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C. BROAD

HOW THE WORD BOSTON WAS MADE.

A writer in *Good News* thus incidentally mentions the curious derivation of the name Boston: Lincolnshire, or Lindissey, as the land south of the Humber was formerly called, received the Gospel from the good Bishop Paulinus, in the seventh century. In the same century a pious monk, known as St. Botolph, or Bot-holph—that is Boat-help—founded a church at a place called Y-cean-ho. The town which grew up around it was called "Botolph's Town," contracted into Bot-olphs-ton, Bot-os-ton, and finally Boston. It was from this town that Rev. John Cotton came to America, and gave the same name to the seaport in which he settled in Massachusetts. St. Botolph, or Boat-help, is the patron saint of sailors, and the spire of his church supports, 300 feet in air, a lantern visible at sea for forty miles, thus both lighting the worshippers home from the stormy sea, and pointing their way to the haven of rest. It was under the shadow of the tower of that old church Jean Bigelow was born.

The Danbury *News* gives an account of the vicissitudes of life as experienced by a young man in that place. He went to see a young lady, previously just having been to an oyster supper. As he neared the house he saw her father standing on the steps, and hailed him, "Hello old Tadpole; z'at you? Where ish my lovely gaz-zelle? Where is my love now dreamin'?" The father looked at the young man, and thinking he wanted something, plaeed his hand sadly on his shoulder, turned him around, and filled the space under his coat tail with leather. The young man don't go there any more; he says small-pox is hereditary in the family.

FIVE CHILDREN WITHIN EIGHT MONTHS. The St. Joe (Mo) *Herald* of Feb. 15th, is responsible for the following account of the remarkable occurrence of a lady in that vicinity giving birth to five children within the space of eight months. It says that "in June last, Mrs. John Ward, who lives near King Hill, about two miles south of this city, gave birth to a pair of twins, both of whom survived only a few days. On Wednesday night of this week (Feb. 11), she astonished her husband and all her friends—and doubtless herself, too—by bringing into this world three children, two boys and one girl. The boys weighed four pounds each, and the girl three pounds. All are doing well. It will be seen that Mrs. Ward has given birth to five children within the space of eight months.

CLEANLINESS.—It is deeply to be regretted that the practice of cleanliness is not more general than it is. People think they do enough when they keep their hands and faces clean, without bestowing the slightest attention on the rest of the skin, which, perhaps, knows nothing of the contact of soap and water from one year's end to the other. Appearances are kept up, and this, it is thought, is all that is necessary. We believe that this holds true of all classes alike—even of the wealthy, notwithstanding their immense advantages over the poor.

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Notice.
THE Board of Directors of the Lowell Horse and Agricultural Association will receive proposals for the exclusive privilege of furnishing board with the use of building during the June Fair. Proposals to be made by the first of May, accompanied by proposed security.
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Commissioner's Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COURT OF EASY, ss.—
Probate Court for said County, Estate of CHARLES M. STEVENS, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court of said county, Commissioners with full power and authority to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against the estate of Charles M. Stevens, late of said county, deceased, and six months from the 24th day of March, 1873, having been allowed by said Court to the creditors of said estate, in which to present their claims to the undersigned for examination and allowance. Notice is hereby given, that we will meet at the office of Perry & Look, in the village of Lowell, on Thursday, the 1st day of May, A. D. 1873, and on Thursday the 25th day of September A. D. 1873, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days for the purpose of examining and adjusting said claims.

Dated, March 21st A. D. 1873.
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The business will be carried on by the undersigned and all the money due the company received.
C. BROAD.

How THE WORD BOSTON WAS MADE.

A writer in *Good News* thus incidentally mentions the curious derivation of the name Boston: Lincolnshire, or Lindsissey, as the land south of the Humber was formerly called, received the Gospel from the good Bishop Paulinus, in the seventh century. In the same century a pious monk, known as St. Botolph, or Bot-holph—that is Boat-help—founded a church at a place called Y-ccean-ho. The town which grew up around it was called "Botolph's Town," contracted into Bot-olphs-ton, Bot-os-ton, and finally Boston. It was from this town that Rev. John Cotton came to America, and gave the same name to the seaport in which he settled in Massachusetts. St. Botolph, or Boat-help, is the patron saint of sailors, and the spire of his church supports, 300 feet in air, a lantern viable at sea for forty miles, thus both lighting the worshippers home from the stormy sea, and pointing their way to the haven of rest. It was under the shadow of the tower of that old church Jean Bigelow was born.

The Danbury News gives an account

of the vicissitudes of life as experienced by a young man in that place. He went to see a young lady, previously just having been to an oyster supper. As he neared the house he saw her father standing on the steps, and hailed him, "Hello old Tadpole; z'at you? Where ish my lovely gas-zelle? Where ish my love now dreamin'?" The father looked at the young man, and thinking he wanted something, placed his hand sadly on his shoulder, turned him around, and filled the space under his coat tail with leather. The young man don't go there any more; he says small-pox is hereditary in the family.

FIVE CHILDREN WITHIN EIGHT MONTHS.

The *St. Joe (Mo) Herald* of Feb. 15th, is responsible for the following account of the remarkable occurrence of a lady in that vicinity giving birth to five children within the space of eight months. It says that "in June last, Mrs. John Ward, who lives near King Hill, about two miles south of this city, gave birth to a pair of twins, both of whom survived only a few days. On Wednesday night of this week (Feb. 11), she astonished her husband and all her friends—and doubtless herself, too—by bringing into this world three children, two boys and one girl. The boys weighed four pounds each, and the girl three pounds. All are doing well. It will be seen that Mrs. Ward has given birth to five children within the space of eight months.

CLEANLINESS.—It is deeply to be

regretted that the practice of cleanliness is not more general than it is. People think they do enough when they keep their hands and faces clean, without bestowing the slightest attention on the rest of the skin, which, perhaps, knows nothing of the contact of soap and water from one year's end to the other. Appearances are kept up, and this, it is thought, is all that is necessary. We believe that this holds true of all classes alike—even of the wealthy, notwithstanding their immense advantages over the poor.

COULDN'T ENCOURAGE CANNI-

BALISM.—Two smart young men went into a downtown eating house the other day. They went smilingly up to the eating bar. When asked what they would have, they answered, "Monkey stew." "You can't have it. We provide it to other customers, but we are not believers in cannibalism." The young men weren't half as smiling when they left as when they entered.

THE WEEKLY JOURNAL.

JAS. W. HINE, Editor.

LOWELL, APRIL 23.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

LOWELL, APRIL 19, 1873.

The day for final adjournment has at length been fixed, but it is possible that the resolution will be rescinded, as it is impossible to dispose of all the work now before the Legislature within the prescribed time.

Following the adoption of this resolution which came from the House, the Senate adjourned from 10 1/2 o'clock this morning until Monday at 2 p. m.

The most important bill recently discussed is a new tax bill which changes the entire management of unpaid taxes, from the Auditor General's office to the various County Treasurers.

The joint resolution (Senate) on the woman suffrage question received 19 votes on its final passage, but as all proposed amendments to the Constitution require a two-thirds vote of all the members elect, it could only be placed in the pigeon hole labeled "dead."

The friends of the bill feel encouraged by the vote which was given for the resolution, and are ready to wager that at the next regular session (1875) a similar resolution will be easily gotten through both branches of the Legislature.

The Mineral Spring House of this city was opened about a week ago, and many of the members have sought a nook therein.

This is a popular resort, and in a few weeks every room in the house will undoubtedly be occupied.

A young lady named Helen McGaffney was thrown from a buggy, and instantly killed, at Marshall, on the 20th, while returning from church.

An immense anti-park meeting was held in Detroit on the 21st, in Young Men's Hall, and steps were taken to perfect ward organizations throughout the city.

CONFEDERATE BONDS.—The Supreme Court decides that Confederate war bonds issued by any State in aid of insurrection could not be treated in the same way as Confederate money which the court has before decided did not vitiate a contract, provided the contract was a lawful one.

ADVANCEMENT.—CHAPMAN'S SCRIPTION ENTERTAINMENT at Detroit. Many having expressed a desire that I should give another exhibition with my Scipion, I hereby as an additional attraction, make the following announcement extraordinary.

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THIRD DAY, JUNE 5. No. 7, Prizes \$1000.—Running, free for all; mile heats, 2 in 3, first \$500, second \$250, third \$150, fourth \$100.

FOURTH DAY, JUNE 6. No. 3, Prizes \$500.—Trotting, Green horses, mile heats, 2 in 3, first \$250, second \$125, third \$75, fourth \$50.

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LOCAL MATTERS. Church Directory. Congregational Church, Hudson St., services every Sabbath at 10:30 A.M. and 7 P.M.

Lowell Post Office—Time of Arrival and Closing of Mail. Eastern—Way, arrive 5:40 p.m.; close 10:10 a.m.

To Correspondents. All communications unless accompanied by the author's name, will be rejected.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS. Commencing January 1st, 1873, the terms of subscription of the Journal will be as follows:

To-Day's Advertisements. Scipion—A Chapman. Excelsior—C. French.

The Legislature has decided to adjourn on Friday of this week.

An employe of Pavilion & Quick had his hand slightly cut with a saw last week. Hill Bros. Foundry at Ionia, was destroyed by fire on the 16th.

We understand that Mr. A. J. Dean has traded his farm in Vergennes for the hotel property at Wood's corner.

The Congregational Social will be held at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Hatch, on Wednesday evening, April 30th.

Grand River will soon resume its natural bed. Our manufacturers will soon resume operations.

Tickets are out for the select party to be given at Train's Hall, May 1st. Music by Stocking's Band.

The bright sunshine of the past few days, has called out a large number of street corner loafers.

Mr. Thomas Gray, a freight conductor on the D & M R R was killed four miles this side of Grand Rapids, on the 17th.

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WHO SECONDS IT? We still survive—a fact for which we shall offer no apology. Having weathered the storms of the past winter, shored tons of snow to our great disgust and barely escaped becoming poor humanity crystallized, we wish these things known, and also that we have entered only one protest against that miserable old fellow called Winter—a forbearance worthy of imitation.

It is delightful, sitting in this blessed April sunshine, to know rheumatic pains and chilblains have forsaken us, that the hands which were paralyzed with cold are once more warm and nimble, the purple and red tinted nose of exaggerated dimensions has again assumed its normal proportions, and that there has been, in short, a general breaking up of ice, and the pieces have disappeared in smoke and vapor and running water.

Verbal delights is a subject capable of great expansion, and affords the studious youth a chance for a fine display of sentiment. Every spring since I was nine years old and wrote in calligraphic characters a composition, common in calligraphic characters, in the month of meeting "Spring" is the pleasantest month in the year.

Once in a while I receive letters from friends, sometimes business letters, and often have an opportunity of looking over documents of various descriptions, and am often delighted with the too frequent exhibition of fine orthography. Finding one misspelled word in a letter, will lessen my respect for the writer more than the fact would that he were beset and more to the moral law.

I wish people could see wherein true merit lies, and pay less attention to writing their names with remarkable flourishes, and more attention to the spelling book; less attention to coining long hair to curl and dispensing with the too frequent exhibition of fine orthography. Finding one misspelled word in a letter, will lessen my respect for the writer more than the fact would that he were beset and more to the moral law.

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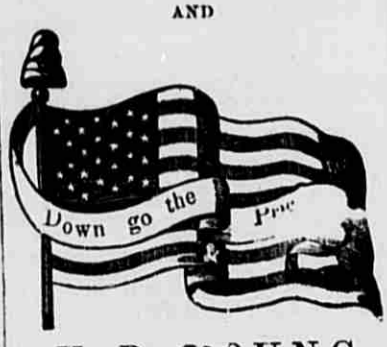
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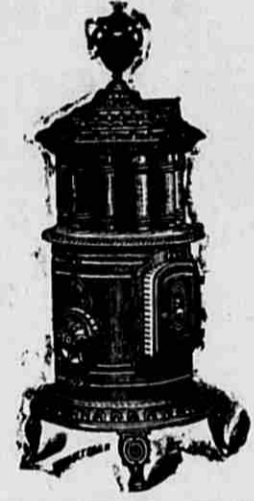
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