Paragraphic.

—Hobble is the name of a Baltimore clergyman who makes ritualism his hobby.

—It is remarked that no man can become thoroughly acquainted with his family history until he runs for office.

—The Rev. Dr. Pentecost, pastor of the Boston church in which the little girl was murdered by the sexton, has preached two sermons since the tragedy favoring the doctrine of total depravity.

—Canaan Valley, Conn., is the place where they store kegs of gunpowder in a blacksmith shop, and where the gunpowder, lighted by a spark from the forge, blows the blacksmith and the shop into bits.

—"Are the young ladies of the present day fit for wives?" asked a lecturer of his audience. "They are fit for husbands" responded a female voice; "but the trouble is that you men are not fit for wives." [Applause.]

—Said a saucy Rochester beauty to a foppish fellow who bored her with his compliments: "Your presence and conversation are vastly agreeable, and what is remarkable your attractiveness doesn't seem to depend upon brains at all."

—This year the southern counties of California sent to San Francisco 5,350,000 oranges, 820,000 lemons, and 4-8,000 limes. The consumption of California is about 10,000,000 oranges a year, and 5,000,000 are brought from Mexico and the Pacific isles.

—Lieut.-Col Loney of the Fifth Maryland Regiment, while addressing his soldiers the other night about their participation in the Bunker Hill centennial, told them that their headquarters would beat the Boston Institute of Technology, and he wanted them all to keep in such a condition during their sojourn that they would have no difficulty in pronouncing the name of their barracks.

—A feature of the Decoration Day observance in Springfield, Mass., was the special attention paid to the grave of Sumner Brown, a supposed rebel soldier. The poem "The Blue and the Gray," was read, and a great deal of pathos was elaborated by the orators. The next day Sumner Brown's father, having heard of the matter, published a statement showing that his son had never been a rebel.

—The Troy *Times* tells the story of Maud Oswald, one of the chariot drivers of Barnum's show. She was a clerk in a fancy goods store in that city. One day she said she was tired of standing twelve hours a day behind a counter, and that night she started for New York, where she applied at the Hippodrome for employment. Her good looks favored her application, and although she had never driven a horse she soon learned to be expert. Now she rides a bare-backed horse with skill and fearlessness, gets $75 a week, and dutifully supports her mother.

—Early one morning about a week ago Mary Fogarty, a servant girl employed by ex-Judge Robertson, in Troy, N. Y., went out to sweep the sidewalk. Thereafter her movements cannot be traced. She disappeared, and the next day her body was found in the Hudson, with bruises and scratches on it. The mystery of her death is profound. Fifty dollars that her employer had recently paid her, and with which she intended to return to Ireland, were safe in her pocket. That fact makes mercenary murder improbable. She was young and pretty, and for a while before her death habitually wept a great deal. Her grief was attributed to lonesomeness induced by the nearness of her departure for Ireland; but now many suppose she had some deeper sorrow that led her to drown herself. In conflict with the suicide theory, however, are the facts that on the day before she had engaged a passage for Dublin, and the bodily evidence of a struggle before the drowning. The case is agitating Troy as deeply as the Nathan Murder did New York city.

—A drunken man went about the streets of Passaic, N. J., on Sunday, pointing an empty pistol at every one he met. He was arrested, but escaped from the lock up by crawling through a hole in the roof. In decending from the roof, he fell on a pile of stones and was badly cut and bruised. With but one garment on, and that covered with blood, he ran through the principal streets, and was again arrested and locked up, and again escaped. He was a third time arrested and returned to the cell, handcuffed and shackled to a staple, but shortly before midnight he had again disappeared, taking the irons with him.

—GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF PENN'A.—The following officers were elected and installed at the annual conclave held last week in Pittsburg: R. E. Grand Commander, Sir Charles A. Kingston, of Philadelphia; V. E. Deputy Grand Commander, Sir Andrew J. Kauffman, of Columbia; E. Grand Generalissimo, Sir Wm. H. Egle, of Harrisburg; E. Grand Captain General, Sir Samuel Dick, of Meadville; E. Grand Senior Warden, Sir J. P. S. Gobin, of Lebanon; E. Grand Junior Warden, Sir D. W. C. Carroll, of Pittsburg; E. Grand Prelate, Sir Rev. Daniel Washburne, D. D., of Pottsville, Grand Treasurer, Sir M. Richards Muckle, of Philadelphia; Grand Recorder, Sir Chas. E. Meyer, of Philadelphia; Grand Sword Bearer, Sir William H. Eagle, of Marietta; Grand Standard Bearer, Sir James Hodston, of Mauch Chunk; Grand Warden, Sir Geo. W. Kendrick, Jr., of Philadelphia.

—By the monthly report of the public debt for May we learn that the debt was decreased during the month $1,189,456 03. The total principal of the debt now outstanding is $2,240,210,755 76, on which there is due and unpaid of interest $31,684,830 58, giving a total of principal and interest of $2,271,894,586 34. There was at the same time cash in the Treasury, of coin, $61,251,0[illegible] 59; of currency, $4,398,107 77, exclusive of $55,945,000 of special deposits for redemption of certificates, making the total of cash in the Treasury $143,654,710 45, reducing the total debt, less cash in the Treasury, June 1 1875, to $2,128,119,675 88. Debt less amount in Treasury 1st of May, 1875, $2,131,309,431, showing a decrease during the last month of $1,189,456 03. Decrease of the debt since June 30, 1874, $12,058,263 28. Bonds issued to Pacific Railroad Companies, interest payable in lawful money, principal outstanding, $64,6[illegible],512; interest accrued and not yet paid, $1,615,387 81; interest paid by United States, $26,264,102 10; interest repaid by transportation of mails, etc., $6,116,866 25; balance of interest paid by United States, $20,147 235 49.

—Owing to the reduction of appropriations by the last Congress, nearly ⅓ of the male and female clerks in the Pension Office at Washington will be dismissed on the 30th of June.

—Like their brethern of the Keystone State, by whose example they were no doubt to a considerable extent influenced, the Ohio Republicans, in their convention at Columbus Wednesday, put themselves on the record in disapproval of an extension of the Presidential term of office beyond the period for which the example of Washington has furnished a precedent which the American people will not soon be willing to see violated. With so decided an expression on the subject from the two great Commonwealths of Pennsylvania and Ohio, in connection with the letter of President Grant, the third-term excitement will be likely to have almost faded into oblivion before the period of the next Presidential election rolls around.

—Whales are said to have grown more numerous since the utilization of coal oil for illuminating purposes.

—A poultry dealer of New York State, to test the relative productiveness of ducks and hens, selected three of each, all hatched in February, and equally fed. In the following Autumn the ducks laid 123 eggs, the hens none. In February the laying season began, and up to August the total number of eggs laid by the hens was 257, or 86 each, and 123 or 141 each for the ducks.

—Certainly the three latest Cabinet appointments, that of Mr. Bristow, Mr. Jewell and Mr. Pierrepont cannot be attributed to any but the purest motives. They are all men of conceded ability, of the highest characterr and of political standing, and that is worth considering at a time when it is fashion to suspect and abuse every act of the President.—*Harper's Weekly.*

—M. Thiers loses none of his activity as he grows old. He is said to have accepted the proposal of a deputation of the inhabitants of Belford to become their candidate for the Senate in their Department; and he is working with great zeal upon his Memoirs, which he expects to extend to sixteen volumes. Besides this he is engaged upon a History of Art, of which he has completed only the Italian portion.

—The earliest mention of petroleum oil as an illuminator, occurred in the *American Journal of Science*, in the year 1826. An article in that periodical, written by Dr. Alldredh, of Marietta, O., spoke of it as "beginning to be in demand for workshops and manufactories. It affords a clear, brisk light when burned in this way." He adds the prediction, "It will be a valuable article for lighting the street-lamps of the future cities of Ohio." It was thirty-five years before the fulfilment of the spirit of this remarkable prediction began to be realized.

—The new Wellesley College for Women, situated about fifty miles from Berlin, will be opened next September. Candidates for admission to the collegiate department must be sixteen years of age or over, and must pass satisfactory examination in the following studies or their equivalents: ancient and modern geography, elements of physical geography, arithmetic, algebra through simple equations, ancient and modern history, Latin grammar, two books each of Cæsar and Virgil, two orations of Cicero, and the elements of French and German. There will be a preparatory department connected with the college.

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