

INSANITY AS AN EXCUSE FOR CRIME.

Mr. David Dudley Field read a paper last evening, before the New York Medico Legal Society, concerning emotional insanity in its relations to the commission of crime and legal punishments.

Mr. Field summed up his argument in the following conclusions: That children and idiots are not held to criminal responsibility; that mental unsoundness may excuse crime when the will becomes the slave of defective reason; insanity excusing crime must be shown by experts to be a brain disease; neither emotional nor perceptual insanity is an excuse in itself for crime; all prisoners declared insane should be put in lunatic asylums until their restoration to health; the punishments should be graded to suit the quality of the crime and the intent and relative guilt of the criminal.

The New Orleans Picayune says: A visit to the levee at the present time will fully convince any one of the vast value of the great river that flows by our metropolis. No less than thirty steamboats are now at the wharf, with twelve or fifteen barges, and immense piles of freight encumber the landing from one end to the other, though numberless vehicles are employed in removing the merchandise.

A story told lately is of a wealthy New York German and a Hartford livery stable keeper, who was loth to let his best rig to a stranger. The German was bound to have his ride, and agreed to buy the horse and sleigh, and when he returned the stable-keeper might refund the money.

"I could kill you for two cents, said an enraged individual to a neighbor. "Great heavens! can it be possible?" cried the neighbor. "I knew you were avaricious, but I could not think that you would stain your hands with blood, and your soul with the awful crime of murder, for such a paltry sum. It is terrible." The enraged individual stared quite hard at him for a minute and then withdrew perfectly disgusted.

An Omaha man rose to build his Monday morning fire, when he was seized with a violent fit of coughing, and choked to death before relief could be had. Let this serve as a warning to domineering wives who kick their husbands out of bed at the approach of day-light, and sweetly snooze while he chills the marrow in his bones and barks his shins on the stove hearth, kindling a fire for them.

"Will you have a daily Sun?" said a newsboy to Mrs. Partington. "Will I have a daily son? Why, you little scapgrace! How dare you insinuate against a lone woman? No, indeed, I guess I won't have a daily son! My poor, dear husband used to complain when I presented him with a yearly son. A daily son, indeed! Be gone you upstart imp!"

—Mr. Whipple says, women to the end of time, will never be tired of gazing on those insipidly handsome faces, and those perfectly but impossible fitting garments, which gladden their eyes when they look at plates of the fashions. Mr. Whipple stands a good show of being snatched bald-headed by uttering such sentiments as these.

A country editor, while reading his proof the other day encountered this expression: "For our part we are firmly convinced that a long tail shirt is by far the most desirable." It was a casual article, and what the misguided editor wrote was a "low toll sheet!"

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Table with columns for STATIONS, 1st Class, and 2d Class, listing times for Southward routes.

Oil City 9:15 10:20 10:15 3:46

Oleopolis 9:45 2:38 11:16 4:25

Eagle Rock 9:55 2:45 11:22 4:40

President 9:59 2:50 11:28 4:55

Tionesta 10:23 3:12 12:30 5:37

Hickory 10:44 3:32 1:20 6:15

Trunkville 10:54 3:41 1:45 6:43

Tidoute 11:11 3:58 2:11 7:10

Irwin 12:01 4:40 4:45 8:40

ADDITIONAL SECOND-CLASS TRAINS—SOUTH.

No. 16, Tionesta 2:10 p. m.; Miller 2:40; Pioneer 3:25; Pet Centre 3:35; Columbia 4:15; Tarr Farm 4:23; Rynd Farm 4:37; Rousseville 4:45; Oil City 5:20.

No. 8, Corry 6:15 a. m.; Tionesta 6:35; Miller Farm 6:55; Pet Centre 6:48; Columbia 10:18; Tarr Farm 10:18; Rynd Farm 10:27; Rousseville 10:35; Oil City 11:00.

No. 18, Pet Centre 1:25 p. m.; Columbia 1:50; Tarr Farm 2:05; Rynd Farm 2:10; Rousseville 2:30; Oil City 3:00.

No. 22, Oil City 6:30 a. m.; Oleopolis 7:25; Tionesta 8:41; Trunkville 10:15; Tidoute 11:11.

NORTHWARD TRAINS.

Table with columns for STATIONS, 1st Class, and 2d Class, listing times for Northward routes.

Irwin 12:45 8:05 9:00 7:45

Tidoute 1:28 8:47 9:20 8:03

Trunkville 1:45 9:05 9:50 8:10

Hickory 1:54 9:18 10:20 8:44