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CURRENT NEWS.

WASHINGTON. The National Democratic Executive Committee recently convened in Washington...

WEST AND SOUTHWEST.

The Senatorial Committee appointed to investigate the charges of bribery against Senator Ingersoll...

EAST AND SOUTHEAST.

At Paint Creek, Kanawha County, W. Va., on the night of the 19th, Bob Moore, white, and John Thompson, colored, got into a row...

The Colorado Democratic State Convention, held at Denver on the 23d, nominated George Q. Richmond for Supreme Judge...

In Crawford County, Ohio, six miles north of Bucyrus, on the night of the 23d, George Schwab murdered Mary Long and then himself...

Judge A. W. Hubbard, formerly member of Congress from Iowa, died at Sioux City, on the 23d, in his sixty-first year of age...

The Pennsylvania Prohibitionists have put a State ticket in the field, headed by William L. Richardson for State Treasurer...

At Worcester, Mass., on the evening of the 23d, Maggie Cooney, a young lady about 22 years of age, was fatally burned while attempting to take down a hanging kerosene lamp...

At Buffalo, N. Y., on the 23d, Charles F. Schuyler, a telegraph operator by profession, succeeded in kidnapping a young lady...

The business center of the village of Carroll, in Carroll County, Iowa, was destroyed by fire on the morning of the 23d...

The city of Deadwood, Dakota, was almost literally wiped out by fire on the 23d. The fire originated in a bakery soon after midnight...

Eighteen women were killed and eight seriously injured, on the 23d, by the giving of the floor of a synagogue at Szelesnok, Hungary...

Anthony Blair, colored, was hanged at Morristown, Tenn., on the 23d, for the murder of his stepdaughter, a girl of 16, in July last...

There was no hostile demonstration against Russia has been considered. The Russian advance column of the expedition in Central Asia has been defeated by Turcomans at Geok Tepe...

Rev. Joseph P. Thompson, formerly a well known Congregational minister of New York, died in Berlin on the 21st of apoplexy, aged 60.

A Vienna correspondent of the London Times reports that, in consequence of the bad harvest and numerous floods, the distressed parts of Hungary threaten to become appalling during the coming winter...

An Odessa paper publishes a letter from Kief describing the terrible fire which occurred in that city on the 3d of September. While a furious storm was raging the fire broke out in the vicinity of the offices of the Fire Brigade and Chief of Police...

A telegram from Havana states that three slave-holders have emancipated their 6,000 slaves and contracted with them for their services for five years.

Zululand is to be divided into many distinct sovereignties. A number of the Chiefs who are to receive territories belong to tribes who had been subjugated by the Zulus.

A railway train on the Island of Rnatan, carrying 400 barrels of gunpowder, was blown to atoms recently by an explosion of the powder.

Senator Rainey made his first speech in the Ohio caucus at Belleair, on the 23d. The Russian Official Messenger states that 2,877 fires occurred in Russia during August, causing a damage to property to the amount of 20,000,000 roubles.

On the 23d there were six deaths from fever at Memphis and 16 new cases reported. At Concordia, Mo., on the 23d, a fatal case had been 23, nine of which were fatal.

On the 23d, at Memphis, there were five deaths from fever and 15 new cases reported. On the 24th, at Memphis, there were eight deaths from fever and 10 new cases reported.

On the 25th, at Memphis, there were seven deaths from fever and seven new cases reported. On the 26th, at Memphis, there were six deaths from fever and six new cases reported.

On the 27th, at Memphis, there were eight deaths from fever and four new cases reported. For the week there were 31 deaths and 65 new cases reported.

On the 28th there were six deaths and 13 new cases reported.

Prof. Virchow, the celebrated Berlin physiologist, went last spring to Asia Minor for the sake of rest and recreation, and passed a large part of his vacation at Hissarik, on the invitation of Dr. Schlemmer...

During the past three years 132 American railroads, covering nearly 17,000 miles, and representing an invested capital of \$728,463,000, have been sold under foreclosure.

The counties of Rock, Dane and Jefferson, Wisconsin, are the principal areas for the raising of tobacco in that State, and the little village of Edgerton has become an important market for the produce.

In the silk factories of Italy 120,428 women are employed, besides 26,976 in cotton, and 13,707 in tobacco factories. There are 9,177 manufacturing establishments of all kinds in the kingdom, employing 392,048 laborers, 188,486 of whom are women.

In Baltimore there are 40 peach-packing establishments. Few, if any, of these houses employ a less number of hands than 200, while several of them reach 800 or 1,000, and these are exclusive of those engaged in the manufacture of tin cans and the packing-cases.

In order to keep their butter over the period of low prices and the hot weather, California dairymen seal up their product in tin cans, and sink them in the bottoms of cold streams.

Butter made in April comes in to October in good order, and continues to keep fresh through the coldest of winter. Forty-four-pound cans are commonly used.

The percentage of merchandise shipped from New York to the various Western cities for the last two years has been carefully ascertained by Commissioner Fink. The figures show the relative standing of the cities named as follows: 1, Chicago; 2, Cincinnati; 3, Pittsburg; 4, St. Louis; 5, Cleveland; 6, Detroit; 7, Buffalo.

According to a German paper, a discovery has just been made at Lyons, whereby a silken appearance may be given to flax fibers. After chemical treatment of flax yarn, it is dipped into a liquid preparation from silk waste, which leaves a silken coating upon it, and in regard to fineness, elasticity and gloss, the material is said to be perfect as a substitute for silk.

A preservative wrapping-paper has recently been patented, which is claimed to protect cloths, furs, etc., from mildew and the ravages of moths. The paper is made from rags and Manila rope or Manila paper, and is saturated with a mixture of the oil remaining from the distillation of coal-tar naphtha, with certain proportions of carbolic acid, phenol, coal tar, and refined petroleum.

Holes in hard steel may be made with nitric acid. To apply it, cover the steel plate, at the place where you wish the hole, with a thick layer of wax, which will make a tight seal. Then dip the size you want the hole in the plate, then put on one or more drops of strong nitric acid, leave it on for some time, wash off with water, and if not eaten

To make breakfast biscuit, take a piece of risen bread dough and work into it one beaten egg and a tablespoonful of butter, or lard and butter mixed. When these ingredients are thoroughly amalgamated, flour your hands and make into balls the size of an egg. Rub a tin baking pan over with butter, and set them in a quick oven for 20 minutes, when they will be ready for the table. Always break them open, for to cut them would make them tough.

For apple custard, take fine apple sauce, flavored with lemon; half fill your pie crust with it, and then pour over it a nice custard, seasoned with nutmeg or vanilla; then bake.

A little salt sprinkled in starch while it is boiling tends to prevent it from sticking; it is likewise good to stir it with a clean spermaceti candle.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Personal and Literary. —Empress Eugenie is trying to find consolation in compiling a memoir of her dead son.

It seems to be generally understood that Marian C. Evans, better known as George Eliot, has published her last book, and has, so far as the public is concerned, actually withdrawn from literary life.

The Saturday Review says that "in the region of pure mathematics the late Professor Clifford was one of the first five or six original thinkers in Europe. As an expounder to scientific people of the foundations of science and philosophy he was almost without a rival."

Mr. Matthew Arnold, when elected to the chair of poetry in Oxford University, remarked, with characteristic irony, how pleased he was to be a professor, and to enjoy the same title borne by those distinguished men, Professor Pepper, Professor Beckwith, the swimmer, and Professor Anderson, the Wizard of the North.

A Philadelphia lady is the owner of a valuable relic in the shape of a manuscript copy of Wesley's Hymns in the handwriting of their author. The book descended to this lady from her grandfather, to whom it was given in partial payment of a debt by the son of the man who printed the first edition of the hymns.

Judge Hilton of New York has purchased for \$15,000 "A Visit to the Baby," by Munkacsy, painter of the picture known as "Milton Dictating Paradise Lost to his Daughters," and considered by many the finest work exhibited in the Champ de Mars last year.

Charles Dickens the second promises to do honor to the family name. He manages one of the largest printing-offices in London or in Europe. He has very successfully published the London Dictionary, and the Guide to London, and is now preparing a Dictionary of the Thames. He inherits his father's love for printing-offices and newspapers.

A notable performance of "As You Like It" will be given at Manchester, England, soon, for the benefit of the widow and children of Charles Calvert. Helen Faucit, who was a celebrated actress over a generation ago, appears as Rosalind, Tom Taylor as Adam, Alma Tadema as the Queen, Lindsey Langmuir as Charles the Wrestler, and Lewis Wingfield as Orlando.

Mr. George W. Cable, the writer of "Creole Stories," is a native of New Orleans, and is now 35. His first composition with print was in a rectorial capacity with the New Orleans Picayune. Scribner's Monthly announces his new novel, "The Grandissimes," for serial publication during the year beginning with the November number.

A fresh description of Charles Reade says that he is big and manly looking, not fat, but large-framed and muscular. He is very fond of physical exercise, such as rowing, riding, cricket, swimming, and, notwithstanding his hair is grizzled, his stalwart body shows no signs of decay.

At this Cathedral, writes a correspondent of the Philadelphia Bulletin, on Palm Sunday for instance, the natives are seen at their best. There are handsome young Senators in Americanized costume, courtly and all. There are homely older members of the sex, whose forms have lost the grace of youth and become too substantial for the requirements of beauty, and whose faces are wrinkled as if with age, although in a colder climate they would yet be young.

There are some handsome, dashing young fellows, and men with wavy, wily, hair, wearing broad "cavaliers" and clanking spurs; around the Plaza their horses (beasts of all conditions) are awaiting their masters. Wagons drawn by ill-matched teams are constantly arriving and depositing the delegation from the "Rancho."

The old woman, who have not yet become Americanized, still persist in wearing the lower portion of their faces in a shawl, regardless of the condition of the weather. All are talking a language which is called Spanish for courtesy, but which is not of Castilian purity by any means, and the whole atmosphere is redolent with the perfume of garlic, a fondness for which is characteristic of the race, as is also their weakness for red peppers, or "chili," which enters so generally into the composition of all their dishes.

What wrought the change in the foliage? she said, as she picked up the beautiful gold-red leaf, and her little brother echoed "Summer autumn."

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