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many degrees of latitude. It is a time to express gratitude for them. A little time to think of those around us, to remember that we are one supplies, to soul and body come from give thanks.

missively let our hearts be filled, for and comfortings; and lay down every feeling of selfishness or isolation.

Most families are scattered widely May this call renew all old ties and heal old severances and unkindnesses.

GOLD and silver are pouring into this country from England and other parts of Europe. For so long we have been reading that the extravagance of the people of the United in the city papers:

NEW YORK, Oct. 21 .-- Three hunspecie was shipped from England to- item: day for New York and Quebec.

the day and the hour. Sunday school the same.

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aster.

THE storm, snow-storm it was rising water. here, which visited us on Monday of

general and severe.

is definite, precise, visible. Unfortu- government would give all the aid in be constituted a savings bank? By nately it is very common. Any tem-perance lecturer can find an instance same time the solvency of the Na-must sooner or later have been elabof this kind in any community in tional Treasury. You, and all bank orated in America, even had it not which he may speak. Hitherto there presidents, know more about the been imported from England, where has been no remedy for such evils condition of your banks than I can the system has been in operation except in the chance aid of benevo- possibly know. In turn I, through since September 16, 1861. It has lent persons. The whiskey seller the Secretary of the Treasury, know met there with so much favor that, has grown richer as his customers more about the financial condition of although the premium is but two and THANKSGIVING DAY is again pro- have grown poorer, and no one had the government, its ability to render a half per cent., the number of financlaimed to all the land between the the legal power to interfere. But the aid, etc., than any person disconnect- cial post offices, originally two thou-Atlantic and Pacific Ocean-for adoption of the Civil Damages bill ed from the administration of its af- sand five hundred and thirty-five, has by the legislature of last winter pro- fairs can know. I alluded to the much more than doubled, the numyides a legal and ample remedy. It fact that the forty-four million re- ber of depositors increased from bewide call, to millions upon millions does not interfere, it is true, with serve notes in the Treasury would be tween six and seven hundred thouof people, to look about them, think the custom of selling intoxicating regarded as money in the Treasury sand to considerably over two millof all their blessings and take a little liquors; but it provides for the pun- subject to use, for the purpose of ions, and the amount of money anishment of the liquor-seller who con- showing that the means are at hand nually entrusted to the government ducts his business to the injury of to give the relief we promise. the community. In fact, the longer this law is in will work to individuals half the in a balance on hand of £17,303,815, or

a reform may be made which shall elasticity.

serve untouched the liberty of the about to a par with silver. I wonder in his forthcoming message .- Philaenough to have many varied inter- citizen in respect to what he shall that silver is not already coming in- delphia Press. ests and to stretch the bonds of even eat and drink and wear, while guard- to the market to supply the deficienpersonal affection to far regions, ing society from the injury now in- cy in the eirculating medium. When flicted upon it through individual it does come-and I predict that it will soon-we will have made a rapweakness and wickedness. id stride towards specie payments.

> Specie payment has come at last. after that. The Elmira Advertiser has the fol-

that the issuing of silver had been commenced.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 .- It is said the transaction of the business of the that the price of gold and silver hav- business of the country. Silver will States was injuring us very much, ing fallen so low, Secretary Richard- gradually take the place of this cur- Emperor and Prince Bismarck visit- ted States. that we were sending out vast quan- son feels justified in placing the cur- rency, and, further, will become the ed the exhibition yesterday. They tities of gold and silver to pay for rency on a silver basis and has deter- standard of values, which will be expressed a particular desire to see our imports, many of them luxuries, mined to begin next week paying hoarded in a small way. I estimate the American machinery in motion, that it is a very pleasant thing to out silver, the same as greenbacks that this will consume from two to and were conducted through the dethat it is a very pleasant thing to find the tables turned, especially at a against the government in silver and this species of our circulating medi-they examined with interest several time of disturbance and alarm in exchange silver for currency or vice um. It will leave the paper currency of the most curious inventions. money matters. The following is one versa. Instructions to this effect free to perform the legitimate funcof many like paragraphs that appear have been issued to the Treasurer tions of trade, and will tend to bring and Assistant Treasurers.

The Philadelphia Press in speakdred and sixty thousand dollars in ing of the same subject gives this

in silver coin was brought to this a standard of value the world over. PLENTY of room in the churches. city to-day by the Adams Express Twice as many people can be accom- Mint, consigned to one of our namodated as usually gather in our tional bankers and a firm of private currency will be rapid. three places of worship, both with bankers who are paying it out at seats and with thoughts and sugges- par. The bullion from which it was most unlimited amounts of silver tions worthy of their attention and suitable for practical application in the business of life\_the duties of the business of life-the duties of monthly, all of which it will continue years, and suggest to you bankers to have coined for circulation.

last week seems to have been very A Voice from over the Mountain. them. There has never been authori- this and every part of the world. ED. JOURNAL: That memorable is

vines are green in the garden. Is

[Copy of letter to N. A. Cowdrey, of the Conti-

ntal National Bank, from President Grant]

EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON, D. C., October 6, 1873.

M. A. N.

from £2,114,669 to almost £8,000,-

I do not believe the present panie 000, leaving at the end of ten years great family and that our welfare or force the more does it commend it- jury it will work general good to the about eighty-four millions of dollars. calamity, our needs, our joys, hopes self. A grand jury lately in session country at large. Our monetary sys- The advocates of the introduction of and successes, our trials and our in Montreal recommended the en- tem is the creation of necessity. It this system into America propose, forcement of its principles in that has no elasticity, but in other re- first, the authorization of postal community. During the coming win- spects it is the best that has ever banks by Congress, and, secondly, the same merciful Hand; and that ter it will probably be adopted in been devised. No one now distrusts an increase on the English rate of together the vast brotherhood should other states. We have this law and the value of his paper dollar; on the interest of one-and-a-half per cent. the enforcement of it will reflect the contrary it is seized and hoarded They claim that the poor will thus the Regulator man for dry goods, gro-Gladly, gratefully, tearfully, sub- greatest credit on our temperance with the same avidity now that the obtain an absolutely secure deposi- ceries, boots and shoes. organizations and do more good than gold dollar has been in former like tory for their small savings and that in any other possible way. A syste- adversities. The panic will call at- the Government will so far be the in this time let us share each others' matic trial of it may suggest further tention to the defects in our moneta- gainer as to have the use of an

griefs and chastenings as well as joy improvements. These will come ry system; and will, no doubt, lead amount of money at present incalcualong in their proper place and thus to legislation to relieve the want of lable. This plan is strongly urged by Mr. Creswell, and will probably be a true one, because it aims to pre- The panic has brought greenbacks be recommended by President Grant

MEMPHIS, Oct. 20.- The streets are crowded with vehicles and the sidewalks thronged with pedestrians. There is now more activity in business than for the past month. The disease is rapidly yielding to the

report shows that there were no deaths from vellow fever and six from other causes.

\*\*\* FAREWELL SERVICES .- The conference in this city of the Evangel sire to see a limited hoarding of cal Alliance closed Sunday evening by meetings at the Academy of Music, Cooper Institute and Steinway CHICAGO, Oct. 24 .- About \$65,000 the hoarding of something that has and Tammany Halls. At this last meeting. Dr. Hugh Miller said that he had never been a missionary, but went out to India in 1840 as a private physician. He was soon brought in to the heart of the native society in Bombay, and, as a physician entered

houses to which no missionary could then gain access. He was therefore able to speak of the state of Christianity in India then and at the time he left there, eight years ago.

After enumerating some of the obstacles to the spread of Christianity which are peculiar to that counand Central American countries have try he went on to mention some of

Among the obstacles still remaining were the divisions in the Chriswere opposed to each other, and this to claim recommendations for th was a hard argument to answer. The difficulty had been partly remedied, however, by the (Ecumenical Council of India and by the union of the converts. Another serious obstacle was found in the godless lives of many Europeans and Americans in India. When he went to that country, although not a missionary, he endeavored to lead a consistent Christian life and he found that this gave he character great weight among the natives. In the last twelve or fifteen years a great change had occurred in Bombay, Calcutta and other parts of In-Cotton mills had been erected the fourth page. dia. and many Americans had gone there to engage in various avocations. Many also had gone there from England and Scotland, of whom a large number were under contracts to work on the Sabbath. The lives of many THE Popular Science Monthly of these nominal Christians were a

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Shepard. at Simmons' Regulators. says he will give a laboring man or lady more goods for the same amount of mo-VIENNA, Oct. 23 .- The German ney than any other man will in the Uni-

> Don't forget that C. H. Simmons, the Merchant Prince of Wellsville, is yet in trade larger than ever, and that his twenty-five years' experience in this market enables him to give his customers the best goods and latest styles at the lowest living rates. Be sure and call and examine his stock, and be con-

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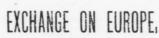
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John V. Brown,

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> us back where we must come at last. to a specie basis. I confess to a demoney. It insures a firm foundation in time of need. But I want to see Silver has this; and if we once get

Currency will never go below silver

back to that our strides towards towards a higher appreciation of our

whether you may not imitate it: to put it in circulation now; keep it there until it is fixed and then we

WE have another heavy rain and will find other markets. The South

now given. When it is given it will

ty of law to do so. I trust it will be

Our mines are now producing al-

Many streams rose very rapidly, past which will decide the fate, po- be more than the equivalent of bethe Schuylkill was higher than it had litically, of so many anxious minds, coming exporters of articles of manbeen for four years and all through Our election passed off very quiet- ufactories which were previously areastern Pennsylvania and New York ly as I believe was generally the case for large amounts of coin. It will streams were much swollen and all under option law.

through New England and the South- This election will long be remem- not necessarily so. We become the ern part of Canada high water and bered by some of the sporting manufacturer of this currency, with a obstruction of travel are reported. part of the community, who, on their On the sea coast, the storm raged way came in contact with three metal. also, with injury to shipping and bears. Two of them were killed by I have thought much about the reseveral wrecks occurred. The intense J. Campbell a few rods below T. darkness of the two nights of rain Goodwin's house. One was very large Congress and have changed slightly occasioned some portion of the dis- and had lost one foot.

IT SEEMS as though poor France is needay a party went for a deer hunt, because they may undergo further determined to try over again, and a distance of five miles to what is modification. I shall give to the subfor the fortieth time (or is it more?) called the Cedar Swamp, killed two ject, however, my sincerest thoughts the voke of a royal government, very fat deer and got home before After so many and such bloody revo- night.

lutions, after such immense offerings I must say some words in regard like to express I will be glad to hear of life and property, again and again, to our beautiful woods. Our grand them. Yours truly, U. S. GRANT. for the sake of having a republic- old mountains are clothed in robes of this French people ends always with royal purple, trimmed with green a kingdom or an "Empire." Now and gold, beautiful beyond descrip-tending the use of the various seda-formed a serious hindrance to the they have just succeeded in paying tion, and our lovely Trout Run valley tives employed in the nursery is that success of mission work. off the immense indemnity imposed with its chestnut, butternut, pine and they tend to produce the opium habby Prussia, the result of the last act cucumber trees, interspersed with it. These quack medicines owe their of their Emperor, and now they are grape and bittersweet vines, presents soothing and quieting effects to the divided and discussing the claims of a beauty of scenery hardly ever them given a morbid appetite for rival aspirants to the throne. The equalled, and all this beauty from the narcotic stimulants. people seem to be strongly republic, natural decay of autumn, without but there is great fear that the people one frost to mar its splendor.

will be overcome by intriguing man- The morning-glories are in full advocated in the next Congress is a agers.



article like the following in an influential metropolitan paper. It is the one eminently practical way of opposing the liquor selling.

The New York Evening Post savs:

The chief business of the temper- ter of the 29th ult. was received and ment, did the idea originate. Even only those who cannot attend any of ance men of this state, at the present read, as was your previous letter. upon Mr. Creswell it seems to have the other examinations. All, and especially Directors, are cortime, ought to be the enforcement of Neither required an answer particu-time, ought to be the enforcement of Neither required an answer particu-dawned by degress and to have been dially invited to attend the new Civil Damages bill. This larly and hence I did not answer finally evolved out of the depths of work is practicable and practical. them at that time. Your last letter, his inner consciousness only after a COUDERSPORT, Oct. 13, 1873. All the resolutions in the world will however, contains one sentence that survey of the varied features of the not provide a loaf of bread or a hand- it seems proper I should reply to, postal service in Great Britain. It ful of firewood for any poor woman that is as to an implied threat to the is a natural development of the monwho is likely during the coming win-ter to be without either, many times, ter to Messrs. Anthony and Claffin. takes care of one's money in transitu Singer took the first premium, with the because her husband spends his earn- Nothing was further from my mind tn perpetuo? and, in the latter case, Howeand Remington Sewing Machines ings at some neighboring groggery. It han a threat. My whole object was why should it not pay interest to the nisery caused by intermerance. It mind and to give to the public owner? why, in short, should not Bros. and the Remington by the Agent misery caused by intemperance. It mind and to give assurances that the the post office in every city-and town from Bingham.

mountain?

TROUT RUN, Oct. 22, 1873.

be all in silver, while payments are profit and will probably secure a por-

tion of our pay in the more precious

commendations I should make to in regard to banking laws since I last had the pleasure of a personal Our sportsmen are enjoying the interview with you. It is not necesliberty of the game here. Last Wed- sary to state what those changes are,

and will court the views of others. I have written this hastily, but if it calls forth any views you would

Among the measures likely to be bloom over our windows, the tomato financial scheme of some importance. Lewisville It is one which will concern not only the rich but also the comparatively It is very cheering to find an not this truly the sunny side of the poor. The measure contemplated is the establishment of post office savings banks-that is, to make savings Hebron (Greenman Schoolhouse) " banks of the post offices. Had Pe- Coudersport - - - postmaster would have been stimulated! Not with him, however, but My dear Mr. Cowdrey: Your let- with the present head of the depart-

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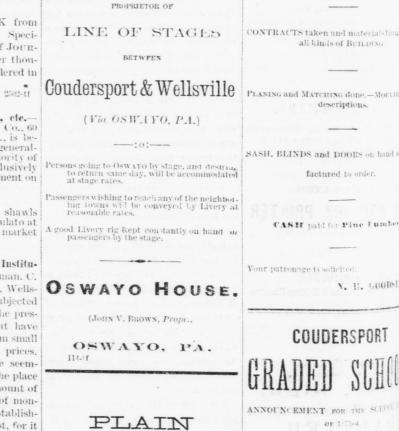
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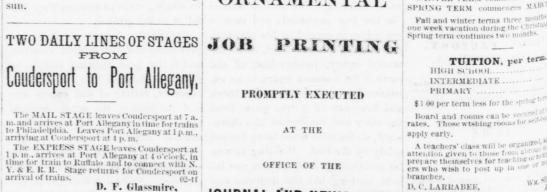


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