

SELLING MORTGAGED PROPERTY.

It is becoming quite a common practice for persons, who mortgage their horses, mules and other property, to sell them without the knowledge of the mortgagee, or person to whom they are mortgaged.

THE WHITTAKER OUTRAGE.

It seems that after all Whittaker will escape punishment for his self-inflicted outrage. Our readers will remember that nearly two years ago a negro cadet at West Point was found in his room one morning tied, apparently unconscious, and with both his ears slightly mutilated.

TARDY JUSTICE.

Tardy justice is at last about to vindicate the fair name of Gen. Fitz John Porter, formerly of the federal army, who in 1863 was tried by a court martial and cashiered.

that he determined to place the responsibility of it on some one else. He selected as his scape goat Gen. Fitz John Porter, who being a pronounced democrat became an easy victim. He was charged with disobedience to orders and cowardice on the field. A court martial was ordered to try him and after a mockery of a trial he was sentenced to be cashiered and forever disqualified from holding any office of trust or profit.

Our Washington Letter.

From our Regular Correspondent. WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 7, 1882. The long drawn out trial now coming close upon its end, and it becomes more and more fixed in the minds of close observers that the wretch Gaiten has been wronging his own race, the people of Washington, and of the country, have been justly incensed at the disgraceful scenes and outrageous conduct of the prisoner in court during the progress of the trial, but the one mitigating fact in connection with it is that all this has simply been the effect of making justice suffer. It has added to the misery of the people, and has given the experts and Court an opportunity to study his mind and character, and in a large measure to confer justice upon the minds of the jury during the last two weeks.

General News.

A great snow storm has been raging in England. Walnut logs are now shipped from North Carolina to Liverpool. The News and Courier, of Charleston, was sold January 24 for \$100,000 cash. On last Friday seven persons were hanged in different parts of the United States. Judge Porter and Mr. Davidge are said to expect \$25,000 each for their services in the Gaiten case. An attempt to steal the bodies of Napoleon III. and the Prince Imperial is said to have been discovered at Chislehurst. The net funded debt of the city of New York is \$98,299,206, or about eighty one dollars and forty-six cents to each inhabitant. While attempting to escape from jail in Texas three brothers charged with murder were shot and killed, as was also a deputy sheriff. Of the thirty-six members of the Utah Legislature thirty-two are officers of the Mormon Church and twenty-eight polygamists. In Missouri a child seven years old, having quarrelled with a playmate shot five, obtained a revolver and shot his little adversary, killing him instantly. Dr. Adams was attacked by a maniac patient last Friday at the Kalamazoo Insane Asylum, and died next morning. He was a graduate of Amherst College. George P. Eaton, son of General Lucien Eaton, of St. Louis, Mo., sixteen years old, broke through the ice while skating, at Waltham, Mass., and was drowned. From five thousand to ten thousand Scandinavian are to be brought to the United States to be employed in the construction of the Northern Pacific Railroad. There were 456,681 foreign arrivals at this port in the course of last year, and including all other ports it is estimated that the volume of immigration will reach 700,000 souls. The report is confirmed of the massacre of 200 young girls by the King of Ashantee, who desires to use their blood for the mixing of mortar for the repair of his castle building. Haverbury's immense sugar refinery in Williamsburg, N. Y., eleven stories high, and covering a whole block, was destroyed by fire Sunday night. Loss estimated at a million dollars. At Louisville, Ky., Daniel Henry, aged fifteen, fatally shot Con Appel, aged sixteen, Sunday afternoon, while the two were firing at a target. The boys were playing and the affair was purely accidental. The building of the International Cotton Exposition at Atlanta, Ga., has been sold for \$25,000. The purchasers will organize a joint stock company at once to fill the building with machinery for the manufacture of cotton. Through a careless panic during the funeral services of the late Rev. Mr. Kallenheiler, at the Salem Evangelical Church, Quincy, Illinois, forty persons were hurt, including six ladies, whose injuries are so serious that death is feared. A man in San Francisco who formerly had an income of \$70,000 a year, died in the almshouse three a few days ago. He sacrificed all his means in endeavoring to save a bank with which he was connected, then took to drink, and died. The sixteenth child of Farman and Margaret Abrams, of Westfield New York, was buried a few days since and the little graves are all in a row in the cemetery at Rockville Centre. One child of the family is living. All of the sixteen children died in infancy. Bargaining for Gaiten's Body. A late Washington dispatch says: Mr. Scoville has received a bona fide proposition from a medical gentleman for the body of Charles J. Gaiten. This gentleman, whose name Mr. Scoville declines to make known at present, has offered to pay down immediately \$1,000, the amount of the purchase money, on condition that he shall have the body of the prisoner as soon as the exactions of the law have been met, to be disposed of as he shall fit. He also agrees to take his chances of waiting one month or twenty years for the consummation of the bargain on Gaiten's part. This somewhat liberal proposition was submitted to Gaiten to-day, and seemed to impress him quite favorably. After reflecting a moment, he suggested, "I think I ought to bring more than that; perhaps some other fellow will offer \$2,000. Then I can pay my debts, and if I have to get a new trial that miserable Corkhill can't bring on a lot of fellows just to swear how much I owe them." Fatal Sport. A dispatch from Okaloosa, Iowa, dated 6th inst., says: A terrific explosion of five hundred kegs of powder, the property of the American Powder Company, occurred yesterday afternoon. It was caused by three boys, John Phillips, son of Mayor Gerald, and Joyce and John Stedman, who used the side of the magazine, a wooden structure, as a target for rifle practice. They were instantly killed, and their bodies, frightfully mangled and burned, were hurled from fifty to two hundred yards away. Nearly all of the plate glass windows in the business quarter were broken by the concussion, and many houses in the southern part of the city were badly damaged. The losses will aggregate not less than \$20,000. Many persons were injured by the falling glass and debris. The shock was felt at Monroe, a distance of thirty miles.

Arkansas Ku Klux.

A special dispatch to the Times-Democrat from Little Rock, Ark., says: "A band of Ku Klux from Little Black River invaded the town of Corns with the avowed intention of murdering Jim and George Stephens, Late Inboden, and M. Berger. One of the party, Riley Black, refused to assist, and his associates killed him. This disgusted several of the others, and they gave the clan away. The citizens attempted to arrest the outlaws, and in the melee three of the clan were killed. Intense excitement prevails. Stage Coach Plundered. A dispatch from Tombstone, Arizona, dated 7th inst. says: "The stage coach from Tombstone to Bisbee was attacked yesterday afternoon by five robbers, who opened fire with rifles without warning. The driver whipped up the team and Wells & Fargo's messenger, armed with a Winchester rifle kept up a running fight with the highwaymen until they headed the coach, which then surrendered. The treasure box, containing \$4,500, was taken, but the passengers were unmolested. No one was hurt. An Indian Massacre. A dispatch from Tucson, Arizona, dated 6th inst. says: "The Star has received official intelligence from Hermosillo, Sonora, respecting recent Indian depredations. Two bands, numbering 300, under chiefs Chris and Jo, have been committing depredations in the districts of Muchyani, Sahmipa and Arizhe, and have killed Superintendent Woelherlin, of the Lampazos Mine, with fourteen men, six women and four children. General Ortega had led Hermosillo for the scene of the massacre with a large regular force. It is expected they will overtake the marauders near Chia Pas. The Indians are well armed with repeating rifles, and have about one thousand eight hundred rounds of ammunition. A Romantic Career. From Baltimore Times. Seldom is a more romantic career brought to public attention than that which has just ended in the death at Philadelphia of Mrs. Elizabeth Hatzler, in her 92d year. Mrs. Hatzler's claim to distinction lay in the fact that she was a veteran of the Franco-Russian war of 1870. Born at Lunenburg, a French possession, in 1790, she married at 20 George Hatzler, a cavalry sergeant in the French army, but their honeymoon was sadly interrupted by orders to the husband to join in the expedition against Russia. The young wife immediately determined to accompany him, cut her hair short, donned a soldier's uniform, and thus disguised rode at her husband's side through the whole campaign. She participated in all the great battles, witnessed the burning of Moscow and after her husband's promotion to the rank of a staff officer often saw and several times conversed with Napoleon. She suffered her full share of the rigors of war, having been captured with her husband by the Cossacks and held a prisoner for nineteen months, and then exchanged only in time to share the sufferings of the disastrous retreat of the French army. She went through all these experiences without her sex being discovered, and despite all the exposures of her early life, retained the full use of her faculties to the end, living to see ten great-grandchildren growing up in her American home. A telegram from Little Rock, Arkansas, records the death of Peter Markie, at his home in Washington county, in that State, at the age of 111 years. Coffee drinkers should read the advertisement in another column headed Good Coffee. Mrs. Partington says. Don't take any of the quack nostrums, as they are regimental to the human system; but put your trust in Hop Bitters, which will cure general debilitation, coactive habits and all comic diseases. They saved Isaac from a severe extract of tripod fever. They are the ne plus unum of medicines.—Boston Globe. GOOD COFFEE. Everybody wants it, but very few get it, because most people do not know how to select coffee, or if it is spoiled in the roasting or making. 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