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OMNIUM GATHERUM

Cool Reception.—In the lower house of the Tennessee Legislature, a resolution tendering the use of the hall to Gen. William Walker, and calling upon him for a public address upon Nicaraguan affairs, was tabled by a vote of 31 to 23

Hoop, Hurrah!—Two thousand girls, or a force equal to that number, are employed in one establishment in the city of New York, in manufacturing hoops for the ladies. We are an expansive people—enlarging daily.

A Submarine Tunnel.—It is proposed to connect Boston with East Boston by means of a submarine arch or tunnel under the channel, at a cost of $315,150.

A farmer popped in here on Wednesday last, to pay his rent, putting on a long face to correspond with the times. On entering the house, he said the times being so hard he could'nt raise the money at all, and dashing a bundle of notes on the table, "There," said he, "that's all I can pay"—The money was taken up and counted by the landlord, who said, "Why, this is twice as much as you owe!" "Dang'ee, give it to me again," said the farmer, "I'm dashed if I didn't take it out of the wrong pocket"

Sorghum—It is said on the authority of a crack pressman, that rollers made from Chinese Sugar Cane molasses are far superior to those made with any other kind The Sorghum Syrup will bear long boiling without danger of grandulation, and when cast into a roller is much tougher, more elastic, and has better suction than those made by the material in common use—The proportions of syrup and glue used in the composition of this roller, are the same as those in use among printers now.

A Voracious Steward.—The Boston Journal states that a man named Hawes Cowell of West Dennis, who shipped on board the brig Helen Jane, at that port several months since, as steward, was on the first day out among the missing, and as it was supposed that he had fallen overboard, another man was appointed steward. On arriving at Truxillo, he made his appearance in the forecastle, and confessed that he had secreted himself in the hold on the first day out, under the influence of delirium tremens, and for twenty-two days following had lived luxuriously on champagne, raisins, ham, &c., dining sumptuously every day, and had enjoyed what on shore would be called a "bender!" He consumed during the voyage eight baskets of champagne, six boxes of raisins, and other things in proportion. He was left in the hands of the U. S. Consul, and would be sent home for trial. The loss to the captain will amount to about $250

Some time ago a photograph and description of one John Lines, charged with murdering a man named Thomas Morris, in New Orleans, last October, were sent to St. Louis, together with an offer of $1,200 for the apprehension of the perpetrator of the bloody deed. A man who came from St. Charles a few days ago was arrested, and he turned out to be the murderer He is now on his way back.

Dr. Shely, former speaker of the lower branch of the Missouri Legislature, was robbed on Friday week, of $1,800 in gold, and a $600 check, while going from Cairo to St. Louis, on the steamer Randolph.—All on board was searched, but no discovery made.

Within the last four years, says the Rochester *Democrat*, over one hundred persons have been convicted in the United States Court for the Northern District of New York, for counterfeiting, forging pension papers, and violating the post office laws.

At Chicago, the first breach of promise of marriage case of Louisa Hoey vs. George Letz has resulted in a verdict of $5,000 damages.

The *New England Courant*—Benjamin Franklin's newspaper—in 1726, contained the following advertisement:

"*Just Published and Sold by the Printer hereof*"

"*Hooped Petticoats* Arraigned and Condemned by the Light of Nature and Law of God. *Price* 3d."

The Sandwich (C. W.) *Mercury* is advocating the erection of Canada into an independent kingdom, with a permanent ruler. The most eligible person to found a Canadian dynasty, the *Mercury* thinks, is a prince of England, for, while his elevation to the throne of the new kingdom "would be a graceful tribute of loyalty to our gracious Queen, it would remove the disadvantages under which we at present labor, and would bind us more firmly, as as an entirely independent nation, to the first empire in the world."

During a revival, in the Second Methodist Church of Lancaster, Pa., last week, the Rev. Mr. Walters, pastor, peremptorily ordered "those persons who did not wish to comply with his request (to kneel during prayer) to leave." Mr. Henry Miller, of that city, refused to do either, whereupon Mr. Walters instituted a suit against Mr. Miller before a magistrate. A clergyman of the same church appeared as a witness, testifying that it was not compulsory with every one to kneel, but simply customary, when judgment was given in favor of defendent.

Matches were Made in Heaven.—"Mr. Jones have you got a match?"

"Yes, Sir—a match for the devil; there she is, mixing up dough."

Jones pointed to his wife and then "slid" for the front door. The last we saw of Jones he was "kiting" it down the road, hotly pursued by a red headed lady and a cistern pole. Poor Jones.

The *Minnesotian* given an account of a sad catastrophe at Hastings (Min.) on the 2d instant, involving the loss of four lives. An attempt was made to rope the ferry boat across the river in a narrow channel which had been made in the ice. The wind and current forced the boat against the edge of the ice, when the boat was upset, sucked under the ice, and the three passengers—a Mr. and Mrs. McDonald, and a gentleman from Hastings, name unknown, and the ferryman were drowned.

New counterfeit ten dollar notes, says the Harrisburg *Herald*, purporting to be on the Bank of Gettysburg, Pa., are extensively circulated in some of the counties adjacent to ours—having for a vignette, coat of arms of the State of Pennsylvania, with a head of a lady in medallion on either end; signed J. B McPherson, cashier.—Engraving coarse; otherwise well calculated to deceive.

Detroit, Feb. 12—The main building of the new State Insane Asylum at Kalamazoo was partially consumed by fire last night. The buildings were unoccupied.—The damages estimated at about $32,000.

Reported for the Press.

PHILADELPHIA CITY POLICE.

FEBRUARY 15.

A WEDDING FRUSTRATED.—Mr. J K. Gillingwood, a respectable wine and liquor dealer in the Third Ward, was about to sit down to his dinner, yesterday, when he discovered that his eldest son, 'Benny,' was absent from the family group. Benny is nineteen years of age—but he is so far from being a 'fast young man,' that he has the appearance and many of the characteristics of boyhood; and, not very apt in the acquirement of useful knowledge, he is still going to school. His father, perceiving (as aforesaid) that the place of Benny at the dinner-table was unoccupied, made anxious inquiries concerning the lad's whereabouts. One of the younger children testified that, soon after breakfast, Benny had gone to the candy-shop round the corner. The father put on his hat and started towards the depository of sweet things, which is kept by a Mrs. Burns and her daughter Juliet—the latter being some years older than Shakespeare's heroine of the same name is represented to have been when she captivated the juvenile affections of Master Montague. Besides, the *beauty* of our Philadelphia Juliet is not of that dazzling character which could be supposed, even by a highfalutin poet, or an enthusiastic lover, to 'hang upon the cheek of night like a rich jewel in Ethiop's ear,' &c.

When Mr. Gillingwood entered the candy-shop, he discovered his son Benny seated by the side of Miss Juliet, on a bench, behind the counter. Doubtless Benny had been uttering some sweet expressions, but it is certain that he had his mouth filled with something still sweeter, viz: molases candy.

'What are you doing here, sir?' said his father, very impatiently. 'I suppose you havn't been to school this morning.'

'No, thir,' answered Benny, with a pretty juvenile lisp, 'I've done with all *that*.'

'Done with going to school!' exclaimed the astonished father. 'Ha! we shall see about it. And pray what do you intend to do?'

'Why,' was the answer, 'I've come to the conclusion to get married.'

Mr. Gillingwood, with some difficulty, repressed an inclination to laugh, and then inquired, with becoming sternness:

'Faugh! don't sicken me with your nonsense, child. Are you crazy enough to conceit that any one will have you?'

'Yeth, *thir*' said the candidate for matrimony, 'Juliet here promthed to have me, and I'm to have ath muth molatheth candy ath I can eat flung into the bargain.'

'Well, Benny' said the father compassionately, 'I dont consider that you are worth much; but you shall not sell yourself for molasses candy, at any rate; so follow me home this instant.'

Benny hesitated to obey, and his father, walking behind the counter, seized him by the collar and attempted to drag him off. Benny clung to Juliet and she to him, and the excited old gentleman drew them both out of the shop clewing together, like a couple of Smyrna figs. Benny yelled and Juliet shrieked, while the struggle on the pavement became desperate, ending in the arrest of all the parties. When the presiding magistrate heard Mr. Gillingwood's explanation, he advised Benny, as a minor, to submit to his father's authority, and suggested that he had better stick to molasses candy for the present, leaving those other sweet things, courtship and marriage, for future consideration.

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June 5, 1857. tw34 1

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Jan. 2. 120.

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Dec. 31, 1857. 119-3m.

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40 extra large Labrador Herring, for family use;
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287 bales prime Eastern Hay;
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Feb. 20. ADAMS, BROTHER & CO.

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Passengers will please bear in mind that there is a house in front of mine, rented by the other house to keep off opposition, which is called the New Weldon Hotel, but gentlemen and ladies will please recollect that this house has been built only some four, five or six years to my knowledge, and has been occupied by three different persons during that time, and has a new Proprietor at present. This Old Weldon Hotel has been open for two months, and has not had a crowd but once since, but it is now increasing fast in popular favor, as passengers find that the meals suit them and are always ready on the table when the trains arrive from any point. There are red bills printed by the other house with no name attached to them evidently designed to injure me and my house, but it cannot succeed, notwithstanding the Proprietor and his men at the cars are particular in informing passengers that the house to the right is the best, but passengers find that the house on the hill is not only the best, but that its table is more abundantly supplied with the best, and that the waiters are more polite and attentive to the wants of those who favor it with their presence

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October 8, 1857. 58-tf.

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May 2

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WM. E. FREEMAN, M. D.

Feb. 25. 146.

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Jan 1.

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August 29th, 1857. 63 tw

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L. STERN. J. STERN. M. NEWHOFF.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 3, 1857. 83 tf.

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Jan. 24. ADAMS, BRO. & CO.

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