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#### THE BOOM AND THE BABY.

FUN IN POLITICS.

Warning For Enthusiastic Democrats-riables do Most of Their Growing The First Few Years

Pittsburgh Dispatch, Rep. Having now somewhat recovered from their astonishment at the dimensions of their asconsament at the dimensions of their victory, Democratic leaders every-where are hastening to express their sense of the great responsibility it places upon them, and to declare what the party will do when it gets control of both branches of Congress, and above all what great things are set down for 1884. All this recalls a little incident in the life of our first

When Cain was born, he was a genuine surprise to Adam and his estimable wife. They had never had such a thing in the house before, and had no experienced aunts to tell them what to do with it. But Cain was a pushing child, and quite capable of raising himself if occasion demanded. One of the first things he taught his proud and happy father was that a healthy infant required a vast amount of carrying. No matter how much hay was down and a rain was coming up, when little Cainy decided to take a ride on pa's shoulder there was nothing to do but to take him up. He contrived to keep Adam trotting about pretty much all the time.

Now, of course, they had weighed the child when it was born. Green as they

were, they knew enough to do that. They had not the approved appliances for ascertaining which are in common use now, even by the dog's meat man, but by taking his little Cain in one hand and a stone of about equal weight in the other, and estimating the weight of the stone, Adam figured out that the baby weighed about 0 pounds, 8 ounces. He probably exaggerated a few ounces. There is no authoritic record of a time when young authentic record of a time when young fathers told the strict truth about the weight of their first-born, and it is safe to say that Adam was no better than his descendants in this regard.

The child grew and flourished and kept his father up at night for a month. Adam had noticed that the baby was more of a load than he used to be, and at the end of the month he weighed him again. Twentyone pounds now. Father Adam sought out a smooth place on the barn door and a soft stone and began to figure. By and by he called Eve: "This thing evidently figured it out as far as I have room on the Adirondacks. this door, and here's what it comes to: this door, and here's what it comes to:
In two years our darling will weigh 351,921,636 pounds, and in the name of heaven, Eve, how am I going to carry all that."

The druggist who hesitates now is lost for the winter. He should sting together some sweet oil and liquoric and bring out his cough cure at once. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup does not pay him enough profit.

Eve's answer is not of public interest, and it is improper to pry into the private life of a worthy couple, both of whom are now dead, except so far as it is necessary to point the moral. We all know how needless was Adam's alarm. The child didn't continue to grow at that rate, and before the two year's expired it was capable of caring for itself.

Time lightens all burdens, and a boom doesn't keep on the way it begins any more than a baby.

COMPLETELY HEMMED IN Why a Massachusetts Man Did Not Move a he Threatened.

Two of the many Massachusetts people to whom the thought of Ben Butler as governor of the state has been a nightmare of the largest calibre, are a young married couple living in a town a few miles below Springfield. They talked it over, shudderingly, the day before elec-tion. The husband said that, although Butler's election was confidently predict ed, he could never believe that the grand old party would ever allow the grand old commonwealth to be blighted with the desolating ignominity of such an event. He had too much faith in the wisdom and mercy of an overruling Providence to credit the idea for an instant. But if the worst did happen he could no longer breath the tainted air of his native state. "If Butler should be elected," said he to his wife, "we will pack right up to morrow and move into another state. No

more Massachusetts for me." It was late when he woke in the morning after election day. His wife had been up some time and of her he inquired about the preparations for breakfast. "I have been busy," was her reply, "but not with the breakfast. I am packing up and getting ready to move because you said we must get out of the state to day, sure," "Gimme that paper," said the head of the family. His wife handed over the Springfield Republican and Butler's deadly for surveyed it for some minutes sadly and silently. "I guess," he observed mournfully to his partner as he threw the paper aside, "That you can unpack those things and get breakfast. I don't care much about living in Massachusetts much longer, but just cast your eye over that paper again and tell me what state there is left for me to go to. Perhaps you can find one but I can't. They've all gone the same way."

That family has not moved.

SOME HOME PICTURES.

Matrimonial Miserics and Delights. Mrs. Margaret J. Preston, the wellknown southern writer, sister-in-law to the late General "Stonewall" Jackson, is an untiring collector of curiosities. She has in her parlor what is said to be the first alpenstock ever carried by an Ameri-MEN, YOUTHS AND BOYS. can to the top of Mont Blanc, and a large picture, entirely composed of woven spiderwebs, which at a distance cannot be dis tinguished from a steel engraving.

John Holmes, of Alabama, has raised eleven children, seven boys and four girls. He has seventy-three grandchildren, fortythree boys and thirty girls. Mr. Holmes is seventy-nine years old, weighs three hundred pounds, and has killed fifteen hundred deer and one bear. The entire family live in Morgan county, except one son, who lives in Blout. All the older ones belong to the Missionary Baptist

Beacon street, Boston, about eight miles from the state house, and among the pic-turesque and rustic surroundings of Newton Centre. His large, square mansion bears the aspect of a house built in colonyears old. It stands in the middle of a classes of travel. spacious lawn, girt about on every side with a natural forest of oaks, elms, ma-

ples and chestnuts. The Neue Freie Presse, of Vienna, contained recently the following matrimonial

subsequently transpired that the advertisement eminated from a chevalier d'industrie, who is now in jail for swindling.
One of the Chinese students formerly at Harford was understood to have been deeply enamored of a girl whom he met in society there, and to have had some expec-tation of winning her. But he writes back from China that he is involuntarily a husband. He found, on returning home, that his parents had chosen a wife for him. "I tried to break it off," he says, " but with-

out success, as the Chinese consider an ergagement of marriage the most sacred contract. If it is once made, it can never be broken. According to the Chinese cus-tom the younger brother cannot marry bc-fore an elder one. I have two younger brothers who have to wait for me to before they can. Therefore I was urged very strongly by my relatives to marry right away, so I consented. Of course it is not a love affair, but I shall try to do my

duty." The following dialogue occurred in the Fanbourg St. Honore, Paris, between a patriarchal gentleman and his grand daughter:

"What makes your hair so white, grandpapa?" inquired the maiden.
"I am very old, my dear; I was in the ark," says grandpapa, humorously, but with a reckless regard for truth which does not prepossess us in the old man's

"Oh !" says the child, regarding her elative with a fresh interest, "are you

Noah ?" "No I am not Noah." " Are you Shem, then ?"

"No, I am not Shem." " Are you Ham ?" "No, I am not Ham."

"Then you must be Japheth," says mademoiselle, at the end of her historical tether, and growing rather impatient of the difficulty that surrounded her aged relative's identification.

" No, I am not Japheth." "Then, grandpapa, you're a beast !"

Two wealthy New England lumbermen propose spending \$400,000 in building a railway into the Adirondacks wilderness. The people of Mahone, N. Y., have called a public meeting with a view of asking that Malone be made the terminus of the new road. The projectors of the road have bought sixty square miles of the doubles its weight once a month. In a finest land which they will clear of timber month more it will weigh 42 pounds. In when the road is completed, thus denudtwo months it will weigh \$4 pounds. I've | ing a large section of the central forests of

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