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A. W. SHAW, widely known as "Josh Billings," died Wednesday in Monterey, California, of apoplexy.

The beauties of litigation are well illustrated in what has been known as the "Jones County Case" in a Western State. A farmer had four calves valued at \$50 stolen from him.

GEORGE CRAWFORD, a depositor in the West Side Bank, New York, drew his check on April 20, 1885, upon the bank, totaling it April 22, left it in his safe, and it was not returned.

The election in Ohio Tuesday involved Governor, Lieutenant Governor, State Treasurer, Attorney General, two Supreme Judges, one member of State Board of Public Works, and the Legislature that will elect the successor to John Sherman in the United States Senate.

FEDERICO WARD has made a long statement, filling ten columns of the New York Herald, pretending to give the full details of his great misdeed. Much that he says will not be believed unless corroborated by other evidence.

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James MacFarlane, of Towanda, died Monday, of heart disease. He was one of the most prominent coal men of this State, a recognized authority on coal matters and the author of the "Coal Fields of America."

all sections of the country. Securities are firm, and while crops have been abundant and prices low, they have not been drops in the market, but have found ready sale at prices which, it too, have not been by any means starvation prices.

HELL GATE BLOWN UP.

The explosion of nearly 300,000 pounds of dynamite in the subterranean galleries of Flood Rock, Hell Gate, took place on the 10th inst., according to the prearranged plan, and was as far as known a complete success.

FROM WASHINGTON From our Regular Correspondent. WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 10, '85. The matter of the reorganization of the House of Representatives is being much talked of just now.

There is a desire on the part of some of our friends to have the great object of the bill to be adopted. Besides, the tendency toward extravagance such a plan would be likely to have, is believed that it would tend still further to retard business.

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Broadbrim's New York Letter.

Socialist to the CARBON ADVOCATE. For many months the question has been asked by the public and the press, "Why has not Ferdinand Ward been punished?"

Why is this? What mysterious powers clogs the wheels of justice? That there is something behind not yet fully known, is apparent to every one. The only question is, "What is it?" For weeks past there have been mysterious rumors and whisperings concerning almost five millions of the funds supposed to have been stolen by Ward.

But in the disposition of the five millions, Mr. Grace, the Mayor of New York, is said to have profited by the swindles of this notorious rascal to the tune of many thousands of dollars. Mr. Grace was intimate with James D. Fish, the thieving president of the Marine Bank; he was friendly with Ferdinand Ward; he was a director in the defunct Marine Bank, by which the city lost a million.

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