

THE RIOTS.

On August, in the midst of the great strike and riotous labor demonstrations that took place in the North and West, the papers there and the community generally denounced the strikers and rioters, and threatened them with severe punishment under the law.

In New York, Rochester, Buffalo, Pittsburg, Scranton, Harrisburg, St. Louis, Baltimore and San Francisco these cases were prosecuted to the end by the authorities with great energy and vigor, but with signal lack of success.

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And lastly comes the Grand Jury at Pittsburg last week with a review of the riot, speaking in very mild terms of the rioters, but denouncing the militia and the officials, from Governor down.

age of the militia and authorities than to the leaders in the riot. The threats made by the Northern papers during the troubles of legal punishment for the rioters and strikers appears to have been altogether vain and ineffective.

SOLD AS "PURE LIQUOR."

[New York Tribune.]

Consumers as well as retail dealers in liquors will be interested in the following particulars relative to the adulteration of liquors of every kind by the wholesale importers of this city.

I. That fully one-half the "imported" liquors sold here are of American manufacture.

II. That not only the brands but the stamped corks of famous foreign houses are largely imitated in this country by importers of the best credit and standing.

III. That importers regularly adulterate their imported liquors and sell them to the retailers as pure bonded liquors.

IV. That the retailers then adulterate them a second time, and sell them thus doubly poisoned across the bar to deluded customers.

V. That in this imposition on the retailer, the importer has the aid of the keepers of the Government bonded warehouses.

The ability of purchasers to judge of the quality of samples is artfully ascertained before sales are effected, and the adulteration is made accordingly. In nine cases out of ten the buyer is incompetent to judge, and even when the cask delivered is far below the grade of the sample selected, the buyer is content to trust the marks of the bonded warehouses as full guarantee that he has received the article which he purchased.

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THE RELIGIOUS CARD-PLAYER.

A private soldier by the name of Richard Lee was taken before the magistrate of Glasgow, Scotland, for playing cards during divine services. The account of it is given in an English Journal: A sergeant commanded the soldiers at the church, and when the parson had read the prayers, he took the text. Those who had bibles took them out; but this soldier had neither bible nor common prayer-book, and pulling out a pack of cards he spread them before him.

Richard, put up the cards, this is no place for them.

Never mind that, said Richard. When the services were over the constable took Richard prisoner, and brought him before the mayor.

Well, said the mayor, what have you brought the soldier here for?

For playing cards in the church.

Well, soldier, what have you to say for yourself?

Much, sir, I hope.

Very good; if not, I will punish you severely.

I have been, said the soldier, about six weeks on the march I have neither bible nor common prayer-book. I have nothing but a pack of cards, and I hope to satisfy your worship of the purity of my intention.

When spreading the cards before the mayor, he began with the ace: When I see the ace it reminds me that there is but one God. When I see the deuce, it reminds me of the Father and Son.

When I see the trey, it reminds me of the Father, Son and Holy Ghost. When I see the four, it reminds me of the four Evangelists that preached—Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. When I see the

five it reminds me of the wise virgins who trimmed their lamps; there were ten, but five were wise and five were foolish, and were shut out. When I see the six, it reminds me that in six days the Lord made heaven and earth. When I see the seven, it reminds me that on the seventh day God rested from the great work he had made, and hallowed it. When I see the eight, it reminds me of the eight righteous persons who were saved when God destroyed the world, viz: Noah and his wife, his three sons and their wives. When I see the nine, it reminds me of the nine lepers that were cleansed by our Saviour. There were nine out of the ten that never returned thanks. When I see the ten, it reminds me of the ten commandments which God handed down to Moses on the tables of stone. When I see the king, it reminds me of the Great King of Heaven, which is God Almighty. When I see the queen, it reminds me of the queen of Sheba, who visited Solomon, for she was as wise a woman as he was a man. She brought with her fifty boys and fifty girls, all dressed in boys' apparel, for King Solomon to tell which were girls. The king sent for water for them to wash. The girls washed to the elbows, the boys to the wrists; so King Solomon told by that

Well, said the mayor, you have described every card in the pack except one.

What is that?

The knave, said the mayor.

I will give your honor a description of that, too, if you will not get angry.

I will not, said the mayor, if you do not term me to be the knave.

The greatest knave that I know of is the constable that brought me here.

I do not know, said the mayor, if he is the greatest knave, but I know he is the greatest fool.

When I count how many spots there are in a pack of cards, I find three hundred and sixty-five many days as there are spots in a pack, I find fifty-two number of weeks in a year. I find there are twelve picture cards in a pack, representing the number months in a year, and on counting the tricks, I find thirteen—the number of weeks in a quarter. So, I see, a pack of cards serves for a bible, an almanac, and a common prayer book.

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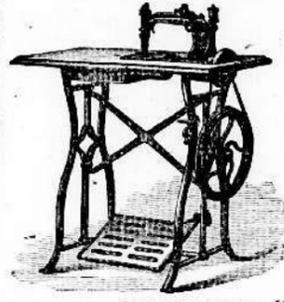
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