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Band Concert.

Notwithstanding the rain that fell on Tuesday evening, Keller's Hall was crowded before the time for the concert.

Earthquake.

On Thursday, the 15th inst, we were slightly "shook up" to use the language of Pete Jones.

Gen. Howard's Grief.

"I have had much to grieve me," said Gen. Howard, the tears glistening in his eyes as he spoke.

Government Postal Savings Bank.

A bill has been introduced in Congress that provides for the establishment of a savings bank by the government with every P. M. whose income from the post office reaches \$1,000 a year.

Proceedings of the Board of Commissioners.

The special session of the Board of Commissioners convened at the county Clerk's office, November 13th, A. D. 1877.

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ODDS AND ENDS.

The death of the Pope is hourly expected. "Be chaste and you will be happy" is contradicted point blank by a Black Hills man who was chased ten miles by Indians.

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Table with 3 columns: Rate, 3 months, 6 months, 1 year. Includes rates for one column, two columns, and four columns.

Correspondence: Correspondence collected from all parts of the county, on any subject pertaining to local news.

JOB PRINTING: Orders for all kinds of Job Printing promptly attended to, quickly filled, and satisfaction guaranteed.

Ingersoll writes an Indian paper that "from the time alcohol issues from the coiled and poisoned worm of the distillery, until it empties into the hell of crime, dishonor and death, it demoralizes every body that touches it from its source to its end."

Now is the time to subscribe to Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly. The December number is ready. It contains a very detailed and entertaining account of the venerable Peter Cooper, founder of the Cooper Institute, New York.

Kars Captured.

Telegram to the Sioux City Journal. LONDON, Nov. 19.—An Abernethy special says: Kars was captured by about 100,000 Russians who climbed steep rocks and walls and stormed an equal number of desperately fighting Turks in a headlong fight over their ditches and parapets, compelling them to fight or surrender.

Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS, Detroit has been made the seat of the mortgage sale, by a certain mortgage bearing date the 13th day of August, 1877, made and executed by Henry W. Moore, of the county of Lincoln, Territory of Dakota, as Mortgagee to William G. Smith, of Minnehaha county, and Territory of Dakota, as Mortgagor; and whereas the said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Lincoln county, in Book 40 of Mortgages, at pages 271 and 272, on the 13th day of August, 1877, at 2 o'clock P. M. and whereas the said mortgage was made in violation of the provisions of the act of the Legislature of this Territory, which said mortgage is now owned by him and the mortgagee thereof fully recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Lincoln county, on the 13th day of August, 1877, at 2 o'clock P. M. and whereas the said mortgage was made in violation of the provisions of the act of the Legislature of this Territory, which said mortgage is now owned by him and the mortgagee thereof fully recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Lincoln county, on the 13th day of August, 1877, at 2 o'clock P. M.