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OBSERVATIONS.

"There is always an ass in every Legislature," remarks an Albany paper. An ass? Well, that's not a bad name for a fellow who follows down mighty easy. -Free Press.

Mary had a little lamp And tried to blow it out; The good girl's mother went Right to the golden spout.

John R. Gough, in referring to the question whether alcohol is a food or a medicine, remarks that in his opinion it is very much like sitting down on a horse's neck-stimulating but not nourishing.

The unkindest cut of all was when she told him, "John, I love you for your generosity, respect for your intelligence and desire for your persistence, but I am engaged to Bill Jones, and we must part." -Columbus (O.) Capitalist.

"Who says it's unhealthy to sleep in feathers? Look at the spring chicken, and see how tough he is." -Boston Sunday Courier.

Miss Featherbus, sitting in the front row in her gorgeous new hat was totally oblivious of the innocent little tag that hid in the congregation that that summer night of flowers cost her just "Doe." Where ignorance is bliss, etc. -Boston Transcript.

Describing the odor of a heroine in one of his novels, Victor Hugo said: "The perfume her hand on the breast of the intoxicated young man. This is not calculated to make young men sweat." -New Orleans Picayune.

When the young man of the period is asked by her for a dish of ice cream, now replies: "Ah! Bella, my love, do you wish to put a 'hard angle' on your inside? Which, to explain the figure, means that he craves to be acquainted with plaster of Paris." -Waterbury American.

A French maxim: If you ever find yourself confronting the dreadful alternative of living with your mother-in-law or shooting your head off, shoot away! -French Journal.

STATE NEWS.

Piedmont Press: A little daughter of Mr. Gilbert Echard, of this township was bitten on the arm this week by a snake. The wound was painful.

Mr. Charles Hildebrande had a leg crushed in a threshing machine this week in the vicinity of Icard station.

The Catholic school Mt St Joseph, closed this week and the young ladies and girls have returned to their homes.

The past session has been very pleasant the students made rapid progress in their studies.

Raleigh News-Observer: Did the comet give warning of the terrible event which befel the nation yesterday is a question many ask. -The National Cemetery is now particularly attractive. The summer house and speaker's stand is graceful. Improvements are being made about the keeper's lodge. Mr. Diehl, the keeper, is an enthusiastic gardener.

The total receipts of cotton this season, up to Friday, were 72,225 bales, against 46,410 up to the same date last season. This gives an increase of 25,815 bales.

Goldston Messenger, 3d: Mr. Best and his associates arrived here by special train from New Bern yesterday, and left for the North on the 10 A. M. train. Mr. Best's private secretary, Mr. Cadogan, is here awaiting the arrival of Mr. Best's chief engineer, when they will go over the Atlantic Road for the purpose of taking an inventory of its property. We learn that the new management is in full charge of the Road and that for the present Col. J. D. Whiteford has been designated General Manager of what is termed "The Atlantic Division of the Midland Railway."

South Carolinian on the Virginia Midland.

To the People of Mecklenburg:

It is a source of pleasure to us in South Carolina to notice that your journals are advocating the extension of the Virginia Midland through the city of Charlotte to Camden and Columbia in this State. If the great railroad project, who have control of the extension of the road mentioned, will look at two important facts which stand out in bold relief, they cannot hesitate a moment between the route through Charlotte and that through Spartanburg. If the Virginia Midland should be extended through Spartanburg to Georgia, it will run parallel with the Atlanta and Charlotte Air-Line all the way from a point before it enters this State until it reaches Georgia—thus having a great competing line the whole way at a short distance, besides being a much longer and more expensive line. And if it should be extended through Charlotte to Camden and Columbia, it will open up from Charlotte to Charleston a great thoroughfare, shorter by thirty-five miles than the present route to Charleston through Columbia along the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta road—and besides there would be, on the Charlotte route, no competing line whatever.

These are facts, which rightly understood and appreciated, will of themselves, determine the location of this great extension of the Virginia Midland Railroad, running as high up as Camden, is now in the hands of a receiver and will be sold in the course of another month. The great demand of Charleston and all eastern South Carolina, is that the line be extended from Camden to Charlotte, which as before said, will bring Charleston and Charlotte nearer together than any present existing line by thirty-five miles. The South Carolina people will, in all human probability, be bought by some enterprising company, which will fill up the gap between Camden and Charlotte. And why should not the Virginia Midland be the happy purchaser of the Southern Carolina, and make it her Southern extension? A road running from Charlotte via Camden to Charleston would run through one of the finest cotton belts of country in the two States, and it would be a great distance from any other road. If it would operate as the great thoroughfare from Baltimore to Charleston; and it would command the travel and freight on each side for forty miles. The growing cotton country, through which it would pass, and the great advantage that it would derive from directness of route, all conspire to urge its speedy completion. Will not the Charlotte people continue to present the advantages of the Charlotte route over that of the Spartanburg, in such a clear light that the railroad builders will see, at a glance, where there would be interested persons interested in the Virginia Midland road would do well to consider the facts herein presented, before the sale of the South Carolina Railroad takes place, and before the extension of the Virginia Midland is finally determined. The more these facts are examined, and the longer they are considered, the better it will be for the adoption of the Charlotte-Camden route.

We cordially await the calculation of the railroad builders, and expect this route to be adopted, not because it will benefit us or our country, but because it will conduce more to the interest of the projectors.

W. H. PALMETTO.

TROUBLE-SOME CHILDREN.

There are always trouble-some children about the house. Some of them are so bad that they will not be satisfied with a spanking, but will require a more severe punishment. Some of them are so bad that they will not be satisfied with a spanking, but will require a more severe punishment. Some of them are so bad that they will not be satisfied with a spanking, but will require a more severe punishment.

CONKING AND ARTHUR.

The Ex-Senator Summoned to Long Branch—Fears of Personal Violence.

Special Dispatch to the Philadelphia Times.

New York, July 4.—Mr. Conkling was telegraphed for by General Horace Porter this evening to hurry to Long Branch. The inference is that a consultation is to be held with Grant. Mr. Conkling sent back word that he could not go until to-morrow. There is much quiet excitement in town over rumors that Mr. Conkling fears for his safety. The Fifth Avenue Hotel swarming with policemen and detectives, and there have been conferences between military officials here to-day. Captain Williams was asked:

"What was the object of your interview with Inspector Thorne?"

"I cannot answer."

"Are you making any efforts to trace out possible confederates of Guitau in this city?"

"I cannot answer that."

Detective Schmittberger said he could answer no questions. Inspector Byrnes said the conference with Inspector Thorne and Captain Williams concerned a private city affair and had nothing to do with Washington. Nothing is being done in this city with regard to possible confederates of Guitau and no communication has been had with Washington.

Commissioners Stephen B. French and Sidney P. Nichols were found at the Fifth Avenue Hotel. They repeated what Inspector Byrnes had told the reporter. No detectives, they said, had been sent to Washington except Detective Cosgrove, who went with General Arthur on Saturday night. Cosgrove was told that he would be responsible for the safety of the Vice President. General Arthur did not know this, and on Sunday when he learned that Cosgrove was guarding him sent him back to New York. Cosgrove returned to the city yesterday. French was asked concerning the conference. He said it was held for the same reason as that for which Cosgrove was sent with General Arthur. General Arthur had received about fifty letters warning against the safety of his personal safety. Gentlemen called on him and gave him similar advice.

Inspector Thorne heard rumors of threats that had been made against Vice President Arthur and Ex-Senator Conkling, and judged it was to take measures to prevent any possible violence. With this intent he summoned Captain Williams and ordered him to guard the Fifth Avenue Hotel well and to use unnecessary force. Inspector Byrnes has also placed men in the hotel for the same purpose.

How a Previous Comet Was Received.

In view of the reigning uncertainty as to the comet of 1881 it may be timely to reproduce from the Urbana (Ill.) Constitution of May, 1857, the following interesting but irrelevant speculations touching the comet which was expected to strike the earth on June 15 of that year:

Zimmerman, after observing "the critter" carefully with the instruments of the Urbana brass band, comes to the conclusion:

"1.—That the comet will not strike the earth; but

"2.—That if it does strike, it will never do it a second time.

"In any case, however, to any gentleman who holds opinions different from the above and is willing to back his views to a limited extent, in order to arrive at the truth in this momentous matter, we hereby make the following

"PROPOSITIONS.

"1.—We will wager \$20,000, more or less, that if the comet offers to strike we will do it before it does; in other words, that it can't be brought to the scratch.

"2.—A like sum that, if it does strike, it will be knocked highed nor a kite.

"3.—Twenty-five times the above amounts that, if the comet strikes it won't budge the earth six inches by actual measurement.

"4.—A like amount that after the comet strikes it its tail drops.

"5.—An optional sum that the earth can knock the comet further than the comet can knock the earth, nine times out of eleven.

"6.—That after the comet gets through striking the earth it will never want to strike anybody else.

"These propositions are intended to cover the case of any gentleman on this globe, or on the comet, or elsewhere.

"Money to be deposited in the Banks of Newfoundland.

"Applicants for bets have a right to select any comet they choose.

It is a curious circumstance that most Southern cities—we mean those situated in Southern Europe as well as in Southern America—paint their houses white. The effect is severe and dazzling on the eye when the sun bursts forth in all its glory. Oculists tell us that the most soothing color to the eye is green, and a number of our citizens, with this doubtless in view, have sought to please our vision by painting their houses green. It is singular, however, that they can never, apparently, hit on exactly the right shade of green—which should be what nature has provided in the trees. Nearly all our green houses are of an ugly, repulsive and heavy green, equally unsatisfactory to our eyes and artistic tastes and sensibilities.

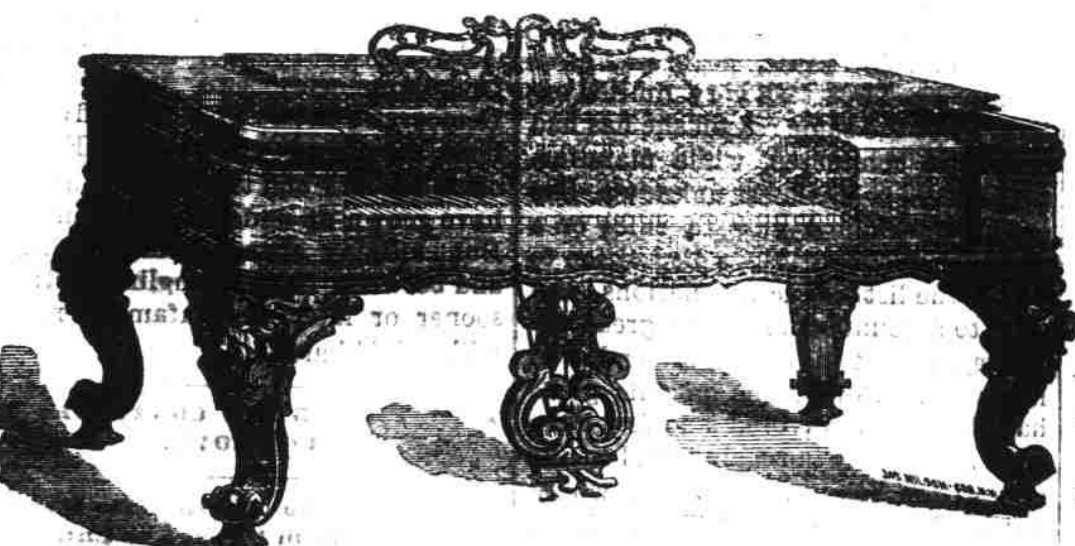
Wanted to keep Out of the Heat, Camden Journal.

It is reported that a party of the German immigrants who arrived here were sent to the field to work, and upon going out they found the sun very hot, so in order to keep out the heat they put on their overcoats and wraps, thus looking as if they were ready to tackle the North pole. The heavy covering did not produce the desired effect for they soon felt like they were melting and had to get off the thick clothing. The sun then seemed to slip in derisively at their folly, and in order to punish them it shone down as strong as to blister their backs. They were pucker-frowns, for they stuck to their overcoats, and would not give up their German ways.

A correspondent of the Boston Herald, who has lived for years in the South, writes that he has an article on Southern girls. He declares that they are impulsive, unimpeachable and demonstrative, handsome and dignified, or Northern girls, with smaller hands, feet and waists, better shaped, etc.; but he says that they are not to be distinguished from them with such modesty, determination, character or mind as their Western sisters. Will Southern girls be satisfied with this criticism of them of mingled sweets and sour.

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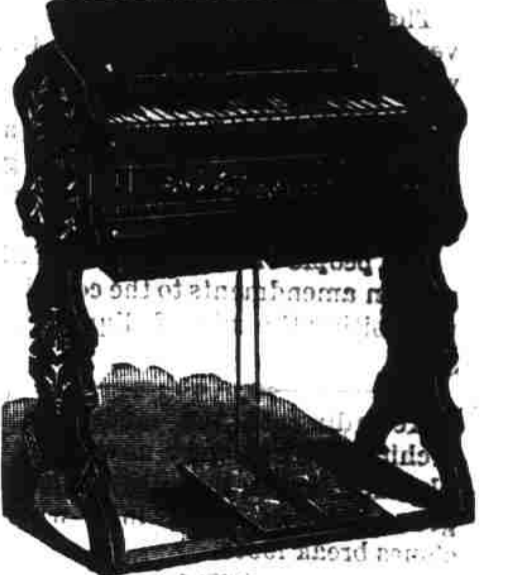
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