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SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 22.

AMUSEMENTS THIS DAY AND EVENING.

BOSTON MUSEUM.—Afternoon, "Rip Van Winkle." Evening, "Ours." — "The Iron Dog," and "Rem's Ideal Luck." ALFS and.

PARKER'S.—Afternoon and Evening, "Cousin Walter" Morgan, Jones Brown and Charles Keeler. Music—"Bow and Arrow." ALFS and.

HOWARD ATHENÆUM.—"Indian Reprieve." Variety Entertainment, and "Pocahontas." ALFS and.

MUSIC HALL.—Exhibition of Industry, and Sale of Tickets of "Battle of Gettysburg." Day and Evening.

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THE GROWTH OF NATION.

The commissioner made at the close of his last decade to writers who deal in figures on grand scale an invariable favorite to the United States, and, in spite of insurrection, arising out internal conflicts and faults of administration, the nation has been steadily on the rise. Present hour among civilized nations has made a career so prosperous and remarkable, and even France, has been drawn from the eternal strife which has made the growth of this country slower than it should have been, and has caused astonishment exceptional in the experience of modern nations. Since 1850, the population of the United States has advanced from eighteen millions to forty millions, and since 1850, its estimate taxable property from [illegible] to [illegible] billions. Of the other great nations the United Kingdom has to reasonable to thirty-one millions, and France by the annexation of Nice and Savoy to thirty-eight millions—some reckoning the latter. The war with Prussia and the annexation of the provinces of Alsace and Lorraine. The German Empire now has [illegible] European nations, overtaking it in the race for many years to come. Below the great increase of national revenue, and the rapid increase of national wealth, the nation has doubled its population in [illegible] years. The physical and moral results of this have been overwhelming. Education was a dream, and the schools, the colleges, the universities, the academies, the libraries, and, [illegible] the national, state, and municipal organizations, are growing from day to day with unprecedented rapidity. The treasury was a wreck, the credit of the Government was at the lowest point, the finances at the close of the war in 1865, seemed to be into confusion, which not [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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