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ALL OVER THE WORLD

Current Happenings of General Interest in the Reading Public...

SERIOUS AND SENSATIONAL SORTING

A Comprehensive Epitome of the Latest News from the Leading Cities of the Country for the Past Week...

AT TOLLA HILLS, IND.

The carriers removed by Postmaster...

AT SALT LAKE, UTAH

At Salt Lake, Utah, it has been reported by a prominent mine...

AT OMAHA, NEB.

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**RAILROAD TIME TABLE.**  
 No. 1 Leave Waco 11:00 a. m.  
 Arrive at Mineral Wells 12:22 p. m.  
 No. 2 Leave Waco 1:30 p. m.  
 Arrive at Mineral Wells 2:52 p. m.  
 No. 3 Leave Mineral Wells 3:00 p. m.  
 Arrive at Waco 4:22 p. m.  
 Making close connection with all Texas and Pacific coast lines, and connecting with Santa Fe Railway.

**THE FORT WORTH MAIL** of last Sunday prints a three page exposure of the Fort Worth variety dens. It embraces a week's experience of two special reporters in these places and it presents some racy reading matter.

France and Siam are engaged in a bloody war and it is now said that the Chinese empire is going to step into the ring in support of her neighbor Siam. If she does France will have a serious and expensive contest on her hands.

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And still they go. Every daily paper we get reports the failure of banks in the silver mining states. Colorado is suffering fearfully and it looks like all sorts of business houses must fall there. The country depends upon mining alone and when the mines shut down it means that all things else must follow suit.

Justice J. M. Hewitt, presiding justice of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, decided last week that Texas cities could not interfere with variety theaters and that these dens of infamy must continue to be a blot upon the civilization of Dallas and other fair cities of Texas. There is but one way to get rid of them.

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Last Wednesday evening a 17-year old Bohemian girl named Franceska Cervinka was out on a porch and murdered by a negro brute, Francis Ellis, county, Texas. Her father had sent her to the creek to water a horse and the horse returning rideless a search was made and her body found in the creek. Her head was chipped with a hatchet, an ear was torn almost off, her hair was pulled out and finger prints upon her throat showed that the brute had choked her. A negro who was mad at her father and who had been seen prowling about the place was arrested on suspicion and spirited away by the officers to Dallas for safe keeping.

His clothing was found bloody, muddy and torn, and there is scarcely any doubt that he is the right man.

The question now is, when is this thing going to stop? Several negroes have been hung and two have been publicly burned for this offense during the past year in Texas, but it seems that even this severe punishment will not put a stop to this horrible crime.

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Chicago is a standing evidence that a city's progress toward greatness is not necessarily retarded by a sweeping conflagration. Still, there are better and surer ways of building up a city than by burning it down.

According to the reports nearly all banks which are the "oldest" in the country, are in a "panic" state.

### CURIOUS ROOM.

An ingenious thief divided the room into two compartments. Some guests of Mr. Richard Lovell Edgeworth were sitting with him one morning in a bright and pleasant room. It was rather an odd room in shape, but perfectly furnished. They were all busily engaged in talking and laughing at Mr. Edgeworth's amusing anecdotes, when one of the ladies suddenly noticed that she was sitting at quite a distance from the open fire place, although she had been sitting near it when the conversation began.

All the other persons present had also changed their positions in regard to it, some, who had been far off, being now quite near, and the reverse. She questioned Mr. Edgeworth eagerly, and he explained that this room was one of his inventions. The fire place was stationary, but the floor of the room moved upon pivots, so slowly, it is true, that the motion was quite unnoticeable, but moving all the while, and bringing each part of the room in turn near the fire.

"You see," he said, "that I am giving each of my guests a fair and equal share of the heat."  
 Edgeworth was very fond of experiments of all kinds. Even when he was a boy, only 7 years old, he took the greatest delight in learning about machinery. His eager tongue and eyes that asked just as many questions as his tongue were always on the lookout for knowledge of this sort. His daughter was Maria Edgeworth, the author.

**RED-HAIRED DWARFS.**  
 Were they the Original Americans? Their Sepulchres in Tennessee.  
 On the eastern slope of one of the peaks of the Great Smoky mountains in Eastern Tennessee, where the first rays of the morning sun strike, is an ancient burying ground, and such an ancient burying ground could not be found though the world be searched, for not one grave more than three feet long. The tombs are two feet beneath the surface, and are formed of cement and flat stones, and have defied the efforts of time to cause them to be destroyed. Most of those examined contained a vase, a few beads, and a human skeleton, which was never more than thirty-six inches long and was that of a full grown person.

The natives have a beautiful legend of the place, and say none were buried here excepting Indian children, who naturally declare that the skulls had reached their full growth.

But the most interesting account is that of the red hair that is held that country when first settled by whites. They claim that when they came to that section of the country it was peopled by a race of small, fierce men with red hair, that they were long and bloody war with the Indians but were finally all killed; that this burying ground was used long before they came into the country, and those killed in war were never buried.

**SUMMARY ACTION.**  
 How a Washington Housekeeper Got Even With Her Boss.  
 There is a young colored dame in Washington whose soul at present is filled with wrath because of the summary action taken by a society woman to whom she had been handmaiden. With ways that are dark and tricks that are fair, she has managed to get herself even with her mistress.

Not long afterward, as the daughter of Ham was sailing down the street in all the glory of the "colored aristocrat," she came upon her mistress walking toward her with the look of a great purpose in her eye. Retreating was impossible, as was a failure to do so, for the mistress was armed with a pistol.

Charged With Stealing Crops to Put a Neighbor in Jail.  
 A man named J. G. Gentry, who was made a member of the Fish-Wharf company, was charged with stealing crops to put a neighbor in jail.

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### NOT PLEASANT.

A California invention which will prevent deaths by Star Route.  
 A machine for the prevention of suicide by the light and airy method commonly alluded to as "the gas route," has been invented, and such fatal deaths by asphyxiation are to be avoided by the use of the same device. No more will there be need of the hotel placards which teach the their dead the thoughtful landlord will invite patronage with the sign "Blow out the gas if you like; it won't hurt you."

No longer will the conservative old gentlemen have to be asked to speculate whether the taxing of the gas was accidental or intentional. The odd device that is to keep down the mortality rate is the invention of a train dispatcher at Third and Townsend streets, San Francisco, who, when the gas is "blown out" the flame in any manner becomes extinguished the burner acts automatically and stops all further outflow of gas.

The principal feature consists in supplemental valve controlling the outflow, the valve being operated by expansion and contraction of the burner through heating and cooling and the gas can flow through it only so long as the burner is in a heated condition. As soon as the burner begins to cool the supply valve closes tightly and stops all further escape.

There have been twenty-four deaths from gas poisoning during the past five months. Each of these was recorded as suicides.

**A MAZE OF MIRRORS.**  
 You Can Get Hopelessly Lost in a Few Feet of Square of Floor Space.  
 A new kind of floor has appeared and settled on Upper Broadway, New York. It is called the Crystal Maze. It was opened recently to the public and will remain open every afternoon following, provided the Society for Prevention of Mental Confusion does not enjoin it.

The maze is a floor divided by mirrors into a walk or narrow corridor, whose sides are not very different from those of a hallway, but after you have turned one of them you are absolutely and hopelessly lost, except for the comforting guide, as if you were in an African jungle.

Walk in any direction you please and you see a crowd of yourself approaching, scores of yourself going away, and dozens of yourself walking with you. Your guide points to a comfortable seat a few feet away and suggests that you go to it. You try that, and the seat suddenly appears half a mile off, apparently in another direction, and a block off in another. The maze is really a narrow walk, with many turnings, but it gives the effect of being a small room, with many perfectly straight paths radiating from it.

This form of show is new to this country, but has been popular for several years in Europe, where the inventor, Von Pittwag, Palm, whose geometrical skill is remarkable for his age, has built a number of mazes, of which this is a specimen.

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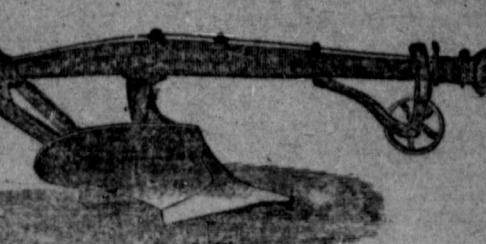
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