

...and made speaker. ...that staid by him to be first rewarded. ...Opponents Not to be Forgotten. ...Secretary Noble says in His Annual Report Concerning Pension ...The Amount Paid for Pension ...The Speaker's Question Settled. ...WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Now that the ...the disposition that ...will make of the important ...at his disposal, in other ...he will reward those who ...worked for him early and late. He ...greatly assisted in this matter by ...that the balloting was open. He ...exactly who voted for him on the ...ballot. He knows who stood by ...him the first and who the gentle ...who climbed on his wagon when ...he was the winning team. ...his late opponents will come ...for the first consideration. Mr. Mc ...as already stated in these discus ...must be tendered the chairman ...of the committee on ways and ...means. There is a general belief that ...McKieley, recognizing already what ...reputable "Father" Kelley has done, ...claims to have done for him, will ...be tendered to Mr. Kelley in ...of himself. At the same time it ...said that Mr. McKieley very ...systematically worked himself clear ...of prejudice in that direction by saying ...as the committee had not yet ...offered to him he could not say that ...would decline in favor of Mr. Kelley. ...Mr. Cannon, of course, gets the appro ...priations chairmanship. ...As for Colonel Henderson, of Iowa, he ...likely remain on the appropriations ...committee.

**WAS HIS NEW WIFE A WITCH.**  
**The Old Man Thought So, but Was Soon Quieted of His Fears.**  
Old man Bill Buggs had for some time been a widower for the second time, says the Tallahassee Floridian. He grew tired of single cussedness, and he is so ugly none of the Tallahassee girls would have him. The old man grew desperate, and advertised in a matrimonial paper of Chicago for a wife. Ere long he received a dainty missive through the mail. It contained the photo of a witching, black-eyed maid who wanted a home and did not require youth and beauty in a husband. It did not take them long to fix up matters, and now she is queen at the old man's country residence. Bill was delighted with his third draw in the matrimonial lottery. She is domestic and quite handy about the house, comely of person, and of a naturally happy disposition, but what worries Bill is that she will not breathe a word of who or what she was before becoming Mrs. Buggs. The old man is somewhat superstitious, is a firm believer in witches, ghosts, spirit rappings, etc., and his wife's silence as to herself tore him all up in mind. The other night Bill awoke with a start. A shadowy form was flitting around his some vessel in which burned a ghostly blue flame. By the light of the blue and mystic fire Bill saw that the shadowy form was that of his new wife. She was repeating in a soft, solemn tone words that Bill could not understand. His heart thumped loudly against his ribs. He felt as if he were shrinking smaller and smaller. His eyes rolled and he tried to draw in his head as would a gopher. Was his new wife a witch of which he had read so much? Was she working some unearthly charm about him? What was he to do? The mystic fire came nearer his face. Now it was immediately over his head. He thought he saw a long blue tongue of flame leap downward as if to consume his pent-up breath. He gave vent to a fearful yell, straightened out with such force that the footboard of the bed was shivered into pieces, and leaped out and into a corner, where he shivered and moaned. "What's the matter, you old fool?" screamed Mrs. Buggs, almost as frightened as he. "Oh, please don't witchcraft me," moaned Bill; "I'll do anything! I'll give you a deed to the farm. I'll give you a new bombazine dress. Oh, I'll do anything if you'll only put out that infernal ghost fire and let me alone!" "Shut up, you old, crack-headed idiot! Come right here and nail this footboard together again," snapped Mrs. Buggs. "If you had the sense of a dead frog, you would have known that I was only burning camphor to get rid of these blasted mosquitoes. Witchcraft, indeed! What do you suppose I know of such things?" "Oh—oh—oh!" puffed Bill. "I wasn't scared. You spilled some of the fire down my neck; that's all that was the matter with me."

**NEWS SUMMARY.**  
John Schilling, of Carroll, Ia., was fatally injured in a row over a game of cards.  
A young man named Yeoman was fatally injured at Independence, Ia., by being run over by a heavily loaded wagon.  
The sale of the Vandusen system of elevators, to the English syndicate, represented by Levy Meyer, was completed at Minneapolis.  
The procession attending Archbishop Walsh to the cathedral in Toronto, was attacked by a mob who threw stones, one of which entered the carriage of the prelate and struck him on the arm.  
The News Letter of Belfast, Ireland, has published an apology for libelling Thomas Sexton, the Parnellite leader, and has paid him £500.  
The appellate court of Illinois has decided that the mayors of cities have perfect right to forbid obnoxious parades by Salvation army people.  
Alice Jackman, the abducted heiress of St. Louis, has been located at Quincy, Ill., where she was taken by the Spinks, relatives of her guardian, Dr. Taylor.  
District Master Workman Ross of the Knights of Labor who has returned to Philadelphia from the Atlanta convention says it is proposed by the Knights of Labor, Farmers' alliance and American federation to unite in a memorial to congress requesting the passage of a bill restricting immigration in the interest of the eight hour law.  
Frank Harrison, for over twenty years an employe of the postoffice at Philadelphia, Pa., was convicted of stealing letters containing checks.  
The Afro-American league's convention, called to meet at Nashville January 15 next, will meet instead at Chicago, the date remaining the same.  
The private bank of Emil Susskind, New York city, has been closed with \$50,000 liabilities, due to Germans, Norwegians and Danes.  
The people of Fairland, Ind., have ordered all saloon keepers to close their places by December 1, and have bound themselves never to allow another saloon in the place.  
The report of Commodore Walker, chief of the bureau of navigation, recommends among other things that no man without previous naval service, above the age of thirty-five years be hereafter enlisted; that the enlistment of aliens for general service be discouraged with a view to its final discontinuance.  
Samuel Kerschofer, for several years the head book-keeper for the Great Western type foundry, of Chicago, was jailed on a charge of embezzlement. It is said that Kerschofer's pecuniations will reach several thousand dollars. The Great Western has houses in St. Louis, Denver and Omaha.  
Advices from Honolulu by steamer Australia state that the United States steamer Iroquois left there November 20 for Samoa, to relieve the Adams, which will proceed to Honolulu. The United States steamer Alert was about ready to sail for San Francisco. The Mohican and Nipsic still remain at Honolulu.  
The president has appointed the following United States consuls: Hiram J. Dunlap of Illinois, to Breslau, Germany. Dunlap is editor of the Champagne Gazette. William E. Gardner of Wisconsin, to Rotterdam. Gardner has been for several years connected with the Evening Wisconsin of Milwaukee.  
In addition to the nine men arrested in the Chickasaw nation for robbing the Santa Fe train at Beresny, two women, two of two of the men, have been arrested. At their homes in Ardmore two large packages of jewelry taken from the express car were found. The women made confessions implicating the men under arrest and also several others who are still at large.

**An Ingenious School Boy.**  
An ingenious English school boy, who wanted an answer to an arithmetical problem, dropped into a grocer's store on his way to school and said he wanted certain commodities at certain prices. After exhausting his list, he said: "Now, if I give you a half sovereign, what change shall I get back?" The grocer told him, whereupon he thanked the shopman and turned to go. "Wait for the things," called the grocer; and his disgust can be imagined when theurchin told him he was late for school, and he hadn't learned his arithmetical lesson, he had adopted that method of getting the problem worked for him.—Exchange.  
Farmers will find that Salvation Oil is a sure remedy for frosted feet. All druggists keep it. It is 25c a bottle.  
Henry George is of the opinion that Cleveland will be run for president again in 1892.  
The Queen, it is thought, will not open parliament in person.  
Do you value the health and comfort of your children? Then guard against cramp by taking hold of that cough or cold at the start, and relieve the inflammation with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. If they have the whooping cough, do what you can to relieve their pain by giving them Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. All children love it.  
**Comfort for the Patient.**  
"Are you feeling better this morning, Uncle Henry?" "Yes, Angie, dear."  
"You'll soon be well now, won't you, Uncle Henry?" "I don't know, dear; I may never get up again; Uncle Henry is a very sick man." "Oh, yes, I know; but you'll soon get well, I heard the doctors tell you this morning that all the doctors in America couldn't kill as mean a man as you." (Uncle Henry rallies and is well enough the next time the doctor calls to get his head under the sofa and read him till the police break into the room. The diagnosis was correct.—Burdette in Brooklyn Eagle.)  
Millions of Women use Dobbin's Electric Soap daily, and say it is the best and cheapest. If they are right, you ought to use it. If wrong, one trial only will show you. Buy a bar of your grocer and try it next Monday.  
France has sent two war vessels to Brazil waters.  
A jury in Louisiana convicted two regulators of murder.  
**Tourists.**  
Whether on pleasure bent or business, should take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50c and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.  
**Another Longevity Table.**  
From statistics gathered by a prominent life insurance company it appears the occupation most conducive to longevity is that of merchants. Next to these in expectation of life come farmers; then follow in succession doctors, lawyers, clergymen, shop keepers and hotel keepers. It may be mentioned that among hotel and saloon keepers, brewers and wholesale liquor dealers the deaths from consumption, heart disease and zymotic diseases are comparatively few, while the rate for nervous diseases and diseases of the liver is extremely high. Brokers follow hotel keepers as regards average length of life, and then mechanics.—Herald of Health.  
**Oregon, the Paradise of Farmers.**  
Mild, equable climate, certain and abundant crops: Wheat, fruit, grain, grass and stock country in the wood. Full information free. Address the Oregon Demonstration Board, Portland, Oregon.  
Watermelon seeds were found in an Egyptian tomb that was 3,000 years old.  
**THE WINNER.**  
**The Prominence With Which Mr. Harris Received His Money from the Louisiana State Lottery.**  
Napa (Cal.) Reporter, Nov. 12.  
The fact of the winning of the \$150,000 by our fellow townsman, Henry Harris, in the last drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery, is not new to our people, but meeting the exuberant yesterday, we asked him if he had yet received his check. Mr. Harris replied: "That the money had promptly come, and that everything connected with it had been most satisfactorily done. I like," said he, "the way the Louisiana State Lottery Company do business. The fortunate holder of the winning number sends his ticket to the home office and as soon as the mail can return a check is received for the full amount. There is no quibbling, no discounting, no delays. Everything is done promptly and squarely. As to what to do with the money, I haven't yet exactly settled. I guess I will invest the money in real estate in the best country in California—Napa—and enjoy the fruits of my good fortune."  
Money makes the man, but the man has to make the money first.  
**Have You Seen Libby Prison?**  
A most beautiful handsomely colored picture mailed to advertise the prison at Chicago. See the advertisement of Libby Prison War Museum in this paper.  
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Albert Boulton of Australia thinks it will soon be the United States of Australia.  
The Smoker's Delight—"Tanoli's Punch."  
The Chipewia Indians want the squatters ousted from their lands.  
Storm Calander and Weather Forecasts for 1890, by Rev. I. R. Hicks, mailed to any address on receipt of a two-cent stamp.—The Dr. J. H. McLean Mfr. Co., St. Louis, Mo.  
Russia is still massing troops on her western frontier.  
A man who has practiced medicine for 40 years, ought to know all about sugar; read what he says: TOLEDO, O., Jan. 10, 1887.  
Messrs. F. J. Cheney & Co.—Gentlemen:—I have been in the general practice of medicine for most 40 years, and would say that in all my practice and experience have never seen a preparation that I could prescribe with as much confidence of success as I can Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by you. Have prescribed it many times and its effect is wonderful and would say in conclusion that I have yet to find a case of Catarrh that it would not cure. It is a great many times and according to directions. Yours Truly, L. L. BORRUCH, M. D., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 25c.

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