

THE ADVERTISER.

TIME CARDS. Brownville Bass Line to Phelps. Nebraska Railway.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 1878.

Go to Hills for low prices. An infant child of J. W. Cooper, Nemaha City, died last Saturday.

The first shipment of new wheat was made by E. H. Wilcox on Tuesday of this week.

Nebraska Wagon \$65. and warranted. Stevenson & Cross.

A gentleman who has been harvesting for the past two weeks, says much of the wheat he has handled is badly sprouted.

Robison is selling boots and shoes at cost to make room for his fall stock.

A horticulturist says: "Do not trim up your trees five or six feet. Let the limbs of the tree come near the ground. In other words, shorten in your tree."

We received another invoice of new printing material last week. Remember, if you want good work on the best of cards, paper, envelopes, etc., call at our office.

The Western Rural says, to eat tomatoes—Scald, peel and cut them in quarters; put in a porcelain kettle and boil fifteen minutes; add little salt and proceed as for fruit.

Cider Vinegar at Nickell's. We noticed last week, at the freight depot, new mill stonks for F. E. Allen. Mr. Allen spares no expense or trouble to keep his mill in good shape, and to make the best flour in the market.

Nebraska Wagon \$65. and warranted. Stevenson & Cross.

The railroad track takes up about all the room there is between the river and the fences on the road leading out of town South. A good wagon road should be opened at once, or the Southern trade will turn in some other direction than Brownville.

Hams, Shoulders, and Bacon. Stevenson & Cross.

Complaint is made by ladies of the west part of Main street that tall weeds hang over the sidewalk, and that in the early morning before the dew is off it is disagreeable walking on account of their dress skirts becoming bedraggled and dirty; and they really think the marshal should see to having those noxious weeds cut down.

The Chicago Lumber Co. scoops them all for low prices on Lumber, Lime, Hair, Cement, &c.

The Nebraska railway is being extended south to Nemaha City, on the Missouri, opposite which point the K. C. & St. Joe & C. B. road touches the river bank. A transfer boat will be put on at that point to accommodate the transfer traffic at that end of the line.—Lincoln Globe.

This will all be news to Nemaha City, except that they expect the road extended down that far this summer, as promised by the Superintendent.

All Oils at Nickell's. Hon. J. W. Pearnan, Secretary of the Ohio county Agricultural Society, has our thanks for complimentary ticket of admission to the fair to be held at Nebraska City September 23d to 15th, inclusive. As the 15th will be on Sunday, there is not the least doubt in our mind but that the Major intends to turn his fair into a camping-outing on that day. And we will try and be there, Major, if possible.

Pictures and Brackets—cheap. Stevenson & Cross.

The officers elected last Friday evening by Brownville Lodge No. 69 I. O. G. T., for the ensuing quarter, were as follows:

L. L. Hubbard, W. C. T. Miss Mary Fairbrother, W. V. T. Benj. Lorance, W. R. S. Tom. Richards, W. F. S. A. D. Marsh, W. T. Ben. F. Sanders, W. M. Eld. R. A. Hawley, W. C. Miss Anna Marsh, W. I. G. Clark Odell, W. O. S.

The Chicago Lumber Co. will save you money on Lumber. The following is a list of officers elected for the ensuing term, of Security Lodge No. 135:

I. O. of G. T.

The regular quarterly meeting of District Lodge No. 2, will meet with Brownville Lodge No. 69, on Saturday Aug. 10th, 1878, at 10 a. m.

Deputies will please forward the reports of their Lodges immediately at the close of the quarter, in accordance with the resolution passed at the recent session of the District Lodge.

The G. W. C. T. will be present and visit the Lodges in the District. Let a full attendance be present from each Lodge in the District.

There will be a public meeting in the evening, consisting of speaking and music. The public are cordially invited.

At J. SKREEN, District Deputy Granger and Peru Herald please copy.

Frank Johnson has been on the alert for some clue to the fellow who stole his horse, of which he spoke last week, but as yet he has only a sort of an idea.

List of Letters remaining in the Post Office at Brownville, Nebraska, July 27th, 1878, which if not called for, will be sent to the Dead Letter Office:

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say "Advertised."

Dissolution Notice. The copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of J. L. McGee & Bro. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will be continued as heretofore, thanking the public for the past liberal patronage bestowed on us. I expect to merit a continuance of the same.

Bain and Nebraska Wagons. Stevenson & Cross.

The farmers who met at the H. O. Minick school house a few evenings ago, and began the organization of a society to protect themselves and their property and families from thieves and insolent tramps, did a very wise thing. Every neighborhood should do so.

Call and Settle. I am now closing out my summer stock, and before restocking, I desire all those indebted to me to call and settle during the month of August.

For Sale at a Bargain! The six year old stallion, Hambleton Prince, dam by Green's Haslow; a handsome, rich, dark bay, 15 1/2 hands high, sound and kind, well broken to single and double harness; never been trained, but shows a fine gait, and is the sire of a number of very promising colts.

Two of the cars that were tumbled into the slough Tuesday morning of last week by the washing out of the bridge, were drawn out without much damage to them; but the one loaded with ties, in the effort to pull it out with two engines, was torn into kindling wood. The trucks were not recovered, but are yet beneath the mud in the slough.

Cheap as Dirt! Lot and store room on Main street, lot 22d by 150 feet, store room 18 by 52 feet. Call on A. S. Holladay. 5w2

FOR SALE.—One town horse, eight years old, kind and true. A good family horse, a good stepper and a good worker. JOSEPH HUDDART.

Just received, Percales and colored Embroideries, at J. L. McGee's.

H. C. Lett. Is still selling Groceries of every kind cheaper than any other house in Southern Nebraska.

Paint Brushes and Bird Cages by Stevenson & Cross.

Castor Oil at Nickell's.

BUSINESS BRIEVITIES.

Bain Wagon in demand. Lard Oil at Nickell's. Stevenson & Cross for low prices. Fruit jars 75 cents per dozen, at Hills.

Full line of sample piece goods at Marsh's. All the choice brands of flour at Hill's.

Go to Ted. Huddart's for cheap bargains. Money to loan on farms. Apply to T. L. Schick.

More Queensware and Furniture for Stevenson & Cross. Nemaha County Fair 18th, 19th, and 20th of September.

Choice line of Pocket and Table Cutlery, at H. C. Lett's. Nice stock of clocks, watches and jewelry, at Joseph Schult's.

Dr. G. H. Collins, Dentist, will visit Peru every Friday. Stevenson & Cross are doing a large furniture business.

Boots and Shoes at cost for the next sixty days at ROBISON'S. Furniture repaired and pictures framed, by Stevenson & Cross.

Nice lot of new job and advertising type just received at this office.

Golden Machine Oil at Nickell's. Robert Tear is agent for the Nickell's Sheppard Vibrator Thrasher.

Machine Oil at Nickell's. If we remember correctly there was one day last week that it didn't rain.

You can get anything in the furniture line at a fair price at Hannaford's.

Everything in the family grocery line at Hill's, Joe Huddart's old stand.

Mrs. Cook, milliner, has a card in this issue addressed to those indebted to her for goods.

Machine oils at reduced prices at the Drug and Book Store of 6th and W. H. McCREERY.

Extra copies of THE ADVERTISER for sale by A. W. Nickell, druggist book-seller and stationer.

Fresh Crackers at STROBLE'S. Money to loan in sums of \$200 to \$500, on two and three years' time. Apply to William H. Hoover.

No. one second-hand wagon for sale or trade. Apply to B. B. THOMPSON.

The weather this week has been favorable for saving the wheat, and no doubt the opportunity has been improved.

Lubricating Oil at Nickell's. Well made counterfeit silver quarter dollars are in circulation in Lincoln, but may be known by their ring, says the Journal.

Parties wishing Thrashing Machines will do well to call and see the Overblast, at HAWLEY & DOUGLAS.

Several of our sporting men with dogs and guns, started to-day for chicken shooting, to be gone two or three days.

Brownville merchants have large stocks, and have good custom from this and adjoining counties. People who know say no town in Southern Nebraska sells goods so cheaply.

LOCAL PERSONALS.

Miss Cora Gates returned from Lincoln last Saturday. Foster McCoy and Tommy Shurts spent several days in our city last week.

Mrs. Ada Fairbrother and her sister, Mrs. Hattie Smith, are visiting their mother, Mrs. Hayden, at London.

Miss Florence Smith, of Oregon, Mo., arrived in this city on Wednesday of last week. She is now visiting her mother at London.

Mr. D. Pierson called Saturday and left two shilling dollars on our table, and said, "Please send me THE ADVERTISER for another year."

Mrs. Van Pelt, Grand Worthy Chief Templar of Nebraska, will meet with the District Lodge which meets in this city on Saturday 10th inst.

Col. Furnas has the thanks of the entire ADVERTISER outfit for several boxes of the largest blackberries we ever saw. The ex-Gov. never forgets the printer because he is one of 'em himself.

J. P. Young, Secretary of the Cass County Agricultural Society, will please accept our thanks for a "Complimentary" to the Fair to be held at Plattsmouth September 17th, 18th, 19th, and 20th.

Mrs. Morrow, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. R. McCandless, of Aspinwall precinct, for some three months past, returned to her home in Pittsburg Penn., this week. She, and her daughter, who accompanied her, express themselves as being delighted with our country.

Miss Mollie Fairbrother, of Joplin, Missouri, arrived in this city Friday evening of last week. Miss Mollie is a daughter of T. J. Fairbrother, who died in the army for the Union, a niece of the editor of this paper, and of Mrs. J. M. Haeker. We welcome her most cordially, and hope her visit will be a pleasant one.

Found! That E. M. Lippitt can sell you the best Organ in the country for the least money, and on easy terms.

Scythes and Hay Rakes. Stevenson & Cross.

Uncle Sam's Condition Powder purifies the blood, improves the appetite, gives a smooth glossy coat, and keeps the animal in good condition. Sold by A. W. Nickell.

Uncle Sam's Nerve and Bone Liniment is most efficient in rheumatism, bruises, lumps, scratches, and many other ills, healthy to man and beast. Sold by A. W. Nickell.

Closing out Goods, cheap. L. LOWMAN.

FOR SALE.—A fine four year old cow, giving milk—a good kind milkster. JOSEPH HUDDART.

This is for Every Family. No Western family can afford for a day to be without the celebrated western remedy for cholera, dysentery, cholera morbus and cholera infantum, Brown's Emetic, Laxative and Cathartic. It has been before the public for ten years, and doctors and druggists join in commending it to their customers and patrons. Ask your druggist for its merits; procure a bottle at once and save sickness, the expense of a physician, and the life of some loved one of the family. "Delays are dangerous." Brown's Antibilious Liver Pills and Emetic, Laxative and Cathartic are a certain cure for ague.

For sale by A. W. Nickell, H. C. Lett and W. H. McCreery, Brownville, Neb. 21f.

Fancy Goods and Notions, at L. Lowman's. Dr. Winchell's Teething Syrup has never failed to give immediate relief when used in cases of summer complaint, cholera infantum or pains in the stomach. Mothers, when your little darlings are suffering from these or kindred causes do not hesitate to give it a trial; you will surely be pleased with the charming effect. Dr. Winchell's Teething Syrup is sold by A. W. Nickell, at 25 cents per bottle. 1f

Go In. To H. C. Lett's Drug and Grocery store and get prices. His variety is too vast to enumerate.

Lost! The reputation of other organs since Shoninger's superior instrument has been introduced into Nebraska. E. M. Lippitt (in connection with James H. Dye) is agent for the Grand Cymbella, Eureka and Orchestral Organs. Call and see them. Prices that defy competition will be given.

Patent Medicines at STROBLE'S. Do not neglect a cough or cold. Eiler's extract of tar and wild cherry is a standard remedy in all throat, asthmatic and bronchial affections, and has saved many lives; give it a trial. Sold by A. W. Nickell. 1f

Tinware and Hardware. Stevenson & Cross. For headache, constipation, liver complaint, and all bilious derangements of the blood, there is no remedy so sure and safe as Eiler's Liver Pills. They stand unrivaled in removing bile, and giving healthy action to the liver. Sold by A. W. Nickell. 1f

Tin Shop and Furniture repaired. Stevenson & Cross. Positively the Best. Instructors for Piano or Organ can be had at any time by calling on E. M. Lippitt, of Buy Organs and he will give you an instructor.

To the Farmers of Nemaha County.

I have just read the following letter from the Commissioner of Agriculture, which explains itself. Will the gentlemen in Nemaha County to whom the seeds were so liberally distributed in the year 1877, be kind enough to furnish me with such reports as will enable me to comply with the wishes of the Commissioner? It is also desirable that Nemaha County go on record where she belongs as an agricultural county.

ROBT. W. FURNAS, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20, '78.

To Hon. R. W. Furnas: Sir—The Commissioner of Agriculture desires to obtain from those to whom the distributions of seeds and plants have been made by the Department the information which is necessary to determine the value of the various seeds and plants that have been sent to different portions of the country.

You are earnestly requested, therefore, to furnish, at an early day as possible, a full and explicit statement of the results of your experiments with such seeds and plants as have been sent to you.

The interrogatories accompanying this circular will guide you in making your report; but you are requested to note other points which your experience and observation may suggest, and which may be of interest to farmers generally, and of importance to a satisfactory conclusion in the premises. Very respectfully,

WM. G. LEDUC, Commissioner of Agriculture.

The following are the interrogatories referred to by the Commissioner. Let the answers be preface with the seed planted, whatever it may have been:

1st. What is the character of the soil—whether clay, sand, loam, or alluvion on which the seeds were sown?

2d. What the aspect, or "lay" of the land—whether hill-top, side-hill, rolling, bottom-land, wet, or spogy?

3d. What the manner of plowing—whether deep or shallow, or subsoiled, inspiring or autumn?

4th. What other preparations—whether pulverized by rolling with hand-roller, before or after sowing and how often harrowed?

5th. What the last previous crop grown in the field, or if fallow, before this crop now reported upon?

6th. Kind and quality of fertilizer—whether maricant, stable-manure, compost, ashes, lime, salt, plaster or green crops plowed under, and when and how applied?

7th. How was the seed prepared—whether carefully selected and soaked in brine of salt, copperas, or other substance?

8th. What the date and manner of planting—whether with drill or broadcast, thick or thin?

9th. What quantity of seed, to the acre sown or planted?

10th. What was the after-cultivation—whether often harrowed, hoed or cultivated, or rolled?

11th. At what stage was the harvesting done—whether when fully ripe, or in the doughy or milky stage?

12th. What injury by frost or storms, and to what extent—at what stage of growth—what injury from winter-killing, rust or fly, and when most injured?

13th. What the condition and location of the land where winter-killing occurred—whether wet and low, underrained, or otherwise?

14th. What insects—in or above the ground—have been injurious, and to what extent, and at what date?

15th. What diseases—whether rust, mildew, smut, or others—have injured the crop, to what extent, and when?

16th. What preventives and remedies, if any, have been applied, and with what success?

LONDON ITEMS.

Blackberries are plenty. Apples are ripe. Too much rain, to bring up the harvest in good order. Corn doing finely. Much grain will be damaged by the heavy rains.

An uncle of John Helks, of Ohio, is visiting this State, looking about London and vicinity. We presume, he like every one else, who visit Nebraska, will be pleased with it.

Mails all right now, Kennedy & Gates, of Brownville, have taken the Tecumseh and Brownville route, and the people have their mails on time.

Guess the doctrine of "total depravity" is true, after all, for people are threatened with the "grand jury" for trying to save their grain, to give their families bread, by "stacking grain on Sunday" in such a harvest time as this.

Is Mrs. Jenks the "coming woman"? If so, it is to be feared, she will never be a success as a Postmistress—has such a way of "biting letters." That can never be tolerated in the postal service—never.

"Did I not tell you so," in cloudy days, about the coming brilliance of Gen. Grant? Now listen again and hear things which "will surely come to pass." The time is drawing nigh when it will be acknowledged that Ulysses S. Grant is one of the chosen powers to work out the political destiny of the World. He is in many respects, the most wonderful man of the age,—he is one "whom the gods love." It is useless to fight against him; for "they who are for him, are greater than they who are against him."

"Might as well 'clear the track' at once, and make way for these 'men of destiny.'"

"Spiritual things" E. V. Wilson, the great medium is the most wonderful man of the age. And the time draweth nigh when you will acknowledge it, too.

Everybody had their smoked glass ready last Monday afternoon and curiously viewed the eclipse of the sun. It was nearly total, but not quite, here, and was a mellow strange looking twilight. The sky was clear and all looked to their entire satisfaction. We see accounts of very satisfactory observations being made by scientists at different points. An account from Denver, where it was total, says:

"As the period of totality came on the sight from an elevated station was grand. An extreme dark shadow fell on Long's peak, seventy-five miles distant, and sweeping rapidly southward covered the plain like a gray pall. To the northeastward clouds could be seen bathing in sunlight, and presenting a view of a beautiful sunset. During the period of observation the moon appeared like a huge black ball surrounded by a beautiful circle of light, and as the sunlight suddenly burst forth again, chickens crowed as though morning had dawned."

At the election of officers, July 29th, of Nemaha City Lodge No. 109, I. O. of G. T., the following persons were elected for the ensuing term:

J. B. Johnson, W. C. T. Marena Colrick, W. V. T. J. L. Melvin, W. S. D. A. Martin, W. F. S. Amanda Zoak, W. T. Mrs. F. A. Holmes, W. C. John E. Crother, W. M. Nora Scoville, W. I. G. S. A. Huntington, W. O. G. Respectfully, JOHN P. CROTHER.

A lady gives to the Western Rural, the following recipe for making green corn pudding: One quart of green corn grated or scraped off the cob, one coffee cup of sweet milk, one egg, one large spoonful of butter, two cups of flour. Add a little salt, a pinch of allspice. Bake on a buttered pan as you would bread. Bake three-quarters of an hour and eat it with butter.

We understand that the latest arrangement for entertaining the members of our lodges, at dinner, who attend the District Lodge of Good Templars in Brownville on Saturday the 10th inst., will be at the homes of the members of Brownville Lodge, each member preparing dinner for as many guests as they can conveniently accommodate.

The farmers should save every bushel of wheat possible. In sections of Iowa, Illinois and other States of the west the crop has suffered as much or more than it has in Nebraska; the price is gradually rising; and before this year's crop is disposed of it will doubtless bring a very fair price.

Removed! I have removed my stock of Groceries to the building corner west of Hendrick's store, where I will keep constantly on hand a full stock of

GROCERIES, WOODEN & GLASSWARE also all THE BEST BRANDS OF FLOUR, CANDIES & CIGARS.

I will pay the highest Market price for produce, in goods or money. I also keep a first-class

Feed Store in connection with my house.

T. L. JONES.

LOOK AT THIS. GRAND BANKRUPT SALE

Of the Stock formerly owned by Liddy Bros., and Sheldon & Son, of Lincoln, Neb.

Table listing various items and prices: 250 best Quality Felt Hats \$3.50 to 4.00 \$2.00, 150 Good Quality " 2.00 to 3.00 1.50, 300 Dozen Men's White Shirts, warranted Linen Bosom and Collars 3.00 1.25, 60 Dozen men's White Shirts, warranted Linen Bosom and Collars 2.50 1.00, 60 Dozen Men's Cheviot & Percala Shirts 1.25 to 2.50 75 to 1.25, Best Gauze Under-shirts 25 to 60 cents, Best Jeans Drawers 75 to 70 cents, Paper Collars .5 cents per box.

Call and See the Bankrupt Stock before purchasing. L. LOWMAN.

Nebraska State Horticultural Society, Fall Meeting, 1878.

State Fair, Lincoln, September 23, 24, 25, 16 and 17, 1878.

The NEBRASKA STATE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY will hold its Annual Fair at Lincoln, commencing on the 23d of September, 1878, continuing five days, to the 27th.

I had the friends of Horticulture in the State will see to it that the reputation of the State for Fruit Culture is successfully sustained on that occasion. Arrangements have been made to accommodate a greater exhibit than that of 1877, and we hope the space will be all occupied. We hope to see the Fruit Growers present in person. When they cannot, if they will send their Fruits they will be cared for in all respects as though the owner was there.

The Rail Roads in the State will all transport Fruits for exhibition free of charge. To secure this favor, however, packages must be directed to D. H. WHEELER, Lincoln, marked, "Nebraska Fruits for Exhibition at the State Fair."

STANDING COMMITTEES Of the Society are the same as last year, as follows:

FIRST DISTRICT. Sam'l Bernard, Ch'n, Table Rock, Pawnee Co. E. F. Stephens, Sec'y, Saline County. J. W. McCreary, Beattie, Geary County. J. W. Beckwith, Humboldt, Richardson County. J. B. Dinmore, Sutton, Clay County.

SECOND DISTRICT. S. R. Thompson, Ch'n, Lincoln, Lancaster Co. A. Denham, Nebraska City, One County. C. H. Windsor, Mt. Pleasant, Cass County. Benton Aldrich, Clifton, Nemaha County. J. M. Madison, Nebraska City, One County.

THIRD DISTRICT. J. S. Bowen, Ch'n, Blair, Washington County. J. F. Gilman, Deodar, Deaf County. John Evans, Omaha, Douglas County. H. J. Rohrer, Ft. Calhoun, Washington County. George A. McCoe, Omaha, Douglas County.

FOURTH DISTRICT. J. T. Clarkson, Ch'n, Shayler, Colfax County. Wm. Stolley, Grand Island, Hall County. N. S. Belden, Norfolk, Dodge County. A. E. Jenks, Ashland, Saunders County. E. M. Spear, Seward, Seward County.

FIFTH DISTRICT. A. D. Williams, Ch'n, Kenawau, Adams County. M. S. Basing, Amazon, Franklin County. J. T. Gilman, Oneo, Kearney County. B. N. Miles, Republican City, Harlan County. E. Kellogg, Red Cloud, Webster County.

SIXTH DISTRICT. U. Bruner, Ch'n, West Point, Combing County. Wm. Taylor, Dacotah, Dacotah County. John Olney, Norfolk, Madison County. C. C. Van, St. James, Cedar County. E. Arnold, Ponca, Dixon County.

ON SYNDICATE. Jas. H. Masters, Ch'n, Nebraska City, Oneo Co. Steven Hubon, Mt. Pleasant, Cass County. Samuel Bernard, Table Rock, Pawnee County.

Horticulture in its Relations to Horticulture. Prof. G. E. Bailey, State University, Lincoln.

Estimatory in its Relations to Horticulture. Prof. S. Aughey, State University, Lincoln.

Ornithology in its Relations to Horticulture. Prof. Harvey Culbertson, State University, College Farm, Lincoln.

Geology in its Relations to Horticulture. Prof. C. D. Willard, Willard.

Forestry in its Relations to Horticulture. James T. Allen, Omaha.

Vegetable Culture. Aro Smith, Plattsmouth.

Ornamental Gardening. E. H. Baughes, Brownville.

The Committee on Synonyms are urgently requested to be present at exhibit, at no other time can they so well and favorably perform the duties assigned them.

The duties of Committees are same as designated last year.

Editors will confer a favor, and all the causes, by copying, or noticing in substance. Accommodations for Reporters for the Press will be provided, and their presence cordially invited.

ROBT. W. FURNAS, Pres't. DANL. H. WHEELER, Sec'y.

The Achievements of Stanley, and Other African Explorers.

Being a complete History of Stanley's Explorations in Africa; together with a concise account of the late explorations by Baker, Cameron and others. By Hon. J. T. Headly.

No recent event has excited a deeper and more wide-spread interest in the country, than the brilliant achievements of Henry M. Stanley, in the field of African Exploration. Ever since his arrival, in a famished condition, at the mouth of the Congo, the public have eagerly awaited a detailed account of his thrilling discoveries, and the results of his discovery. The announcement therefore of this volume, from the pen of so brilliant and popular author as Mr. J. T. Headly, will be received with lively interest and satisfaction, and this interest will be greatly heightened by an examination of the book itself.

Since the death of Livingstone, the work of exploration in the regions which he last visited, has been pushed with great vigor. Sir Samuel W. Baker with a small army under royal authority, escauded the Nile, and was the first European to penetrate from north to south the great Central Lake region. Lieut. Cameron, of the English Royal Navy, reached the same region from the east, and then pushed across the Continent over land, to the western coast, and last and greatest of all, the daring and intrepid Stanley, breaking through the barriers which had proved insuperable to all former explorers, in the face of a thousand perils by savages, obstacles, diseases, wild beasts and starvation, forced his way down the dark river, 2500 miles and solved the great mystery proving the Lusitana river

discovered by Livingstone to be verily the head waters of the mighty Congo, thus opening a grand highway from the west coast to the heart and treasures of one of the most populous and productive continents of the globe.

The author first gives a concise account of Baker and Cameron's expeditions because knowledge of what