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IT SEEMS strange that coffee should be sent from Philadelphia to Brazil, but that it is done is proven by the following from the *North American*: The export of coffee from this city to Para for workmen on the Mamore Railroad strikes many as strange. But steam makes it easier to lay down Rio products at Para via Philadelphia than direct. The fact adds to the motives for communication.

A Liberal Offer.

A wealthy Illinois farmer, possessing a number of farms and costly houses, is reported to have visited the family of William Coldren, of Womelsdorf, and to have made an offer of a farm of 200 acres of the best land in Illinois and \$4,000 in cash to a son of Mr. Coldren's if he would return with him to the West and marry his only daughter. Whether the offer was accepted has not been stated, but there are about fifty other young men in Womelsdorf who are anxious to know if any more such chances are to be had in the West.—*Lebanon Times*.

Alex. Stephens on His Dignity.

AUGUSTA, Ga., June 26. — Alexander H. Stephens spoke here to-night to an immense audience. He vindicated his course on the Potter resolution by the logic of subsequent events, and declared he could not be ruled out of the party by the political tricksters. He said if the coming democratic convention failed to nominate him he would appeal to the people. He also said Hayes was doing more for the people of the south than Tilden could have done, and declared that he himself would die in the temple of Jeffersonian democracy, free from the party lash and caucus lasso.

Boiler Explosion at Harrisburg.

At an early hour on Tuesday morning a boiler explosion occurred in the puddle mills of the Chesapeake nail works owned by Chas. L. Bailey & Bro., in the lower portion of Harrisburg, the report of which was heard for miles and the result of which was the instant killing of one man and the dangerous injuring of three others and the destruction of property valued at about \$20,000.

The number of boilers exploded was four, all of which occupied positions ten feet from the ground. The explosion occurred at 3:36 A. M., while Chambers Bowermaster, who had charge of the boilers, was inspecting them. He was thrown a distance of forty feet and was picked up with the top of his head blown off. His form was horribly mutilated, and nearly all his clothing was torn from his body. John Hess and John Hetrick, two employees who had been sitting together near the boilers, were hurled about 20 feet amid the flying lumber and iron, receiving injuries of a supposed fatal character. Geo. Frank, in a distant part of the building, was struck by a flying fragment, breaking his skull. A fireman of one of the furnaces escaped with slight injuries.

Two boilers, twenty-six feet long, were blown northward, and two of a similar length southward, the latter having the greater force. The larger portion of one of these reached an elevation of about 50 feet, and landed in a field seven hundred feet distant, after having taken a portion of the roof off the plate mill, about five hundred feet from the starting point.—Another passed through three roofs of buildings, connected with the works, and forced its way through kegs filled with nails, covering an area of six feet, and through an eighteen inch brick wall.—These pieces weighed from one-half to two tons.

The larger portions of the other boilers struck the stone gable end of a building and knocked it in. A piece weighing several hundred pounds was thrown considerably further. The bricks in the mill in which the boilers were located extends over an area of from forty to one hundred feet.

People in the neighborhood were almost thrown from their beds by the shock. The cause of the accident is unknown. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

Six Men Clean out a Party of Harvest Hands.

About 2 o'clock Tuesday morning some fifty men in box cars, at Alton Junction, were attacked by six men with revolvers, and all the money in the party was taken, amounting to about \$50 or \$60. The robbers would go through one car, then lock it up, and go through another, until they were all captured. The gang are supposed to have gone toward

Bunker Hill. It is believed to be the same crowd that came from St. Louis last Saturday. They were around Alton Junction all day Sunday.

An Army of Tramps.

An Illinois paper of last week says: At Jacksonville about 200 tramps boarded conductor George Heller's freight train on the Wabash, saying they intended to ride, as they had had all the walking they wanted. Every possible device was employed to get them off the train, but to no purpose. The tramps were determined to stay. The railroad employes were entirely too few to cope with this mob. The consequence was that the tramps stayed on the train until it reached Quincy, when they got off and scattered throughout the city, a number of them being arrested during the night by the police.

While the train was at Jacksonville, Conductor Heller notified the officials along the line of the condition of affairs. In consequence of the danger it was feared the express train, which left Quincy in the afternoon, might be boarded by the tramps, and to prevent this, it was merely slowed at Jacksonville, the passengers for that city being assisted to alight while the train was in motion, and the baggage and mail being taken on and put off on the run.

Over 200 more of these tramps, the majority of them claiming to be harvesters in the search of work, arrived on the War Eagle from St. Louis the other day. They have not yet commenced to go up the river, but go out into the suburbs of the city, and the county is now nearly overrun with them. Passengers on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy and the Wabash report the railroad tracks lined with them for miles.

Father and Mother Tramping Across the Continent.

The Des Moines News says: A News reporter met an old gentleman and lady at the depot to-day who stated that they had walked from Harrisburg, Pa., to Des Moines, and that they were on their way to Nebraska, about one hundred miles west of Omaha, to visit some friends whom they had not seen for many years. The man appeared to be about sixty years of age, who carried a large valise, and the old lady said she would be seventy-one years of age this fall. She stated that they had left Harrisburg the first day of April and had walked some every day since, regardless of the weather.

How a Merchant Received a Burglar.

A North Manchester, Ind. special says: "At one o'clock this morning W. T. Green, of the firm of Green & Vanbuskirk, of Ijamsville, a little station three miles west of here, on the Eel River Road, was awakened from his sleep by some one cutting at the west window of the storeroom in which he was sleeping. He quietly reached for his revolver and held himself in readiness. The thief soon raised the window sash and crawled about half way through, when he hesitated and jumped out again.

Mr. Green then took a kneeling position and held a steady aim on the open window. Soon the thief put in an appearance and again peered into the room. He must have suspected that some one was inside, for he called to his partner, saying if the ——— was inside they would make short work of him. At this point Green fired, and the thief rolled out of the window dead, and his partner, who was on the outside, made his escape. The ball entered his skull, and he died without a struggle.

Massachusetts' Justice.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., June 24.—Sanger Chace, the defaulter, has been sentenced to twelve years in the State prison, two days solitary.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27, 1878.

Not since the time of counting the electoral vote has the Capitol presented so animated an appearance as was the case the last few days and evenings of the lately adjourned session. The weather was perfect, the city full of people, and there was every prospect of exceptionally interesting and lively times in Congress. For these and other similar reasons every seat was occupied and every corridor thronged with people, those last days. They were mostly doomed to disappointment, however, for no exciting scenes occurred aside from the hurrying through many important measures with seeming indifference and carelessness. Perhaps I ought to except a little bout between Ben. Butler and a brother Member on the Fishery Award question. The President threatened that if Congress failed to attend to that matter before adjournment he would immediately call them together again in extra session for the purpose of having it settled. When the matter was brought up Gen. Butler wanted to speak upon the question and, being opposed, he raised such a rumpus as only he is able to do, and could only be quieted by the force of the Sergeant-At-Arms. He roared, and

pounded and shook himself nearly to pieces, the Speaker's commands and gavel having no more effect upon his eloquence (?) than so many mosquitoes would have had.

The Senate paid Mrs. Vinnie Ream Hoxie the compliment of voting to give her husband a chance to hold his District Office. By the provisions of the bill for the Government of the District, no commission of rank lower than that of Captain can be selected, so Lieut. Hoxie was shut off.—The Senator who offered the amendment in his favor was charged on the floor with having made the motion at the instance of Mrs. Hoxie, and he did not deny the soft impeachment.

Notwithstanding Mrs. Hayes' endeavors to keep the details of the White House wedding of last week from the press and public, they were all in print the following morning after the ceremony, even to the bride's costumes and the wedding supper.—It was a pretty wedding—nothing could be fairer. It occurred in the Blue Room, the most delicate and handsome room in the Mansion, being finished and furnished wholly in light blue, white, gold and natural gray. On the night of the wedding this room was most beautifully decorated with vines and flowers, an immense marriage bell of white blossoms being hung between the windows while on either side were the monograms of the bride and groom, also in white flowers. Under the bell stood the "happy pair" and the Bishop, a small group—there were no bridesmaids or groomsmen. Miss Platt was in creamy-white brocade trimmed extensively with orange blossoms. The bridal veil of tulle fell over her face in front and trailed on the floor at the back, being confined to the head by a wreath of orange blossoms. She is a pretty girl, finely educated, has traveled abroad, and with all that is unspoiled. Her husband, Gen. Russell Hastings, was in the same regiment with Stanley Matthews, Gen. Rosecrans (then Colonel) and President Hayes (then Major). He was wounded in the knee at Opequan and is still lame, but has a fine, commanding figure, nevertheless. The wedding guests numbered about fifty. Mrs. Hayes wore a princess robe of cream-colored faille with white chenille gauze. Mrs. Mitchell (the bride's sister) was in pale blue satin with tea roses for ornaments. Many of the guests were children, nearly all connected with both families being present. The President escorted Mrs. Mitchell in the wedding procession; Mrs. Hayes, the groom; while the bride leaned on her father's arm, who gave her away. The party left town the same evening. Mrs. Hastings' traveling dress was of invisible green camels' hair and silk.

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Indigestion.

The main cause of nervousness is indigestion, and that is caused by weakness of the stomach. No one can have sound nerves and good health without using Hop Bitters to strengthen the stomach, purify the blood, and to keep the liver and kidneys active, to carry off all the poisonous and waste matter of the system. See other column.

Miscellaneous News Items.

The other day a rabbit nibbled a hole through a molasses barrel in Marlborough, N. Y., and the contents all ran out.

An elopement was frustrated in Green county by a dog seizing hold of the lover and holding him until the father of girl returned home from church.

The Congregational church in Newton, Mass., resolved to reduce the pastor's salary from \$4,000 to \$3,000, whereupon he announced from the pulpit that he would not submit to a cent of decrease.

The farmers in some portions of Morgan county, and other sections of Middle Georgia, where the late storm devastated everything, are discharging their hands, as they they consider their crops are beyond redemption.

A dispatch from Brady's Bend says during a storm on Friday the wife of Chas. Hemery, of Armstrong run, was instantly killed by a flash of lightning. Colonel Templeton, of Brady's Bend, was considerably injured by the same shock. Mrs. Hemery leaves three small children.

Gangs of outlaws infest the vicinity Owensville, Indiana. On Monday night an attempt was made to assassinate a prominent citizen named Montgomery. He fortunately escaped, and a large party of citizens were searching for the outlaws.

Mrs. Ellen Peck, wife of a steamship engineer, residing in Brooklyn, was charged by Babbitt, the soap manufacturer, of New York, yesterday, with defrauding him out of \$10,000 by means of false representations in regard to bonds taken by an embezzling clerk now in prison.

An iron girder gave way in the furniture factory of Hermann & Co., in New York, on Saturday, and fell to the floor beneath, were a dozen cabinetmakers were at work. All of them escaped except two—one of whom was soon taken out dead and the other seriously injured.

St. John, N. B., June 24.—The brig Confederate, coal laden, while lying off Brien island at two o'clock this morning was run into by the bark Antwerp and

struck on the bows. She was cut in two, and in three minutes after the collision the brig went down. The disaster occurred so suddenly that there was very little time for anything to be done. The crew of the Antwerp immediately wore ship, but the fog was so thick that no boats were put off to search for any of those belonging to the brig, as it would have been impossible for the boats to have found their way back.

Five men were saved by catching ropes thrown from the bark or by getting upon piece of wreck that were floating about. Three lost their lives by the collision.

One side of the great Corliss engine at the American print works at Lowell has broken down, from some mysterious cause, and the resulting damage is so extensive that work will be suspended for several days to make the necessary repairs. The engine is a double one, of 1,200 horsepower, and supplies power for the entire concern. The damage will amount to from \$5,000 to \$8,000.

Uri Bartle, of Oxford, New York, had a troublesome toe, which was not only painful, but interfered with his locomotion. He sought relief of James Shapley, a neighbor, the offending member was placed on a block, and Mr. Shapley took a chisel, and with two blows of a mallet cut it off.

WARREN, Pa., June 26. — W. H. Andrews, a well known dry goods merchant of Cincinnati, Ohio, who is visiting Mr. J. H. Eddy, of this place, was seriously, if not fatally, wounded about 2 o'clock this morning while attempting to grapple a burglar, who had entered the room where he and Mrs. Anderson were sleeping.

The burglar drew a revolver and fired, the ball entering the left side of Mr. Andrews almost directly over the heart. It is hoped that no vital organ has been penetrated, although no examination has yet been made. The physicians here are awaiting the arrival of Dr. Dawson, of Cincinnati. The burglar made his escape.

FITS! FITS!—The undersigned having purchased the property formerly owned by J. Baily, on Main Street, opposite Ensminger's Hotel, and fitted it up into a convenient shop, he is prepared to do TAILORING in all its branches, in the best of style, and guarantee a GOOD FIT every time. S. BENTZEL. P. S. A stock of choice Tobacco and Segars constantly on hand. April 9, 1878.

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Consumption Cured.

An old physician, lately retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy, for the speedy and permanent cure for consumption, bronchitis, catarrh, asthma, and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for nervous debility and all nervous complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive, and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send, free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, with full directions for preparing and using, in German, French, or English. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. W. Shearer, 149 Powers' Block, Rochester, New York. 2644w.

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