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Preparations for Panics.

The panic, so variously and persistently predicted for us on both sides of the water, seems, at a superficial view of the situation, hardly reconcilable with the present harmonious relations between labor and capital.

man who gave the country its national hymn. THE mayor and chief of police, we are confident, will not remain inactive under the charges of the New Era that some of the police are derelict in their duty, and either are negligently ignorant of offenses calling for its exercise, or, knowing, dare not enforce the law fearlessly against the offenders.

sort, a piquant newspaper correspondent says: "Mine host" was once a term of abuse their trade, and the guest found at the door a plain, well-fed man, with honest eyes, who took his baggage on his hand and said, "Now, come to me if anything goes wrong."

PERSONAL.

DAN RICE's second wife is a suitor for a divorce from him on the charge of desertion. This is the way, too, that he came to have his second wife.

THE New York Times has got so far along with its Star Route investigations as to speak of "Key's strange apathy."

MINOR TOPICS.

SHOULD women be called "cranks" because they turn men's heads?

THE "limited" co-operative dress association is in charge of Mr. Wales. Does this imply the Prints of Wales in bathing costumes?

BECAUSE Dr. Cream, of Chicago, was gathered in for murder, it was erroneously reported that the authorities were skinning the Illinois river.

It was discovered after the decease of "Old Abe," the celebrated Wisconsin war eagle, that it was not that kind of bird. It should have been christened Dr. Mary Walker, Gail Hamilton or Joan of Arc.

A GERMAN SAVANT announces that a new moon for the earth is now in process of formation by the condensation of the zodiacal light which surrounds our planet, and that it may take its place in the heavens in the course of a few years.

THE number of idiots and imbecile persons in this country is estimated at about one in every 1,000 of the general population. There are about 2,500 pupils at present in the schools for idiot and feeble-minded children, and class training is found very much superior to individual training.

PRETTY house aprons of white satteen for pretty girls, have pockets on which are bee hives in Turkey red stitched em broiery, each live in a different perspective. Bees form the border, and are scattered over the apron, while the motto, "How doth the little busy bee improve each shining hour, and gather honey all the day from every opening flower," runs diagonally across the front.

THE New York Sun has taken up the cause of Midhat Pasha, and devotes many columns to proving that the trial to which he with some other eminent and wealthy Turks, has just been subjected on the charge of having murdered the late Sultan Abdul Aziz was a conspiracy, and the result predetermined by the present heads of the government, the sultan and the grand vizier. Its purpose was to destroy men whom they feared and to plunder men whose wealth they desired.

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Senator DAVID DAVIS intends to retire to private life at the expiration of his present senatorial term and under no consideration will he be a candidate for reelection. He intends to reside in the remainder of his days in Bloomington, Ill., and devote his time to the attention of his private business.

The steamer General Sherman, with SITTING BULL on board, arrived yesterday at Bismarck, Dakota. Sitting Bull was given his first view of a locomotive. He said he "did not want to see any more of the iron horse," and he refused to ride in a railroad car. After spending the day at Bismarck the Indians left in the boat for Standing Rock.

In conferring upon our American philologist, Prof. WILLIAM DWIGHT WHITNEY, the membership of the Order of Merit, made vacant by the death of Carlyle, the Emperor William has paid a graceful compliment to American learning, as well as worthily recognized the merits of one of the most distinguished of philologists.

JOHN McLAUGHLIN, of McLaughlin Bros., Philadelphia, large owners in the Times, who recently returned from a health voyage to Europe, has died at Cape May. Mr. McLaughlin was about 50 years of age and was highly respected by all who knew him. He was deservingly popular in financial circles, and had numerous friends in all walks of life.

DAVID CARROLL, superintendent of the Mount Vernon cotton-cold mills, has died in Baltimore county, Md., of paralysis, with which he was attacked on the 23d inst. Mr. Carroll, who was 70 years old, was the founder of the first cotton mill at Woodbury, in Baltimore county, in 1836, and since that time has built and operated other mills and died a millionaire.

The members of her Majesty's body guard, under their new captain, Lord Carrington, purpose entertaining his Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales at his "buck dinner," in return for his distinguished hospitality to them during the season. This dinner is an institution which took root from the fact of her Majesty sending the corps each year a fat buck from her preserves in Windsor Forest.

The United States Steamer Alliance, bound for the northern regions in search of the Jeannette, and with Paymaster REAR ADMIRAL FRAZER on board, arrived at Reikarvik, Iceland, on July 9, and the crew were kindly received by the authorities. The day after leaving St. Johns the Alliance encountered a gale from the southeast with a heavy sea, which drove in a bow port and broke one of the lower booms. The gale lasted twenty-four hours, after which, with the exception of two days fresh southwest winds, it had eight variable airs during the passage.

Millionaire MARK HOPKINS never kept nor had kept an account book of any kind not even a bank book, nor any other similar record, to show his individual dealings and operations. Everything that he had, all the money he made from all sources, was turned into the Western Development company, and from that company he drew when he wanted money to pay a tailor's bill or build a two million mansion. He left an estate of \$16,000,000. Some of his heirs claim that the estate was worth \$27,000,000, and that \$11,000,000 should yet be distributed. Mrs. Hopkins, as executrix, entered bond in the sum of \$5,000,000, and she says that only \$275—in an item that was overlooked—remain undistributed.

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The First Brigade of Pennsylvania National Guards, Brigadier General George R. Snowden commanding, began a week's encampment near Pottstown on Saturday.

About 2,100 officers and men are in the camp, which is named after General Reno, who fell at the battle of South Mountain.

A great sensation has been caused among the Catholics in West Philadelphia by the alleged appearance of the Virgin Mary, first to Mary Agnes Dunn, a girl 13 years of age, who had been blind for 13 years; then to the girl's family, and finally to a crowd of visitors. Her pastor declines to express any opinion.

William Hall, colored, was stabbed to death by James Mulligan, a farmer, near McAlester, Missouri, on Saturday afternoon. Mulligan says he acted in self-defense.

Cumming Marion was fatally stabbed by his brother-in-law, Michael Cloherty, in a family quarrel, in Boston, on Saturday night.

George S. Fisher was shot dead by Elisha T. Suttle, in a quarrel about a girl in a beer garden, near Indianapolis, on Saturday.

The young wife of William Norton, a stonecutter, committed suicide near Alton, Illinois, on Saturday, by cutting her throat with a razor.

Frank Gilbert and Merrick Rosenbergs were hanged at Leadville, Colorado, on Friday, in presence of about 7,000 people. Rosenbergs asserted his innocence, and Gilbert said he acted in self-defense.

The wife of John Lane, living near Geneva, Cook county, Ill., attempted suicide on Friday by cutting her throat, and then jumping into a well 25 feet deep. She was taken from the well alive, but no hope was felt of her recovery.

John Hayes, a lad employed in a Montreal feed factory, owing to some mishap, was drowned while scaling a silo. The lad ran shrieking through the building, and before help could reach him he expired in great agony.

Mrs. Maria Walrath died, near Janesville, Wisconsin, on Saturday, from the effects of a blow on the head with a shot gun, given by Frederick Blank, a neighbor, with whom she quarrelled. She was 43 years of age, and leaves a husband and three children.

On Saturday morning an explosion occurred in the elevator that lifts the malt to the sixth floor of the Elbert's Brewery, in New York, which blew off the entire roof of the west wing, and damaged the building and its contents to the extent of \$25,000. No lives were lost, and no one employed in the building was injured.

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