

**A HUMAN TIGER.**

The Inhuman Cruelty of a High-Up Turkish Grandee.

Of the cruelty of the Turkish grandee, Deterdar Bey, who married a daughter of Mohammed Ali, numerous anecdotes are related in Egypt. He had, it is said, a tame lion, usually lying at the foot of his divan, which, although mild toward its master, was sufficiently ferocious to terrify his visitors. Sometimes he allowed it to worry his slaves, calling it off, perhaps, just as it was about to kill the wretches. During the period of his command in the Upper Country, a soldier robbed a poor woman of a little milk. The woman, not foreseeing the result, laid her complaint before the Bey, who demanded her to point out the culprit. This being done the soldier was ordered to be laid upon the ground, and his body stepped upon. The milk being found in his stomach, the Bey paid the complainant, and dismissing her, observed: "The robber has been punished; but had he been discovered to be innocent the same punishment would have awaited you."

It was the custom of this barbarian, who always moved surrounded by the terror of arms, to ride abroad accompanied by a number of mamlukes, or domestic slaves, each of whom carried a thousand sequins in his girdle, that should he be compelled to fly, which, considering his decided hostility to the pasha, was by no means improbable, he might still be provided with money for his immediate use. During the Syrian campaign, six of these young men, dreading the effects of his ferocity, examples of which they daily beheld, made their escape, and took refuge in Ibrahim's camp. Being discovered, however, they were immediately apprehended and conveyed back to Cairo. Here they were commanded to appear before their inexorable lord, in the great hall of the palace, where they found him encircled by a number of blacks, armed with drawn swords. They were not long in learning their fate. He commanded them to take every man a sabre and attack each other in his presence, until five of their number should fall, promising life and a thousand sequins to the victor. The mamlukes obeyed; ranged themselves three and three; and having been trained to the use of arms, and uniting skill with courage, fought desperately, shedding their blood like water, while the Deterdar sat coolly on the divan enjoying the spectacle. At length, after a long and sanguinary struggle, one only remained the victor over his unhappy companions. Exhausted and bleeding in every limb, he raised his eyes toward his master to receive the promised pardon; but at that moment, the bey gave the nod to one of the black slaves who stood behind the victim, and the head of the mamluke immediately rolled along the floor.

**Irish Landlords.**

It is not understood how desperate the position of the Irish landlords was in 1845. Nearly half of them were ruined. There was a grand show on the rent rolls, but deduct the charges on the revenues, the annuities, the dower charges, marriage portions, interest on debts, and the remnant will cut a shabby figure.

Sometimes a gentleman with a nominal rent roll of ten thousand a year had hardly two thousand. Yet he must support the position of the man with ten. Inevitably estates of this kind grew more and more encumbered. Half the apparent capacity of the landlords is due to this frightful disproportion between their revenues and their state. When the famine came, many landlords gave up the struggle. Having long paid the bulk of their income as interest to their creditors, now, there being no rents, they had nothing left to pay. The creditors seized on the rent roll, since at that period they could not sell the land.

All over Ireland there were landlords who had no more word in the management of their reputed estates than the poorest cottier. A report of the period tells of one barony where "every one of the landlords—from Mr. —, who is in possession of 500,000 acres, to the lowest of them—was involved, lived on an allowance, and had his estate managed by the agency, so that the poor were placed between a landlord who was unable to give them any assistance and the agent who had no interest in giving them any."—Century.

**Floored by a Latin Phrase.**

It will probably shock those dear old fellows, the Latin professors of the various American colleges, to learn that "Nunquam animus sed ignis via" floored all the college graduates in the house of representatives at Washington recently. Even the reporters, who generally know more of such matters than the congressmen, gave it up, and some of them were a little ashamed, being not long from academic halls. Congressman Wilson of West Virginia, who is supposed to have been a college president upon a time, finally rendered it as "Never the mind, but fire makes the way;" but Representative Dabzell of Pittsburg at last came to the rescue with "Never mind, but fire away."

**They Are Philosophers.**

The warden at Sing Sing says that back burglars are the best behaved men in his prison. Their idea is to serve their time as quickly as possible, and they are very careful to break no rules and enter into no plots. If one escapes he always goes it alone and makes a sure thing of it.

**A Good Woman.**

There is a woman who has been married fifty-eight years, and who has never missed kindling the kitchen fire. Her husband is probably the oldest fire-escape on record.—Boston Budget.

**Notice.**

The Board of Directors of the Ceresco Co-operative Meat Market Association wishing to hire a competent butcher, will receive bids for the same until April 4 1891 reserving the right to accept or reject any or all bids. Application must be accompanied with reference and sent sealed to the secretary. J. S. P. MOYER, Sec., Ceresco, Nebr.

**Died.**

On Tuesday March 24 of inflammation of the Kidneys, Lester, only son of D. C. and N. E. Harrison formerly of Holt county, now living at 1026 E st., Lincoln. Their friends and former neighbors in the Holt county Alliance will sympathize with them in this hour of trial and affliction.

Married, March 18, by Rev. J. W. Stewart, at the residence of the bride's mother, George H. Milburn and Miss Myra G. Buckman. All of Beatrice.—Express.

The bride was employed in the office of State Secretary Thompson for nearly a year and the entire ALLIANCE force unites with us in congratulations and best wishes for a happy and prosperous married life.

**Lecturer's Appointments.**

B. F. Pratt, Ass't. Lecturer of the State Alliance, will fill the following dates made by State Lecturer Hull who has gone home on account of sickness.

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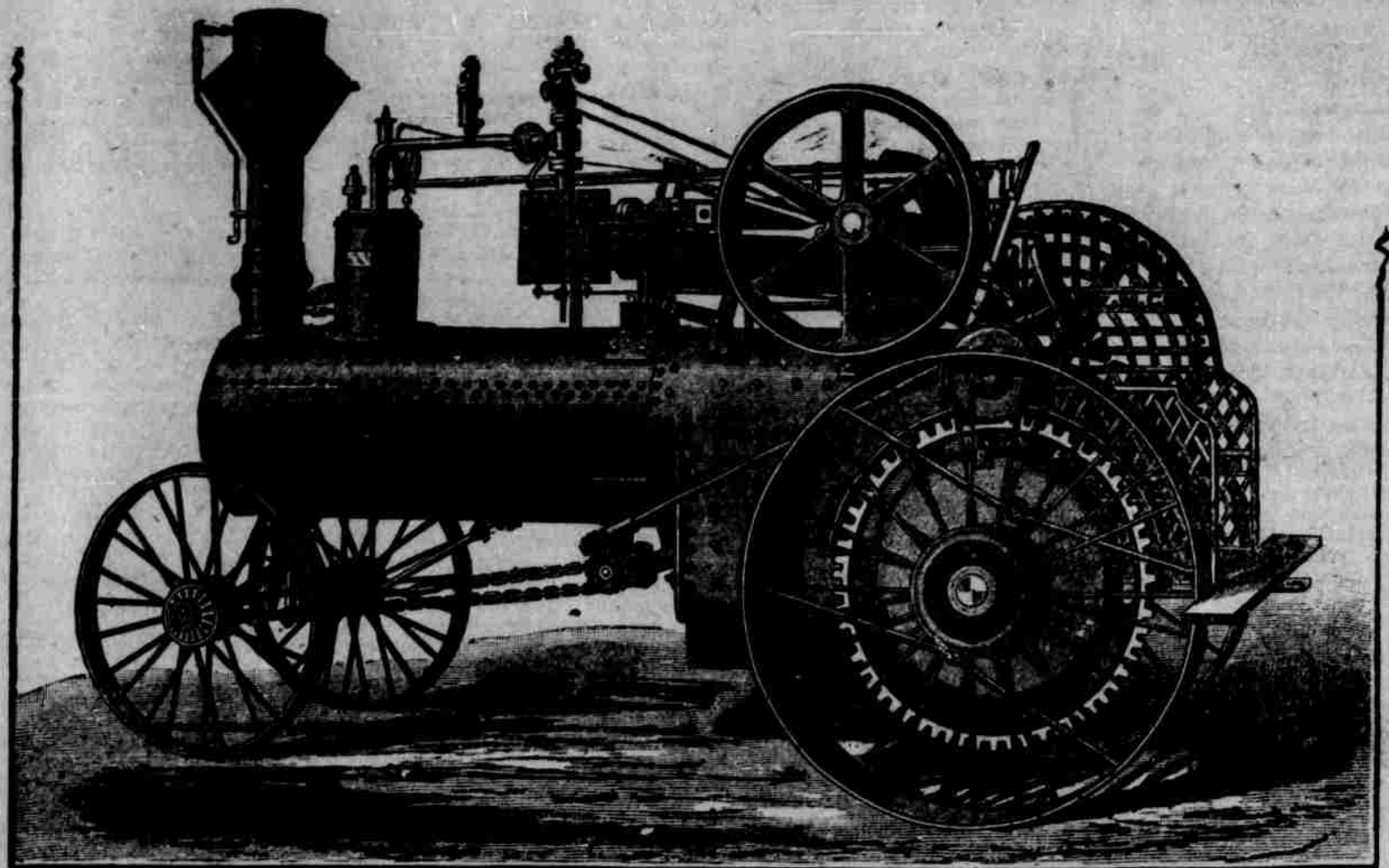
**The Land of Ducks.**

There are more ducks in the Chinese empire, says an authority, than all the world outside of it. They are kept by the Celestials on every farm, on the private roads, on streets of cities and on all lakes, ponds, rivers, streams and brooks in the country. Every Chinese boat also contains a batch of them. There are innumerable hatching establishments all through the empire, many of which are said to turn out about 50,000 young ducks every year. Saited and smoked ducks and duck's eggs constitute two of the most common and important articles of diet in China.

**Those Who Go to the Bad.**

Those who go to the devil in youth, with anything like a fair chance, were probably little worth saving from the first; they must have been feeble fellows—creatures made of putty and packthread, without steel or fire, anger or true joyfulness, in their composition; we may sympathize with their parents, but there is not much cause to go into mourning for themselves; for to be quite honest, the weak brother is the worst of mankind.

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