

Gigantic Land Swindle in the United States.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 19.—A gigantic swindle has been brought to light here today by the arrest of J. R. Ham, Edward L. Stevens, and George W. Miller on the requisition of Gov. Hubbard, of Texas. The charge is of forging land titles and issuing deeds for large tracts in Texas. An immense amount of land has been conveyed under many aliases. About a year ago the attention of Governor Hubbard was called to the matter, and on looking into it a monstrous swindle was detected, involving both Texas and the United States. The authorities at Washington were informed and a special agent sent out. He obtained a clue which has been closely followed resulting in the simultaneous arrest of sixty persons in different parts of the country. No less than thirteen court-houses were burned during the past year to destroy evidences against swindlers. The prisoners were taken to Texas today.

The Times in an account of the Texas land swindle says:—"One of the largest banking houses in Austin, Texas, two Chicago bankers, two real estate dealers, and others in St. Louis, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Cleveland, and Pittsburg, are to be or have been arrested." It also says that there has been a well organized system of forgery in full practice in the western country for eight or nine years. The same organization which is now forcing Texas scrip on the market has been perpetrating some most terrible forgeries. The mode of working is this:—They have agents in each district with attorneys in cities. An old woman or man of wealth falls sick and the doctors give her or him up, as likely to die. The person having been assured to die, and the gang having examined the records of property belonging to the doomed person, heirs are sought for and duly examined. Then deeds are prepared in due form, and the woman or man, each a member of the gang, appear before a Justice, and the dying person's property is duly deemed away before his death, his name forged, and that of his wife, and the same placed on record.

Our Confiding Friend.

He was a tall, carrot-haired youth, and appeared as if he had just emerged from an encounter with some not altogether well-disposed person, who had left him minus a hat, coat, and a portion of his nasal appendage. He came tearing down the road with a stick in his hand which measured three-quarters of an inch in diameter, at the rate of ten miles per hour, and long before he neared us we could hear him shouting, "See anything of my gal round here?" As he approached his pomposity gave way to shame, and he mounted the fence at the road side, stick in hand. His tongue was loose, however, as he had imbibed a little too freely, and he raised his hands, saying, "I could bite that stick clean in two." We said we had no doubt of it, and persuaded him to pour his sorrows into willing ears. He complied, and said:—"Stranger, you may think I'm drunk, but of I ketch Bill Mulligan I'll be eternally flabbergasted if I don't scoop his head into a soup dish for him, and brush the dust off his back with this ere root of mine! Stranger, I'm a ruined man!" and here he broke down—not in tears, but because the rail which supported him gave way—slighting head foremost on a large stone, and the only thing which saved him from fracture of the skull, was his thick crop of carrot-colored hair. After recovering his equilibrium he resumed his narrative:—"I've been to a dance up to Jefferson's, and had just the smartest gal in the whole female assembly, when Mose Anderson came along and said to me says he, 'Joe, don't sile that fine shirt I lent ye,' and stranger, I couldn't stand that, so I 'vited him down to the bar room to treat, and while we was buntin' one another 'round down there, Bill Mulligan he waltzed off home with my gal, and oh, stranger, I'd give all I'm worth if I could lay my hand on his poverty-stricken visage! Wouldn't I teach him not to meddle with my personal property! Wouldn't I!"

"Jane, it is eleven o'clock; tell that young man to please shut the front door from the outside."
Two country attorneys overtaking a wagoner on the road, thinking to break a joke with him, asked him why his fore-horse was so fat and the rest so lean? The wagoner, knowing them to be limbs of the law, replied, "That the fore horse was a lawyer and the rest were his clients."
THE RIGHT KIND.—There is an old story of a traveller sitting at a western hotel table. He ordered beefsteak for his breakfast, and the waiter presently brought a small piece on a large plate. The traveller turned it over, inspected it carefully, then said to the waiter, "Yes, that's the kind: now go and get me some as soon as you can."

SAVED BY GRACE.—When Mr. Hill was, some years ago, in Scotland, he was introduced to an aged minister, somewhat resembling himself in piety and eccentricity. The old man looked at him for some time very earnestly, and at length said: "Weel, I have been looking for some time at the heels of your face." "And what do you think of it?" said Mr. Hill. "Why, I am thinking that if the grace of God hadna changed your heart, you would have been a most tremendous rogue." Mr. Hill laughed heartily, and said: "Well you have hit the nail on the head."

THE DIFFERENCE.—A market gardener had a very fine cow that was milked week after week by hired men. He observed that the amount of butter he carried to market weighed about a pound more on each alternate week. He watched the men, and tried the cow after they had finished milking; but always found that there was no milk left in the teats. He finally asked the Scotch girl who took care of the milk if she could account for the difference. "Why, yes," she says. "When Jim milks he says to the old cow, 'So! my pretty muley, so But when Sam milks he hits her on the hip with the edge of the pail and says: 'Hist you old brute.'"

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