

EDITORIAL NOTES.

—Speculation in stocks appears to be the basis of most of the large embezzlements that happen now-a-days.

—An exchange says there seems to be no room for doubt that the crime of incendiarism is increasing.

—It has been proposed in Nevada to forbid, under \$100 penalty, the sale of a drink of whisky to any person, unless he pays a five-dollar license, which he is to be required to show to the barkeeper when he goes for his drink.

—Vermont has a recent law declaring any place where intoxicating liquor is sold or given away as a beverage "a public nuisance," liable to be summarily closed on conviction.

—Recorder Hackett, of New York, decides that intemperance is no excuse for the commission of crime.

—The Chicago Times says, "The 'Democratic' party dog is dead," and adds, "The controlling section in the present House of Representatives is a body of spoils-seeking politicians almost beneath contempt for their feebleness and political aimlessness. It is the weakest, most pusillanimous and contemptible representative body ever assembled at Washington. It is an aggregation of partisan odds and ends, a thing of 'shreds and patches,' a combination of crossroad politicians, confederate colonels, 'granger' idiots, partisan mountebanks, and political charlatans of the lowest order. There are a few, very few, men of brains, who, with experience, would develop faculties of statesmanship, but their number is so small and their inexperience so great that their influence amounts to nothing in effect."

—Cleopatra's Needle is to be removed from Alexandria to London at last, the Khedive having long since made a present of it to the English government. Dr. Erasmus Wilson, an eminent London physician, will defray the expenses, estimated at \$50,000. He has made the necessary arrangements with Mr. Dickson, a well-known civil engineer. The obelisk will be surrounded with water-tight and airtight casing of boiler plates, will have a wooden keel and an iron deck, and will be towed through the Mediterranean by a powerful steamer.

—Miss Neilson, the actress, though just divorced from her husband Lee, is already announced as engaged to a New York journalist.

—One evidence that the hard times are hard on the newspapers is the increase of papers with their names parted in the middle. Two of the latest instances are the *Pittsburg Gazette-Commercial* and the *Brooklyn Union-Argus*.

—L., in the *Omaha Bee*, says, "Talk about the morality and virtue of Sidney and Cheyenne is simply silly bosh; of course there are many nice families in both places, but the nymphs *du pave* are numerous—drinking, gambling and kindred vices cannot long remain unfamiliar to a settler here in the present status of society. These are characteristic features of all new western towns, and especially so from a great outfitting point. Still ladies are just as safe in Sidney as in other places, and are treated with the utmost respect."

—The ferry boat between the Omaha and Council Bluffs banks of the Missouri having been wrecked lately, the Union Pacific Company is making a combined sixty-foot flat car, with room for four teams and wagons, to run over the bridge, attached to a freight train, four times a day. If successful, a 120-foot car of similar kind will be built, and run across with a dummy train. Fare a trifle higher than the old ferry rates.

—Dr. Schliemann is said to be an American by birth and a Greek by naturalization.

—The Washington Star of Feb. 23 says, "Trenor W. Park testified in his own behalf in New York on Wednesday in the Emma mine case. Almost the only new fact brought out up to the hour of adjournment was that Mr. Park is disgusted with mining operations in general and Emma in particular. He protested that he had been as badly sold as the other investors."

—The New York Tribune of Feb. 21 says of the Emma mine trial proceedings of the day before, "Mr. Chittenden offered in evi-

dence the depositions of H. C. Murray and Edward B. Wilder, mining experts, to prove that the mine was of value."

—Daniel Drew says, "The boys think I'm played out, but I'll give 'em many a turn and twist yet."

—Grand Duke Alexis called to see Miss Neilson, the actress, in New York, the other evening.

—Says the Washington Star of Feb. 23, "Mr. John Welsh, president of the centennial board of finance, was presented at Philadelphia yesterday with \$50,000, contributed by citizens in recognition of his services on that board, and this ceremony, which took place in the chapel of the University of Pennsylvania, was followed by the formal endowment of the 'John Welsh Centennial Professorship' in the university."

—H. W. Beecher says that the common saying that the children of good people and preachers do not turn out well is false, as "the statistics of New England show that for generations the children of ministers have turned out better than anybody else's." He also says that he does not regard the members of Plymouth Church as angelic by any means, he don't think they are in danger of sudden translation, but he looks "with great complacency and content upon the development of fidelity and of resource, which is the characteristic of Plymouth congregation."

—There are nice people at Fort Gibson, Texas. A row at a dance at a variety theatre there, revealed the presence of most of the civil officials, members of the bar and business men of the place. The county attorney was fatally injured and two other men instantly killed.

—If there is one thing better than another that you can do, always do the best thing.

—At the last Harvard examination forty-five per cent. failed in algebra, fifty-two per cent. in English composition, though but sixteen per cent. were lacking in Greek grammar. If Greek is so much easier than English and other things scholastic, what do people mean when they say of a difficult or mysterious subject, "O it's all Greek to me?"

—Compulsory education is a flat failure in New York. Because the parents won't compel the children, and the authorities won't compel the parents to compel the children to go to school. So it is disobedience to the law all around.

—The Puritan Congregational Church in Brooklyn, N. Y., will be relinquished and the congregation dissolve as a corporate body. The liabilities of the church are \$93,700. The pastor has resigned, and the members will continue together as best they can. Debt is a dissolutionist.

—A decision has lately been rendered in Michigan, declaring that marriages celebrated on Sunday are illegal, and therefore void, probably because marriage is held merely to be a civil contract, and all contracts made on Sunday, under the common law, are illegal.

—If you wish to be courteous, and all persons ought to be so, here is one way to learn—"My son, accustom yourself to be polite to the porter, the servant girl, the coachman, to all the servants; thus you will come in time to be courteous to all people, even to your parents."

How Recent Votes Have Stood.

The following tables show the popular votes of all the States for President in 1860, 1864, 1868, 1872 and 1876:

1860—Lincoln, Rep.	1,866,352
Douglas, Dem.	1,375,157
Breckinridge, Dem.	845,763
Bell, Union.	589,581
Total.	6,166,853
1864—Lincoln, Rep.	2,216,697
McClellan, Dem.	1,808,725
Total.	4,025,422
1868—Grant, Rep.	3,015,071
Seymour, Dem.	2,709,613
Total.	5,724,684
1872—Grant, Rep.	3,597,132
Greeley, Dem.	2,334,125
Total.	5,931,257
1876—Hayes, Rep.	4,042,079
Tilden, Dem.	4,290,187
Cooper, Ind.	75,369
Smith, Prohibit.	6,000
Total.	8,414,635

—Chicago Tribune.

Diphtheria.

As the newspapers are full of remedies for this dangerous affection of the throat, some of them very good, and some of them very silly, we will give one which we know to be used by some eminent physicians, and we have never known it to fail if applied early. Diphtheria in early stages may be recognized by any person of ordinary capacity by two marked symptoms; the sensation of a bone or hard substance in the throat; rendering swallowing difficult and painful, and a marked fetor, or unpleasant smell of the breath, the result of its putrefactive tendency. On the appearance of these symptoms, if the patient is old enough to do so, give a piece of gum camphor, the size of a marrow-fat pea, and let it be retained in the mouth, swallowing slowly the saliva charged with it until it is all gone. In an hour or so give another, and at the end of another hour a third; a fourth will not usually be required, but if the pain and unpleasant breath are not relieved, it may be used two or three times more, at a little longer interval, say two hours. If the child is young, powder the camphor, which can be easily done by adding a drop or two of spirits of alcohol, to it, and mix it with an equal quantity of powdered loaf sugar, or, better, powdered rock candy, and blow it through a tube or quill into its throat, depressing the tongue with the haft of a spoon. Some recommend aloes or pellitory with the camphor, but observation and experience have satisfied us that the camphor is sufficient alone. It acts probably by its virtue as a diffusible stimulant, and antiseptic qualities.—N. Y. Examiner.

Death of an Old Veteran.

This morning about 6 o'clock David Jenkins, familiarly known as "Uncle Davey," departed this life, at the residence of Father Ferris in this city, at the venerable age of 94 years, seven months and one day.

David Jenkins was the son of David and Ann Jenkins, and was born at Haverford West, Pembrokehire, Wales, Aug. 1st, 1782. On the 19th of Oct., 1795, he went on a voyage from Milford Haven to Ireland, and on his return was impressed into the naval service, and under the name of Edward Jenkins shipped on board the *Reasonable*, a 64 gun ship, in which he served several years. Under Capt. Boyle he went out with a convoy of East Indiamen and reached the Cape of Good Hope, under command of Admiral Pringle they took the country from the Dutch.

He remained at that station four years, then came home, joined the fleet under Admiral Parker, and went up the Baltic, where they took Copenhagen, April 2d, 1801. His next voyage was under "the immortal Nelson," who went to Boulogne harbor, to cut off the French fleet. Failing in this he returned, and our sailor went to Yarmouth, where he left the service, and went out in a merchantman to China. On his return he was again impressed, and shipped on board the *Romney*, this time under the name of Edward Kingston.

On the 28th of March, 1803, he was married to Margaret Evans, in his native town. His wife was a native of Newport, Monmouthshire, South Wales. She died March 28th, 1852, and was buried at Swansea.

In 1805, having joined the grand fleet in the British Channel, he shipped on board the *Dreadnought*, on which Admiral Cornwallis hoisted his flag, and, with eleven sail of the line, put off from Plymouth for Cadiz, to watch the Spanish fleet and prevent its forming a union with the French fleet under Villeneuve. He cruised in that neighborhood for a short time, when Admiral Nelson joined the fleet and they went into action. The battle of Trafalgar was fought on the 21st of October, 1805, in which "Uncle Davey" participated, and on this account received a pension of £8 a year; he was in the service till June 9th, 1808, when he received his discharge. After this he followed the merchant service until he left England for America.

On the 28th of July, 1849, he received the gospel and was baptized by Elder David Edwards, at Swansea. He emigrated to Utah in 1853, and settled in Ogden, where he remained until his decease.

"Uncle Davey" was well known and much respected in this city, maintaining his faculties in a most remarkable degree.—Ogden Junction, March 2.

MISS NEILSON'S DIVORCE.—Miss Lillian Adelaide Neilson is again Miss Neilson in private life as well as upon the stage. A suit for divorce, begun by her in the Supreme Court of New York last year, has just been decided by Judge Donohue in her favor on the ground of adultery by her husband, the adultery being proved conclusively by several witnesses. Miss Neilson was born in 1850, near Saragossa, in Spain, of an English mother and a Spanish father, and at an early age went to Paris, where she received her education. She made her first appearance in public at the age of fifteen, playing "Julia" in "The Hunchback," at the Margate Theatre. A year after she made her debut in London, playing "Juliet" at the New Royalty Theatre. Her success was instantaneous and undisputed. She subsequently appeared at three other theatres in London and played through the provinces with great success. When quite young Miss Neilson was married to Philip Lee, the son of a Church of England minister, who afterward, it is said, was set up in the wine business by a well-known English nobleman. Soon after she became involved in the divorce case of Bury vs. Bury, tried at Manchester, and after its settlement sailed for this country, making a brilliant debut at Booth's Theatre. She afterwards played engagements in all the principal cities with great success, Mr. Lee accompanying her on her tour.—Philadelphia Times, Feb. 21.

—Simon Kline, of New Jersey, got married on the 10th of February, but on the 18th he went crazy, and the next day was sent to an asylum. Report says not whether he lost his senses through excess of joy or excess of grief, supreme satisfaction or supreme disappointment.

—Wolves destroy 200 human lives annually in Russia, and the damage by their ravages in 1875 amounted to 15,000,000 roubles.

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