

THE HARRINGTON CASE.

Some of our Storey County contemporaries are very much wrought up by the decision of the Supreme Court in the Harrington Case. They even go so far as to speak of the Court in terms of disrespect. It is quite the custom to say that nothing should be said or done by those whose opinions are worth having and quoting, in derogation of the Judiciary; that the courts should be held to be above reproach, etc., etc. The sentiment which prompts this principle, or dogma, or notion, is a good one. Of course, like all such ideas, it is like to fall into the company of the platitudes. But the germ is good. The non-technical person is apt to be impatient of quibbles. When a great case awaits a decision we are prone to rebel against the weight of the finer points of the Practice Act. But it is in order that the Bench may be left free and uninfluenced to weigh these mites in the very delicate scales of justice, and never be intimidated nor swerved from the thread of their conclusions by any influence outside of their own careful consideration, that it should be treated with respect and its decisions accepted as final. We have no doubt that the decision of the Supreme Court in the Harrington Case asserts a very vital and essential principle. It may be necessary for the purification of society and the satisfaction of a popular sense of justice in Storey County that Harrington should suffer death upon the scaffold. He is a very bad man and one whose pardoning out of the Penitentiary was a grave mistake; but he had better be let go Scott free than that any principle or technicality of judicature should be shrouded over, ignored or smothered by any exactions or resorts of expediency. We believe Capital punishment a barbarism. We are sure that its contemplation either inflicts a too painful shock upon sensitive minds or brutalizes them. The custom admits the validity and virtue of personal violence, even unto death. The gibbet is the Law's jumping off place. Thus the acutest of all human sciences confesses itself at its wit's end. Being cornered, it smites and kills; and then invents the evasive self-exense of having done a murder for example's sake. This is the theorem of Haneman reversed. Like kills like. The Law professes to discourage man-killing by killing the man who kills. But the Law's homicides should always be justifiable: else itself, by its own terms, should hang. So the MORNING APPEAL accepts in respectful silence the decision of the Court in this Case.

When the Government reserves its lands for the Indians themselves, and not in its own name and for its own planting and fumbling and blundering with a stupid theory, we begin to see some possible benefit arising. But to reserve from the market a vast area of desirable lands and then hoist upon one corner of it a vermin-breeding agency, making it poverty-stricken with a parsimonious semi-occasional dole of moneys which are too few to leave anything to the red man after the white man has performed his necessary theft, this imbecility, public improvidence, Congressional slipshoddy. Herewith, as follows, we present a statement of a projected new order of things, from the Elko Independent of June 13:

J. S. Mayhugh, Register of the Land Office in this place, informs us that the Government has ordered a reservation of 300 acres of land on Coyote Creek, situated a short distance west of Elko, for the use of the Indians which is known as the Carlin farm. A portion of the ground designated has been cultivated by the Indians for the past two years, as an experiment, and from the recent action of the Department in withdrawing this land from the market it is inferred that the Indian agriculturists are regarded as a success.

This probably has reference to the farm started by Naches, the Pute chief—the one we thought he obtained that land from the Central Pacific Railway Company. It seems singular that the Government should assert an ownership—as against the Indians—to any lands in this State. If the title was not originally in the red-man where was it? If the Indians have parted with their title, what did they get for it? Is there a treaty; and if so how much?

A Gold Seeker writing from Hayward City, in the Black Hills, to the Silver State relates as follows:

Horse stealing is getting to be the chief industry of the Hills. Horses are stolen every day, and very few of the thieves are caught. One man was killed here May 20th, and the man who killed him walked out of the house into the street, reloaded his pistol, caught his horse, mounted him and rode off, no one attempting to arrest him. The murderer is still at large. No one seems to take much interest in the matter, as this was not the first shooting scrape the slain man had been interested in.

They have been organizing a hook and ladder company in Genoa. Our friend Livingstone is Foreman, J. R. Johnson First Assistant and Sheriff Roan Second Assistant. It is now in order to move that the machine be painted the color of a bullock's heart.

Twelve tanks of young shad passed Winnemucca on Tuesday going to stock the Sacramento and its tributaries.

Bishop Whittaker went to Belmont yesterday. He will preach there next Sunday.

JUDGE PRATT'S MARRIAGE.

Judge Orrin C. Pratt of the United States District Court of California, was married in this city on Wednesday to Miss Lizzie E. Jones, also of California. Judge Pratt arrived in New York a week ago last Thursday, and stopped at the Sturtevant House, the affianced bride stopping with friends in Fifth Avenue in the meantime. The newly-married couple started for Philadelphia immediately after the ceremony, but are expected to return to New York within a few days.

It will be remembered that Judge Pratt met with an annoying adventure soon after his arrival in New York. He was accosted on the street by a young man who addressed him familiarly as "Mr. Smith." The Judge unwittingly corrected the stranger's apparent mistake by giving him his name and title. The man apologized and the two parted. Judge Pratt had not walked far when he was accosted by another man who called him by his right name, and, after some conversation, induced him to enter a "bunko" gambling-house at No. 108 East Fourteenth street. While there the police made a raid on the place and arrested Judge Pratt with the proprietors. In Court Judge Pratt refused to testify against the gamblers, and the case was dismissed. He is a handsome old gentleman, tall, erect and with snow-white hair.—N. Y. World.

The Rabbit Pest in some parts of this State is something quite incredible to those who are not acquainted with the facts concerning this apparently harmless animal. We find the following in the Pioche Record of Saturday:

A law was enacted by one of the Legislatures of Nevada offering a reward for the scalp or skin of every coyote or wolf killed in the State. This had the effect of nearly exterminating the coyote and of breeding rabbit in the shape of the Jackass Rabbit that the last Legislature repealed the law. During the time the law was in force rabbits commenced to increase and multiply to an alarming extent, eating up crops of alfalfa and grass, and wherever there was a green spot of vegetation destroying it unless the ranchers took proper precautions against the nuisance. This state of affairs caused the repeal of the law in regard to coyotes as they were the natural enemies of the rabbits and succeeded in keeping down their number so that their destruction did not amount to much. Ranchers in Utah and Nevada have been in the habit of meeting together of late years and having a regular rabbit drive so as to kill them off to prevent destruction of crops. At one drive in Utah last year 5,000 of these little animals were slaughtered. We hear of many complaints this season of depredations by rabbits and of intended drives to try and thin them out.

IN JUSTICE COURT. Ah Hoy, a Celestial dealer of the fascinating Oriental game of "tan," who a few days since, was caught by the Deputy Sheriff in the act of flagrantly fracturing the law made and provided for the especial purpose of suppressing immorality in that particular form, except when legalized by a certain deposit of collateral, was examined by Justice Taylor yesterday, and the array of formidable facts presented by the prosecution was of so convincing and convicting a nature, that the Court felt justified in retaining the heathen expert, in order that the Grand Jury, which assembles shortly, might be inducted into the mysteries of this popular Mongolian game. Ah Hoy, the mendacious recidivist, though not a native of, is a dweller in the ungodly town of Tuscarora, but the Department of Justice for that baliwick, at the time of the infringement referred to, being sick, gone a fishing, or otherwise demoralized, the case, together with another and similar import, involving three other gay gamblers with the respective and euphonious titles of Ah! Jim Ah! Sam and Ah! Ha! Chung, forming a choice trinity of spirits, but nevertheless united in one body; as it were, by similarity of views and a consolidation of interests was duly probed, adjusted and nicely graduated upon the improved endowment plan.

A HEROIC YOUNG LADY.—The Misses Vance of Memphis, Tenn., have been among the most famous beauties of the South, and one of them, Miss Susie, obtained some literary reputation a few years ago by a popular story of fashionable Southern life. A few days since another sister, Miss Lulie Vance, achieved reputation of another, but certainly not less valuable sort, by a heroic attempt to rescue a drowning child. At a picnic party just below Memphis a little son of Mr. Alexander fell into the Mississippi, and Miss Vance, an expert swimmer, who was near him, jumped into the water without an instant's hesitation, and had almost reached the drowning boy when he sank beyond recovery. Meanwhile one of the gentlemen of the party was swimming out to her rescue, but, discarding his aid, she reached the shore without difficulty. The child's body was shortly afterwards recovered, but life was extinct.

When Charles Reude's dramatization of Tennyson's "Dora" was being enacted in a small Australian town, where the choice of actors was not great, Mary Morrison, on making her exit to bring on her little Willie, of 4 years, was shocked to find a lubberly boy of 14 who must go on, as no other was to be had. The Farmer Allen of the play was, no doubt, equally shocked to see Mary coming on the stage with a boy nearly as large as herself. What was worse, the audience began to titter. But Farmer Allen was equal to the emergency, and, instead of asking, "How old are you, my little boy?" said, "How old are you, my strapping fellow?" probably hoping that the boy would have the good sense to give an age consistent with his size. The boy, however, with painful fidelity to the text, and in a sepulchral voice that made the answer all the more preposterous, said, "Four to five, Grandpapa." "Forty-five!" exclaimed the Farmer cheerfully; "you look it, my boy; you look it." There was a laugh, for a moment, but the play was saved from shipwreck.

Says the Elko Independent: The Panther is running with increased force, shipping rock and doing first rate generally.

This is catamount to saying that the Panther is doing prosperously; also that it is no wild cat.

A reading room is agitating the Austinian mind. That is, the notion of having one some time or other.

MINNESOTA'S DEFAULT.—In an article on the default of the State of Minnesota upon certain bonds, the New York Tribune says: Minnesota in 1858 issued \$2,275,000 State bonds to four land grant railroad companies, to aid in the construction of railroads, and received in return from the companies an equal number of their first mortgage bonds. The companies failed. The State immediately foreclosed the mortgages, and thereby acquired title to their property, which embraced several million acres of land and 240 miles of graded railroad ready for the superstructure. The State then defaulted upon the interest of the \$2,275,000 bonds, the proceeds of which had been used by the companies in creating the very property which the State had by its foreclosure proceedings acquired, and by concurrent resolutions of her Legislature and by a direct vote of the people of the State fairly repudiates them.

THE POPE ON THE EMPEROR OF GERMANY. The Pope replied to the address of the German pilgrims, likened the German Emperor to a new Attila. They knew, he said, that nations, like individuals, suffered from moral maladies, and that toward both God stretched forth His hand with opportune remedies, sometimes affecting a cure by speaking with the still, small voice which penetrates the heart; at others, when that was not enough, with a voice like that of a furious tempest. Their nation had in times past suffered from serious moral malady, and in these days he had heard good Prussian Catholics declare that some one was wanted to arouse the people from their sloth. God, in fact, had arisen, and used a scourge such as he employed centuries ago when he made use of an Attila. He had awakened the generous German nation. This new Attila thought he would pull down, but instead of that he built up.—London Times' Rome Correspondent.

CAUGHT HIM.—Lopez, a Mexican who was in Austin with a band of horses, a few days ago, and sold them to parties residing here, turns out to have been dealing in property not his own. It seems, as we are informed, the horses were the property of Woodruff & Ennor, Palisade, and were not brought from Lower California, as represented by Lopez. The owners of the horses telegraphed to different localities, describing the recreant, and to his surprise he was arrested in Belmont, in possession of one of the horses. A Mr. Brown from Palisade, deputized with a writ to make the arrest, left here for Belmont this morning, who will return the offender to the officers in Elko county in which the property was taken.—Reville, June 12.

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