

Found in a Bear's Embrace.

AN ENGLISHMAN'S ROMANTIC LOVE, ADVENTURE AND DEATH.

Arthur Legrand Stafford, who claimed to be a natural son of the Earl of Dunraven, landed in New York from an Italian steamer, the latter part of November. At the Nicholas Hotel he met sporting men, and they decided to go to Maine, hunting and fishing.

On the way they stopped at Bangor Me., where Stafford made the acquaintance of a New York lady, Miss Gaseo. Both became desperately smitten when Stafford started for the woods they had plighted their troth. On December 31st Stafford left the camp with his rifle, for a stroll. Shortly after a hard snow storm set in, and Stafford did not return, his companions went to find him. They were unsuccessful and returned to the camp about midnight. Early in the morning of January 1 they again set out. About three miles from the camp they found Stafford in the firm embrace of a she-bear, and both were frozen. A knife was sticking in the left fore shoulder of the bear. A short distance away a half-grown cub with a knife wound in its heart was discovered. The guide said that Stafford had attacked the cub first, and was then sat upon by the bear.

Stafford's companion went to Bangor and told the story to the young lady. She lost her reason, and is now in a desperate condition. She was sent to the Elmira Asylum.

General News Notes.

Over nine millions from manufactures is a great item for Denver in the record of 1883.

Five hundred composers are to-day out of employment in this city and unable to obtain work.—N. Y. Tribune

The Chicago Tribune counts up 125,000 human lives lost by earthquakes, tornadoes, shipwrecks, fires, mine disasters, and other accidents in 1883.

Mr. George D. Phillips, the noted amateur skater, recently made a half mile in the unprecedented time of 1 1/2 minutes, on the ice in Harlem river.

It is said that the Stars and Stripes never float over the State House at Columbia, S. C. When the Legislature is in session there is instead a tattered rag of dark blue with the representation of a palmetto tree and a rattlesnake coiled at the bottom.

It is pleasing to notice that the Washington gossips are again engaged in the delightful task of marrying off President Arthur. They have spent two winters at this work already, but they do not seem at all tired by their past efforts. We wish them luck.

Cattle prospered in Colorado during the year just closed, and several important sales consummated. The firm to which Mrs. Hiff belongs in one instance paid \$500,000 in cash for cattle in Texas, to be fattened on the ranches of the firm in the South Platte Valley.

There was something strikingly expressive in the reply of Aunt Patty, when the Detroit Postmaster asked her what she wanted. Said she: "Ev'ry'ting 'cept what we's got, boss. Ev'ry'ting 'cept pov'ty, an' cold, an' nuffin to eat. De ole man's sick, de tater bar'l's empty, an' dar's no wood in de shed. Ev'ry'ting 'cept what we's got, boss!"

A few weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone, with Miss Gladstone, were about to leave Hawarden Castle, to meet at Loughton Hall, the Duke and Duchess of Westminster, but it was found that the Premier's coachman was so ill as to be unable to drive, whereupon an efficient and noble substitute was found in Lord Aberdeen, who is said to have put on a coachman's attire and to have driven the distinguished party to Loughton Hall and back to Hawarden.

Prohibition is likely to prohibit in Pottawatomie county, Kansas. They have begun to lodge-offending liquor dealers in jail. Defendant Hulen, having been convicted upon twenty counts, was fined \$100 on each count, and on the twenty-first count the Court committed him to jail, to stay until all the money is paid. Saloonkeeper Shaw, also, having been convicted on the thirteen counts, was sentenced to pay \$1.00 and costs on each count, and to spend thirty days in jail, and stay there until he pays up. Saloonkeeper Pitman got \$1,100 fine and a month in jail. Upon twelve delinquents the Court imposed fines aggregating \$7,600, with \$3,000 costs and ninety days in jail.

Like every patriot and philanthropist Rev. T. Dewitt Talmage sincerely deprecates the alarming prevalence of intemperance. He says he has seen more young men drunk the past year than at any time before. He favors every method for the establishment of temperance, moral suasion, legal suasion, pledges for those who can keep them, societies that strengthen men by the sympathy of fraternity, and, in fact, whatever legitimate way may attain the much desired end. He sees no cause for discouragement in the prohibition reversals in Ohio and Iowa, for he feels that every great principle knows defeat several times before it achieves its final triumph.

Cave City is in the eastern part of Calaveras county, Cal., writes a correspondent. It once contained 1,000 inhabitants, but on the failure of the

gravel mines the population diminished, as in other mining towns, till at present the "city" consists of a hotel, a saloon and a hays a k. A few of the curiosities of early times still remain to the place. One of these is the graveyard on the hillside above the town. It contains 16 graves, 15 of them filled by men who died with their boots on between '50 and '56. The cave extends into the mountain side 300 feet, and contains over 100 skeletons. The Indians have no traditions of how the skeletons were put there, but I think that it was an old Indian camp, and that in time of war the unfortunate wretches were shut up in the cavern and perished for want of food and water.

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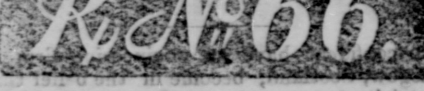
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