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As it is now the eve of the great annual contests of pointers and setters of America, and they will take place this year not far from Memphis, a few words concerning them will not be out of season. The origin of field trials of sporting dogs in this country was, it is understood, in this city, and in 1875 and 1876 the trials were held some five or six miles from the limits. In 1877 and 1878 the scene was shifted to Nashville, Tennessee. But the subsequent year there was raised a cry that they were Tennessee trials, and not National trials, so to still the outcry and remove any cause of complaint from the disgruntled ones who had failed to participate avowedly on this ground, the trials were fixed to take place for 1879 at Patoka in Illinois. Here, however, the gathering was no larger, as the malcontents had just cause, now against the rules, for complaint. The inclemency of the weather rendered the Patoka trials a failure, so that new ground in Indiana, at Vincennes, was sought for the next year; but the bad weather of 1879 was as nothing to the freezing out of 1880, and the trials came to an unsatisfactory and early close by the club voting an adjournment *sine die* and deciding to return South once more, and thus secure tolerable probabilities of good weather. So, it is that Grand Junction has been selected for the trials, to begin December 5th and continue till ended. The trials are under the auspices of the National American Kennel Club, a community of gentlemen interested in field sports and the breeding of fine dogs, who are desirous of promoting canine culture to its utmost extent. Mr. P. H. Bryson, our worthy fellow-citizen, is the President of the organization for the current year, and under his able supervision an abundance of birds have been carefully protected and watched on the sylvical grounds, so as to secure a triumphal success to the return of the club to our vicinity. The idea of the club is to hunt the dogs together, two and two, selecting the best of each pair, till the whole have been tried, and then running these over again by twos, till finally the best dog is found. The trials are open to the world and for pointers and setters of any breed or nationality. Hitherto the trials have chiefly been confined to setters, but this year there is an added zest to the struggle to be inaugurated next Monday by reason of several very finely bred and trained pointers being almost certain participants. Many have contended and do still maintain that the pointer, *ipse facto*, is an inferior field dog to the setter, while others have upheld the absolute superiority of the pointer; but these latter have been unable to verify their assertions by practical tests, owing to the paucity of good pointer stock in hands likely to push them forward, and the miscarriage of even these few at the eleventh hour. This year, however, we hear of at least four good pointers as likely to come to the front, viz: two from the St. Louis Kennel Club; Mr. Edmund Orgill's (Brooklyn) celebrated Bush; and a pointer of great local notoriety from somewhere up in Minnesota, owned by a Chicago sportsman. Added to these will be a number of highly-trained and severely-tried setters, both English and Irish, from all sections of the Union, and not a few from our own city.

Mr. Wallace will hunt for Mr. P. Bryson's Peep-o'-Day and Bessie T.; for Mr. Gates two for Mr. Parker one, Dr. Ware, of Stanton, is reported as having a very beautifully trained young thing—a daughter of P. H. Bryson's celebrated Gladstone, which he ought to put in to run for the honor of Tennessee. Rumor has it that she will be there or thereabouts, unless world-beaters are plenty this year. Then from our stall, further abroad, Mr. Joseph Dew will well represent Columbia, while Captain Patrick Henry will strive to carry the prize to Clarksville. Mr. Campbell, of Carter's Creek, the owner of the champion, Joe, Jr., seems to be of that division who don't like the rules, for no other reason is apparent for not contending for the pride of place with some of his stock, that has made him famous among sportsmen.

From abroad the big delegation comes in charge of Mr. Short, who has seven from Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, and neighborhood; one for Mr. Martin, of Lexington, Kentucky, and one for Mr. P. H. Bryson, of this city. Mr. Short has a good reputation, and with such a goodly string ought to make it uncomfortably warm for all comers. Mr. Dave Sanborn, the Michigan residuary, will be on hand with his champion Nellie, Count Noble, the winner last year, and three others. Mr. Nesbitt has in charge the magnificent kennel of Mr. Luther Adams, of Boston, Massachusetts, an unanimously agreed that the Kirshner Improved Water Elevator, made by the Kennedy Manufacturing Company, No. 81 Madison street, is an effectual remedy for foul water in cisterns.

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Collins's Great Winter Excursion to New Orleans, Thursday, December 15, 1881.

This will positively be the last excursion of the season to New Orleans, and comes off at the most delightful, auspicious and attractive season of the whole year, to visit the Crescent City, and to combine business and pleasure, and is certainly a rare opportunity in which both business and pleasure can be easily, cheaply and pleasantly combined. Tickets will be good to return at pleasure, on all regular trains for *Ten Days*. Pullman palace sleeping-cars will be used, all baggage promptly checked through to New Orleans, free of charge, no pains or expense will be spared to make it the most pleasant and desirable excursion ever arranged for the Crescent City. Fare for the round trip from Memphis to New Orleans and return only $11 60; no extra charge for berths in sleepers. From Milan to New Orleans and return, $11 50. From Grand Junction, $8 50. From Grenada, $6 30, and from other stations in proportion.

Excursionists will leave Memphis at 7:10 a.m., via the Memphis and Charleston, or at 12:35 p.m., via the Memphis and Tennessee Railroad.

Tickets will be on sale in Memphis by Barney Hughes, 278 Main street, and James Speed, 287 Main street.

Tickets will also be on sale at Senatobia, Como, Sardis, Batesville, Oakland and Harrison, on the Memphis and Tennessee Railroad.

It was a considerate thing to do on the part of his old comrades.

—There is a sign in every street car, "no smoking," and the railroad drivers should enforce the rule rigidly whenever any infringement occurs. The supercilious lah-de-dahs, who know as little about good manners as last year's snow-bird, are usually the ones who break the rules. To a sensitive woman the smell of tobacco is sickening, and the drivers should protect the ladies who ride on the cars by putting off every rough who smokes aboard.

—The following officers were elected last night for the year 1882 by the Independent Pole-Bearers: J. Wheatly, President; D. Parker, Vice-President; S. Farris, Recording Secretary; H. Keely, Corresponding Secretary; H. McGurk, Chairman of Finance Committee; J. Johnson, Chairman of Executive Committee; R. Facemon, Chaplain; R. Steel, Grand Marshal; S. Bell, Assistant Marshal; H. Alexander, Chief Steward; A. Galloway, Sergeant-at-Arms.

—A New Orleans man writes of our streets: "The Taxing-District thrives as it ought. It was to be noticed that large gangs of workingmen were engaged in covering many of the leading residence streets with gravel. All kinds of covering have been placed upon the streets, and the most useless as well as most shabby of all is the plank streets laid by the street car company. In many places the dirt of the street has washed out from under the roadway, leaving an unsightly wreck of broken and distorted planks to obstruct all wheeled progress."

—Mr. S. B. Newell, employed by the firm of Weiter, Langstaff & Co., on Main street, met with a very serious accident at the store, while leaning over the banisters around the elevator. He was looking below when the elevator came down upon him and pinned him to the railing. A rib was broken by the accident, and other painful injuries were received. He was taken to his room on Shelby street, near Gayoso, and a surgeon was summoned. He is not fatally injured, but it will be some time before he can go about as of yore. Mrs. Newell, who has been living on her husband's farm in Mississippi, was sent for and is now here.

—The annual meeting of the State Teachers' Association was begun at Humboldt yesterday in conjunction with the West Tennessee Division Institute. The programme of the day was as follows: Music; prayer; organization; address of welcome by the Hon. W. J. McFarland; response by Superintendent S. T. Caldwell, of Nashville, President of the association; appointment of committees; address by Superintendent J. C. Brooks, of Jackson, on "Necessity for Normal Training of Teachers;" discussion; address by the Rev. O. P. Fitzgerald, D.D., editor of the Nashville *Christian Advocate*, on "The Press as an Educator." The meeting lasts for three days longer.

—In relation to the story of a young girl who stated that she had arrived in the city from Canton, Mississippi, to meet her step-brother, Joe Croom, and that he met her and deserted her, Mr. Croom yesterday stated to an APPEAL reporter that he knew nothing whatever of the woman; that she was not his step-sister, and that he has learned that she was told to say what she did by some party whose name she refused to give. She went to the home of Cora Tyser, but he has since learned that her real name is Georgiana Smith, and that she has been a servant on Pontotoc street. Mr. Croom is of the opinion that it is a blackmailing scheme. At any rate, the police should take the matter in hand and find out what there is in it if she is in the city.

LAW REPORTS.

Circuit Court—Hon. James O. Pierce, Judge.

Calendar for to-day: 6967, on trial; 6977, Minken Bros. vs Jerman; 6980, Taxing District vs. Eug; 6981, Same vs same; 6982, Same vs Luehmann.

LOCAL NOTICES.

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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

—The police were paid yesterday.

—Hollywood still hides his head.

—This is motion day in Chancery.

—Yesterday was a glorious fall day.

—Beale street is almost impassable now.

—Harriman, Schmehl and Hart will be in town to-day.

—The track in the Exposition building is almost finished.

—The walking match will be the event of the year in Memphis.

—It will be a square heel-and-toe walk. O'Leary says he is ready.

—Major J. C. Macabe acted as Attorney-General in the Criminal Court yesterday.

—The Smith case will be the interesting feature of the present term of the Criminal Court.

—Joseffy, the pianist has expressed himself as highly pleased with the reception Memphis gave him.

—Reports from the country indicate that crowds of people are coming next week to see the walking match.

—A colored citizen in the employ of Captain Lightburne is anxious to enter the big match against the champions.

—Julius Hick was indicted yesterday for stealing a brother's horse at church on the Raleigh road, and then trading it off.

—Angelina Tipton was indicted yesterday for assault and battery upon Lizzie Thomas, with intent to murder in the second degree.

—The skating rink "catches on" finely during the cool, pleasant weather. Prof. Levy makes the place more popular every day.

—After Deputy-Sheriff McLendon's wrestle with some of the pleasures of tax collector, he announces that he is "few and faint, but fearless still."

—The engaging inquiry: "Where was Moses when the light went out?" has been superseded by "Where is Hollywood, and what is he about?"

—The wife of John Waldren, the man who died from morphine last Saturday afternoon, says her husband did not strike her, as he was charged with before the Recorder.

—For the repose of the souls of Mr. and Mrs. Cicalla, a solemn requiem mass will be celebrated this morning at St. Joseph's Church, Georgia street, at 8:30 o'clock.

—The case of Robert Brown, administrator, vs. the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, is on trial in the Circuit Court for $5000. Brown was run over last spring in the Navy-Yard.

—Wm. Mason was arraigned in the Criminal Court yesterday for cutting George Carlton. In pleading to the indictment, he said to Judge Horrigan: "I cut him, 'Squire, but I plead it in self defense."

—Some enterprising citizens have placed stepping stones on Beale street, at Mulberry. This is a step in the proper direction, and should be continued until every foot of the street is covered with the same stuff.

—The Rev. Dr. Knott will preach at Lagrange, in the Methodist Church, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 7 o'clock; at Salisbury the Thursday night following, and at Middleton on the following Sabbath morning and night.

—Allen Crump, for keeping a watch belonging to his friend, W. F. Lake, was tried in the Criminal Court yesterday, and received a sentence of one year in the penitentiary, with a recommendation to the jury that six months of the sentence be respited by the Governor.

—An attachment suit was filed in the Chancery Court by Charles Nelson yesterday against G. Baum & Co. for $312 99 worth of whisky bought August 19th; $284 30, August 20th; $314 41, September 21st; $609 58, October 10th; $287 22, October 24th, and $839 10 November 24; in all, $2147 60. The plaintiff alleges fraud.

—Jesse Brooks and Mollie Hines, M. D. L. Harris and Julia C. Williams, Joseph Hogan and Mollie Johnson, Steve Bowman and Mrs. Elvira Bennett, Frank Smallwood and Mary Jackson, Wm. Cooper and Eliza Williams, W. C. Barbour and Sarah Bianconi, Wade Franklin and Laronia Peoples, obtained permission to marry yesterday.

—For several years George Saxon, an old and well-known fireman of this city, has been suffering from consumption. The "boys," desiring to help him, got up a raffle for a gun, which came off at Gaston's last night, Mr. Saxon holding the gun. About two hundred dollars was netted for the recipient.

WHITE GHOSTS.

A Former Memphis Medium Calls Up the Wandering Spirits from the Invisible Realms.

They Glide About in a Dimly-Lighted Room, and Allow the Spectators to Measure Them.

In 1871 this city began to be excited over the spiritualistic performances of a Mrs. Miller, wife of a carpenter. She gave her seances as late as 1877, and during the period between the two dates her wonderful cabinet manifestations were the marvel of the town. She has since been creating a sensation in other cities, as the following well attested narrative from the Denver *Tribune*, of Monday, would show:

"Below the *Tribune* gives a communication which must prove of general interest, and which in all probability will excite considerable discussion. The *Tribune* makes no comment upon it, but simply presents it, with the signatures attached to the original. It will be found well worth perusal: This seance (the second of the kind given in this city by Mrs. Miller under strict test conditions) occurred on the evening of the 18th instant, at No. 502 Arapahoe street. Ten persons were present, including the medium's husband. First, a committee of ladies, consisting of Mrs. C. W. Smart, Mrs. L. A. Fowler and myself (Esther Y. Bridge) thoroughly examined the medium's person and clothing. We ascertained that not a white garment was on her. I even took the white lace from the sleeves of her dress and her white kerchief. Not a single article of white did the medium wear or take with her into the cabinet. Mrs. Smart had brought with her a needle and thread. The thread was a very strong, singularly marked and thoroughly waxed thread. With this the medium's dress was stitched upon her, across the buttons and button holes, thereby rendering it impossible for her to disrobe without the aid of knife or scissors. A committee, consisting of Messrs. Cook, Culver and Colonel Hutchings, meanwhile thoroughly examined the carpet and floor, sounded the walls and securely fastened a closet door in the room with nails, taking every precaution to guard against possible intrusion or collusion. They then put together the cabinet (which had previously been taken apart), adjusted the blankets around it and placed the rocking-chair within it, on which the medium was seated. Her hands were then securely bound together at the wrists with a rope, the ends of which were stitched through and through with strong thread. After all present were convinced that it was impossible for the medium to extricate her hands without breaking or cutting the rope and threads, the binding was accepted as satisfactory. Her dress skirt was then fastened to the floor and the chair on which she sat by carpet tacks driven through. Thus bound, fastened down, roped in, stitched across and tied up, the medium was left for entrancement in full view of all present. Soon raps near the medium's chair signaled the fall of the blanket curtain. But almost as soon as it was lowered the voice of Mrs. Miller's control asked that it be raised again, which was done to give the medium air. At a second request, members of the committee re-entered the cabinet, finding everything as they had left it, except that to all appearance the medium was lifeless, without perceptible pulse or respiration. Almost instantly, upon the lowering of the curtain, two forms then appeared, robed in white, at either opening of the cabinet and about four feet apart. After remaining in full view long enough for all to see and note them, they retired, and were succeeded by two other forms, which came further out and were even more distinctly visible. One I recognized as my eldest daughter. Other forms, differing in size and stature, then appeared, some walking across the room. Among those who made themselves known to me by undoubted evidences of their identity were my mother, brother, two daughters, son and baby boy, whose body had lain for eight years in the cemetery at Topeka. Two or three times, while some one of our number was in the cabinet, a third form in white would come out and place himself on one side of the cabinet to the other. Mrs. Hartman's daughter greeted her with all the warmth and impulsive tenderness of actual child-life, embracing and kissing her passionately. Still another, an old Texas friend, a gentleman of fine figure and face, appeared, and was cordially recognized. One figure among several came to Mrs. Fowler, and his face was unmistakably that of an old friend of her's and her husband's. He gave his name as Bischoff, and here the control exclaimed: 'If he could he would give you a great deal better music than you have had here to-night.' While these phenomena were occurring, or during the intervals of spirit materialization, two accordeons were played and several bells rung simultaneously within the cabinet. A jewharp was also played, and a female form stood at the aperture, and reaching out the accordeon played upon it. Four materialized spirits in quick succession came outside the cabinet for measurement, and Mr. Smart thus made their respective lights: No. 1 measured four feet three and a half inches; No. 2, five feet and one-half inch; No. 3, five feet and a half inch; No. 4, five feet and one half inch. Not half that transpired during this wonderful seance can be crowded into this brief report. I cannot omit to mention, however, one female form who had evidently attired herself fashionably for this occasion. Her dress was a lie made with a very elaborate trail. She would glide out, taking a position in front of the cabinet, where she would stand as if desirous that her trail should be seen to the best advantage before withdrawing. Generally different styles of dress were displayed during the evening, the female forms invariably wearing white, while the male figures wore dark clothing. After the manifestations had subsided three of the committee, by request of the control, entered the cabinet. They found the medium entranced, apparently lifeless, and her face covered with a cold, clammy perspiration. Although two hours had elapsed since the commencement of the seance, she was found stitched, roped and nailed down precisely as she had been left by the committee. The tacks were then drawn out one by one, the ropes untied, showing the wrists to be red and swollen; the threads (unbroken) were cut, and the medium, after long and vigorous efforts at resuscitation, was restored to consciousness. The above facts are stated exactly as they happened, without comment or attempt at explanation.

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