

A DOG SAFELY PLUNGES OVER NIAGARA FALLS.—The *Niagara Falls Gazette* says that a day or two ago a drayman threw his dog into the rapids near Goat Island Bridge, and immediately afterwards went to the foot of the ferry stairs and found him but little injured by the tremendous leap. The experiment was tried to convince some incredulous person.

United States.

In addition to the other wonderful discoveries lately made in the soil of the U. S., a prairie stone has been found yielding immense quantities of gas and saltpetre. It has suddenly risen from 6 to 8 dollars a cord, to 40 or 50.

GREAT EASTERN.—The Grand Trunk Railway Company intend suing the Directors of the Great Eastern for breach of contract. It is said that the agreement to bring the ship to the eastern terminus of the Grand Trunk was specific. On the faith of it the railway company made a large outlay for harbor accommodation at Portland. The Council of that city also expended \$60,000, and an immense amount of capital was invested by private citizens.

The *World* started in New York less than a month ago, has attained the extraordinary circulation of 30,000 copies.

It is stated that the Falls of St. Anthony, Minn., are rapidly undergoing a change; that during the spring of 1859 they receded about 250 feet at the middle of the river, and nearly 150 feet further this spring. The *St. Anthony Express* thinks, that in a few years, they will be destroyed altogether, leaving behind nothing but a long reach of rolling, tumbling rapids.

Coolies are getting numerous in Havana. A letter from that city says:—"We already begin to see idle and worthless Chinese in our streets in too large numbers for the safety of property. In Havana and suburbs, at this time we have between 38,000 and 39,000 white persons—all told, nearly 169,000."

FATAL ACCIDENT.—By Boston papers we learn that—

The ship *Abby of Granville* run into a pleasure craft with eleven persons on board in Boston harbour recently, and sunk the latter. Two females, 16 and 17 years of age, were drowned. Two other females were so much debilitated that their lives are despaired of.

The sales of the Baptist publishing house of Messrs. Sheldon & Co., New York, reach nearly half a million a year.

A gentleman lately had his leg amputated at the Massachusetts Hospital, Boston, in order to have an artificial leg applied. The amputated leg was four inches shorter than his fellow, but perfectly sound. The patient has walked for twenty-seven years upon a crutch.

A large part of West Washington Market in New York was destroyed by fire last week. A large number of fruit and vegetable stands were destroyed, and \$100,000 lost.

From an account of a trip of the Mission ship *Morning Star* to the Marquesas Islands, communicated by one of the missionaries to the *Honolulu Advertiser*, we learn that early in the present year the natives of Heteani, the station of Pohahu, attacked a village of the Types in September last, and killed six men, one of which they brought to their home, cooked and ate under the eyes of the missionary. They also took captive a boy whom they burnt alive. Pohahu says they made a large fire over which the boy was suspended and roasted, after being bound hand and foot. Captives are always sure of a terrible fate; nothing short of extermination, root and branch, of their enemies is thought of.

As a couple were about to be married in Greenfield on the morning of the fourth, the gentleman left the house and said he would return in a moment. Hour after hour elapsed and nothing was heard or seen of him until near night. It was then ascertained that he had loaned a friend \$26, and that he was leaving for New York, and the intended husband hearing of the fact put after him and got at the depot just as the train started and got aboard and followed him. He collected the money, and got off at Northampton, and failing to find the telegraph operator to send word to his wife, returned to Greenfield on foot, and was married immediately after.

A colored man named Thomas Thomas, otherwise "Eating Tom," died at Baltimore, on the 4th ult., from eating too many cucumbers the night before and drinking too much ice-water in the morning. He was 88 years of age. He has been known to eat a moderate sized ham with vegetables, &c., in proportion, at one meal; six large loaves of bread, with more than a quart of coffee or tea, would scarcely suffice for his breakfast or supper; a good sized goose or turkey would disappear from sight in a short space of time. His daughter would prepare a plum pudding and cook it in a bushel bag. This would serve him and two other as a dessert.

A funeral undertaker in South Boston, who has for years enjoyed the confidence of the public, has been detected in robbing coffins of their bodies and selling them to physicians.

In consequence of the Firemen's Riots on the 4th of July at New York, the Companies 13 and 21 were both ordered to be disbanded on the 23rd ult.

THE JAPANESE.—The Japanese visit, it is ascertained, will cost New York city \$100,000. Only \$30,000 was originally appropriated, and a supplemental appropriation of \$70,000 will therefore be necessary. Strong suspicions are entertained, that no small proportion of the sum with which it is now proposed to tax the city, is

to be appropriated to objects different from the entertainment of the Japanese.

The Japanese ambassadors, on leaving the country, deposited \$20,000 with Mr. Belmont to be distributed among the policeman of the several cities through which they passed, as an acknowledgment of their services in protecting them.

The shark caught by Capt. Rice, off Chelsea bridge, is now on exhibition in the big tank at the Aquarium Gardens, alive and well.

THE CROPS.—In no year for a long period of time, has the promise of an abundant and exuberant harvest of all kinds of grain been so great in Western New York as at present. The perils which have proved so fatal for many seasons to the great staples of this section, have been safely passed, and the farmer has but little to think of now, except the ingathering and the marketing of his great crops. The wheat harvest has fairly commenced, and probably next week will witness its close, with so much more material wealth added to the country. The yield of fruits, of all kinds, will fully average, if not surpass, that of the most prosperous season.

UNCOMPLIMENTARY.—The ball given by the Authorities of the city of New York, in honour of the Japanese visitors is spoken of as a most disgraceful affair. The correspondent of the *Boston Journal* says:—"The late ball is the theme of much indignant comment. Ten thousand bottles of wine was furnished for the occasion. They were resold out of the windows to coachmen and draymen. The ball was a loafer's jubilee—courtisans, street walkers, bullies, short boys, shoulder hitters, were at home in the crowd, for their friends were in power."

THE MORMONS.—A new programme for the Mormons is indicated in the Washington dispatches. It is now proposed that they shall emigrate to one of the East India islands, and reliable information is said to have been received that they will do so. The enterprise is to be carried out under the supervision of Capt. Walter M. Gibson, who will be remembered as having been imprisoned for some years by the Dutch authorities of one of the islands in question, and who has recently identified himself with the Mormon cause—if being at his suggestion that Brigham Young proposed to the Government to take the Mormons to Oceania, if an arrangement could be made by which they could be paid by Government for their improvements in Utah.

A CONTRAST.—A writer in the *New York Journal of Commerce* reminds us.—

"In the year 1860, the Atlantic Ocean is crossed by the largest and the smallest steamer that ever were borne across it. The *Great Eastern* from England to New York, and the *Seth Grosvenor*, of only 69 tons, from New York to Liberia."

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P. CARTERET HILL,
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Aug. 8.

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