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rights and should be abolished. We will never have a united nation until each state has control of its own internal affairs.

One feature noticeable to the stranger, and not at all creditable to the manners or sense of a certain class of our population, is the drawing. room air assumed by certain proprietors and clerks. There is nothing natural or direct about them. They will sit at their desks or stand behind the counters with starched dickies and high collars, a supercillious curl on their lips, a far away look in their eyes and a gait like a turkey-cock; and when you ask them a question they will hesitate before answering, assume a pose and after a while answer with a drawl in a listless and indifferent if not contemptuous manner. Such people as those who are so puffed up with a sense of their own importance, and never straightforward or natural are only imitations of men. They should be put in museums.

An amusing incident occurred in a boarding house on King St. this winter. It seems that the landlord didn't do much work, only pottered around and did the chores. Quite a number of Normal School students boarded there, and one morning the old man heard them singing "Everybody works but father," and taking it as a personal affront bounced them all out of the house.

The death of Postmaster Hilyard will necessitate a new appointment to the office. Who will it be?

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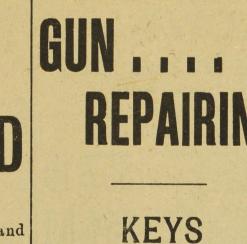
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