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**Snow-slides in Utah.**  
SALT LAKE CITY, January 21.—Another snow-slide occurred in Big Cottonwood cañon yesterday evening, near Richmond mine. A party of men, engaged in "quaking down" or in rawlides, were caught by the slide. Six men, named Thomas H. Broderick, William Ritter, Charles Dobbie, James Breese, Henry Atkins, and John Moore, were carried away and their bodies have not yet been recovered. Geo. McCoulin and Thomas White were swept away and covered with snow, but were dug out, and their lives were saved. The slide extended a distance of about one mile, and was about two hundred yards wide. Yesterday the body of the six persons killed by the snow-slide at Alta City were recovered. It is supposed that many other persons have perished in the same manner, but that their bodies are covered by the snow to such depth that they will not be found for some time. In one demolished house was found the body of Mrs. Carey, sitting in a rocking-chair with an infant clasped in her arms, and near her the bodies of her husband and little girl. They had all perished from suffocation by snow. At another house a man was dug out alive, while a man who had been sleeping beside him was found dead. The dead body of another person was found in the vicinity of the house. There is much terror in the mining camps, and most of those who can get away will probably leave; but it is a difficult and dangerous undertaking to get away, as the people will have to walk, and run the gauntlet of snow-slides on the way out of the cañons.

**What 9 Years' Time Wrought into a Family Circle.**  
(ATLANTIC CHAMPION, January 22.) The organization of the Legation calls to mind a sad little bit of family history, involving the destruction of a happy and promising family circle within the short period of two years. Every one who attended upon the session of 1873 remembers a bright, slender girl who was chosen as one of the pages. She was a bright, frail little thing, precocious and mentally vigorous far beyond her years, and possessed of a manner that won the hearts of all who ever looked upon her. She attended faithfully to her duties, and when the tiresome night sessions came on near the close, she was still there, as lively and bright as a young fawn, never seeming to tire, and doing more duty than any other of the messengers. But the tender, nervous child was killing herself in her exciting duties, and after attending the Legation hall she was prostrated by an affection of the brain, and died amidst the grief of the entire capital. The family were inconsolable; and it is believed that the mother never fully recovered from the shock; for, a few months after, the husband and father came home from his business one noon to find her dead upon the floor. The poor man was nearly crazy with the burden of his sorrow, but still remained at the capital, where he was employed in a bank. One day he was entrusted with a large sum of money to carry upon the street, and overcame by temptation he left the city wandered off to the Indian Territory and Texas, where he was finally caught. He was brought back, tried, convicted and sentenced to the Penitentiary.

A few months after the remaining daughter was about to depart for Ohio, where she was to be married, but fell sick and died before her departure.

Taken all in all, this is one of the saddest and most touching scenes of family history that has ever come under our observation. Truly this is a sad world, and it is one of our greatest blessings that prosperous people have only an occasional glimpse of the sorrow that surrounds them.

**MRS. KOTNEY**, whilst playing at the Queen's in London, administered a well merited rebuke to a party of paper-headed "swells" who occupied a private box, who had evidently been indulging in an extra glass of lager beer, and who were talking and laughing loudly and continuously. Drawing herself up to her full height in front of the box, with a withering glance of scorn, she said to the first of the "swells": "Well, gentlemen when you have quite finished, I will go on," and she went on.

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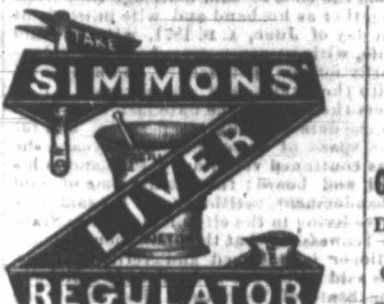
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SATURDAY, JAN. 30, 1875.

THE telegraphic dispatches of today will be read with much interest, especially the testimony of Gov. Kellogg, for whatever throw light upon the complicated affairs of that unfortunate State will be gladly received by all persons, no matter of what political party.

When a State gets in the unhappy position that Louisiana now is, no matter on whose shoulders the responsibility rests, all good men unite in their regrets of the situation.

HENRY L. DAWES who was on the 20th of this month elected United States Senator from Massachusetts is at present and has been for some time in the lower house of Congress. He is not the peer of the late Sumner, but he is a man of marked ability, and on the floor of the Senate will only increase the pride that his State now feels in having him as her representative.

Dawes though a republican has much influence with the Democratic members of the house. His career in the senate will doubtless be as brilliant as in the house.

THE president sent on the 20th a special message to Congress, suggesting action by that body to provide for an increase of the armament of our fortifications. He is urgent for legislation on "the Armament of fortifications." Does this mean war or does it only mean that in time of peace we should prepare for war? Now the president is a man of great foresight and he would not make a suggestion unless he had good grounds for the same. He must well know that a free and loyal people bounding swiftly to arms is a greater safeguard than fortification or guns built for a war in prospect.

But the Virginia affair after many months of negotiation remains unsettled, our territory lies contiguous to that of the former Spanish possessions, is near Cuba, the beautiful island, which people are struggling for a free and independent government. War may be ahead, the president of course knows better than any one else the prospects, if there is danger we should prepare for it.

THE Tilton-Beecher suit still attracts undiminished interest in Brooklyn and New York. There is a rush for places whenever the court-room door opens. This scandal in all its phases is a pitiful story not only on the church but on society of the Union.

If ministers would learn to better follow the precept of their divine master to be as wise as serpents, yet as harmless as doves, they would possess more power for doing good and would save many a family from pain and heart-aches brought about by their taking improper advantage of the sacred position which a minister occupies.

We would not intimate an expression of opinion as to the guilt or innocence of Mr. Beecher. His congregation have increased confidence in him. The rental sales of Plymouth Church have this year exceeded those of any preceding year by \$12,000. If he is guilty, neither the high position he holds, nor the greatness of his intellect should prevent his downfall and ruin he would then richly deserve. The sentencing of Tweed to the New York prison and of Coleman to the Virginia State penitentiary had a beneficial influence on public morals.

If on the other he is not, there is no degradation too low for either Tilton or Moulton. No exaggeration too great to be heaped on that pair for endeavoring to ruin the high standing and great reputation of a man of Mr. Beecher's position of eminence.

The matter is with the courts. Already the legislature of New York has a special bill so that the city court of Brooklyn, and extend its regular term in order to be able to complete the case.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

Early Press.

NAVY DEPARTMENT MESSAGE AGAIN. Washington, Jan. 29.—Another diary item in the Navy Department but distinguished without loss except on several legs. There have been three attempts to turn the Navy Department this week. There is much apprehension, as none of the buildings where records are kept, except P. Office, Patent Office, Treasury and Capitol are fire proof.

WASHINGTON TIMES. Maj. Richards, chief of police, and Admiral Reynolds held consultation over the matter to night. The general idea is to meet this evening on account of a prolonged session in the Senate. The Star of this morning says, "in the discussion was developed a lack of harmony among the Senators as to the course which should be pursued, relative to the present State Government of Louisiana, and it may now be predicted with tolerable certainty that a majority will not be obtained in the Senate to reorganize said government as the legal government of the State."

The House adjourned on motion of Ward, Republican of Illinois. Nineteen Republicans joined the Democrats; this result obtained by fear that the Democrats would demand the reading of the journal, which, as it stands, would consume twelve hours under the new rule, as a proposed vote may be reached on Wednesday on the Civil Rights bill. The Democrats claim they have not exhausted their tactics for delay.

It may be stated there is no intention to pass the bill exclusive of mixed schools and common schools, should it be defeated in the Senate. The bill is dead for the session. Voluntary reports from the Secretary of War upon various intervals and water routes. Reported to Committee on Transportation.

CITIZENS OF FISHING petition for appropriation for the improvement of the Ohio, and subsides for the Northern & Southern Pacific Railroad.

Mr. Canning and Gen. Gordon spoke on Louisiana affairs. Continued Dismissals. CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—No prospect for the speedy settlement of the freight war, hence the reduction of the passenger fare now increases complication. Several lines urge bankruptcy; reduction of wages 10 per cent contemplated, strike threatened but managers doubt care as they are tugging at a loss.

Great Loss by Fire. CHARLESTON, Jan. 29.—Fire in Sumter; loss \$70,000; insurance \$49,000. Richmond Insurance Company loss \$50,000. Other risks abroad.

Gov. Chamberlain dismissed military organizations, including colored militia, Edgefield County.

Carpenter Ahead. MILWAUKEE, Jan. 29.—Carpenter 60, Bragg 58, snoring 15.

Fire in New Orleans. NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 29.—Fire in Bertram street between Common and Gravier; loss \$30,500.

Gov. Kellogg's Testimony. NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 29.—Gov. Kellogg was before the Congressional Committee today. He made a long statement, commencing with the Legislature of 1865, and coming down to the present time. It differs from his testimony before the subcommittee only in the beginning at an early date, and the statement being more elaborately prepared.

New Orleans, Jan. 29.—Additional.—Kellogg before the Congressional Committee: Gov. Kellogg charged that the political troubles of the State since the war commenced with the various laws, jobs, and monopolies passed by the Legislature of 1865 and 1866, conceived under President Johnson's reconstruction policy, and aimed at a election in which none but white men participated. That the financial troubles also dated from some period that Legislatures having appropriated 13 million dollars in excess of its receipts, a large portion of which amount had been funded under War bonds and had aided in swelling the debt to its present proportions. He also emphatically asserted that the different monopolies alluded to in the report of the Foster subcommittee were with scarcely one exception all passed before he came into office, and he submitted a statement of the legislative votes that went could have become laws without the concurrence of the Democratic members of the Legislature. He presented an affidavit setting forth that for the past year of one particular monopoly in 1869, certain Democratic members named therein received one thousand dollars each.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Wadleigh, member of the Committee on Elections and Privileges, returned. He will vote with the minority, making a tie.

Carpenter will vote with the minority so that there will be two reports, the majority being against the indirect acknowledgment of Kellogg and seating Fishback.

The Treasury Department has renewed the contract with the parties who took the last subscription to the 5 per cent. loan. They take \$5 millions with the option of 5 months for the remainder.

The theory is entertained by the detectives and others that the parties who have been persistently attempting to set fire to the Navy Department are interested in the destruction of valuable records. No arrests yet.

New Orleans Market. NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 30.—Cotton—Fair delivery to strict good ord. 13-13; low middling 14-14; middling 14-15; good middling to middling fair 15-16. Gold 45.

Weather Report. WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Probabilities for the Gulf States, during tomorrow, being temperature, with cold winds, and clearing partly cloudy, weather will prevail.

Gold nom'n. N. O. eight currency 1 prem. do gold nominal, sterling 60 days 550. Flour—wheat extra 6.00, choice extra 6.75, choice family 7.00. Hams—shoulder sugar cured 14, 20 quality, 14-14 1/2.

Wool, medium free of burrs, spring clip, 26-30, full clip 24-26, coarse 20-22, Mexican 14-17, heavy 12-13. Bacon—clear ribs 11 1/2; shoulders 9 1/2. Hides, dry flint selected 1 1/2; butchers green 7-8.

Bagging, domestic, heavy, 14 per yard, light 13 1/2, India 11. Coffee, steady, unchanged, fair 13-14 good 14-15, prime 15-16. Peas, scarce, high, choice Western, new crop, 10-12 1/2 second quality, 9-10.

Sugar, fair to prime 14-17 prime to choice 16-17, yellow clarified 14-17, refined, crushed and powdered 14-15 white clarified 10-11.

New York Market. NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Gold 129. Cotton—firm, uplands 1 1/2, Orleans 1 1/2. Liverpool Market. LIVERPOOL, Jan. 30.—Cotton—firm, uplands 7 1/2; Orleans 7 1/2. Noon Press.

Governor Kellogg's Testimony. NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 30.—Additional.—Gov. Kellogg's whole testimony, which was very long, based on the theory that the condition of affairs in Louisiana was the result of a prolonged hostility to the Reconstruction acts of Congress, commencing with the inauguration of the War month government. He introduced copies of resolutions passed at a public meeting in New Orleans, denouncing the government as a usurpation founded on the unconstitutional reconstruction acts of Congress, and calling upon the young men to form in military companies, and arm and drill to oppose that usurpation in a summary way. He asserted that Mr. F. Blair's broadsheet letter, brought about the alleged massacre of September 24, 1868, and Judge Bradley's decision releasing the Grand Jurors, and virtually deciding the case in favor of Congress to be imperative brought about in the troubles of 1874.

A Present Worth Taking. NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The Khedive of Egypt gives General Sherman's daughter "Mrs. Pith," a necklace and earrings valued at three million dollars. This, in consideration of advice given to the Khedive by Sherman, whom he could not compensate directly. The jewels are in the sub-treasury for safe-keeping.

Miscellaneous. NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The Central and Hudson River Railroad reduces salaries 10 per cent. The brotherhood engineers appointed a Committee of Remonstrance. Vanderbilt was unyielding. A compromise was effected by which engineers paid 14 cents for every actual mile run.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Marines are on guard at the Navy Department. Judge Flog had an interview with the President this morning. In case Pardee's name is withdrawn he is a prominent aspirant.

General West also visited the President, who expressed anxiety that Congress should act in the Louisiana matter. What assurance he gave the President not transpired.

Congressional. WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 30.—Immediately after the House was called to order the clerk proceeded to read the journal and omitted to read the page and says in detail, when Randall raised the point of order that they were read. After a long debate, the Speaker decided that the point was taken and directed the clerk to read the journal.

King Alfonso's civil list will be fixed at \$5,000,000 reals. It is reported that the Carlists are now enrolling youths of seventeen years in their ranks.

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No. 5059. STATE OF TEXAS, John D. Meredith versus County of Bexar, Mary Meredith. THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bexar County, Greeting: WHEREAS, on the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1874, John D. Meredith, a resident citizen of the County of Bexar, State of Texas, filed his petition in our Honorable District Court, alleging in substance as follows, to-wit:

That on or about the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1868, petitioner was lawfully married to one Mary Meredith in the County of Fayette, and State of Tennessee; that from the time of said marriage they lived together as husband and wife until about the 1st day of June, A. D. 1871, when his said wife, without cause or provocation, voluntarily left him, petitioner, and has since that time continued to abandon him, and from the time of the date last mentioned to the date of filing his petition, and for the space of more than three years, she has continued voluntarily to abandon him, and board; that at the time of said abandonment, petitioner and his said wife were living in the city of Memphis, State of Tennessee; that he then and there, as petitioner is informed and verily believes, his said wife went to La Grange county, in the State of Tennessee; that about one year thereafter, petitioner, and his said wife, he is informed and verily believes, he and his said wife, still continuing to live separate and apart from petitioner and against his remonstrances; that she still resides in the said city of Memphis; that on or about the 1st day of October, A. D. 1874, petitioner moved away from said city of Memphis with a view to acquiring a residence in the State of Texas; that he has since resided; that the living issue of their aforesaid marriage consists of one son aged fourteen years and one daughter aged twelve years. Petitioner prays for a decree of divorce from his bonds of matrimony with defendant, for costs, and for general relief.

And, whereas, said wife having been made that said Mary Meredith is a non-resident of the State of Texas, and is now absent therefrom, These are therefore to command you that you summon the said Mary Meredith by publication of this writ in some newspaper published in the city of San Antonio, Bexar County, and State of Texas for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court to be held in and for said County, in the city of San Antonio, on the 31st day of February, A. D. 1875, then and there to answer the petition of said John D. Meredith.

These are therefore to command you that you summon the said Mary Meredith by publication of this writ in some newspaper published in the city of San Antonio, Bexar County, and State of Texas for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court to be held in and for said County, in the city of San Antonio, on the 31st day of February, A. D. 1875, then and there to answer the petition of said John D. Meredith.

By HENRY L. RADDA, Clerk D. C. B. C. Deputy. 30-17-5d-17-5d

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LOCAL AFFAIRS

THE MERRY TURKS.

PROCLAMATION No. II.

To our noble and faithful subject, the

Caliph of our imperial capital San

Antonio, James H. French, Governor

1. Know your faithful subject that we

herewith command you to be at your office

on the 9th day of February A. D. 1875, at

4 o'clock P. M., there to receive our royal

self—and be in readiness to turn over the

keys of this imperial capital to His

Highness, Mufi, our grand Vizier, and

also do you hold yourself in readiness to

allow us in our merry tour of inspection

of our capital, thereby showing your

loyalty to our majesty.

2. It is also our pleasure that you order

your bailiffs and your Alam soldiers to

accompany us in our merry tour through

our capital, that they may know our

greatness and

3. Remember that it is our express

pleasure that you order our loyal citizens

and merchants that they do close their

bazaars from the hour of 10 o'clock until

the setting of the sun on the 11th day of

February, and that they do appear on the

line of our merry march, (which will be

duely heralded by our imperial heralds), to

show their loyalty to our imperial majesty.

Fail not your faithful Caliph to obey

these mandates under penalty of our

greatest displeasure, the bastinado and

the red cord.

Mohamed is great and Mustapha is his

Prophet.

Given under our hand and the seal of

the Crescent this 29th day of January,

1875.

By His Majesty Himself,

MUSTAFA, Sultan.

Attest: MURTI, Grand Vizier.

CARNIVAL.—The meeting which was held

Saturday last at Karber's Hall was ad-

journeered to to-morrow, Sunday, Jan. 31st,

at 10 o'clock A. M. to receive the reports of

the Committees. All concerned will take

notice.

SOMETHING nice in Black Cloth Suits at

PANCOAST & SON.

The annual meeting of the San Antonio

Bible Society will be held to-morrow (Sat-

urday) evening at 7 o'clock, in the Meth-

odist Church on Soledad street. An ad-

dress, appropriate to the occasion, will be

delivered. The friends of the Bible are re-

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THE MERRY TURKS.—The good people of

San Antonio have determined to lay

business and care aside for one day, and

that day is the 9th of February.

The business houses will generally close

about twelve or one o'clock in the day,

and everybody will either take part in

the procession or be on the streets as spec-

tators. There will be a large number of

persons in from the country.

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and a good stock of first class furnishings,

goods at PANCOAST & SON.

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exhibit her wax works at the Alam Liter-

ary Hall on the evening of the third of

next month for the benefit of St. Mary's

Church.

While this paper professes to be the ad-

vocate of no religious denomination, yet,

we think that this object is a good one,

and that those who go to the entertain-

ment will have a pleasant time.

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sale by J. CLAVIN and A. DREISS.

The burglars have had a merry time for

the last four or five days. More than half

a dozen houses have been entered and val-

uables extracted, mostly money. As yet

no clue has been found as to who the par-

Sheridan in Louisiana.—Opin-

ion of the Press.

EVIDENTLY there is to be no peace and

prosperity in Louisiana as long as the

oath-bound White Leagues exist in au-

thority.—Alabama State Journal.

Now, in our opinion, Sheridan is the

very man for the place and the times.

President Grant knows his man, and is

fully aware that he can depend upon him

in an emergency.—Greensboro (N. C.) New

North Star.

The situation in Louisiana is peculiarly

revolutionary, and the only way out of the

whole difficulty lies through the establish-

ment and reign of military government.

All the indications are that it will come to

that anyhow.—New York Graphic.

PHIL SHERIDAN is of the despotic opin-

ion that a sufficient number of murders

have already been committed in the

South. The way to stop them, he thinks,

is to stop them. The Southern blood

hounds understand what he means.—Con-

nect Huffs Newspaper.

WE ARE confident that the country will

soon be satisfied that General Sheridan, in

his present command, is the right man in

the right place, and that the Southern

people will soon find that, if he is strict

in carrying out orders, he is also just.—Louis-

ville Commercial.

These are the facts as they stand in the

history of this eventful week. Those who

do not understand them fail, also, to com-

prehend the results which would at-

tend any other nation than that taken by

the Administration at Washington.—New

York Advertiser.

The Democrats had previously deter-

mined to play this desperate and desper-

ate game, staking all upon the result. They

played it and lost. Now, as a trick to gain

sympathy, they write that they are mis-

taken to military despotism. Laugh!—Mil-

waukee Commercial.

The common sense way to look at this

affair is to see that Kellogg is doing just

what he has promised to do. He is doing

that is a question for Congress, and not for

the President, to decide. It is no part of

the President's function to go behind the

scenes and disturb between two contest-

ants.—Newark Advertiser.

The action of the Governor in this case

is not simply justifiable—it was demanded

by the circumstances. Even if the Demo-

crats who faced their way into the House

are legally elected, their names were not

enrolled, and they had no right to resort

to violence and force to secure their rights.

—Boston Traveler.

Legislative Proceedings.

SENATE.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 27.

Senator Ireland, from the Judiciary

Committee, reported unfavorably upon

the Senate bill authorizing Walker county

to appropriate certain moneys to pay

judgment in favor of Mrs. Mary Walker;

unfavorably upon the bill conferring upon

the International Railroad the rights to

use the State, and the compromise by the

issuance of \$3,700,000 bonds; reports a

substitute for the bill to utilize the in-

duities of the State Asylums by their em-

ployment in a public printing bureau. It

provides for a teacher of the art of print-

ing in the asylums, establishment of a bu-

reau and an appropriation of \$2500 to car-

ry it into effect. Recommends the bill re-

quiring Sheriffs to settle the first of May

of each year, he referred to the Finance

Committee, and submits that acts in force

cover the case.

Senator Westfall, from the Committee

on Education, reported favorably, with

an unimportant amendment, upon the

bill chartering Austin College, and favor-

ably upon the bill chartering Lamar Uni-

versity, with an amendment striking out

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ton Telegraph, which rarely condescends

to notice individual enterprises, says of

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pecting person could take exception to

the manner of the drawing. It was fair,

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and recorders were of our very best cit-

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to the superintendence of the drawing, or

rather did the actual labor of it.

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fairly throughout the whole management

of this enterprise. While some money

has been made by the venture in all gen-

erality, yet the property given away has

only netted a fair price, and the result

is only an exchange of the property for

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That staunch democratic paper, the

Houston Age, has the following:

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of gentlemen was one of the best that

could have been selected by the audience.

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drawing, is our present Representative,

and one of the most popular men in the

district.

"THE DRAWING

was presided by an explanation from Capt.

Foster, of the mode adopted. This was

well received and understood, precisely

as explained by the circulars. Capt. Fos-

ter said that while he wished all his home

people good luck, he was free to say

that with the people of poor Mississippi,

Louisiana, and South Carolina he felt

a greater sympathy, and he did hope

would draw the largest number of prizes,

that they might come to a free country,

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