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THURSDAY MORNING, JAN. 7, 1875

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

Notable accounts are now had of the horrible disaster to the emigrant ship, Caspatrick, off the Madeira coast, which happened on the 17th of last November.

Considerable skirmishing between Bennett and Tilton. Just enough to attract attention and keep up an interest on the part of the public.

Since January 1st, by the new postal arrangements with Canada, all private letters of the second class, all letters of the first class, will be subject to the regular postage of this country.

The investigation of the "Pacific Mail Lottery Subsidy" shows that nearly twice \$750,000 was used to procure this subsidy.

The copyright laws of this country require that two volumes of every publication shall be deposited in the Congressional Library.

We have given considerable space in our columns the last two weeks to articles on the finance question.

THE DOUBLE MURDER.

We give below the confession of Bennett and Hickman, who committed the murder near Galien, an account of which was given in the Record some time since.

The following is Bennett's confession:

I reside in Mr. Turnock's jail in South Bend. Am one of the defendants in this murder trial. My home previously was in Galien township, Berrien county, Michigan.

We got up that night about half an hour or an hour after we went to bed. We went from there to Chihanski's house.

We went there to murder Chihanski and his wife. Hickman had been at me for two weeks to do the deed, the murder of Chihanski and his wife.

Hickman about 2 o'clock. After that went southwest about eighty rods and picked up raspberries until 8 or 4 o'clock.

The following is the confession of Hickman:

Being under sentence for life concluded to make a clean breast of the murder in all its details.

We tried to get out of the jail three feet long. Both were out on the way.

We went back to the jail and hid in the room we were burning dimly.

On getting outside we went down the road toward Fenton's. The distance to the Polders was about two miles.

We concluded, therefore, that free banking under the Senate bill, if it should become a law, will result in a considerable expansion.

This paper has supported free banking as the next best thing to a uniform currency composed of greenbacks.

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The Senate Finance Bill.

The finance bill adopted by the Senate on Tuesday last is not a very sweeping measure. It practically covers but two points: 1. Free banking.

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well. Each week after that time, when they go to the postoffice and do not get their paper, they will go home sadder but wiser men, and each week after that they will go home sadder and still less wise, until they comply with the above mentioned arrangement.

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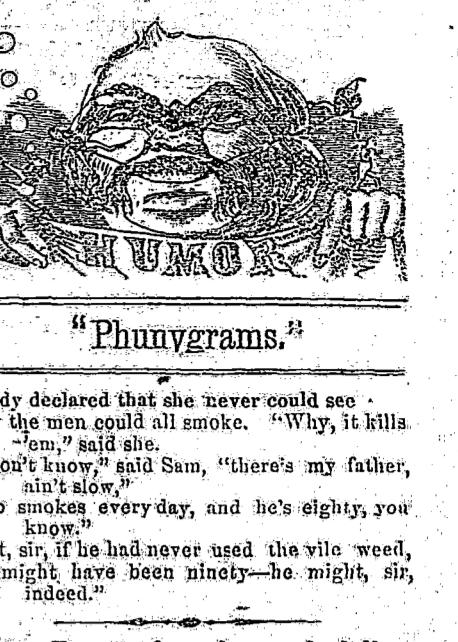
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