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A WORD TO FARMERS.

While the grain and corn of Holt county may not average over half a crop this year, the farmers, on the principle that "misery loves company," take some satisfaction in knowing that the ills of crop shortage are not confined alone to this state. We know of hardly a state or county from which a similar complaint does not come. It is a time when nature is out of joint and we must not "bank" too heavily upon anything. We believe, however, that Holt county at large is much better off this year than last. There is certainly more abundance in the poor farmer's home than a year ago, and while he may not be able to get entirely square with the world with a half wheat and corn crop—where he expected with a whole crop to pay up everything and have a surplus—he will have sufficient to make a "good big payment" on the indebtedness and "carry him" another year. Some lessons have been learned this year which will be of benefit in the future. The result of the partial failure of crops will be, for next year, a more varied farming. Some who have bent all their energies to the cultivation of large wheat fields will sow less wheat and make arrangements for purchasing cattle, sheep, or hogs. The large acreage in wheat, on the whole, has been an injury, rather than a benefit to the country. It is better that the farmers should have a fewer number of acres, use less machinery and employ less help. What farming is done, let it be done well. Divide the 160 acres and sell 80. Take the money realized and invest in sheep, cattle, or hogs. Farm the 80 acres left, well—putting in a variety of crops. Such being the starting point, it is our humble opinion that some money can be made at farming.

THE Democratic chuckling which rippled so plentifully through New York State at the split in the Republican party some months ago, has given place to a grave-like solemnity. The Democratic countenance has narrowed and lengthened to a ludicrous extent. The Republican split has virtually disappeared, and the Democratic split has taken its place. And it is all on account of the New York City Democracy. The attempt to reorganize it was not successful. John Kelly would not recorganize, and the reorganized are making at attempt to read him out of the party. But John says: "Let me see the Democratic Convention that will attempt to ignore Tammany Hall."

If Tammany Hall is ignored the Democrats will be pretty sure to lose the State. If it is not ignored the "reorganization" will be pretty effectually squelched. The *World* says that the Democrats had better lose the State than submit to Tammany. But the seekers after the flesh-pots are earnest, and they want the help of Tammany very badly. It is an ugly position. The Democrats in the State can do nothing without the full city Democratic vote. When it comes to a Presidential election, the Democrats throughout the country can not do without New York State. Under the circumstances that little trouble with Tammany covers a good deal of territory.

GUITEAU is evidently intent upon an effort to convince the public that he is insane. Having been engaged all his life in cheating and deceiving people, and having generally found them credulous and soft-hearted, he imagines the public will choose rather to believe him a lunatic than a monster. In a word, he gravitates from a state of abject cringing cowardice to a state of devilish audacity. When the President sinks from the wound he inflicted the wretch calls for more guards. When the President rallies and the country rejoices in the hope of his early recovery the villain who shot him is at great pains to express his regret that the bullet-wound did not prove instantly mortal.

MR. JEFFERSON DAVIS, ex-President of the "Lost Cause," arrived at Liverpool on Monday, and proceeded to London. He refused to be interviewed. He is reported to be in very poor health.

THE San Francisco municipal election took place last week. The Republicans made almost a clean sweep, with the exception of mayor.

ANOTHER TRAIN ROBBERY.

The Winston Train Robbery Almost Paralleled on the Chicago & Alton Railway.

Near Glendale, Jackson County, a Train is Stopped and the Passengers and Express Robbed.

Another most daring train robbery occurred a few miles out of Kansas City last Tuesday night. The west-bound passenger train on the Chicago & Alton Road, when two miles west of Glendale and four miles east of Independence, was stopped and the express car and all the passengers robbed. The robbers had placed a number of ties on the track at the top of a long up-grade. They stopped the train, signaling it with a lantern. Immediately upon stopping the engine the engineer and firemen were ordered from their cab, taken some distance from the car and placed under guard. Some of the robbers entered the mail car, took the mail clerk and placed him with the engineer and firemen. The mail car was then thoroughly ransacked, but nothing was taken from it.

THE PASSENGERS,

by this time curious to learn the occasion of the delay, began opening windows and looking out. They were greeted with yells from the robbers, and ordered to close the windows immediately. While such commands were being given the robbers commenced firing into the express car, and demanding with oaths, that the messenger, a Mr. Fox, open the car. The messenger did not comply, and the robbers, climbing to the windows of the car, commenced firing through them. Others with heavy pieces of wood attempted to break the door down. The messenger finding it useless in trying to keep the men out, opened the door. The robbers entering, knocked Mr. Fox down, striking him on the head and seriously injuring him. The robbers then took the keys and went through the safe, taking all that was in it. Three men, after the express car had been robbed, entered the smoking car. They ordered all the passengers to sit on the floor and hold up their hands.

ONE ROBBER STOOD GUARD

at the door while the other two began searching the occupants. While the robbers were going through the mail and express car, and were shooting and yelling outside, the conductor, Mr. Hazlebaker, realizing the situation, went through the train, told the passengers what was going on, and advised them to hide all their money and valuables. Consequently, when the robbers Began searching them, some, heeding the advice, had hid all the money. The two robbers searched the passengers, but few were in the smoking car. Then the robbers entered the chair and Pullman cars. In these the same orders were given that had been given in the smoking car.

The brakeman tells

THE FOLLOWING STORY:

"I was standing on the front platform of the sleeper when the train stopped, and I heard voices and oaths on the back platform. I said in a moment 'we are going to be robbed.' Then one of the robbers cried out, 'We are coming in and going through you all.' I remembered that the freight train was just behind us, and I heard it coming up. I jumped off and ran with my lantern down the track. They commenced shooting at me. The bullets whistled all around me, and struck the rails and stones. They must have fired twenty-five shots. The engineer said, 'For God's sake don't shoot the boy; he is saving the lives of the people.' They stopped shooting. I rolled into the cut and

WAVED MY LANTERN.

The train was stopped only a car's length off. When I came back one of the robbers said: "Have you lost anything?" I answered: "Fifty cents." He said: "Show me the son of a——, and I will kill him." He gave me $1.50 for interest. Then I heard one of the robbers say to the engineer, 'Choppy Foote, you're too good a man to keep up this business. Here's $2 to buy a drink in the morning, and to drink it for Jesse James. I warn you you'll be killed if you don't leave this road. We are going to tear up and bust the Alton and Rock Island Roads, for they've been offering rewards for us. We've no grudge aginst the Pullmans, and we'll switch off their cars and burn all the rest. I am the man who killed Westlake at Winston. He was too smart and drew a revolver."

A LADY correspondent at Saratoga tells a pretty tough story about the fashionable belles there, and accuses them of indulging in wine and gambling to an extent equal to that with which some of their husbands and brothers are credited. She says: "Poker is the favorite game here, and in the warm afternoons, when the ladies are supposed to be enjoying their inevitable and innocent siesta, a good many, arrayed in dressing sacques and skirts, and fortified with claret cobblers and Roman punch, are making their pin-money fly, and some of the worst scrapes that married women get into is in trying to account for their lack of jewels to their husbands."

SECRETARY WINDOM decided Wednesday that there is no law or rule authorizing the redemption or exchange by the Treasury Department of any coins of the United States on account of their being mutilated. Mutilated silver coins will be paid for at the mints at their full bullion value, but that is all that can be done for holders.

THE Governor of Missouri don't believe in prayers. Consequently he has not appointed a day of prayer for the recovery of the President.

THE notorious Josie Mansfield, whose association with James Fisk, Jr., is so well remembered, is keeping a gambhouse in Paris.

THE reported massacre of Gen. Carr and his entire command by the Apaches, in Arizona, turns out to be untrue. The savages made a treacherous attack on our troops but were repulsed.

IT is difficult to water a tree at the roots, just where it needs it in excessively dry weather. Many California fruit-growers use a piece of gas pipe, say ten or twelve feet long, which is driven under the tree. At the mouth is a funnel, into which water can be poured and directed to the place where needed. Such an arrangement pays with fine fruit-bearing trees.

AN English physician writes a long article upon "How to prevent sneezing." But what is the use? Nothing is more enjoyable than to sneeze when you want to. A good, rolicking hatchoo is often as beneficial as a galvanic shock to the entire body. Sneezing is in fact a positive luxury, and how to get the most out of a sneeze is a better subject for investigation than how to prevent it.

THE travel of Northern people South and Southern people North during the past year has done more to break down the bitter feeling existing between the section than all other influences combined for the past ten years. The West and South are closely allied in all commercial interests, and the West will cordially welcome the restored South under the new dispensation. Leading politicians of the South have for years barred the doors and stood squarely in the way of her prosperity, even when business men knew that it was working great injury to that section. That they will continue to attempt discord is quite likely, but that they will succeed as they have done is not probable.

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The London *Standard*, commenting upon the election of Lowther and Elliott, thinks that it binds the Conservatives to a protection policy, otherwise the return of neither can be considered a conservative victory.

Said the Raven to the Swallow, "Your beauty is but for the summer, but mine will stand many winters," evincing the moral, "Durability is better than show." Who among the readers of this paper cannot call to mind many similar instances. Although beauty is evanescent, yet we call your mind to two stylish and beautiful young ladies, both of whom have spells of sickness peculiar to the sex. One obstinately refuses to use proper remedies for the restoration of health. She soon drops and fades away. The other heeds advice, procures Dr. Dromgoole's ENGLISH FEMALE BITTERS is restored to health and remains beautiful many years.

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We would be pleased to know the name of a man or woman who has never had headache, and who was never subject to constipation. As these are universal troubles, a little advice might not go amiss. Many noted physicians assert that it is even useless and even hazardous to always be cramming your stomach with nauseating purgative pills as they sicken and debilitate. Use a a mild purgative; one that will cool the stomach and act upon the liver and bowels with ease and effectiveness. Such a remedy is Bailey's Saline Aperient.

Bishop Nulty, of Meath, in a letter to Parnell, triumphs of the success of the agitators, to whom he attributes the land bill. The rejection of the Whig candidate in County Tyrone, he says, will teach Mr. Gladstone a lesson that he cannot, without impunity, trifle with the just wishes of the people.

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—The city of Dantzic, Prussia, is being decorated in view of the meeting of the Czar and the Emperor Frederick Wilhelm, which takes place in a few days.

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CALIFORNIA KIDNEY TEA.
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