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LE Public is respectfully informed that the Bee will be published in a few minutes after the receipt of the Mail Steamer.

We believe the Lady of Gore's is the most popular novelist of the day. Almost every one of her numerous novels has been reprinted in the United States, and the sale of each edition has been immense. Her last novel, "The Hamiltons," is now publishing in the Courier, and is attracting much attention. Besides the interest of the story, the work contains many sketches of character, which are drawn with a masterly hand. Those who have not yet subscribed to the Courier, should do so at once, and not miss the commencement of the novel.

COLD RAILWAYS.

The weather here is generally cool—but cold-blooded railways, that is, railways that are free from the snow, however, state that the cold accidents they suffer in the north-western region, as well as in the south, are not to be compared with the damage done to the railways in the Mississippi valley, by the heat and drought of the summer. Even in the thermometer was below zero as often as Dog-days in Maine. On the 24th November the Illinois Central Railroad was opened to Centralia, and the Evening Post of the 26th says, "Cars are now running on the road." The Ohio opposite Cincinnati was open for navigation, and the Mississippi hopes were entertained that it would continue open for some time longer. The mail, however, seems to be the most reliable business for an early arrival of Post may prove fallacious. The closing of the navigation at this season would leave the completion of the railroads which the Louisville interest will confer upon Portland have not yet had sufficient experience to suffer from all elemental accidents, except those which are common to the whole country, and which a complete and generally recognized remedy has been applied in the shape of steam. A hurricane can blow down a train as well as a house, without leaving upon them a trace to mark its power, and a snow storm from thirty machinery or the ignorance and carelessness of the engineer. Accidents of this kind are by far the safest as it is tolerably safe to calculate upon.

The Illinois Central Railroad is the most important of the railroads which will confer upon the Mississippi valley the benefits of cheap transportation between distant places hitherto known