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Railroad reserved Lands in the Palmyra District Restored to Market.

Messrs. Harrison and Ament, Register and Receiver in the Palmyra District, give notice that on and after Monday, the 22d day of August next, the lands heretofore withdrawn from sale in the Palmyra District, on account of the Railroad, will be offered for entry.

They advertise that—When two or more applicants shall apply on the same day for the same tract, such tract will be put up the next day thereafter, at auction, among such applicants, and be awarded to the highest bidder, according to law.

Such of the above lands as have not heretofore been offered at public sale will be regarded as released from the previous reservation, but are not of course subject to ordinary private entry, as the other lands first herein referred to.

In a railroad article in another column, the New York Tribune seems to have overlooked the fact that there are two Missouri Companies, both "claiming to be on the track" of the Pacific Road. If directness and feasibility of construction are evidences of a good claim, ours may well be put forward in the front rank.

Dr. T. S. Foster has shown us several pieces of bone taken from the skull of Mr. Lewellen, from which it appears that the fracture was very severe. Dr. Foster thinks he will recover. In performing the operation he was assisted by Dr. R. H. Griffith.

Mr. J. O. Berry has removed to the new post office recently erected by himself on the corner of Centre and Main streets. It is well arranged for the purpose for which it is intended.—The mails are taken in at a side door, and the boxes extend entirely across the building, leaving space enough between the frames for three boxes with drawer and key for the newspaper editors—for which convenient arrangement we should all thank him.

Mr. Berry is an experienced post master, and knows exactly how every thing ought to be done.

The fashion of numbering the houses has been commenced by Mr. James Thompson, Tailor. His shop is "No 2" Commercial Row.

Col. Benton's book will soon be out. His nomination to the next Presidency is anticipated.

Further information has been received from Prof. Officer, which enables us to state positively that he will be heard with 11 deaf and dumb pupils, to-morrow, and will give an exhibition to-morrow evening at 7 O. clock.

The Courier and Messenger are making a great deal of fuss about what they call a "revolutionary cannon," recently presented to the editor of the Courier, and which he proposes to shoot when the Democracy claim a triumph, and which act the Messenger avers would be suicide, taking the ground that a cannon having clustering about it delightful revolutionary memories, ought not to be fired at a mere locoocoos rejoicing.

"Taint no" "revolutionary cannon," or a cannon of any sort. It is a little swivel, more like a pocket pistol than a cannon, and was cast in town here a few years ago. It don't make any difference who fires it, or what it may be fired about, nobody will take the jar it may make for an earthquake.

EXAMINATION.

Yesterday the First Presbyterian Church was crowded all day by a deeply interested audience, who had assembled to attend the examination of Miss Hoan's pupils. The thorough understanding and perfect recollection manifested by the pupils, elicited very strong expressions of admiration from all whom we heard express an opinion. The audience were urged to question the pupils, to show that there had been no special preparation of question and answer. Coming thus from the audience, the questions of course could not have been expected or prepared for by the pupils; yet they answered instantly and correctly.

The system adopted to excite scholars to emulation, is admirable. It seems nearly impossible for scholars to attend her school without exerting themselves with their utmost strength.

The exercises in Calisthenics in the evening, exhibited the "poetry of motion" in an innocent and beautiful form. Gliding gracefully and smoothly through a great variety of pleasing figures, the young ladies seemed rather floating in the air than walking on the floor. Calisthenics are used in the school for exercise. Accompanied by good vocal music, it was extremely fascinating.

After the close of all the exercises, Miss Helen Kercheval, on behalf of the pupils, stepped forward and said:

Our Dear Teacher:—It is with mingled gratitude and regret that we part at the close of this term. We offer you our best wishes, and most hearty thanks for your patient teachings from day to day and week to week. We will treasure long your words of counsel and admonition, to profit by them. Please accept from your attached pupils this cup, as a token of their gratitude and lasting affection.

Miss Hoan replied:

My Dear Pupils:—Your beautiful gift is received with surprise and pleasure. For it accept my sincere thanks. I shall ever prize it, as a token of love. It will bring to mind the band of loved ones, so often clustered around me; and the prayer of my heart will ever be, that both scholars and teacher may acceptably pass the last great examination, and together be admitted to join angelic choirs in singing the song of redeeming love.

The token thus presented and received was a handsome silver cup, bearing the following inscription:

Presented to

MISS LIZZIE HERR,

By her Pupils.

1853.

Junior Gore then rose, and, for himself, and in behalf of the parents of the other pupils, very warmly expressed his gratitude for the successful attention bestowed upon the pupils. For this Miss Hoan was evidently unprepared.

The church was crowded in the seats, the aisles and gallery. Many could not obtain seats, and many more could not get into the house at all.

We have conversed with several competent judges, but have not found any who had ever attended a better examination, particularly in Geometry.

AN AFFRAY.

Last Tuesday an affray occurred in "Cane Hollow," about two miles South of this city, between two men both living in that neighborhood. The difficulty commenced between their wives, and the husbands became involved. One of the combatants was Charles Dick, who was armed with an ax, the other was James Lewellen, who held a bed post in his hands. After some sparing Lewellen dropped the post, or it was knocked from his hand, and he was in the act of stooping to pick up an ax, when Dick threw his ax, striking Lewellen on the head and fracturing his skull. It is doubtful whether he will recover or not.

We understand that the operation of trepanning was performed this morning.

JUST RECEIVED,

And for sale at the "Lone Building" corner of Main and Bird streets.
ALL KINDS OF GARDEN SEEDS.—Onion sets; Blue grass and timothy seeds; Clover seed by the barrel or bushel. A general assortment of Groceries, Wooden and Willow Ware, Brooms, Cotton Yarns; Cotton batting. All kinds of Nuts, Oranges, Lemons, Figs, and a host of articles not mentioned here; Likewise, a thousand things that is not here for sale. Anxious to sell all for CASH UP AND THE MONEY DOWN. Like to forget one thing, the Eagle Mill flour is here too! mar18dif T. JACKSON.

A GOOD COMPOSITION.

Among the many excellent compositions read yesterday evening, at Miss Hoan's examination, was the following:

A JOURNAL KEPT DURING A VISIT TO JERUSALEM.

4037, A. M.,

7th month, 6th day.

6th. To-day I visited the king's garden, which is situated a little outside the gates of the city. It is a delightful place. The winding walks are bordered with orange and lemon trees, which fill the air with their rich perfumes. Beautiful flowers of every description, crystal fountains, which throw their cool and sparkling waters to the height of a hundred feet, the innumerable birds singing among the trees, miniature lakes, whose waters are so clear, that the smooth white pebbles at the bottom can be distinctly seen, marble statues which adorn every part of the garden, all these tend to make this beautiful spot, an Eden.

5th. Yesterday it rained, and I was obliged to remain within doors; but to-day, I have been making up for lost time. I arose before sunrise this morning, and went to the top of mount Zion, which is the loftiest of the three hills upon which Jerusalem is built. From this eminence I could view the whole city, and oh! how beautiful it looked, when the morning sun first threw its golden beams upon its spires and towers. David's house, Solomon's house, the queen's house, and an almost infinite number of other magnificent buildings are upon this hill.

I visited David's house. It is built of marble, and is three hundred feet high. The house is surrounded by a balcony, which is supported by a thousand pillars, around each of which twines a grape vine, loaded with grapes, wrought in the marble, but so natural that the birds hover round them. The rooms are all finished, in the most approved and splendid style. The reception room is the most beautiful of all. The floor, walls, and ceiling of this room, are inlaid with pearls, intermingled with gold, silver and precious stones. These, together with the fountain in the centre, which throws its crystal waters to the height of twenty or thirty feet, give the room when lighted up, the most dazzling appearance. I lingered upon mount Zion, until after sunset, and I saw the glorious sun sink to rest, in the bosom of the Mediterranean. As its golden beams kissed the waves, they sparkled like diamonds, and seemed to roll on more foantly than before. The sun at length sank beneath the wave, the waters ceased to sparkle, the golden clouds in the west disappeared, the dew began to fall, and I returned home, to muse upon the events of the day, and to form plans for the morrow.

12th. Since my arrival in Jerusalem, the city has been in a state of tumult and confusion, about a certain Jesus of Nazareth, who is preaching in the temple. The various opinions entertained in regard to the preaching of this man, have excited in me a lively curiosity, to hear and see one, who has produced so much excitement in the usually quiet city of Jerusalem. Accordingly, this morning I wended my way towards Solomon's temple, the place in which Jesus teaches. This temple is situated upon mount Moriah. It is a noble edifice, and is beautifully adorned with gold, silver and brass. In the interior of the temple, is the Holy of Holies, which contains the Ark of the Covenant, and is considered as the peculiar dwelling place of God. When I entered the temple, it was crowded with anxious people, all waiting with breathless eagerness, to hear Jesus. As I gazed upon that beautiful form, and listened to the words of love and truth, which proceeded from the heaven taught lips, I wondered how the wise and intelli-

gent men of Jerusalem, could reject Him as an impostor. But not until too late will they see the extent of their folly.

15th. To-day, I again went to the temple. Jesus was there. They were rebuked by the disciples, but Jesus in turn rebuked them, and calling for the children, he laid his hands upon them, and blessed them, saying, "suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of Heaven," and "verily I say unto you, whosoever shall not receive the kingdom of God as a little child, he shall not enter therein." When they sought to take Him for speaking so plainly, He passed out of the temple unseen.

20th. This morning I walked in the garden of Gethsemane. As I turned an angle in the walk, I heard many voices at a distance. Above the tumult, I heard the calm voice of Jesus say, "Be ye come out as against a thief, with swords and staves?" I saw one of the number kiss him, and I heard Jesus say, "Judas betrayest thou the Son of man with a kiss?" They bound Him, and led Him away.

25th. He is condemned to die. As the prophets foretold, He is to die upon the cross,—condemned to death by his Father's own people. Oh! ye people of Jerusalem, for your wanton disobedience to the commands of God, ye must be scattered abroad over the whole face of the earth. Ye will be a despised nation among all the people of the earth, and there will ye repent of your wicked rejection of the man of sorrow. LOUISE BOURNE.

TABLE WARE FOR THE WHITE HOUSE.—A superb breakfast, dinner, dessert, and tea service has just been completed by Messrs. Haughwout & Dailey, together with a full set of richly-cut and engraved table-glass, got up to the special order of Gen. Pierce, President of the United States. The exquisite manner in which these goods are finished would do credit to any of the royal porcelain, and glass manufactories of Europe. It is a matter of pride and self-congratulation that to one of our citizens is accorded the honor of supplying the first fancy decorated American service of China ever made for the White House. When samples of European and American manufacture were submitted to Mrs. Pierce for selection, she expressed a decided preference for the latter, as being in better taste and more elegant. The dining service numbers 450 pieces, and the glass fifty-five dozen. The whole cost is \$1,500.—Journal of Commerce.

We have been requested to publish the extract below from the Philadelphia Christian Observer. We do not pretend to be versed in such matters, but think it highly probable that this question has two sides. We wish it understood that this paper is not committed one way or the other, and the subject is therefore open to free and full discussion. We will print extracts or original communications for both sides alike:

NEW VERSION OF THE BIBLE.

Some of the most intelligent Baptists are strongly opposed to the new version movement. Dr. Dowling of Philadelphia writes to the New York Recorder as follows:

"And let me say here that, while all your editorials have been perused by me with delight and instruction, none have more commended themselves to my judgment than those in which you have expressed your views of the excellence of our noble and unchanged American and Foreign Bible Society, and its undiminished claims upon the confidence and support of the whole Baptist denomination, notwithstanding the untiring efforts of Dr. Cone and his New Version adherents to crush it if they can. I have perused every document, I could procure emanating from the so called Bible Union (strange name for a society which began in and lives only by contention and disunion!) I have waded through every syllable of the addresses delivered at both anniversaries of that society; and, after two or three years for deliberate reflection, I am confirmed in the opinion which I formed at first that the whole movement is unnecessary, unwise and fraught with danger to the cause of truth and the interests of our beloved Zion.

The union of the New-versionists with the advocates of that most insidious and dangerous heresy, Campbellism, which has spread the pall of desolation and death over multitudes of our churches in the West, and the selection of well-known Campbellites as translators, ought to be