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A Fifteen Hours' Walk for Life.

[From the Baltimore Gazette, March 24.]

O Sunday afternoon a young man
named George Falk swallowed, as he
stated, three ounces of laudanum
and five grains of morphia, in order
to end his life, as was reported yes-
terday. There was but one way of
saving him, and that was to keep
him in motion. After relieving him
as far as possible, his physician,
Dr. M. J. Gately, ordered that he
be walked until he was out of dan-
ger. At halfpast 2 o'clock Sunday
afternoon he was out upon his
tramp for life, and was forced to
walk in the open air as rapidly as
he could. His father kept by him
for a long time, and a friend or a
policeman assisted. After some
hours the father gave out, and
finally officers and friends grew
tired. At last officers had to be
taken from their beats and made to
do duty in saving the life of the
would-be suicide. When the walk
commenced it was with great diffi-
culty that he could be kept going,
and so great was his stupor that at
times he would almost fall like a
stick. Frequently it was necessary
to catch him and move him on. He
reeled at times like a drunken man,
and then again he would revive
considerably. The dreary, monotonous
walk was kept up without inter-
mission until 6:30 o'clock yester-
day morning, when the physician
consented that he should be allowed
to take rest. The life of the young
man was saved, but the struggle for
freedom from the effects of the
drugs was a severe one. To have
stopped three minutes would have
been fatal.

It is demonstrated by statistics
that the manufacture of domestic
liquors was carried on half a cen-
tury ago to a much greater extent in
proportion to the population than
it is to-day. The New York World
shows that in 1820 but 2,500,000
was invested in manufactures, of
which one tenth was devoted to the
manufacture of alcoholic beverages,
a ratio seventy times greater than
to-day; while a further comparison
between the population in 1820 and
1870 shows the capital now invested
in the production of fermented
liquors to be only twice as large
now as fifty years ago, although the
population has increased ten fold.
This is contrary to the impression
which has popularly prevailed con-
cerning this subject.

I have read lately of a good many
coincidences in the papers. Here
is one: In 1870, being in London,
I had in my pocket a silver watch,
bought of Regally, School street,
Boston, 1745. I had, on the morn-
ing in question, broke the crystal.
Walking in Oxford street, I was
suddenly reminded of my broken
glass by seeing the window of a
small and unpretending jeweler's
shop. Acting on the impulse, I
went in, and asked the man at the
counter to fit me a flat glass, like
the one I had just broken. He took
my watch, looked at it curiously,
and said: "May I ask where you
got that watch, for I made it, and I
only made two of that pattern,
which I sold to a Swiss named
Regally, who lived in America." I
told him I bought it of that person
at Boston, and looking, saw, for the
first time in my life, on the face of
the watch, the name of the maker,
"Robert Lewis, 22 Oxford street,"
where, in fact, I was standing at the
moment.—[Communication in the
Boston Transcript.

A Misunderstanding.

[From the Worcester Gazette.]

One of the prominent physicians
of this city was accosted by his son
with, "Father, do you think Bill
Hoar will get Mr. Sumner's place in
the Senate?"
The father replied, "Why what
do you mean?"
"I mean will Bill Hoar be elected
to fill the vacancy caused by Mr.
Sumner's death?"
"My son," replied the father,
"there is no such person as 'Bill'
Hoar, and if there was; that is not
the proper way for you to speak of
him; you should be more respect-
ful."
"Why, father," said the boy,
"that's the way Mr. Sumner spoke
of himself."
"I don't understand what you
mean," answered the father, when
the boy explained, "I read it in all
the papers that when Mr. Sumner

was dying he said to Mr. Hoar,
'Take care of my civil rights,
Bill!'

The King of Italy, having occu-
pied a throne for twenty-five years,
late celebrated what might be called
his "silver coronation." Within
these twenty-five years he has seen
his kingdom expand from a pretty
province of North Italy to a king-
dom of 27,000,000, and in adding to
the number of his subjects he has
always added to his own populari-
ty. He is the most popular mon-
arch in Europe to-day, and, what is
better, he deserves the respect and
affection which is felt for him.—
[Graphic.

Gen. Santa Anna has arrived at
the Mexican capital and paid a visit
to President Lerdo. He intends to
reside at Tacubaya, seven miles
from Mexico. His fortune having
been reduced to almost nothing, the
ex-President proposes to petition
Congress for a grant, pension or the
restoration of some of his private
property, which was sequestered
by the State

Butler and his Personal Dan- ger.

Washington Correspondence Boston Herald
On the 18th of next November he will
be fifty-six years old. He has never been
sick. His constitution has been like iron.
He has worked for ten years as few men
ever work, even in this busiest of lands.
His favorite saying has been that when
he retired at night, unless he was asleep
in five minutes, he thought something was
the matter. He has enjoyed absolute, un-
interrupted health, and has revealed it.
But there must be an end to all things,
and especially to overworked men. Butler
has grown obese, and inferentially,
apoplectic. His political fights begin to
tell on him. The contests at Worcester
have helped pull him down. The Simmons
fight set his nerves into a frenzy. His
head was clear, but his blood was hot,
and his face livid at times. He had wound
himself up to a fearful pitch of excite-
ment. When the victory was won and
the relapse came, the blood left his face,
he became quiet and seemed to have weak-
ened perceptibly. His friends on the
floor said he looked fifteen years older.
But with his immense interests on his
hands there is no release from the tread-
mill—no long hours of relaxation. His
affairs are as inexorable as those of an
Emperor. Some day, his life will go out
like the light of a hastily snuffed candle.

MR. BARKSDALE, JR., of Mississippi, a
name familiar in Congressional annals in
pro-slavery days, has joined the Republi-
can club in Jackson. He is one of the
proprietors of the Jackson Clarion, long
the leading Democratic paper in the land
of Jeff. Davis, while his father, who heart-
ily approves of the course his son has
taken, is the editor-in-chief of the same
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SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 1874.

Easter.

To-day is Easter. It may not be generally known that the word "Easter" is derived from the old Saxon "Ostara," which was the name of the Saxon Goddess of the spring, in whose honor a great feast was celebrated in April. Charles the Great named the month of April the "Ostarmanoth." In German "Easter" is "Ostern." According to the practice of the old christian apostles they took hold of the heathen feast day and turned it into a christian feast, in order to get some hold for the conversion of the obstinate heathen Germans, who would not let go their adored gods and goddesses so easily. True it is, the Roman church has since that time had nothing but trouble with the converted German race that would neither bodily nor spiritually submit to the dictates of the high priests, and while a thousand years ago Bonifacius cut down the holy oak-trees of the German Druides, Germania is now cutting down the strongholds of the Roman Druides! So it appears the old gods still live and take vengeance.

Easter is now a feast of the christian church in commemoration of the resurrection of Christ. In the old church up to the 11th century the easter feast lasted 8 days, then 3 and now only 2 days.

In the United States there is only one easter-day known, and even the catholic church does not make any exception to this rule. In the catholic and orthodox greek church, a lent time of 40 days precedes easter, which is especially rigidly observed in the latter church.

Concerning the time easter was to be solemnized there was in old times a severe struggle between the eastern and the western church, which was settled at the Council of Nicea in the year 325. According to this settlement Easter is to be celebrated on a Sunday following next to the full moon of spring, which full moon of spring is the one making her appearance either on the 21st of March or immediately thereafter. Consequently the limit of time between which Easter may fall, is the 22nd of March and the 25th of April.

Reported Gold Discoveries on the Yellowstone.

[From the St. Paul (Minn.) Press.]
Since the summer of 1873, and at regular intervals, discoveries of gold in paying quantities have been reported from the tributaries of the Yellowstone river in Montana. The latest exciting news from the undeveloped auriferous deposits of the Territory is contained in a letter addressed to the Bismarck Tribune by a resident of Bozeman, Montana. According to this communication the new Eldorado is the Tongue River valley, about midway between Bozeman and Bismarck. In February a large expedition was organized in Bozeman, composed of over 100 men, armed with needles and three pieces of artillery, with plenty of grape and shell. Other expeditions are forming which will increase the number of miners and explorers near Tongue river to 200. The original discoverer says that he sank shafts in two places and one bar, and from seven buckets of dirt got \$6 60 of three gold. The expedition mentioned carries provisions sufficient for each man six months. They go determined to make a permanent stand and hold the country, if possible. Many business men are preparing to transfer their business to the mines.

Rhode Island girls are not wanting in the art of gentle insinuating that, like Barkis, "they're willin'." It was only recently that a lady walking one evening, under the classic shades of Brown University, overheard the following conversation between a young lady and gentleman just in front of her: "Charley, did you ever hear it said that if a person found a four-leaved clover and put it in their shoe, the person

walked with would be their husband or wife?" "No—never heard of it before." "Well, I found one and put it in shoe this morning, and you are the first one I have walked with. I wonder if it is true?" There could be but one answer to this, but the unintentional eaves-dropper does not mention it, leaving the public in cruel doubt as to whether the ruse was successful or not.

Telegraphic

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Senator Wadleigh succeeds Sumner on Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Senate—House amendment to bill in relation to the Louisville and Portland Canal, was debated and bill laid over.

Nomination—E Hubbs, to be postmaster at New Berne, N. C.

Confirmations—Wilson, appraiser of merchandise, Savannah; McLaws, collector of the First District of Georgia; Snyder, collector of the Second District of Texas; Hubbs, postmaster at New Berne, North Carolina.

Senator Thurman moved a non concurrence in the Louisville and Portland canal House bill, and asked for a committee of conference. Objection was raised, and it went over.

The Senate, by a vote of 33 yeas to 19 nays, adopted the substitute of Senator Merrimon, of North Carolina, for the third section of the committee's bill. The substitute provides for the issue of \$16,000,000, additional national bank currency.

An amendment submitted by Senator Thurman, for payment of a portion of customs duties in legal tenders after June 30, 1874, was rejected.

House—The Alaska fur question occupied the first part of the day. The bill to appoint a civilian as a commissioner to investigate the matter failed by a vote of 102 to 111, pending an amendment that an officer of the navy should accompany the special agent of the Treasury to investigate the matter.

The banking and currency bill occupied the balance of the day.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—A dispatch from Austin, Nevada, to-night, gives particulars of a horrible tragedy in Smoky Valley, in that State. It appears that Christopher Reckstein had been for a long time jealous of his wife in consequence of attentions paid her by a young man named Norton, and they had frequent quarrels about him. Yesterday a man named Osterhaus went to Reckstein's house, and receiving no response to his demands for admission, broke open the door. On the floor lay the naked body of Mrs. Reckstein cut into pieces and her head split open. At her feet were the bodies of their two little girls, their heads nearly severed from the bodies, and near by were the dead bodies of Reckstein and young Norton, grappled as if in the death struggle. Reckstein had grasped in his right hand a large knife, covered with blood. In Norton's hands was a Oregon pistol, with two chambers discharged. There is no living witness to this terrible affair.

PHILADELPHIA, April 2.—The mayor has signed the one million Centennial bill which passed the city council to day. A certified copy was transmitted to Washington to-night.

QUEENSTOWN, April 2.—The bark Live Oak, which arrived here to-day from New York, lost several men overboard on the passage.

LONDON, April 2.—The Marquis of Devonshire is dead.

The Times says it has authentic advices from the scene of war before Bilbao to April 1, which shows that the Republican troops have taken no position since March 25. A three days' armistice, in which Bilbao was not included, has been agreed upon for the burial of the dead. In the meantime the bombardment of the city continues.

Gen Caballero de Rodos, with 5000 men, is advancing by forced marches to the assistance of Marshal Serrano.

LONDON, April 2.—A dispatch from Melbourne says that Henri Rochefort and his party started for London via California.

They have introduced Pullmans into England, and our British cousins have waxed enthusiastic over the fact. It is to be hoped that the gentlemanly and efficient porter is not one of the "patent American inventions" attached; we mean the young man who, for and by consideration of the dollar which he rolls you of in broad day-light with a whisk at your throat, obligingly compels you to go to bed at 9 o'clock, and brings you somebody else's boots, and wakes you up just in time for you to leap, unkempt, unwashed and with the tails of your coat wrapped hurriedly around your neck, from the car on to the platform of the next station beyond the one you wanted to stop at. We could also wish that the soap peculiar to palace cars, which is of plicone rather than of glycerine attributes, should be omitted from the equipment of the English coaches, and if further precautions could be taken to exclude the jovial passengers who play enebre, and the man who sees knotty wood and swallows moose antlers in his sleep, and the baby with the whooping-cough, and the rural bridegroom who audibly and persistently improves his rural bride-to-be, and the old woman in the top berth who wants a drink, we have no doubt that the English traveling public will appreciate the American sleeping-car quite as highly as the English tipping public has appreciated the American sherry-cobbler.

A DISGRACEFUL piece of mischief is reported from Berlin, where some idiot has, it seems, been amusing himself by poisoning a good many of the most valuable animals in the Zoological Gardens. His last victims are six bears, two jaguars, two black panthers, two lions, and a lynx, all of which have died, with the exception of the male jaguar and the female panther. These, however, are not the only losses sustained. Within the last few weeks several valuable carnivora have perished, and their death being attributed to feeding on the flesh of horses possibly suffering from disease. The food given to the animals has since been carefully cooked, so that willful poisoning appears to be the only explanation of the recent deaths among them. The Director of the Zoological Garden Company have offered a reward of one thousand thalers for the apprehension of the miscreant. If caught he should certainly be compelled to nurse the survivors during their period of convalescence, or by confinement in the monkey house expiate a stupid, cruel, and wanton crime, of which a monkey might be ashamed.

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Sundries, Matches, Axle Grease, Blacking, Ink, Liquid German Washing and Powdered Blueing.

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Pickles, etc., Pickles, Chow Chow, Capers, Brandy Cherries and Peaches, Jellies, Syrups, Extracts, Essence of Ginger, Vinegar etc.

Candies, etc., Stick, Mixture and Rock Candy, Gum, Chocolate Cream and Licorice Drops, Shoe Fly Candies, Chocolate, Cacao.

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