

ADPANDMAYING AGAIN.

An Extraordinary Story from Paris-- Reported Death of John T. Colt the Murderer.

[From the Figaro, Oct. 20] A man has just died in the Rue Lemer, Balgnoles, who at one time had a criminal notoriety in the United States at New York, and after many vicissitudes had come to seek oblivion in our great city.

This man was named Charles Colt, and he was the father of the inventor of the revolver, which bears that name. In 1847 he lived in New York, on the Harlem road, in a wooden house surrounded by a garden and remote from every habitation. He lived with a mistress with whom he often quarreled. One evening in a fit of anger Colt killed this woman by a blow with a bottle on the temple.

In the presence of the corpse the unfortunate man only thought how he could make away with it the quickest. An infernal thought passed through his mind; he cut the body in pieces, and after salting it, buried it in a box. Then he enclosed this box in another one, and transported the funeral load on a dray to a vessel which sailed for New Orleans. Colt had taken care to keep the head which he had buried in the garden, and to give a false address in New Orleans, concealing also his own name as consignor. On reaching its destination the box could not be delivered, as the address was fictitious. It was sent back to New York, opened and the corpse discovered. Thanks to a mark on the bosom (a tuft of hair toward the neck), justice overtook the guilty one. The buried head was found; in short, Colt was condemned to be hanged.

It is unnecessary to say that the family of the unfortunate Colt made all possible efforts to procure his pardon; they were not even listened to. The evening before the day on which Colt was to be executed in the prison, a fire broke out in the interior of the toms--the celebrated prison of New York in the Egyptian style--and the fireman penetrated to the interior of the jail, where one of them--won over by Colt's family--carried to him a fireman's dress, by means of which he disappeared in the midst of the tumult.

When they noticed his flight, it was too late; Colt had left New York, and was lost in the desert wilds of America. Thus he came to Utah, to San Francisco, to Mexico, and from there to France where he lived unknown in Paris under the name of Charles Kavanaugh, the latter having been his mother's name.

Before dying, Colt, who was a protestant, sent for his pastor, and in his presence, and before one of his neighbors--from whom we got these details--revealed the true story of his life and his identity.

A STRANGE PRISONER.

One of ex-Gov. Dix's official acts near the close of his administration was the pardon of John Parsons, who had served twenty-three years of a life sentence. His crime was the unintentional killing of a man in a street fight in New York. In Sing Sing he became, through good behavior, a favorite with the keepers, and was often sent to the village on errands, but by his few friends and relatives out in the world he was soon forgotten. He lost, with the knowledge of their disregard, all desire for freedom grew to regard the prison without regret as his permanent home, and opposed frequent offers of endeavors to secure for him a pardon. Several years ago he was allowed to visit New York alone, and while in Niblo's theater was seen by a keeper who, supposing that he had escaped handcuffed and took him back to Sing Sing in spite of his explanation. That was his last absence from the prison, for when the pardon from Gov. Dix was received he wept, declared that if sent away he would commit some crime that would insure his return, and prevailed upon the warden to allow him to stay. A few days ago he died in his cell.

The newspapers which nominate John Morrissy for President, should put up Sencken, for Vice-President. This would harmonize faro and poker players, and thus consolidate two large and important interests.--Chicago Times (Independent.)

The managers of an English cemetery have refused to permit the following epitaph on a woman's tombstone: twenty-one years a dutiful daughter three years a chaste and virtuous sweet heart, and forty years a loving wife.

Artificial grindstones have been made at Worms, Germany, of grit, soluble glass and petroleum. The proportions not given. It is said that they will bear a very high speed without becoming soft.

Mr. John W. Garret was unanimously re-elected president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad at the meeting of directors held Wednesday. This is the eighteenth consecutive year of Mr. Garret in the same position.

THE AUGEAN STABLES.

Work Out for the Coming Session.

Buell, Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati Enquirer, arranges the catalogue of investigation for the forty-fourth congress as follows:

1. An inquiry as to the methods by which the passage of the supplementary law of 1869 was secured, making the 5-20 bonds payable in gold.

2. An inquiry as to means by which the syndicate was organized in the reign of Boutwell.

3. An investigation of the Indian ring and the land ring in the department of the interior.

4. An investigation of the contract system in the navy department.

5. An investigation of the conduct of Williams in the department of justice. This will involve three branches of inquiry--one in respect to the general abuses in the southern districts, one in regard to the behavior of the attorney general in the Louisiana matter, and one as to the administration of justice in the Districts of Columbia when Williams was attorney general and Fisher district attorney.

6. An investigation of the postoffice department in respect to the frauds in the letting of mail routes.

7. An investigation of the office of the supervising architect of the treasury departments with respect to the manner in which contracts were let for the material of the Chicago custom house, the New York postoffice and several other important public buildings.

8. A re-opening of the District of Columbia investigation, as far as the "Real Estate Pool" is concerned. Besides these, there will undoubtedly be a number of minor investigations set on foot during the session to inquire into special instances of fraud.

WHEN GENERAL CASS WAS PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

A Michigan paper tells the following good story: A front street saloon keeper is a great historical scholar, and will argue for hours on issues, events, and men of past celebrity. Old man Preston was aware of this, and he dropped into the place one warm day and said: "By cracky, Jim, but this is warm! I haven't been so warm since General Cass was President of the United States." "Why, yes he was," replied Preston, with well feigned astonishment. "I'll bet you three drinks for the house he wasn't," said the excited proprietor. "Done," answered the old man, and he drew forth his pocket-book, unfolded a page of the Congressional Globe of 1848-9, and proceeded to read that President Taylor having died on Saturday, and Vice President Fillmore not being at Washington, the President of the Senate, General Cass, became President of the United States until the following Monday, pending Fillmore's inauguration: When the old man had finished reading he looked around and said: "Come up boys." A little stouthead in mine, Jim. Then he rambled out, while Jim rambled the bottles back on the shelf, soused the bumbler in the rinse and as he wiped up the counter remarked, "I have seen a good many men in my time, but for a first-class star beat, old Preston can take the money."

A Kansas boy was bitten by a rattlesnake and while he was on his way home fell into a well and the frightened him. The moral of this is--keep old well on hand.

An Arkansas editor spells scoundrel with two 'P's in it. One is the 'P' properly belonging to the word, and the other is the 'P' he gets when they catch him.

For exposing many of their abominations the South Carolina House of Representatives (save the mark) expell the reporter of the Charleston News and Courier. That sort of thing will hurt Radical Hectors much more than it will the N. and C.

A lady applying for admission to the junior class of an Eastern seminary being questioned by the President as to her qualifications, replied, "I ain't much of an arithmeticker, but I am an excellent grammarian."

Some of our Radical contemporaries say there are several "Confederate Brigadiers" in Congress. Well, tell us how many Union Brigadiers there are in the Whiskey Ring significantly asks the Louisville Ledger.

When a young fellow holds his sweet heart on his knee the pins in her pull-back is sure to make him feel unnecessary.

The Hon. William M. Everts, who is to be the orator at the Centennial, is a grand son of Roger Sherman, the shoemaker statesman of Connecticut.

The South Carolina papers are unanimous in praising Governor Chamberlain for his veto of the supply bill.

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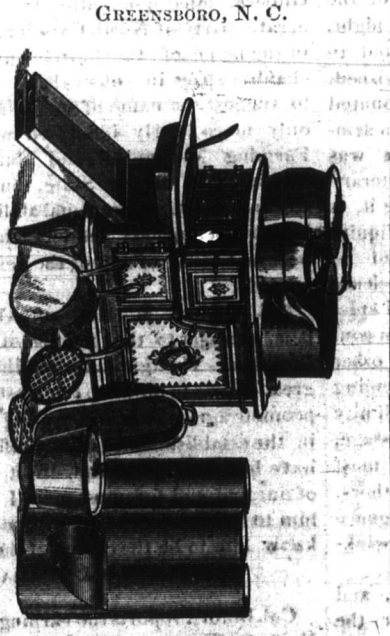
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