

not our province now to enter, yet we cannot help remarking that the Jew is a witness not of one truth, but of many truths. Marvellously does he illustrate the consistency of the original unity of man with the most extensive diversity. His features have been cast in an eternal mould, but his color is dependent on outward causes. Natural law is forbidden to operate on the one, but left to take its course with respect to the other. A fixed physiognomy declares the unity of the people, while their diversity of complexion as distinctly manifests the influence of climate.—Every shade of color clothes with its livery the body of a Jew, from the jet black of the Hindoo to the ruddy white of the Saxon. The original inhabitant of Palestine was doubtless dusky skinned and dark haired; but the cooler sky and more temperate air of Poland and Germany have substituted a fair complexion and light hair. On the other hand, the scorching sun of India has curled and crisped his hair, and blackened his skin, so that his features alone distinguish him physically from the native Hindoo. On the Malabar coast of Hindostan, are two colonies of Jews—an old and young colony—separated by color. The elder colony are black; and the younger (dwelling in a town called Mattacheri) comparatively fair, so as to have obtained the name of the “White Jews.” This difference is satisfactorily accounted for by the former, having been subjected to the influence of the climate for a much longer time than the latter.—[British Quarterly Review.]

THE CLIMATE OF CALIFORNIA.—
DROWNED, MELTED AND BAKED.—
A California correspondent of the Kenosha Telegraph, who formerly resided in Wisconsin, says:

“If there be no other place on God’s green earth where a man could live but California, I would advise him to build an ark and take to the water. Of all the miserable

climates that ever froze an Esquimaux, or crisped the hair of a negro, this takes the palm. From the first of November to the last of March, there is nothing but rain and mud, and mud and rain in endless variety and ceaseless succession: and from March to November, there is nothing but dust and sun, and shine, and dust, and blow; and if a green thing can be found fit to eat in any patch of ground, (there is not a decent garden in all California, from the snow top of Sierra Nevada to the sands of the Pacific,) it has been coaxed out of the earth by some one (who was lunatic enough to leave a decent home) standing over it with an umbrella all day, and emptying water upon it at night that has been brought seven miles from the river. This country is no more fit for a family to live in, than the crater of Etna is for an ice-house. No schools, no churches, no morals, no christianity, and no God, but the Trinity of whores, whiskey and gold. We get nothing to eat but what comes round the Horn. Every thing has been twice melted or baked at the equator, and once frozen at the poles. Our very necessities are miseries of life. Could you know when we are frying our lean, rusty, and stinking pork, and the wind was fair, I have no doubt you could smell it in Illinois. If you could not, we would throw in it a little butter, and you would soon turn your head to leeward.”

Since the prevalence of the cholera, two hundred cows in the 1st Ward, have died, with all the symptoms of that disease upon them.—[St. Louis Organ.]

A new race of men, black in color, powerful, and seven and a half feet in height, have been found in the interior of Africa.

The masons employed on the Smithsonian Institute at Washington have struck for higher wages—\$2 per day.

DIED, on the 12th inst., at the house of Joseph L. Heywood, in this city, of consumption, Levi F. Heywood, son of Levi C. Heywood, of Grafton, Worcester co., Mass.

I left my friends in sorrow’s mood,
To strive my health to gain;
In this I failed, but never did
Regret the parting pain.

Saturday 16, sun rises 6 o’clock 48m. sets 4 o’clock 42m.; moon rises 3 o’clock 16m. p. m., sets 6 o’clock 19m. a. m. Full moon 19, 11 o’clock 39m. morning; last quarter 25, 7 o’clock 36m. morning.

NOTICE.—Lost in or near the 14th ward, a Ladies’ Boa, the finder will confer a favor on the owner by bringing it to the stand or to this office.

JOSEPH HORNE.

Nov. 13, 1850.-20:1in*

McVICAR & BARLOW,

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ALL kinds of jewelry, silver tea and table spoons, and all other articles in their line of business manufactured to order.

A superior article of Gold Pens for sale.

Also, all kinds of clocks, watches, etc., repaired and warranted.

The highest cash price paid for gold dust and old silver.

Wheat taken in exchange for work. Shop in 14th ward, at Jesse Turpin’s residence.

Nov. 13, 1850.-20:1f

NOTICE.—All persons owning lots in the 10th ward, who live out, are hereby notified that we intend fencing by blocks during this winter.

DAVID PETTEGREW.

Nov. 12, 1850.-20:1in*

NOTICE.—If the person who borrowed my crow-bar, about three months since, will return the same to me, I will pay him for his trouble, as I have opportunities to lend it to persons who will bring it back.

DANIEL SPENCER.

Nov. 6, 1850.-20:1in

CASH

Paid for good beef cattle, by J. L. WORKMAN, 12th ward.