, fancy boxes, *bon bons*, etc. A large bouquet of rare flowers was placed near the plate of each guest, from which was suspended the bill of fare, printed in gold letters, on white satin ribbon. The waiters were dressed in crimson coats, knee breeches, silk stockings, and powdered wigs.

There is a dignity about that going away alone, we call dying—that wrapping the mantle of immortality about us; that putting aside with a pale hand the azure curtains that are drawn around this cradle of a world; that venturing away from home for the first time in our lives; for we are not dead to speak of, and we only go off, seeing foreign countries not laid down on the map we know about.

There must be lovely land somewhere stowed off near good port, return that go thither, and we very much doubt if any would if they could.—*B. F. Taylor.*

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