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## A Moorish Legend. A spanish Moor, being on the ove of setting out on a pilgrimage, intrusted all his money to aman who had hitherto borne a reputation of unblemished prob- ity. His fortune consisted of two thou- sand bezants. On his return he was not a little surprised when the reputed hon- est man denied all knowledge of himself or his money. The pilgrim entered a complaint against him, entreated the judge to help him, and took his oath on the truth of his statement-but all in vain! The old man's good name out- weighed all he could say; the plaintiff was non-suited, and he went away in de- spair. Presently he met an old woman, who Was toddling along with the help of a staf. Touched by the stranger's grief, stap she stopped him, hailed him in Allah's name, bade him take heart, and listened

 to his unvarnished tale."Be of good cheer, young man, may-
be, with Allah's aid, I shall get back
 bound with iron and well locked. Then
choose three or four discreet. men and
come to me. We shall succeed; never
fear," said she. The Spanish Moor followed her advice
punctually. He came with four friends,
bringing a chest which the strongest porters could scarcely drag along.
"Now follow me," said the old woman. On reaching the door of the supposed
honest man she went in with the Span.
iard's four friends, bidding the latter
wait below and not make his appearance
until the chest had been carried up stairs She now stood in the presence of the
hypocrite, when she introduced her four
companions., cotupanions."
"Behold !" said she. "Here are some
honest Spaniards, about to make a pil-
grimage to Fgypt. Their treasures are
boundless. They possess, besides other
ing your honesty a and unssullied repuntation,
have brought, them hither. Pray fulfil
their wishes."
Meanwhile she had the heavy ohest
brought in, which the pretended honest
man gloated over with greedy looks. But
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## just then the despoiled pilgrim rushe in, impetuously claiming back his tw thousand bazants. The faithless deposi

thousand bazants. The faithless deposi-
tory was frightened lest the young man
should reproach him with his treachery
in the presence of the strangers, who would then take away their chest, whith
its untold treasures, and which he had
already determined to rppropriate to him.
self. already determined to rppropriate to him-
self.
"Be welcome "" he cried to the Moor.
"I was almost faring you would never
come batk, and was puzzled what Ishould
do with the two thousand bezants. Aldo with the thousand
lah be praised! Who has brought Al you
baokk ,safe! Here is what belongs to
you," The Spanish Moor went away with his
treasure as triumplant ant though he were
carrying off so much booty. The treasure as triumphant as though he were
carrying off so much booty. The old
woman begged the master of the house
to put the chest in a safe pace, while
she went and ordered the rest to be She then went off with her four oompan-
ions, and of course never returned.

> Whose Fault is It?

In a day, when mistresses make such
wholesale charges with regard to the in-
comple
competency and impertinence of domes-
tics, it may be considered quite superfluous to say a word in their defense; but
one sometimes, after hearing these reit-
erations, looks about for the how or why, crato
with a view to the remedy. Now or why,
pose the most zealous fault-finders on this subject will concede that mistresses themthey have often real cerfect; of courses of irritation
and vexation apart from the kitchen, which, we are afraid, do not dispose them
to look leniently upon any additional
trouble there Crouble there. $A$ 'flare up' with Betty
or Bridget, is apt to be the last drop in
the bueket, the last feather in the bal lance. But, unfortunately, it in the bal-
lan int account that
en into act en into account that Betty and Bridget,
being human, may have their little world
of hopes and joys, fears and sorrow of hopes and joys, fears and sorrows,
quite disconnected with your gridiron, and dust pan, and ash barrel. They also
have heads and back to ache, and hearts nto acce may not alwa be take with punctually paying the stipulated wages when due, and getting as much as passible out of them as an equivalent,
consider their duty enned consider their duty enned. Some day
your dinner is over or under cooked; that day Bridget reecived a letter from the old country' with a 'black seal.' She did not come to you with her trouble;
why should she? when she might have why should she? when she might hav
been a mere machine for any sympathetic word or look that has ever passed from
your woman's heart or eyes to hers. Al your woman's heart or eyes to hers. Al
you know is that your dinner is overcook-


## The Wild Dog of India.

| There was once upon a time a man who |
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| kept a store, and sold goods wholesale and |
| retail. |
| And he became melancholy, because |

This animal is seldom taken alive, and is rarely seen by hunters, on acocount of
its shy and nocturnal habits-for it hunt in packs on the Svhadree range number ing from five to
Between the $\qquad$ color, resembling rather a coarse, rough its limbs very massive, and its tail buesh
and tipped with black. It has a slouch ing gait, drawn loins, broad, heiry feet, ed hair and wool-the first annulate and the last a slaty red, which blends
with it into a general foxy ensemble. In whe cold season the wool predominate
theme over the hair. Beeides these wild dog or red dog, in the Southern Decean,
which "fastens itself by surprise on the iger's neek, and kills him."
The wild dog begins his prowl for food close. A sort of shrill bark keesp the
pack tagether, or calls up stragglers. pack together, or calls up stragglers.
Their prey is whatever they can surprise
or overtake, great or small ; and the ne. ives constantly assert that they will
hase and kill the tiger himself. Mr Elliott affirms, of his own knowledge, tha he tigers leave a jungle which the wild dogs have entered. The nylghan, the
sambur, and the wild boar certainly fall
to them. Bold o them. Bold as they are, noisy and
regarious, and perhaps a primeval stock of the most familiars quadrupeds, thes
yet avoid the face of man with the ut yet avoid the face of man with the ut
most care. They seek to attack all other most care. They seeet to attack all other
animals, even in captivity; but the caged wild dog huddles into the remotest corner of the den upon the approach of his
keeper. Mr. Hodgson kept some in connement, which were as wild and shy afor ten months feeding as at first. I
ould almost seem that they may have descended from some primeval race of escaped domestic dogs, and retain the
instinct of runaway slaves, acquired, instinct of runaway slaves, aequired,
perhaps, among masters coeval with Nim.

Curious stories are current about their nethod of hunting. Hyenas, jackals, ares, bears, and even porcupines and
quails, are captured, it is said, by them. The deer and antelope, and wild and tame buffaloes, sometimes succumb, but are too fleet for the lobbing swing of the
wild dog, if the quarry wild dog, if the quarry has but open
ground and a fair start. count is, that the dogs post themselves all about the animal they have discovered, so that some one or more meet him, whatever direction he seeks to run off.
Encountered on all sides he stands still or charges; while the dogs, closing in shed water upon their bushy tails and
whisk it whisk it into his lowered face. The application is acrid and blistering to a de-
gree, and a drop in the gree, and a drop in the eyes deprives the
prey for a time of fits sight; and while it staggers or runs helplessly about, the
wild dogs fasten upon neek, flank and withers, tearing the yet alive and strug The narration into bleeding mouthful. positive observations confirn it ; but the practice of the skunk, and of all the Vi verrax, seems to be somewhat analagous.
In "Reincke Fuchs," too, there is this very same method described as the only very bam which Reynard overcomes the oif in single combat.
The state of matrimony is bounded by hugging and kissing on the one side, and
cradles and babies on the other. Ite hief products are population, broomsticks and staying out late $0^{\prime}$ nights. It was
discovered by Adam and Eve while trying to find a northwest passage out of
Paradice. The climate is sultry till Paradice. The climate is sultry till you
pass the tropics of housekeeping, when squally weather sets in with such powe For the principal roads leading to this interesting stata, consult the first pair of
pretty ancles and blue eyes you meet.

Evil Report.-The longer I live, the to the rules which I have laid down for myself in relation to such matters, said an eminent statesman :


## Tiningte's Panoing flcus. official county fapler. SATURDAY, SEPF. $27 \mathrm{TH}, 1862$.

 Declaration of Homestead.
 filing out these blanks themselves, parties
nill be subject to no other expense than the
fies for acknowledgement and record.

Pub. Docs. - We are again under obligations to A. A. Sargent, Men
Congress, for Public Documents.

Lumber for the liridges.-Yesterday morning the steamer Visalia, Capt.
Zimmerman, brought up a quantity of lumber for the commencement of the Bridges across Cache Creek.
Large Apples.-Mr. Landon Glas. cock, of Sutter county, presented us with
three of the finest apples, on Twesday last, we have ever seen in the State. They were raised on his farm on the Sacramen three was 3 Hbs .2 ozs ; and the best part of it is, they were of delicious flavor, and a beartiful red, looked beau
tasted as good as they looked.

Questron-The question is frequent ly asked us whether the Stamp Law not in force after the first of October, and
whether any note of hand or convegance of real estate is vaiid, made after that date, without a stamp affixed. We are
of the opinion the stamp must be affixed to make it valid, but don't know wher they can be had,
our San Francisco contemporarys give us some light on the subject?
Creminal. Calendab.-On Tuesday ing Alford St. Louis, touk place before Justice Piekett, resulting in prinoner be
ing bound over in the sum of $\$ 500$ to appear before the Grand Jury. On Wednesday the trial of Alex. St. ring and money from R Roberts-was examined before Justice Pickett, result before the Grand Jury- $\$ 500$ bonds.
Bonds were given and approved in both the above cases.
TIIE steamer Cryosopolis discharged at
Sacramento, on Sudday morning, 600
There is now in the City Treasury of $\$ 119,055$ belorg to the Levee Fund.
here was in the State Treasury, $\$ 344$ 65203.

The San Francisoo Patriotic Fund Committee sent $\$ 100,000$ by the steamer Within the last two months, over on hundred thousand dollars worth of prop
erty has been destroyed by fire in Mari posa county
It is said that there will be expended cisco Roman Catholic burying greunds, known
000.
Wool Growers. - The annual meeting of the California Wool Growers' As ing the State Yair, viz., on Weduesday 1st of Ostober.
The net amount of the income tax i Greal Billion pounds sterling. Were individuals with incomes exceeding $f 50$ individuals with incomes exceeding 50 , individual fortunate enough to rank in that class,
$£ 115,000$

Tobacco.-During the last nine year the total amount of tobacco imported into this State was $39.801,380$ pounds being an average per year of $3,755,700$; per ont, of 312,975 pounds. The pres sent requirement for home consumption
is from 350,000 to 400,000 pounds per month.

## Tae San Franciscans, says the Sacra

 mento Bee, are after Collector RankinHis office is worth $\$ 20,000$ to $\$ 25,000$ per annum, and he gave $\$ 100$ to the $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{p}}$ per annum, and he gave $\$ 100$ to thn Pn
triotic Fund, while lawyers, doctors, mer chants, etc., gave $\$ 1,000$. That, how ever, was equal to the wealthy American importing house of Ross, Dempster \&
Co, which gave $\$ 100$, "provided they be Co, which gave $\$ 100$, "provided the
received in Treasury notes at par."


Shipments of Grain.
Knight's Landing is evidently one of largest depots of grain is the State, out-
side of Sacramento. There are twosteamside of Sacramento. Thereare twosteam-
ers constantly employed in transporting ers constantly employed in transporting
it from here to Sacramento and other points. We have ohtained the figures of grain shipped for the past six weeks,
which make a total, of all kinds of which wake a total, of all kinds of grain
shipped, of seventy four thousand sacks shipped, of seventy four thousand sacks
-this is exclusive of the vast quantity taken off by teans-besides there is at least 2,500 sacks on levee awaiting trans
portation. The magnitude of the crop in this section of the Sacramento valley cannot be fully realized, even by those
acquainted in the county, and we fear acquainted in the county, and we fear
the true yield this year will never be as. the true yield this year will never be as.
certained. It is now the duty of the As. sessor to get the number of acres of each kind of grain sown, end the av rage yield;
but from complaints which we have heard of the inefficiency of the present Asses. sor of Yolo, we fear his report on this
subject will be very imperfect; at all events, we know fron actual observation
that the amount of grain shipped from here, is more than double that of any previous
year. For the past three months it hos year. For the past three months inas
been constant streaun of teams bringing grain in town, and yet the half is not yet
come, in fact, to pass through the county ing, and the immense quantity still
on the farms, what bas been shipped up on the farme, what has been shipped
to thime, can scarcely be missed.

## State Agricultural Fair.

The indications at present are that the
coming State Fair will be in every respect a grand affuir, and surpass in attractions
any preceeding one ever held in the State. Thus far the entries made by competitors, er than ever before up to this tine; and
the officers of the Fair are encouraged
beyond their beyond their most sanguine expectations,
in believing that the present will be the
ultimatum of success in Agricultural We are truly gratified to hear such en vailed a few months ago that the interest in the Fair this year would lag, on ac-
count of the drawback given agriculture by the destructive floods of last Winter,
but it seems our people are determined to
keep up their name for recuperative en ergy a and the greater the calamities, the
greater the exertions put forth to over. come them.
The people of Yolo are especially in-
terested in the success of the State Fair,
particularly when he.d at Sacramento particularly when hed at Sucramento
Our close proximity and blended inter
ests, make us feel a success to Sacramento is a corresponding one to us, and vice
versa. We, therefore, are fally satisfied
that Yolo will be represented hy a full
delegation at the coming State Fair. delegation at the coming State Fair.
No Substitutes. - Animportantorder
has been issued by the War Department, has wheen issued it dey the Wared that all attemptsts
to procure substitutes in anticipation of
the draft are regarded as discouraging enlistuents, and will subject persons mak-
ing such atttemps, heir aiders and abet.
ors, to arrest, under the order of the 8 th
irst. The fullowing is Provost Marshal
Kennedy's circular to the publishers of
newspapers on this subject:

## $\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { Lace, And Spec. Provist NAR } \\ \text { New Yohk, August 21st, } \\ \text { Yo62. }\end{array}\right\}$

 shal-Sir: You will call upon the publishers of the several newspapers in New
York and Brooklyn and infurm them that the War Departuent, oy an order thi
day received, regards all attempts to pro cure substitutes in anticipation of the
draft, as discouraging enlistuents, and
the persons who do so, their aiders and the persons who do so, their aiders and
ubetors, are liable to be arrested under the order of Angust 8th. Publishing adver-
tiseuents for such persons, with the view
aiding their operations, is her after to be aiding their operations, is her rafter to be
regarded as rend cring the publishers liable to such arrest.
You will inform them your call is to
put them on their guard, and relieve this put them on their guard, and relieve thi
office from the performance of a unplea
ant duty. JOHN A. KENN EDY, Special Provost Marshal.
The last British mail steams ${ }^{\text {h }}$ ip from Southampton to Aspiowall brought 81 ,-
250,000 , it being the first instalnent of 250,000 , it being the first instaliment of
the $88,000,000$ lean contracted for by Peru in Eurupe. The return ship from Aspinwall to Southamf ton took 82,000 ,000 consisting of gold from California,
and silver from Mexico and South Amer-

## The steawer Golden Age will putinto

 Manzanillo, on her way down to Panama pects of recovering the lost treasure of the Golden Gate.By overland telegraph

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| between the United States and the people lation is, or may be, disturbed. It is my |  |
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| United States, ana which States maythen have voluntarily adopted, or mayvoluntarily adopt, the immediate or grad. |  |
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| ual abolishment of slavery. On the firstof January, 1863 , all persons held asslaves within any State or part of a State, |  |
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| $\begin{aligned} & \text { be thenceforth forever after free. On } \\ & \text { that day the Executive will designate by } \\ & \text { proclanation the States or parts of States } \end{aligned}$ |  |
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| tions The Executive will, in due time, recommend that ali loyal citizens shall, |  |
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| ip artillery Lousvilue, Sept. 22.-Gov. Robin. |  |
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| There is a great exodus of women and children.New York, Sept. 23.-The World's |  |
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| Washington special dispach says: Strag-glers and refugees all agree that the main |  |
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| body of the rebels is moving to ward Win chester, all having disappeared from the |  |
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| ing Rear Admiral and assigued to the command of the Pacific squadron. |  |
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| berland Gap on the night of the 18 th. The rebel papers do not regard this news as frvorable as was supposed. General |  |
| as frvorable as was supposed. GeneralMorgan was stated to be completely hemmed in. | dsan thompsox. |
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|  | Notice to the public: |
| kikmistining is ssid to be is progress on both sides of the river |  |
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| The alleged treason, of Gen. Miles in surrendering Harper's Ferry is still talk. | wines and liquors |
| ed of in official circles. 'J'here is goodreason for assertieg that if it had not |  |
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| reason for asserting that if it had not been for this surrender the rebels wonld undoubtedly have received a death blow. |  |
| We have intormuetion by a genileman |  |
| the Potomas that the army was rapidly |  |
|  | Upposite Boat Landing, Knight's Landing. <br> N. B.-I pay Cash for goods, and only sell for Cash. |
| Kenny's brigade in the advance, went over on Sunday night. Cuuch's division |  |
|  | 世न <br> By S. W. RAVELEY, |
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