MISCELLANEOUS.

—An Indianapolis dog lived five weeks without water or food, its faithful and sagacious master having forgotten that it was locked in.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

—The most enterprising street-car line in the world is run between Billings and Coulson, Montana, the fare being twenty-five cents, which includes two glasses of beer at Coulson.—*Denver Tribune.*

—The laborers employed near Albany, on the West Shore Railroad, eat between 4,000 and 5,000 loaves every day. Half of it is made of rye flour, and the other half of wheat.—*Troy (N. Y.) Times.*

—Notice in a Hoboken ferry boat: "The seats in this cabin are reserved for ladies. Gentlemen are requested not to occupy them until the ladies are seated."—*N. Y. News.*

—A young English lady has shown what the fair sex can accomplish in the severe sciences. She had been refused admittance to a series of lectures by Prof. Huxley on biology, but at last gained his consent, and has beaten her 250 male opponents.

—The portraits on the new postage stamps that come in use October 1 are: one cent, Franklin; two cent, Jackson; three cent, Washington; five cent, Garfield; six cent, Lincoln; seven cent, Stanton; ten cent, Jefferson; twelve cent, Clay; fifteen cent, Scott; thirty cent, Hamilton; ninety cent, Perry.

—The cabinet of the Territorial Pioneers of California has been enriched by the donation from Gilbert Palache of two five-dollar gold pieces coined in San Francisco by private persons in 1849 and 1850. Other additions of early-day relics are continually being made.

—John W. Shipp, of Nashville, on being assigned to a room in a hotel at St. Augustine recently, gave the bedding an examination. Under a pillow he found a pocket-book containing $31,000, which proved to be the property of W. J. Green, a banker from Utica, N. Y.—*Chicago Times.*

—Sixteen completely petrified human bodies are said to have been recently discovered in Pine Mountain, Campbell County, Tennessee, in a solid limestone rock with fragments of petrified wood. Near by is also a cave, the walls of which are decorated with paintings of extinct or imaginary animals.

—A Boston lady had a dog which, when it or its friend the cat wished to go into the kitchen, stood by the door and allowed the cat to jump upon its back. The cat could then reach one paw over the latch, and by pressing the other paw on the thumbpiece was able to open the door. The cat would then drop on the dog's back, and ride into the kitchen in triumph.—*Boston Post.*

—At Milbrook, Canada, during a recent thunder-storm, according to the *Messenger* of that place, a horse harnessed to a buggy was fastened to a fence. During a terrible lightning flash and thunder crash the buggy was thrown completely over the horse, the shaft stuck into the ground and broken, and one wheel thrown some distance away. The same storm shattered to splinters eight telegraph poles in the vicinity.

—A piece of lime which a boy carried in his pocket was the cause of his death from blood-poisoning. It is the first instance on record of a boy's pant's-pocket going back on him. To think that brass wire, rusty old knife blades, decayed fruit, cobbler's wax, fish hooks, putty, mice, hedgehogs, can be carried with impunity, yet there's all this fuss about a little bit of lime that looked as innocent as a piece of chalk.—*Chicago News.*

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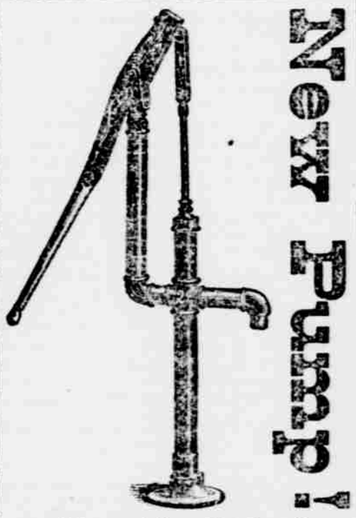

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