

A Discouraged Sailer.

He was a sad-eyed meek-faced man, and we thought he merely wished to give us a news item, but when he commenced telling us about building a barn on his ranch 100 feet by 200 feet, seven stories high and ornamented by bay windows, we thought it was time to check him, so we commenced:

"Well, we admit that is a pretty large barn for this country, but back in the States our father built a barn 325 by 500 feet nine stories high, and furnished with steam elevators. The—"

"Back in the States?" interrupted our visitor, "Why that wasn't much of a barn for the States. I remember now that when I was quite young my father built a chicken coop 550 by 832 feet. I don't remember how many stories it was high, but there was a cupola on it for the roosters."

"About how high was the cupola?" we asked.

"I don't remember the exact height now, mister, but I know it was so high that the fourteen upper tiers of roosters died from the effects of the light atmosphere the first night."

Then he looked up toward the ceiling and commenced humming "Jesus loves me," and we went out and sat down on the wood pile and wondered how somebody was always outstripping us in the race of life.

Josh Billings wants to know why a turkey's egg is speckled and a duck's egg blue.

Whether a log floats faster in the river than the current runs, or not.

Where the fish all go when the cold weather sets in, and where they all come from so suddenly next summer.

Why rabbits have short tails and cats long ones.

Why most all the birds build their nests out of different material.

Why a goose stands first on one foot and then on t'other.

Why lightning was never known to strike a beech-tree.

Why the males among the feathered r6es du all the singing.

Why the black snake is the only snake in this country that can climb a tree.

Why a muskrat's tale has no fur on it, and a mink's has.

Why a quail's egg is round, and a hen's is pointed.

Why a hen always knows her little ones from another's, and why she will hatch twelve duck eggs and think they are her own chickens.

Why a bear always climbs down a tree backwards.

Why a mule's bones are solid, and their ears twice as long as a horse's.

Why a dog always turns round three times before he sets down.

Why a horse always gets oph from the ground on his forward feet last.

Why, when a man gets lost in the woods or on the plains, he always walks in a circle.

Why an oyster and a clam are the only things I know of with animal life that don't have to move out of their places to get a living.

Why a pig gathers straws in his mouth and runs about with them just before a rain storm.

Why nature will allow one cross between sun animals and then allow no more.

There is lots of highly educated people who won't believe the Book of Genesis because they can't prove it, who can't answer korrekctly one-third of the abov questions.

The Power of Kindness.

Walking down a country lane the other morning, I heard a gentle whistle behind, and almost simultaneously a shrill neigh burst upon my ear from the neighboring field. Turning around, I was about to retrace my steps toward a man whom I saw standing by the field gate, about a hundred yards away, and whom I presumed had given the call, when a pony dashed past me at full gallop on the opposite side of the fence toward the gate, and before I had gone many yards was being quietly led out by the man. Feeling interested, not to say delighted, at this proof of the power of kindness—for such I had no doubt was the cause of this ready obedience—I questioned the man, who, seeing that I was interested, told me that, having been accustomed to groom and feed the animal, he was in the habit of calling it from the fields by the peculiar whistle of which I had just now

seen the effect; that many others had likewise tried to call him, but always signally failed, the pony taking not the slightest heed of them. He acknowledged that it was through kindness and attention toward that this was gained. In his absence another groom having to catch the pony would attempt the call, but whistle and chirp as he would, it was no use; he was always obliged to enter the field, basket in hand, and so lure it to the halter.

LEARN A TRADE.

I never look at my old steel composing rule that I do not bless myself that, while my strength lasts, I am not at the mercy of the world. If my pen is not wanted, I can go back to the type case and be sure to find work; for I learned the printer's trade thoroughly—newspaper work, job work, and press work. I am glad I have a good trade. It is a rock on which the possessor can stand firmly. There is health and vigor for both body and mind in an honest trade. It is the strongest and surest part of the self-made man. Go from the academy to the printing office or the artisan's bench; or, if you please, to the farm—for, to be sure, true farming is a trade, and a grand one at that. Lay thus a sure foundation, and after that branch off into whatever profession you please.—*Horace Greeley.*

Some delver in vital statistics has made the discovery, that members of every profession, excepting that of journalism, occasionally commit suicide. The person referred to must evidently be an editor, else he would not have drawn the conclusion, from this fact, that journalists as a class have good consciences. This is the comfortable view of the situation, but there is another not so complimentary to the editor. Instead of being the possessor of an approving conscience, he may be entire callous to the prickings of that almost indescribable something that improves ordinary men for the commission of faults, which goes by the name mentioned above. Whatever may be the reasons that editors do not take their own lives, it is gratifying to know that at least one class of men are exempt from the suicidal mania.

FALLING OF THE BRIDGE.

Last Saturday afternoon, a short while before sunset, a terrible crash was heard in the direction of the river. Parties immediately struck out to learn the cause, and it proved to be the falling of the new Iron Bridge over the Guadalupe. The fall was about fifty feet. The bridge had just been completed, except the approaches, and was considered one of the finest structures of the kind in this part of the State. Cost about \$20,000. The cause of the wreck is attributed to a flaw in the iron, although it is not positively known that this was the cause.

Emperor William of Germany, to Grand Orient Lodge of Freemasons at Milan: "Thank all my Italian brothers, and assure them that I will do everything in my power for our and their interests. I am getting old now, and cannot attend to much personally; but my son, who will take my place in this great organization, will continue what I have begun."

The Methodist Missionary General Committee have just resolved that the appropriation for 1876 shall be limited to \$665,000. Of this sum \$195,000 is to be appropriated for foreign missions.

The cold weather is at hand; now hoyer over the stove, and avoid fresh air and exercise, if you would never see spring again.

Emersons and Lowell's new books may now soon be looked for, both being well-nigh through the press.

It is announced from Berlin that Prince Bismarck is in tolerably good health; that he attended the Parliamentary session yesterday, and that it was his intention to make a speech. Any words that may fall from Bismarck's lips will be anxiously looked for and carefully weighed all over the civilized world.

An affected fog is a great deal more uncomfortable to meet than a natural one. It is the intention that makes a thing good, bad or indifferent, without any regard to the result.

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THE new Constitution has been received by many of our citizens. The instrument will be fully considered and carefully studied before it goes to a vote.

IN THE annual report of Dr. Linderman, Director of the Mints, just made to the Secretary of the Treasury, there is a good deal of statistical information of some value to the political economist.

Good Weather for Railroad Fever.

When, like at the present writing, our city becomes surrounded by a sea of mud, the railroad fever should become epidemic.

When the thousand roads leading to and from San Antonio are hard and firm, and the weather fair, we are comparatively happy people.

Here we are practically "stuck in the mud," all our fine feathers are bedragged with mire, all our boasts about Italian skies, fine climate, delightful old town, splendid country, are but empty words.

The stranger who has accidentally been thrown upon our shores, looks back over his experience with horror, and makes a mental reservation never to sail this way again.

What is real estate worth to day? There is no demand; for who would buy a mud hole.

But through this gloom, this mud blockade, there is a bright light in the clouds; a rain-bow of hope has formed, and we are able to announce that our people have concluded to put their own shoulders to the wheel and that we will have a railroad.

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The War-Cloud.

The country has lately again become disturbed on questions which some of the leading journals predicted would end in a general clash of arms. The prospect of an encounter with allied Cuba and Spain has been discussed for some weeks past, the basis of the apprehension being the letter of Don Carlos, his last dying effort to attain supremacy in Spain.

But just as this Cuban question is settled, the disorders on the Rio Grande have touched a chord in the nation's heart, and her apprehensions of trouble and her ire are again aroused.

The New York Herald considers the question to some extent, as follows: General Ord's report on the condition of affairs on the Rio Grande and the recommendations by which it is accompanied will probably induce thoughtful people to inquire whether there is not some probability that the "war-cloud" for which all eyes have been looking in the direction of Cuba may not be actually discovered over the Texan frontier.

The outrages committed by the Mexican banditti are of a more aggravated character than is generally supposed. The American citizens living on the line of the river have long held their property and their lives on an uncertain tenure.

General Ord, by his recommendation or suggestion of reprisals, proves that he appreciates the gravity of the situation. The brigand Cortina, although nominally under confinement, is in fact, an honored guest at the City of Mexico.

The question as to whether there is any hope for a war with Mexico, has as little truth in it, if not less, than the uneasiness in regard to Cuba.

Let our brethren of the American Union, who hear so much, but know so little of the "brewing troubles" and the "gatherings of war-clouds," drive away the fear of war.

THE Mark Lane report of breadstuffs in Europe and of the prospect of the market is decidedly favorable in 1890 to American produce.

A wild goose flew into Oregon, and upon its crop being opened revealed a new kind of grain. From the seed forty bushels have been raised, and the Oregon farmers are sitting on the fence with their elbows on their knees wondering what they shall call the new kind of whistly they will make from it.

GENERAL Fife John Porter's term of office as Commissioner of Public Works in New York, expires December 31st, of the present year.

I don't care how much brains a woman may have, there's lots of times in her life that she would be willing to swap them all off for beauty.

Success is too often the only real merit that can be found in a performance.

Sudden Thoughts.

Honesty and happiness seem to be alike in this particular—those who have the most of either seem to make the least fuss about it.

Adversity puts weapons into a man's hands to fight back, while prosperity too often disarms him.

It is more difficult to keep a friend than it is to reconcile an enemy.

Although love is blind it can't be fettered; it has enslaved thousands, but won't be enslaved itself.

Broken hearts are scarce anyhow, and there are more cures for them than most any complaint I know of.

Some folks don't seem to have any faculty to get ahead only by hanging on to coat-tails of others; this may be honest, but it is poor.

There is nothing, perhaps, that shows the veneration we all have for money more than the fact that the wealth of others is always overrated.

There are no grapes so sour as those we can't reach—Ezop says so.

I don't care how cunning a man may be he will find it to be a great deal easier to cheat himself than other folks.

"You thin," or "it won't wash," is out of date, the proper method of expressing dissent being to remark: "That won't go round."

The latest thing announced to be exhibited at the Centennial is the stuffed hide of the gallant little donkey that whipped the lioness at Cincinnati.

"Oh! I've loved before," said a Detroit woman to her fourth husband, as she took a handful of hair from his head because he objected to hang out the week's washing.

The World suggests that Rich-lieu's remark "There's no such word as 'fail,'" should be modified to meet the present unpleasant times, so as to state how many cents will be paid on the dollar.

It is often hard to distinguish between praise and flattery; the one may be honest, the other never is. Honest praise will strengthen any man, but flattery will weaken anything except a male.

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MONDAY EVENING, Nov. 29.

MASONIC.

ALAMO LODGE NO. 44, F. & A. M. Holds its stated meetings on the 1st and 3rd Saturday in each month.

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S. A. COMMANDERY NO. 7, K. T. Holds its stated convocations on the Thursday preceding the 2nd Saturday in each month.

The regular meetings of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows take place every Tuesday at 7 P. M. at their Hall on Soledad St.

CITY NEWS.

Money to Lend. no24d3w A. DITTMAR.

THE mails are very backward, especially those from Luling.

FOR OUR Custom Trade we keep the best goods in the market. PANCOAST & SON.

ERASTUS REED makes no extra charge for making and putting down Carpets bought at his establishment.

LAST night, about 10 o'clock, we met Mr. Petrich, telegraph operator, drenched to the skin.

MONEY TO LOAN. Apply at the Office of the Texas Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Fresh oysters received every day at Ernst's restaurant.

MURDER.—We learn that an old man by the name of Morris was shot and killed by one of the Sutton gang near Stockdale in Wilson county a few days ago.

VERYLY, we are beginning to believe, that the Clerk of the Weather has turned things around so as to place the Pacific ocean over our heads.

Go to Ernst's restaurant for the best oysters, served in any style desired.

Property for Sale: The buildings now occupied by C. F. Klein and Whitley & Cunningham, on Main street, with front of about 264 feet, and depth of 96 feet will be sold on the 15th day of December.

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PANCOAST & SON have just received some extra fine Hats.

We do not think men ought to drink liquors—unless they want to—and certainly do not approve of a too free use of that which stales away the brain; but if you will drink, by all means go where you can get pure liquors.

Two Winchester Rifles wanted—See advertisement in 25 cent column.

We find that our paper is too small for the accommodation of the liberal people of San Antonio, and in order to be equally liberal with them we are compelled to have more room for reading matter.

A HACKMAN carelessly upset his hack to-day noon, just across from the mill-bridge, smashing it up considerably.

The San Antonio Street Railway.

From action had by the Directors of the San Antonio Street Railway Company, the latter part of last week, touched upon in Saturday's Express, our citizens will see that it is not the intention of the Directors to consider the building of the railway until spring shall have set in. This move, while it affects business to some extent, is a judicious one on the part of the Directors, for the reason that freights, during the fall and winter seasons of the year are much higher than in spring and summer time, made so by the scarcity of grass, which compels teamsters to purchase food for their animals, and because of the heavy and long enduring rains at this time of the year, which make the roads very heavy, and often delay progress by swelling the streams which would have to be crossed between Kingsbury and San Antonio.

One of the reasons urged by the Company as also affecting the immediate carrying out of the movement, was the alleged refusal of the City Council to grant the right-of-way through Main Street. We have examined the petition made by the Company to the City Council, and understand the situation in this respect.

The petition asks for Houston, as the principal street through which to run the road, and did not ask for Main street. This request the Council were willing and ready to grant, but in a subsequent ordinance offered, they alluded to Main street, as the thoroughfare upon which they wished to lay their track.

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DEPARTMENT ORDERS.—Leave of absence for one month, with permission to apply to Headquarters of the Army for an extension of two months, is hereby granted Captain J. M. Kelley, 10th Cavalry, (Fort Griffin, Texas.)

The Depot Quartermaster in this city will turn over to Second Lieutenant J. C. Ord, 25th Infantry, Acting Assistant Quartermaster of the detachment of recruits for 25th Infantry, en route to Fort Davis, Texas, one cavalry horse for the use of Acting Assistant Surgeon J. J. Culver, U. S. Army, on the march.

Sec. Lieut. S. Y. Seyburn, 10th Infantry, now in this city, will report to the commanding officer Post of San Antonio, Texas, and await the arrival of the recruits for 10th Infantry, en route to this Department.

A LIE OUT.—There is somebody at work telling of a newspaper enterprise which he is going into—he has material on the road, so he says. This is as monstrous a deceit as the information spread by a half-witted individual a few days ago that he was going to start a first-class bar-room, and would send a barrel of beer, asking if that would be enough for us.

PASSING a negro meeting house yesterday afternoon, we stopped a moment for curiosity, to find what progress our colored brethren were making in religious matters. On stepping up to the door, the Rev. colored gentleman remarked: "Futhermo", brethren and sisters—ah, I will be guilty—ah, of but one fuder remark—ah, which am now swaying through my mind—ah."

A HACKMAN carelessly upset his hack to-day noon, just across from the mill-bridge, smashing it up considerably. L. K. Coehren, Esq., was in the vehicle at the time, but received no hurt whatever.

The indications for an overflow, are very good.

PERSONAL.—Our friend John W. Smith, formerly of this city, but now of Pleasanton, is in town. As usual, he bears a bright smile and the vigor of health upon his brow.

SECOND LIEUTENANT J. C. Ord, left the city yesterday with a detachment of colored troops for Fort Davis.

We learn that the San Antonio Construction Company, (which means a railway) have completed their organization, and forwarded their application for a charter, under the general charter act.

COLORED CONFERENCE.—By a notice published in to-day's EXPRESS, it will be seen that the A. M. E. Conference will meet in our city in a few days. If there is anything the colored people need to improve in, it is their manner and forms of worship.

The West Texas Annual Conference of the A. M. E. Church will convene in this city on December 1st, 1875; Bishop Jno. M. Brown, D. D., of Washington City, will preside.

I know lots of folks who have got just brains enough to spoil them. If they had less they might possibly amount to something.

Something of Merit.—The Young Folks' Gem is an eight-page paper full of original and select reading, poetry, puzzles, letters from the little folks, etc.

Hotel Arrivals. CENTRAL. F. Morgan Laredo, E. A. Bates and lady Uvalde, H. C. Gayle Medina, C. C. Lavin, Somers, Tom McGehee and C. K. Walter City, J. M. Beck Wilson county, J. W. Patterson and family Mississippi, J. B. Ross and wife Alabama, W. H. Tombling Ky., F. C. Bates and family Missouri, H. C. Bates and wife Alabama, Wm. Bates and family Alabama, J. B. McClellan, City, W. H. Criswell, C. K. Walter.

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Roamed she - cooing smiles and pleasing
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When you spoke of scandals, and yet it left
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Did you hear the scandal-monger
At the ball,
Through the music, rhythmic, beauty,
Light and all?
Moving here and moving there,
With a whisper light as air,
Casting shadows on a sister-woman's fame,
Just a whisper, word, or glance,
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Everywhere;
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His voice in a whisper,
In a sigh?
Moving cautiously and slow,
Smiling sweetly as they go,
Never noisy - sliding smoothly like a
snake,
Slipping here and slipping there,
Through the window fresh and fair,
Leaving subtle slanders and poisons in their
wake.

How you not the scandal-monger
Whispering his words
Beaming brightly beneath the roses
In her hat?
In her dainty gloves and dress,
Angel-like and nothing less,
Smooth-shaven smiling and pleasing
words about.

Oh, she shrieked and shook her head,
Raised her hand and nothing said
When you spoke of friends, and yet it left
a doubt.

Did you hear the scandal-monger
At the ball,
Through the music, rhythm, beauty,
Light and all?
Moving here and moving there,
With a whisper fight as air,
Casting shadows on a sister-woman's fame,
Just a whisper, word, or glance,
As she floated through the dance;
And the world is busy with a spotless name.
You will find the scandal-mongers
Everywhere;
Sometimes men, but often women
Young and fair;
Yet their tongues drop foullest slimes,
And they spend their leisure time
Gossiping and on those who climb by work
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