

PANTHER HUNTING.

DANGEROUS SPORTS IN THE WEST.

Bruce Weston's Thrilling Experience in Attempting to Capture a Cub Alive.

Bruce Weston, an old-time Arkansas hunter, followed his success on a panther's trail, and came up with them where they had treed the game in a big oak tree.



mother of the cub, ready for a spring. She was hardly three paces away. Without a second's delay Weston stepped from the branch he was standing on to one which brought him with the trunk of the tree between him and the old panther.

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It fell in the midst of the dogs below just as its mother sprung on the branch above the hunter's head.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

Items of Interest Gathered from Various Quarters.

Bill Arp has been lecturing in Savannah, Winchester, Va., has gone "dry" by a majority of 484.

A fire in Memphis destroyed \$25,000 worth of property.

The Rev. Ray Palmer, widely known as a writer of popular hymns, is dying at his home in Newark, N. J.

The new cotton oil company declare a purpose to build a mill at once at Montgomery, Ala.

The Attorney General informs the railroad companies that they need not charge fare to postal employees.

Fire in Troy, N. Y., destroyed the Cassell building, valued at \$100,000. There were several narrow escapes.

Judge Cooley, recently appointed on the Railroad Commission, has resigned the Receivership of the Wash railroad.

Severe cold is reported in Augusta and in various parts of Virginia. Peaches, strawberries and vegetables are killed.

Geo. E. Pratt, a young Englishman living in Savannah, now missing, is supposed to have been drowned or foully dealt with.

There are already about a dozen "post-ages" mentioned for the Charleston post-office place.

Emperor William received 1,648 telegrams congratulating him upon the anniversary of his birthday.

Cartoonist Nash has gone to Washington to pick up points about the capital swine.

The wife of Secretary Lamar is still dreaming amid the soft winds of sunny Georgia.

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Maurice Grau, of the Grand Opera Company, is in jail in Quebec for debts contracted by an absconding partner.

Governor Hill has again ordered the fire of New York women by declining to attend a charity ball at Fultonville, that State.

The Federal courts are suffering great inconvenience from the failure of Congress to appropriate funds for their expenses.

President N. E. Young, of the National Base Ball League, thinks that the new rules will work most admirably.

Mr. Ruskin's net profits from his peculiar system of publishing his own books are stated at \$20,000 for the last year.

Veal Paté.

Cut out the bone, and trim off all the fat and gristle which are put aside for the jelly. The lean part of the veal must then be chopped very fine, and any small particles of fat which may still remain it removed.

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BRIC-A-BRAC.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

Congressman W. L. Scott forgot to draw his salary as a member of Forty-ninth Congress until last Wednesday, when some one reminded him, while in Washington, that there was a balance of \$8,000 due him on that account.

John H. Flood, who holds a good position in the factory of the American Felt Company in Fall River, Mass., disappeared on the 14th inst. He was a man of regular but well controlled drinking habits, and leaves a wife and daughter in Fall River.

A flat containing three colored men, while crossing Cooper river on Friday was run into by the sheep-herding bottle, the flat was crushed, and all three of the occupants were drowned.

Gen. R. S. Ripley died of apoplexy Tuesday evening at the New York Hotel. The attending physician and nurse were the only ones present at his death.

It has just been announced that the Sultan of Turkey offered to Mrs. Cleveland shortly after her marriage the decoration of the Order of the Caliphate and that the latter declined it.

Gen. T. C. Reynolds, of Missouri, committed suicide at St. Louis Wednesday afternoon, by plunging into the elevator shaft of the custom house, at a point 80 feet from the ground.

The state of General Albert Sidney Johnston, just cast by the Ames Company in Chicago, stands 12 feet high and will cost \$18,000 when finished.

The friends and admirers of President James Morrison, of the Crescent Club of Baltimore, recently presented him with a ring that cost \$3,000.

Frank Fowler, a New York artist, has completed a portrait of the late Mr. Tilden, representing that statesman in the prime of life, before disease had touched him.

James C. Bayles, the newly appointed President of the New York Board of Health, was a member of District Assembly No. 51, Knights of Labor, of Orange and Newark, having joined it, he says, in order to thoroughly study the labor question.

A passenger train on the Iron Mountain railroad, near Hilliard, Mo., was derailed—killing a child and injuring several people.

A riot occurred at Panama Sunday night, owing to a military officer's residing arrest. Three men were killed and several others wounded.

Greensboro, N. C., has voted bonds to the amount of \$100,000 for public improvements. The vote stood 202 for issue and 20 against it.

Paul Tulane, philanthropist, and founder of Tulane University, New Orleans, died at Princeton, N. J., on Sunday night, aged 55 years.

Two seamen of the bark Vidette, from Boothbay, Maine, which encountered a heavy gale off St. Augustine, Fla., were washed overboard and drowned.

The Sanderson Steel Works, near Syracuse, N. Y., were destroyed by fire. Loss \$250,000. The works will be at once rebuilt on a larger and better scale.

The Charleston earthquake is to be discussed in a series of lectures, before the National Academy, by Capt. Clarence E. Dutton of the bureau of volcanic geology.

Dr. McGlynn's parishioners feel themselves freshly outraged by the removal of their favorite portrait from the front of the confessional box in St. Stephen's.

The Rev. Dr. R. Heber Newton, who has been in Philadelphia for some time, has sailed with his family on the Independence for New York for Southern Europe.

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Advertisement for a medical institute, including text and a small illustration of a building.

Advertisement for 'Women's' medicine, featuring a woman's portrait and text describing its benefits.

Advertisement for 'Pierce's Little Liver Pills', including a list of ailments and a small illustration.

Advertisement for 'Pianos and Organs', listing various brands and terms of sale.

Advertisement for 'Iron Tonic', describing its health benefits and availability.

Advertisement for 'Columbia Music House', a branch of Ludden & Bates' Southern Music House.

Advertisement for 'Mother Friend', a medicine for easing labor and childbirth.

Advertisement for 'Charlotte Male Institute', a school for young ladies in the South.

Advertisement for 'Pitts Carminative', a medicine for infants and teething children.

Advertisement for 'S. S. S. vs. Potash', comparing the two substances.