

# Cass City Enterprise.

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BY MACK M. WICKWARE.

## Professional Cards.

**E. L. ROBINSON,**  
VETERINARY SURGEON—Office at residence,  
Cass City.

**HENRY C. WALES,**  
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. Agent for Caro  
Marble Works and Fire Insurance. Of-  
fice day—Saturday.

**A. D. GILLIES,**  
NOTARY PUBLIC. Deeds, mortgages, etc.,  
carefully executed. Office, Main street, Cass  
City, Mich. Money to loan on Real Estate  
Also auctioneering.

**DR. N. MCCLINTON,**  
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON and Accoucheur.  
Graduate of the University 1865. Office  
first door over Feltz's drug store. Specialty—  
Diseases of women and nervous debility.

**I. A. FRITZ,**  
DENTIST. All work done equal to the best.  
It is my aim to make every job of work  
a blessing to those for whom it is done. My  
prices are reasonable. No charge for exami-  
nation. Office over Fritz Bros' drugstore.  
Not at home on Tuesdays.

**INSURANCE.**  
Fidelity Mutual Life Association of Phila-  
delphia, issues policies to males or females,  
forty, twenty years or for life at very low  
rates.  
**J. E. TRACHENA,** J. H. McLEAN,  
State Agent. Medical Examiner.

## Lodges.

**I. O. F.**  
COURT ELKLAND, No. 826, meets the sec-  
ond and 4th Tuesdays of each month at  
8:30 p. m. local time. Visiting brethren in  
vicinity are invited to attend.  
M. H. EASTMAN, C. R.

**E. O. F.**  
CASS CITY LODGE, No. 293, meets every Wed-  
nesday evening at 7:30. Visiting brethren cor-  
dially invited.  
J. C. LAING, N. G.  
J. A. McDOUGALL, Secretary.

**K. O. T. S. E.**  
Cass City Tent, No. 74, meets the 6th Friday  
evening of each month, at 7:30. Visiting Sir  
Knights cordially invited.  
A. D. GILLIES, REFORMS KEEPER.  
TAS. McARTHUR, COMMANDER.

## Tyler Lodge.

Regular communications of TYLER LODGE,  
No. 317, F. & A. M., for 1891; Jan. 24, Feb. 21,  
Mar. 21, Apr. 18, May 23, June 20, June 24,  
(St. John.) July 18, Aug. 15, Sept. 12, Oct. 17,  
Nov. 14 (election of officers) Dec. 12  
HENRY STEWART, W. M.  
A. H. ALB, Secretary

## Mrs. H. S. Wickware

Wishes to announce to the public that as  
she did not succeed in selling out her  
Millinery Business, she visited  
Detroit, and while there made  
a selection of the

## Newest Styles

—AND—

## Choicest Goods

TO BE FOUND IN THE CITY.

Thanking customers for their patron-  
age in the past, would invite all who wish  
anything in this line to call and inspect,  
as goods and prices will please pur-  
chasers.

Also Stamping Done To Order.

Still in same store, Pinney Block.

MRS. H. S. WICKWARE.

## BUSINESS POINTERS.

C. D. Striffler sold three Sewing Ma-  
chines in one day last week. How is  
that, American and New Home Ma-  
chines?

Just received at C. D. Striffler's a  
complete line of Fall and Winter Dry  
Goods. Call and see them.

## NOTICE!

All persons owing me on book account  
will greatly oblige me by settling same  
before October 1st, as I have bills to  
meet and will need the money promptly  
by that date.

Respectfully,  
9-18 W. J. CAMPBELL.

## FOR SALE.

I have for sale a good dwelling house  
and 1 1/2 acres of land, situated near the  
Presbyterian parsonage in Cass City.  
Inquire at Adam Muck's blacksmith  
shop -18 N. GABLE.

Go to C. D. Striffler's for a complete  
line of Boots and Shoes. Prices lower  
than lowest.

## FOR SALE.

One good second hand bicycle. In-  
quire of A. W. SHARRARD.

## NOTICE!

All owing me on book account are re-  
quested to call and settle.  
10-9 E. F. MARR.

Job printing neatly executed at  
the ENTERPRISE office.

**Bucklen's Arnica Salve.**  
The best salve in the world for Cuts,  
Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum,  
Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped hands,  
Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Erup-  
tions and positively cures Piles, or no  
pay required. It is guaranteed to give  
perfect satisfaction, or money refunded.  
Price 25 cents per box. For sale by  
Fritz Bros.

## ATTENTION FARMERS

WE HAVE  
**MONEY**  
TO LOAN  
AT 7 PERCENT!

On Farms in Tuscola and adjoining  
Counties.  
Real Estate bought, sold and ex-  
changed.

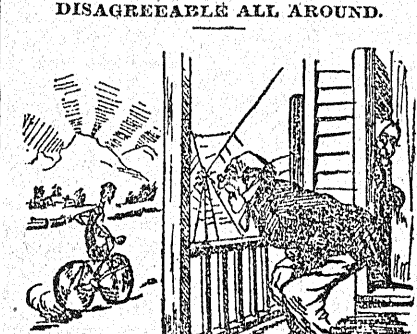
## Webster & Crawford,

Props. Oakland Co. Abstract Books,  
PONTIAC, MICH.

## CASS CITY MARKETS.

CORRECTED EVERY THURSDAY NOON.	
Wheat, No. 1 white.....	90
Wheat, No. 2 white.....	85
do No. 2 red.....	83
do No. 3 red.....	81
Oats.....	20 @ 26
Beans hand-picked.....	150 @ 125
do un-picked.....	100 @ 125
Potatoes.....	20 @ 20
Rye.....	50 @ 70
Burley.....	80 @ 120
Clover seed.....	40 @ 57 1/2
Pas per bushel.....	30 @ 40
Buckwheat.....	30 @ 35 1/2
Pork, live weight.....	3 75
Pork, dressed.....	500 @ 5 50
Butter.....	roll 15
Eggs.....	16
Wool, unwashed.....	15 @ 22
Wool, washed.....	22 @ 32

## DISAGREEABLE ALL AROUND.



Mr. Scarsdale (who never whispers)  
—Just come out here a minute, O'delia.  
Here's th' worst-lookin spider you ever  
see.

Pointbeard—Shut up, you insulting  
Hayseed!—Judge.

## Caught On The Fly.

We want a few cords of wood on sub-  
scription. Remember we are headquarters for  
auction bills.

K. S. Work has sold his horse and  
buggy to Elder Curry.

A. Frutehey is numbered among the  
sick people this week.

Mrs. and Miss Simmons, of Canada,  
are visiting at Dugald McIntyre's.

J. F. Hendrick reports having sold a  
number of wedding presents of late.

Yerrington's college, at St. Louis, Mich,  
has double the attendance of a year ago.

A baby girl appeared at the home of  
Robert Brown, in Novesta, last Tues-  
day.

Robert Walmsley, who is teaching a  
school in Elwood township, sojourned in  
town Tuesday night.

Rev. Williamson, of Almont, has ar-  
rived and preached his first sermon in  
the M. E. Church last Sunday.

Ed. Silvers and family have moved into  
the Hart horse at the corner of Main  
and Oak streets.

Zach Battle came home on Saturday  
last from Pontiac where he has been  
during the summer.

Hiram Harrington and wife, of Wood-  
stock, Ont., were visiting at Henry Rob-  
inson's the past week.

Miss Jessie Clark has opened up a  
dressmaking shop in the rooms first door  
west of Wallace's harness shop.

J. S. Landon, of Lansdown, Ont., is  
here on a visit to his son D. J. Landon,  
and his daughter, Mrs. J. H. Eno.

Mrs. J. F. Hendrick leaves to-day for  
a months visit in Ohio. She will be ac-  
companied by Mrs. A. Boomhower, of  
Greenleaf.

Dugald McIntyre will give four pieces  
of parlor furniture to some of his cus-  
tomers January 1st. Call at his store and  
learn the plan.

Master Orin Marr had a number of his  
little friends help him celebrate his eighth  
birthday Monday evening. 'Twas a rous-  
ing celebration.

Misses Cora and Edith Farrar are vis-  
iting their father at Lansing this week.  
They will also visit relatives at Morris  
before returning home.

Who says that Grover Cleveland is not  
a patriotic man?

Miss Nellie Meredith returned Tues-  
day night from Owosso, where she had  
been visiting at S. Botsford's for some  
time.

J. D. Brooker's Clydesdale horse,  
"Blackburn" carried away first premium  
in the registered Clydesdale class at the  
Caro fair.

Henry W. Robinson and his sister  
Carrie attended the wedding of Miss  
Mary Battle to Richard Parr, at the  
bride's home, on Wednesday last.

H. W. Robinson was at Berne and  
Caseville the fore part of the week. He  
says that some of the farmers in that  
vicinity are just cutting their oats.

K. S. Work and family expect to take  
up their residence in Cleveland, Ohio, in  
about two weeks. J. H. Winegar and  
family will occupy Mr. Work's house.

Look out for the fellow who tries to  
sell you silverware polish at 25c a box.  
He is said to be a fraud and just as good  
an article can be made from ashes and  
salt.

John Marshall captured first prize  
with his sheep at the Caro fair. He sold  
quite a few of them to farmers in that  
vicinity and has gone to Canada to pur-  
chase a few more thorough-breds.

G. H. Slocum, with his usual enter-  
prise, is about to publish a book contain-  
ing a business history of Caro and northern  
Tuscola county. The Caro councilmen  
have wisely voted to take five hundred  
copies.

R. H. Fry, who lives three miles north  
and three miles east of Cass City, will  
have an auction sale of stock and im-  
plements on Tuesday, Oct. 20th, at 12 o'clock  
sharp. J. H. Striffler will be the auc-  
tioneer.

The Epworth League will give a pump-  
kin pie social at the residence of Robert  
Brown, on Tuesday evening, Oct. 13th.  
Ten cents will be charged for the refresh-  
ments and the proceeds will go into the  
organ fund. All are invited.

"Doctor," said a grateful patient  
seizing the physician's hand, "I shall  
never forget that to you I owe my life."  
"You exaggerate," returned the doctor  
mildly, "you owe me for only fifteen vis-  
its. This is the point which I hope you  
will not fail to remember."

The war between Michigan and Kid-  
ney Cure Warner, the carpet-bagger  
claimant to the ownership of Mason is-  
land, is getting very warm. Men from  
Bay Port recently cut the barb-wire fence  
around the accretions and destroyed  
Warner's sailboat. A party is being  
formed to engage in a wholesale slaugh-  
ter of ducks at the island this week.—  
Evening News.

DIED.—On Saturday evening last at  
her residence in this city, Mrs. Willet  
Wright, aged fifty-seven years. The de-  
ceased had been in very poor health for  
more than three years previous to her  
death. The funeral was held in the Bap-  
tist Church Monday, and was conducted  
by Rev. Mr. Curry Sr. Undertaker Mc-  
Keazie had charge of the remains which  
were interred in the Elkland cemetery.

Ed. Predmore, of Romeo, has been in  
Caro the past week, and has charge of  
two beautiful trotters "Harry C.,"  
owned by a Romeo man, and "Nellie Bly,"  
the property of a flint person. Ed is a  
thorough horse trainer, and in this re-  
spect inherits his father's qualities, Mr.  
Predmore being one of the most experi-  
enced horsemen in the country.—Caro  
Advertiser. Mr. Predmore is a relative  
of Amos Predmore of this place.

The gentlemen (?) who stole a whip  
from the buggy of O. A. Withey on Sun-  
day evening, while it was standing at  
the M. E. Church, will be rewarded with  
many thanks if he will return the same.  
Mr. Withey says that he has lived in  
this township for the past twenty-seven  
years and never stole anything from his  
neighbors, not even a watermelon, and  
sees no reason why anyone should steal  
from him.

Three busy places. We refer to the  
Cass City Roller, Planing and Woolen  
Mills. Therein everything is hustle,  
bustle. The roller mill is kept humming  
day and night while the hustling firm of  
Landon, Eno & Keating are "up to their  
ears in work," and Henry Robinson &  
Son have their "hands full" indeed. There  
are many other busy places that we might  
mention, among which is the ENTERPRISE  
office. We're all hustlers in this part of  
the world anyway.

The editor of the Pentwater News is in-  
disposed, with symptoms of a grippé,  
epizootic, hay fever and the blues, and  
wants to know if anybody in Michigan  
can beat the combination. The Charle-  
voix Democratic man, who has sore  
thumbs and soot in both eyes and down  
one side of his nose, and who explains that  
he has been too busy putting down  
carpet and putting up stoves to do liter-  
ary work, might enter in the handicap.—  
[Evening News]

## NEARLY SCALPED.

CHAS. STONE FALLS FROM A BARN AND HAS  
HIS SCALP NEARLY TORN OFF.

Chas. Stone, a resident of Evergreen  
township, was assisting in the raising of  
a barn at Shabbona Wednesday, when  
his foot slipped and he was suddenly  
precipitated to the ground, a distance of  
about twenty-five feet, landing on his  
head. His scalp was nearly torn off, but  
fortunately his skull was not fractured.  
Dr. McLean, of this place, was called to  
attend him, and sowed the wound up.  
The Dr. says Mr. Stone will recover in  
due time, but it is a miracle how he es-  
caped with as slight injuries as he re-  
ceived when the distance of his fall and  
the manner of landing is taken into con-  
sideration.

## The "Two Mere Boys" Got There Just The Same.

Prof. Bartholomew the aeronaut, sent  
two mere boys to make the balloon ascen-  
sations at the Cass City fair. A very  
satisfactory ascension was made on  
Friday, although the boy injured his leg  
somewhat, in making the parachute  
drop. The professor feels more at home  
on the ground, it is said, and boys who  
are fool-hardy enough to undertake this  
hazardous work, seems to be more  
plentiful than ever.—Caro Democrat.

Prof. Waite, was the twenty five year  
old "boy" who made the ascensions at  
this place, and entertained the people  
as well as Prof. Bartholomew could  
have done we think. Editor Slocum  
received a wrong impression of Prof.  
Waite. This gentleman has been en-  
gaged in the balloon business for the  
past five years, and seven of his many  
ascensions and parachute drops were  
made at the Detroit Exposition. His  
ascension and drop at this place on the  
last day of the fair was far more excit-  
ing and daring than one made by Prof. Ka-  
berch at Caro last Friday. The associa-  
tion is well pleased with the way the  
aerial part of the program was carried  
out.

## Jockey Hurt at Caro.

Chas. Leland's jockey from Portland  
was hurt while riding a horse owned by  
a Mr. Gunn, of Mayville, at the fair last  
Wednesday. Young Leland had his leg  
caught between the face and saddle in-  
juring the knee cap and skinning his  
shin bone. He collected enough money  
to return home. Caro Advertiser.

## Wears a Silk Plug.

W. J. Cloakey, agent at this place for  
the Singer sewing machine and an all-  
around good fellow, sold more sewing  
machines during the last three months  
than any other agent for the above  
machine in Michigan, and was presented  
with an elegant silk plug hat by the  
company. Will acted as drum major  
for the Cass City band at Caro last  
Friday, and his new plug hat was used  
to a good advantage.

## Oh! How Fishy.

We clip the following from the Bad  
Axe Tribune. It smells rather fishy,  
but perhaps it is because Bad Axe is  
located within a few miles of the bay.

"In conversation with 'Little Mark'  
since the Fair in reply to the question:  
'How was trade during the Fair?' he said:  
'How was trade? Shall I give you some  
figures?' Being answered in the affir-  
mative he said: The second day of Fair  
1890 the cash sales at my store  
amounted to \$397 00 and we thought it  
a pretty good days trade. But Wednes-  
day, the second day my clerks did up and  
gave in exchange for cash \$1200, worth  
of goods. This you see was \$333,00  
better than last year's business. I call  
that a nice trade. Our store was full  
all the time and though I had twelve  
clerks lots of customers were obliged to  
go away as they could not be accom-  
modated.'"

## Presented With a Gold Watch and Chain.

Rev. Gilchrist and family left for Vas-  
sar last week Thursday, where they will  
reside for an indefinite period. On the  
evening previous to their departure, a  
farewell party was given at the residence  
of T. H. Fritz in honor of Rev. Gilchrist.  
Over one hundred and fifty persons were  
present and the occasion will be a mem-  
orable one for the Elder. He was pre-  
sented with a fine gold watch and chain  
by the members of his congregation and  
friends, as indisputable evidence of  
their appreciation of the good work  
done by him while pastor of the M. E.  
Church and a resident of this place.  
Mr. Howe made the presen-  
tation speech to which (though  
greatly effected) the reverend gentleman  
responded, and thanked them all most  
heartily for the respect and esteem  
shown him. Ice cream and cake were  
served and about 11 o'clock the assem-  
blage dispersed, after wishing Rev. Gil-  
christ and family God speed in their  
new field of labor.

## Orange Blossoms.

The marriage of Richard Parr, one of  
Elkland's most thrifty and well-to-do  
young farmers, to Miss Mary Battle, oc-  
curred at the residence of the bride's par-  
ents, north-east of Cass City, Wednesday  
afternoon.

The ceremony was performed by Rev.  
Williamson, and over forty invited  
guests were present. The happy couple  
took the evening train south for Canada,  
where they will spend the honey-moon  
visiting relatives and friends, after which  
they will return and take up their resi-  
dence on a farm near here. The bride  
and bride-groom were the recipients of  
many beautiful and useful presents, a  
list of which follows:

Mr. and Mrs. J. Battle, dinner set;  
Zach Battle, set of silver knives and  
forks; D. Battle, set of silver spoons;  
Anna Battle, bible stand; Willie Battle,  
teapot stand; Mrs. R. Parr, table linen;  
Anna and Lucinda Parr, silver pickle  
cruet; Emma Parr, syrup pitcher; Geo.  
Parr, china cup and saucer; Hattie Parr,  
teapot stand; Anna and Wesley Wilson,  
set silver knives and forks; Ida and Sar-  
ah Wilson, hand painting; Henry and  
Carrie Robinson, silver cake basket;  
Hector McDermott, parlor lamp; Hugh  
McDermott, fruit plate; J. F. Hendrick,  
set of fruit knives; Anna McLean, pair  
of linen towels; Mary McColl, two parlor  
rockers; Kate Waters, silver butter knife  
and sugar shell; Will Waters, silver  
pickle cruet; Geo. Gray, parlor lamp;  
Clara Gray, table scarf; Emily Gray, tidy;  
John and Mary Cole, bed spread and  
Jonathan Wilson, crumb tray and brush.

## The Caro Fair.

The Caro fair opened Tuesday of last  
week and by Wednesday the managers  
were fully convinced of the success of  
the fair in a financial sense at least, ow-  
ing to the large number of tickets sold  
up to that time. The Caro merchants  
are to be complimented on the display  
they made in the floral hall. Nearly  
every merchant in Caro had a good  
assortment of the goods in their respec-  
tive lines, on exhibition. The display of  
horses, cattle, sheep, poultry and swine,  
was good. The races on Wednesday,  
Thursday, and Friday were quite excit-  
ing, as there were some pretty good  
horses entered. On Friday shortly after  
dinner occurred the G. A. R. drill. The  
following posts were present: Milo War-  
ners Post, Cass City, 30; T. B. Myers  
Post, Gagetown, 24, with drum corps;  
Burlingham Post, Akron, 23; Whiteside  
Post of Caro, 61, also members from  
Millington, Tuscola, Unionville and  
Mayville, and together with the bands  
formed a column of nearly 500.

## No More Broken Eggs.

For some time to come every purchaser  
of \$20 worth of goods at Crosby's  
Boot & Shoe House, will be presented  
with a patent egg case. The device is a  
simple but effective one. It consists of a  
neatly painted tin box with handle, and  
will hold twelve dozen of eggs. A good  
illustration of this useful article is given  
in Mr. Crosby's new ad. this week.

## He Was No Fool.

A managing editor tells this story of  
how he failed to get the best of a corres-  
pondent: "News was scarce and the  
prospects for getting out an interesting  
paper in the morning were poor indeed,  
when from a small but prosperous and  
supposedly pious little Illinois town  
came this dispatch.  
'Fifty of our best citizens arrested  
to-night for playing poker.'  
'In a jiffy I wired the correspondent.  
'Rush details and all the names.'  
'While awaiting the story my spirits  
rose as I pictured the effect of the  
bucolic sensation on the first page. The  
prospects of a dry paper were just about  
disappearing as I thought how in-  
teresting the story would be (fifty pro-  
minent citizens in a small town like—  
you know, means pretty much the whole  
town,) when there came on the wire, not  
the correspondent's story, but his re-  
ply to my order:  
'I am no—fool. I expect to live  
in this town several years.'—The Ar-  
gonaut.

## In Bad Humor.

Editor's Child—What's the matter  
with papa to-day? He's in an awful  
bad humor.  
Editor's Wife—Yes, my dear. The  
regular funny man of the paper is sick,  
and your father is trying to keep the de-  
partment going.—Good News.

Everybody predicts a cold winter and  
lots of snow, so look out for an open win-  
ter.

The band boys propose to give an  
oyster supper and concert next Friday  
night. Everybody is invited to turn out  
and have a good time.

Last Monday the postoffice at this  
place was made an international money  
order office. Money orders payable  
anywhere in the world can now be issued,

## Happenings on the Hill.

Several new pupils entered school this  
week.

Our high school choir is furnishing us  
with some very fine music for morning  
exercises.

The pupils in the physics class are  
doing some very nice work now on the  
subject of falling bodies.

Miss Bertha Hendrick, of North  
Branch, who was visiting Maty Higgins,  
made us a visit last Monday.

One of the pleasant things of our  
opening exercises this week was an excel-  
lent biography of Lowell, given by  
Ella Bader.

The names of Ada McQuillan and Clar-  
ence Boulton have been added to our  
high school enrollment.

Gertie Duggan and Lula Perkins are  
in school again. They have been out  
of school for some time on account of  
illness.

We are having and will continue to  
have some literary work in the line of  
biographies, essays, recitations, decla-  
mations, etc., as part of our morning  
exercises.

Bell Munroe, a former high school  
pupil, was a visitor last week. Belle  
commenced her school this week and if  
her work as teacher is as thorough as  
her work when a student, she will teach  
a good school.

Our school catalogues are about fin-  
ished, and we will again say, that we  
hope every home will be supplied with  
one in order that the parents may know  
what is expected of the pupils and assist  
them in fulfilling their duties.

Two members of the board put in a  
whole day visiting last week. Others  
please follow suit. Some pupils say  
that they (the pupils) felt embarrass-  
ed, which fact is owing to not being  
visited very often. Of course, we all  
want a good school, then why don't we  
do our duty by being present once and a  
while and see what the pupils are doing,  
and encourage them (also the teachers)  
by taking and interest in their work  
and in the school.

We can not give any better evidence  
of the fact that our high school pupils  
are interested in their work, and are  
workers than the evidence manifested  
one day last week when an exercise  
could not be demonstrated by any  
pupil in the class and one being asked  
which they preferred—to be shown the  
demonstration or work it out for them-  
selves—every member preferred to do  
the work for himself. It has been one of  
our principle aims to teach the pupils  
to think and work for themselves, and  
we are pleased that our pupils are see-  
ing the importance of this fact more and  
more every day, and are putting it into  
practice by doing good, faithful work.

## He Keeps Prize Winners.

John Murphy, with his blooded stock,  
captured fourteen first and five sec-  
ond prizes at the Cass City fair and  
the Bad Axe fair. The premium  
by his stock this fall amounts  
eighty dollars. Mr. Murphy says  
is considerable satisfaction in keeping  
stock of this kind.

## "Bag" Parties.

A bag party is quite the latest thing.  
The striped paper used by grocers is  
pasted into the form of huge bags.  
These are then made to envelope youths  
and madens, being tied tightly around  
their necks and having openings for  
the feet. These latter settle the sex  
but as to who of the sex is bagged is left  
for the guessers, as another bag covers  
the head, is tied about the neck and has  
eye slits. Each person in the audience  
deposits a guess signed with his or her  
name, in a box in front of the gusser.  
Then at a given signal the bags burst  
and the butterflies emerge heated but  
radiant, to prove how entirely mistaken  
everybody is about everybody else.  
The one making the greatest number of  
correct guesses during the evening wins a  
prize.

James Houston, superintendent of the  
P. O. & N. railroad, was in town last Fri-  
day.

The "Star" is the name of a new paper  
published at Saginaw, west side. It is a  
promising sheet.

Miss Ella Wallace has been engaged to  
teach the school in district No. 4, which  
will commence Jan. 1st.

Wm. McKenzie was awarded the con-  
tract for building the school house in  
district No. 4, Elkland, for the sum of  
\$1039.50.

"More than a success" is the way the  
Vassar Pioneer speaks of the fair held at  
that place. The exhibition was good  
the races exciting and the attendance  
large. The receipts will aggregate nearly  
if not quite \$4,000, which is over \$500  
more than ever before. This has indeed  
been a successful year for fairs in this  
county.

THE LUCKY ONES.

GOV. WINANS APPOINTS DICKINSON COUNTY'S OFFICIALS.

Also Appoints Members of Different Boards and Commissions.—Strange Abduction at Kalamazoo.

Gov. Winans' Appointments.

Gov. Winans has appointed the following officers for the new county of Dickinson: Sheriff, Patrick O'Connor; county clerk, John Frederick; register of deeds, Hugh McLaughlin; treasurer, A. F. Wright; commissioner of schools, L. P. Parmenter; assessor, Albert Augustus C. Cook; coroners, David Bergeron and Alexis Patenaude, all of Iron Mountain; judge of probate, Patrick Flanagan, Norway; circuit court commissioner, Donald Cameron, Norway; surveyor, J. L. Buell, Quinnesec.

The governor also made the following appointments on Tuesday, Wm. M. Hathaway, Grand Rapids, agent of the state board of corrections and charities for Kent county; Jane M. Kinney, Port Huron, and T. H. Hinchman, Detroit, delegates to the national prison congress at Pittsburgh, Oct. 15; A. C. Maxwell, Bay City, John W. Chaplin, Grand Rapids, and Sullivan M. Chuteau, Detroit, members of the commission authorized by the last legislature to confer with representatives from other states, with a view to securing greater uniformity of laws relating to marriage and divorce, settlement of estates, execution of deeds, etc.

Sold Whisky to Nine Year Old Boys.

People in the vicinity of the Half Way House, near Muskegon Heights, Muskegon, run by Joseph Gagnon, the other day saw five little boys under the influence of liquor, none of the boys being over nine years of age. Two were sober enough to be sent home, but the other three were so drunk they could not open their eyes. They were taken to police headquarters and physicians called. Two of the boys were heavily intoxicated, but they got the whisky at Gagnon's. Gagnon was arrested, charged with selling liquor to minors. He waived examination and was bound to the circuit court. Bail at first was fixed at \$2,000, but when it was learned the boys would recover it was reduced to \$300.

A Very Strange Case.

Sheriff Downey, of Kalamazoo, is investigating the case of May Potter, a young girl who mysteriously disappeared some days since. She is the daughter of Mrs. Charles Hatch and was working out, although but fifteen years of age. A strange woman called on her and the girl was traced to the house of William Keep, a widower of Alam. The latter kept her secret and denied that she was there, but her mother noticed some of her clothing on the line in the yard and with the aid of the officers secured her. The girl finally admitted that Keep had intimidated her and forced her to live with him, and she said she liked to live with him. The officials are puzzled over the case. They think Keep has been guilty of a crime and yet hardly know how to reach him, owing to the girl's peculiar actions. She is now with her mother.

State Land Office Report.

The annual report of the commissioner of the state land office for the year ending June 30, 1891, just issued shows that 2,320 acres of different classes of land were forfeited to the state during the year. The receipts of the office on account of lands sold, and for principal, interest and penalties received on sales made in former years and from other sources were \$135,093.67. There were sold 2,074.66 acres of agricultural lands for \$24,698.62, 6,689.96 acres of primary school lands for \$30,003.24, 120 acres of salt spring lands for \$480 and 673.22 acres of swamp lands for \$14,017.43.

Dead and Dumb Nite Killed.

Pere Marquette train when passing, four miles below Midland, struck and killed Harmon, a deaf and dumb man who was walking on the track. He was thrown on a stone and crushing the skull so that the brains oozed out. His hip was also broken. The whistle blew a danger signal but it was not heeded. Lines had no family but lived with his brothers Henry and Charles. He was struck by the same engine five or six years ago and his skull fractured.

Notice His Name.

Webb and Grace Kannel, aged eighteen and eleven years, of South Bay City, while in a rowboat on the river at Bay City on Thursday, capsized. They were seen by Peter Ready, who succeeded in rescuing both. The younger girl was going down for the third time when he reached her. Less than a week ago Ready saved the life of a young lady who accidentally fell into the river while fishing.

AROUND THE STATE.

New savings bank at Elk Rapids, capital \$50,000.

Muskegon citizens will organize a humane society.

Edmore is struggling with the waterworks proposition.

Scarlet fever is having an unprecedented run at West Bay City.

South Haven has voted to bond for \$35,000 to secure water works.

Prof. R. E. Tripp, of Dalton, Muskegon county, is under arrest, charged with violating state fish laws.

Muskegon churches will unite in holding gospel temperance meetings.

A. R. L. Covert, for 26 years ticket agent at Leslie, has resigned.

Hope college, Holland, opens with an enrollment of 165 students; 145 males and 20 females.

The transfer steamer Algoma at the Straits has abandoned Mackinac island for the season.

Ninth annual convention of the W. C. T. U. of Genesee county, will be held at Grand Blanc, October 7 and 8.

A new fast mail car, to bear the name "Governor Bagley," is being turned out of the Lake Shore shops in Adrian.

The Leslie electric light and power company will incorporate with a capital of \$10,000 to light Leslie with electricity.

Judge Aldrich says Kalkaska county must build a better jail or he will send her prisoners to Traverse City for safe keeping.

The treasurer's office of the Flint & Pere Marquette railway will not be removed to Boston—so says General Manager Baldwin.

The Hessian fly is flying about the newly sown wheat fields in Kalamazoo county and several acres have been greatly damaged.

The Twenty-first infantry will have a reunion in Grand Rapids, October 8. This is the day of the great Allerton-Nelson race.

West Bay City's common council extended the fire limits to shut out a wooden barracks, about to be erected by the Salvation army.

William Suger, an employe of Butters & Peters' lumber company, working in the woods near Stetson, was killed last week by a falling tree.

Lightning struck an electric motor car at Jackson Monday evening. Passengers were slightly shocked and the car somewhat demoralized.

The fourth encampment of the Union Veterans' Union of Michigan will be held at Greenville Tuesday and Wednesday, October 27 and 28.

The house of J. H. Corwin, prominent farmer of Winthrop township, Eaton county, was destroyed by fire Monday. Loss, \$2,000; partly insured.

Rev. B. B. Bigler, graduate of the McCormick college of Chicago, was installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Jackson, Tuesday evening.

The Bentley boys struck a vein of gas while digging a well at Bentley and are now going deeper for the vein of coal they believe underlies the town.

Thomas Smith, farmer of Atlas township, Genesee county, alighted from his new seed drill to pick up a whip the other day. His team ran three miles and wrecked the drill.

Sand Beach people are arranging a fine program for the dedication of their new town hall and Masonic temple. Every town in Huron county will be asked to join the jubilee.

The German Lutheran Emanuel conference of the northern and northeastern districts of Michigan will be held at the church in Bay City beginning October 5 and continuing till October 12.

Frank Martin, a bill poster, in attempting to alight from a rapidly moving electric car at Grand Rapids fell under the wheels and had a leg taken off. Doubts are entertained for his recovery.

A majority of the directors of the Bay City electric street railway company have decided to erect a large hotel at Wenona Beach. A three minute car service will be established between the cities.

Over 200,000 feet of seasoned lumber in the yards of the Oval wood dish company burned at Manalona Monday night. The loss is estimated at \$25,000. Sparks from a passing locomotive caused the fire.

Judge M. Brown, of Big Rapids, says the Chippewa Valley railroad, which is to connect Big Rapids with Mt. Pleasant, will be completed within 18 months. The road will be 40 miles long and will tap valuable pine lands.

J. C. Hoffstetter, ticket agent of the Lake Shore road in Kalamazoo for many years, has been appointed union ticket agent at Erie, Pa., for the Lake Shore, the Pennsylvania lines, and the Pittsburg & Erie road.

Zion A. M. E. conference just closed in Grand Rapids will meet next year in Fond du Lac, Wis. Bishop Thompson declared at the conference that white and colored people could not affiliate and ought not to try it.

Capt. C. J. Ingersoll, of Buchanan, a charter member of Masonic lodge No. 4, of Niles, and the oldest mason in the state of Michigan, was 92 years on the 28th ult. He has been blind and confined to his bed the last 13 years.

The Doddie-Nugent child, which has figured prominently in a Bay City chancery suit, is again missing. Maj. E. B. Nugent, prominent lumberman, has been arrested upon a circuit court warrant charging him with abducting the infant.

The September product of the Calumet & Hecla mine is the largest on record, being 4,225 tons and 1,440 pounds. The Atlantic's product was 2093 tons, 1,500 pounds; the Quincy's, 570 tons 250 pounds; the Peninsula, 130 tons 780 pounds.

Thursday evening the handsome new church of the Terrace Street Holland Reformed society, Muskegon, was dedicated. When the great fire of May 16 last swept over Muskegon the church of this congregation was totally destroyed. The new church cost \$7,000.

At the Clark's machine shops at Kalamazoo last Thursday Engineer Oliver Hoffman was caught in the shafting and whirled around three or four times. His clothes were half torn from his body, his left leg broken in two places and his sides and arms badly cut. Dr. McKibbin thinks he may recover.

The governor has pardoned Howard Allen, who was sent from Bay City, Dec. 7, 1890, to the Iowa house of correction for one year, under the provisions of the indeterminate sentence law of 1889. Allen was convicted of the larceny of a bicycle and Gov. Winans believes that he has already been sufficiently punished.

C. Sumner Burroughs, resident manager of Redmond's opera house at Grand Rapids was convicted last week in the police court of violating the state's blue law in giving a Sunday night entertainment. Another similar case is pending against him. The case will be appealed. This will stop Sunday theatres in Grand Rapids for a time at least.

Irwin Adams of Decatur was arrested for selling whisky contrary to the local option law and arraigned before Judge Buck at Paw Paw. He pleaded guilty and was promptly sentenced to pay a fine of \$125 or spend thirty days in jail. He chose the jail. This is the second man from Decatur who is confined there on the above charge. William A. Palmer of Hartford, recently fined, skipped for the west, leaving his bondsmen to settle with the court.

One-half of the village of Onekama, was tipped out by fire last week. The fire originated in the large store building of August Schumka. From there it extended to the three large stores and opera house of B. Burmeister. Store and warehouse of J. Hopwood, store buildings of J. N. Hilliard, store, dwelling and barn of R. F. Wendell, shop, dwelling and barn of R. F. Wendell, two tenement houses, a barn and another store building belonging to Capt. Hanson. Most of the household goods and merchandise in the stores were saved but in a damaged condition. As the buildings were all of wood and there is no fire protection they were quickly consumed. The loss is \$30,000, with but little insurance.

THE IRISH LEAGUE.

IMPORTANT AND INTERESTING SESSION IN CHICAGO.

"Land Bill" Allen, Originator of the Homestead and Exemption Laws Sent to the Poor House.

Irishmen in Session at Chicago.

Probably the most important public gathering of the Irish race over held this side of the Atlantic began at Chicago last week. It was the convention of the Irish National League of America and of societies and individuals throughout the United States and Canada in sympathy with that organization. Central music hall, which has witnessed many a stirring historic scene in the Irish movement for national freedom, looked down last Thursday morning upon scores of unmistakably Celtic faces aglow with anticipation of what might prove the most significant proceedings yet witnessed by their countrymen in a grave national crisis. The assembling of the delegates simultaneously with the great conference of Gladstone's adherents at Newcastle, England, preparatory to a general election in Great Britain, was regarded by many as something more than a coincidence. The first incident attracting general attention was an outbreak of hearty cheering which greeted the appearance on the stage of Dr. John O'Kelly of St. Louis. Secretary John P. Sutton caused a sensation at the very outset. He had called the convention to order, and when the cheering greeted his appearance subsided proceeded to read the call, expressing regret at the absence through illness of President John Fitzgerald and Vice President Patrick Martin of Baltimore.

Must We Fight Chili?

Dispatches from Washington say: For several hours on Monday morning the president was in consultation with the representatives of the state and navy departments. There is reason to believe that the chief of strategy is concerned with the serious and perhaps threatening aspect of affairs in Chili. Cablegrams couched in cipher have been passing between Washington and Valparaiso. It is gathered, however, that they relate to affairs in Chili and that serious complications have arisen between the junta and the United States.

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SEVERAL FROM MICHIGAN.

Wreck on the Nyrano, in Ohio—Several Michigan People Injured.

Freight train No. 85 on the N. Y. P. & O. collided with a section of passenger train No. 2, near Kent, O., Wednesday morning. Three persons were killed, including an engineer and fireman, and 30 injured. The passenger train was occupied almost entirely by members of the Olin family going to their reunion in Bennington, Vt. The dead fireman is Clayton Glass. Another of the killed is Traveling Engineer Matwell, of the second division. The train was running at the sixth section of east-bound passenger train No. 4. The freight crew claim they saw no flag on the engine of the fifth section, to intimate that another train was to follow. Mrs. W. Dewey, of Richland, Mich., was instantly killed by heavy timbers falling on her head. It is regarded as a miracle by those in the wreck that no more were killed. The injured who reside in Michigan are: Mrs. A. M. Johnson, of Muskegon, fatally; Mrs. Alice Sedgwick, Parma, very seriously; Mrs. G. C. Thompson, Montague, severe internal injuries; Mrs. Caroline Reed, Richland; Mrs. Thomas Reicher, Muskegon; Mrs. L. Van Aulick, McDonald; Nettie Stanford, Galesburg; G. C. Thompson, Montague; Mary Richard, Muskegon; E. M. Goody, Shelby; Miss Edith Somers, Grand Rapids, and Misses Hulda Wescott and Rebecca Clark, Bangor.

A Bone Picker's Fire.

N. L. Shorman, just arrived at Ellendale N. D., from Fort Yates, brings the news of an immense prairie fire west of the Missouri river. His story is that a scope of country 300 miles long and 200 miles wide has been burned over, destroying farm houses, stock ranches, many herds of horses and cattle and numerous quantities of hay. The fire is said to have been started by a bone picker, who found his calling very unremunerative, owing to the heavy growth of grass and other vegetation. He has since died. The whole region of more than 500 miles square is described as a place of death and desolation. Many persons are believed to have perished in the flames, though nothing definite on that score is yet ascertainable.

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TO KILL THE EMPEROR

ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP FRANCIS JOSEPH'S TRAIN.

Dynamic Placed Under a Bridge Over Which the Train Passed—Terrible Suffering in Russia.

Dynamic for Emperor Francis Joseph

Vienna special says Emperor Francis Joseph arrived in safety at Reichenberg, near Prague, Thursday, and with his advent the news of an alleged attempt upon the life of the imperial traveler spread all over Austria. During the night, it appears, an attempt was made with a dynamite bomb to blow up the railroad bridge at Rosenthal, a suburb of Reichenberg. The official investigation shows that two bombs charged with nitro-glycerine were placed in the gutter or draining portion of the tunnel of the bridge. Attached to these bombs was a piece of fuse evidently calculated to act or cause the explosion, at the moment the imperial train was passing the mined spot. The would-be assassins seem, however, to have miscalculated the time the train was to pass near the bombs, or else they were at fault as to the length of the life of the fuse used. In any case the fuse acted at about 11:30 p. m., Wednesday, before the imperial train drew near to the dangerous location. The explosion destroyed the masonry above and above the bridge tunnel and disturbed the roadbed, but did not affect the bridge structure.

The Latest From Chili.

The Balmacedists who took refuge at the American legation still remain under the protection of the American flag. The Junta refuses to grant them "safe conducts," and spies are continually watching the legation in the hope of being able to capture the refugees. The orders which were recently issued to arrest all persons entering or leaving the legation have been revoked on the protest of Minister Egan. Several persons were arrested, including Mr. Egan's son. The Chilean government will shortly be notified that the United States will not be trifled with. Instructions to this effect have been received from Washington by Minister Egan and by Capt. Schley of the cruiser Baltimore and both are preparing to act firmly. A sprong feeling exists here against the American officials. An inscription is given that a fleet of American cruisers will soon assemble in Chilean waters.

Terrible Distress in Russia.

A St. Petersburg correspondent confirms the reports of the dire distress at present existing in Russia. He says that 25,000,000 persons are unable to pay their taxes and that this will cause a budget deficit of £12,000,000. M. Vishnegraski, minister of finance, the correspondent adds, has just granted another million for the relief of the terribly distressed people. A government circular has again been issued forbidding press allusions to the famine in consequence of articles proposing an income tax to relieve overburdened peasants. Private letters give heartrending accounts of the distress among the people, especially in Kazan, Samara and Niji-Novogorod. Deaths are so numerous that many people are buried without religious rites. The tribunals dismiss charges of robbery of bodies.

Fills a Coward's Grave.

Cables were received on Sept. 30 announcing the suicide of Gen. Boulanger, at Brussels, the day before, on the grave of his mistress, Mine de Bonnemain. He had been in drooping spirits for some time, and as was his daily habit he went to the Quai commandery to decorate the tomb of Mine de Bonnemain, who was his principal financial supporter during her life. It was for her sake that he fled to England, and thence to Brussels, when the French government threatened his arrest. Had he remained in his native country, it is claimed by his supporters, that he would have been regarded as a martyr by a larger portion of France and this would have helped his cause and perhaps have accomplished his object. His tragic death caused much excitement in Paris among his followers.

Said Mass for 60,000 Pilgrims.

Cables from Rome say that on Tuesday the pope celebrated mass in the presence of pilgrims in St. Peter's. The ceremony was a most imposing one and the vast church was crowded with a reverent throng. Troops guarded the vicinity to maintain order and the trumpeters of the Swiss guard heralded the approach of the pontiff, who, borne upon the shoulders of the members of the papal guard in the sedia gestatoria, bestowed benedictions, right and left upon the people amid whom he passed. It is estimated that 60,000 pilgrims were present in St. Peter's during the celebration of the mass.

The Tautonic has beaten the record,

crossing the Atlantic in five days, 21 hours and 22 minutes, discounting the best previous time by two hours and 20 minutes.

Four years ago Policeman, King, of the Mobile, Ala., police force, was bitten by a Negro. Blood poisoning set in, and he has gradually failed until he died Monday.

The McKinnon heirs, of East Liverpool, O., have begun suit to recover 115 acres of property in the heart of the city. The property which they claim to own is worth over \$1,000,000.

Clara Lewis, Mrs. P. T. Barnum's English maid, and Wyatt Roberts, colored, who had been the showman's personal attendant for 15 years, have eloped from Bridgeport, Conn.

C. H. Venner & Co., have announced their suspension on the New York stock exchange. This was a large house in Boston and New York, doing an extensive business in investments and securities.

Sixty-seven shipwrecked seamen arrived in New York, on the 30th ult. They were the crews of the steamer Little Wonder, from Glasgow, the steamer California, from Curacao, and the ship Falls of Eam. They were brought by different steamers, which had picked them up, and they tell stories of much suffering.

Dr. Dreyfus was installed chief rabbi of France, in Paris, Wednesday.

A Frenchwoman named Courbet has left \$1,500,000 to any Frenchman who will head an expedition of 500 that penetrates farther into Africa than any other has. Her relations are trying to break the will.

The wharf laborers of the Central railroad and the Savannah, Florida & Western railroad at Savannah, Ga., struck Monday for an advance of five cents an hour in wages. The strikers number 1,500 and are all colored. They have been paid 15 cents an hour for time work.

Saturday a demand for an increase to 20 cents, which had been passed in his store for several years past.

500 WERE KILLED.

Barillas Declares Himself Dictator of Guatemala and Precipitates War.

The citizens of the city of Guatemala in the republic of Guatemala were celebrating their independence day on Sept. 15. The orators had been selected by President Barillas, who had been accused of many wrongs and against whom much strife had been stirred up throughout the republic. One of the orators attempted to make a political speech and this at once caused an outbreak. A mob soon formed on the main plaza of the city and pelted the speakers and all the followers of the government with stones and clubs. The cry of "Down with the government!" "Down with despotism and tyranny!" "Die, Barillas!" were taken up by the mob with surprising alacrity. Speakers in sympathy with the mob were selected and the most violent and incendiary speeches followed. The news

ONE WOMAN.

Let the curtain fall
Over her pall—
That is all.
She had no glorious name;
Hers was the lumber famo
To live in solitude,
Unwrit, and there do good,
As women do
Whose lives are true,
Whose hearts are wrung,
Whose nerves unstrung,
Who suffered every ill
And yet are still.
She watched the years
With her tears;
Her hands were ever stretched
to bless
Some one in greater wretched-
ness.
If such there were, she did not ask;
She only knew her task
And did it; not as any man—
Only as God and woman can.

A FAIR HUMPTY DUMPTY.

Thirty years ago Philadelphia was not so densely populated with people and long rows of dwellings as we find to-day. Away to the north and west some houses were scattered here and there, but the parent city had not even signified its intention of stretching out its arms toward the little outlying suburbs, which now seem "part and parcel" of its motherhood.

In one of these little villages, easily reached by an 1891 cyclist, the principal architectural feature was the small Episcopal Church, just lofty enough to allow its tiny spire to emerge from the clump of surrounding trees. Near by was the rectory, a spacious house of quiet brown, with old-fashioned windows, having altogether a decided air of restful content, which was certainly suited to at least one of its occupants, namely, the Rev. Frank Seymour, the rector himself.

Please notice that I am careful to say one, for, in truth, the principal member in reality, if not in name, was "Miss Molly," or, more properly, Mary Wilhelmina Smith Seymour, which rather ugly name for a rather pretty girl was the legacy (with a couple of hundred a year) of an old spinster aunt to a somewhat ungrateful namesake.

"For," to quote the old housekeeper, "although Miss Molly was the minister's child, and a great, big girl of 18, when she done up her hair, she ought to have put away childish things, as the Good Book says, and begin to settle down."

But she didn't. She would turn up her skirts and run as fast as any village boy, and beat him too. She could get as many tears in her dress as any girl of 8. As to love, why she turned up her dainty nose at the idea of a "grand passion" with all the natural contempt of a girl of 18. "Like to see the man that was good enough for me to marry!" with a shrug that ended in a scornful laugh.

But "he laughs best who laughs last."

"Humpty dumpty sat on the wall; Humpty dumpty had a great fall!"

a clear voice sang out on the lazy air at the top of its fresh youthful tones. Perched on the top of the old gray wall that bounded the rectory garden on the south, dividing it from a small footpath which led into the village road beyond, sat "Miss Molly." To be sure the little path was used almost solely by the rectory folks themselves. This would not have made much difference to a young lady of independent habits, however. To sit day dreaming on top of that old gray wall, just within reach of the golden fruit of a time-honored peach tree, ah, this is Paradise!

And its Eve is a pretty one, too. The sun tries to peep in between the leaves, and lights up all her golden, fluffy hair, like an aureole. A summer breeze fans her cheeks, nut-brown from the kiss of wind and weather. Her big, brown eyes light up with good-natured, youthful appreciation, as she makes sundry vicious little bites into a rosy cheeked peach and sings the while:

"Humpty dumpty sat on the wall, Humpty dumpty had a great fall."

But alas! Miss Molly had miscalculated her security, and, instead of sitting on the old wall, half way between earth and sky, she finds herself in a more humble position on the lap of mother earth, with the blue skies staring at her further off. She is on the wrong side of the wall, too, sitting in the middle of the foot path, and conscious of ominous little spasms of pain in her right foot every time she attempts to move.

"Of course, nobody will ever come along this old road, and, like as not, if I do scream they'll think I'm only shamming, like the last time that caterpillar got down my back, and they'll never think of looking for me! Oh, dear me," and here she heaves a doleful sigh.

The unexpected always turns up. Down that very little path comes the sound of a manly whistle and the tramp of approaching feet. On, onward they come, and their owner turns the corner of the wall, to find a lady young and pretty, too, sitting right in the middle of the road!

Poor, unlucky Miss Molly grows red with mortification, and essays to rise; but a faint cry of pain will force itself through the quivering lips, in spite of her heroic attempt at bravery.

"Pardon me," and Paul Hendricks is by her side immediately. "May I assist you? I am on my road to the rectory. I suppose that brown house there is it. If I can help you I shall be pleased to do so."

He is surprised to see a small brown hand stretched out and its owner say, "I am Molly Seymour, the rector's daughter. I suppose you are the son of papa's old friend."

"Paul Hendricks," the young man replies.

It is certainly a novel introduction there in the unused path. At the best to be found sitting in the middle of a dusty road and with a sprained ankle does not show one off to the best advantage, but still in this case it served to promote a feeling of good fellowship between the two, and, finally, with the help of a strong arm, Molly is able to reach the rectory.

Four weeks have glided by. The old rector, with a weak attempt at entertaining his young guest, resigns him to his daughter saying: "Molly will take care of you and show you around. You'll get along all right together, now that you are a little acquainted." Then the old man goes back to his dusty books.

Solitary walks and talks in the old woods, and various fishing expeditions to the little brook, develop acquaintanceship, especially when Paul, at the same time that he taught Miss Molly the names and habits of various plants and flowers, managed to teach her another lesson, and, with the fish, was certainly attempting to catch better and worthier game.

By the gray wall, the old peach, on which hangs a few solitary golden bells, stretches its sheltering arms over the same Miss Molly. Did I say the same? Perhaps, and yet no! The old housekeeper says Miss Molly is not quite so chipper like, but thinks, as her old eyes follow her "lamb," there is not a sweeter nor bonnier maid than Miss Molly.

A pair of younger eyes, handsome, dark, tender eyes, are looking lovingly at the slim young figure and golden head of the young girl, lost in a day dream. The soft green grass dulls the sound of coming footsteps, and it is not until his shadow falls across the sward that Molly looks up and blushes guiltily through the clear, healthy brown, betraying at least the prince in her day dream.

But why is it that her eyes shine so starry? and why is it that when Paul sees them glittering like two flowers wet with dew he says not a word, but just gathers "Miss Molly" close to his heart there under the old peach tree, which tosses its gnarled branches contentedly to and fro, while the old gray wall says never a word?

"They have been married these many years, and the silver threads are beginning to show in Molly's hair. They live in Philadelphia proper now; perhaps some of my readers may guess their identity. A youthful Molly and Paul are growing up among the brick houses of the Quaker City, away from the green of country grass and the scent of the old-fashioned flowers. But they both know the story of "Humpty Dumpty" on the gray wall, where the golden fruit ripened on the old peach tree, but they do not exactly understand whether they are to believe their mother when she says:

"Their father need not think she was crying that day because he was going away," or their father when he retorts:

"What could I do when your mother literally threw herself at my feet?"—Phila. Times.

THE PHYSIOLOGY OF EVIL.

The Immense Results of Crime in One Family in New York.

In his curious study of the "Physiology of Evil," Dr. B. W. Richardson declares that the man of science finds two natural causes of evil in mankind—hereditary and early environment. The operation of these causes is made conspicuous in a novel investigation carried out by Professor Dugdale of New York, who has been able to trace one criminal family back to the time of the settlement of its first members in America. He has found that from this parent stock has sprung 1,200 descendants. The lives of 709 of these have been closely followed by Prof. Dugdale, the results of the investigation showing that not one of the 709 had escaped the contamination of evil or its consequences. His researches also show that the crimes of this one family have, during the last seventy-five years, cost the state of New York \$1,200,000. Those who are born bad, however, are not always incurable. Mr. Isaac Ashe, president of the Central Criminal Asylum, Dublin, Ireland, has suggested that inherited tendencies to crime can be treated in the young by teaching useful occupations, which will call into play the faculties exercised in criminal acts. Thus, the child of a clever forger may be educated into an honest draughtsman; so may the children of several generations of pickpockets be taught clever handiwork, such as watch-making or other work requiring fingers unusually deft in their movements.—St. Louis Republic.

A Watch of Quartz.

The manager of a Chicago watch factory has a unique timepiece which has a case of transparent quartz.

The watch is not very large, is a stem-winder, and is said to be an excellent timekeeper.

The works are built into the crystal case and to set the jewels in the hard quartz required considerable ingenuity. The holes were first accurately bored, and then the crystal was held over a flame so as to enlarge the holes with the expansive power of the heat. While in this condition the jewel was dropped into its place, and on the quartz cooling was firmly fixed.

The whole watch is transparent and shows the action of the running-gear.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Such a Disgrace.

The Duc d'Anmale once went to the tent of the dashing Marbot during an African campaign, in which he received his thirteenth wound. The old baron was found grumbling after this fashion: "To be a lieutenant-general, a baron of the empire, a peer of France, a grand officer of the Legion of Honor, have eighty thousand francs a year, and be hit by the ball of a filthy Kabyle who has not four sous in his pocket!"—Argonaut.

without him. But he was going away, and she was glad, for that might save him. She could not resist the influence of the general belief that deadly peril lay for the last of the Darrells in the Coahucos seeing her? She trembled at the thought of meeting him again, and wept passionately at the thought of not seeing him.

Morning found the girl with no feeling of weariness; every pulse was beating high, and every sense on the alert. She rose before the sun was above the horizon, and, dressing quickly, went down to the stable and saddled Zuleika, and went for a ride. She rode miles before Miss Durford had opened her eyes; and, when Ima came in to breakfast, she looked so bright and fresh, and seemed so happy, that no one could have guessed how she had suffered and suffered still.

Rose came over early to the Grange, and wanted Ima to go back with her for a game of lawn tennis; and Ima went, having no excuse for refusing; but she took care never to be alone with Roland. The shadow of the approaching Thursday hung over her like a pall. She could not now avoid more than suspecting what Roland wanted to speak to her about; and she shrank from that with a dread that grew more and more as the day approached.

Meanwhile nothing was seen of Sir Philip Darrell. He was still at the Court; all Scarth Abbott would have speedily known it if he had left.

"Maybe, missy," said Jo's Heston grimly to Ima, as she was crossing the lock bridge early on Wednesday morning, and met the miller, "she's setting his house in order at last; time he did, if he means to stop till the rains come. 'The'll be on me in a day or two, or my name's not Heston.'"

"How do you know?" asked Ima, with a sinking heart.

"Know? Oh, I can tell I his days are numbered, missy."

"I don't believe it," said Ima steadily.

"Don't you, missy? But then, you see, you're a foreigner."

"How do you know?" asked the girl.

"What is meant by 'life for life'? That implies a life possibly saved."

"Suppose it did, missy, his would be lost," said Job grimly; "and both must be lost."

"Why? A life is given if it is given by the will; actual death is not a necessity."

"Well, of course," returned Heston, "but I fancy Sir Philip himself takes it rather that he'll lose his life some way. Don't be the other party, that's all, missy; you're far too handsome to lose your life."

Ima turned away laughingly and walked on. Job stood and looked after her.

"Is that to be it, I wonder? he said to himself musingly. 'The young Squire died early on Tuesday morning; but, if Sir Philip's in the field, he'll win—no fear. Then the Squire isn't one to take it coolly if his girl is taken away from him I don't know what he'd do—something many wouldn't expect. As for the lord, he'd carry her off; that's the Darrell way.'"

Thursday morning dawned clear and sunny; but Ima awoke with a heavy load of dread and grief on her heart. She could not meet Roland; he would taunt her about Sir Philip; and her face might betray her. The dread grew to an overwhelming terror; and the girl determined to fly from the impending interview, the more so as Miss Durford said at breakfast that she was going to visit some of the poor people, and, as Ima never second-hand her on these occasions, she would be left alone.

"What are you going to do with yourself, my dear?" asked Miss Durford.

"I shall take a ramble presently, aunty, perhaps."

"Very well, dear. How odd it is," continued Miss Durford, tying her bonnet-strings; "that Sir Philip has not been this way for so long! It makes me very anxious. He seems determined to dare to the uttermost."

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now halted again with a sudden throb at the heart. There was one man who cared nothing for peasants' tales. She glanced behind her, but saw no sign of any living creature, save the birds in the branches and the scuttling squirrels. She listened. There was a dead silence, though indeed on the mossy ground even a horse's step would not be audible till the animal were within twenty yards.

She bent down and examined the marks more attentively. An Indian would have made more of them, light as the impress was; but Ima could see that they were those of a small-footed animal, though whether they were recent or not her knowledge did not enable her to determine. Had Hassan passed that way? Well, why frighten herself so? It might have been yesterday, or two days before, or three hours ago; that Sir Philip had ridden through the glen; and, if it were only five minutes ago, he would be far ahead of her, far out of sight before she reached the end. But how the mere thought of his having been so near—perhaps so recently—made her heart beat! And how, argue as she would, her lips quivered and her eyes gazed fearfully before her with every onward step she took! How she expected to see an elfin creature instead of a bird shoot forth from the brake!

Another turn, and no sign yet of the end of the long winding. Hark! What was that? The girl stopped abruptly. A sudden flight of birds from out of the thicket—sage—saw a hundred paces another second a dark object came round the turning—not the knight of the legend, with cross-billed, sword elevated before him, but Sir Philip mounted on Hassan, and gazing before him with such a look as strong proud men wear when they are fighting a stern battle with their own passions, and know that they are losing ground inch by inch. But this Ima had no time to see; for he had recognized the slight form standing in the soft twilight of the glen at the instant that he passed the curve; and a wild joy lighted up his face, and the last frail barrier the strong will had striven to uphold tottered and fell.

Not even pausing to draw bridle, he sprang from his horse, and was at Ima's side, her hands clasped in his, before the stable steed had halted.

"Ima, Ima," he cried—and his whole heart went out to her in the passionate utterance—"oh, my life, my soul, I can strive no longer! Why have you come to tempt me?"

But Ima could not answer him. She was trembling violently. Her golden head drooped, and her eyes sank before him. How could she meet the look that would have told her the whole glorious truth if his lips had been silent and his hand had never touched hers?

"Ima!" Now his arms were round her, her heart was throbbing against his, and his lips sought hers. "Ima, my darling, I know that you love me. Let me hear you say it. Raise those dear eyes and look into mine, and tell me that your life is mine, as mine is yours."

Was the curse forgotten, but raised her eyes to his and whispered softly, the sweet eyes sinking again immediately—

"I love you!" And his lips sealed the avowal.

Philip Darrell's wish was granted, and that brief wild happiness was his. But, alas! it was brief indeed, and no more for a moment was there peace! Once more—and now too late—rose up before him all that he had trampled under foot and seemed to have crushed forever. He raised his head, which had been bowed on hers, and sought to loosen his clasp; but Ima held his heart, and with a low cry of pain clung to him, pressing her golden head against his breast.

"No, no," she said passionately, "you shall not put me from you! You have done me no wrong to love me and teach me—ah, you could not help that!—to love you. Heaven will not curse you—I will not believe it."

"Ima, Ima, hear me!"

"Hush, hush, darling, you speak my heart!" But he strove no more to put her from him, folding her closer and closer to him. "Why should I be exempt from the curse that has been on all my house for three hundred years; though indeed such a love as yours, Ima, might redeem the blackest doom that ever fell on man? Child, listen to me. I was yet a youth when I vowed that to innocent I should suffer for my love; and I believe that I could live my life without love. Once—it was years ago—I saw one whose face was fair enough to linger in my thoughts; and I feared and would not see her again; and soon almost the bare memory of that face passed away. Since then I have seen many fair women in many countries, but not one that could win me to break the vow I had made. But, when I saw you, I knew for the first time the force of the power that I had thought more under my own control. I was master of my own heart no more. There was one being in the world, through which I had wandered so many years, who was to enter into my life and make it forever; and that one was a gold-haired child, with cloudless eyes that spoke to me a language they were not conscious of uttering."

He paused a moment; his voice failed him; but Ima whispered softly—

"It is so sweet to think that it was my lot first to win your heart, Philip, and that even on that morning when you saw me on the river bank you gave me what must ever be mine."

"Ay," he said bitterly; "but I should have been stronger. I did struggle, I have known, to conquer, but not till I had madly flung myself into temptation—till I had sought you defying my fate, and giving my whole heart to you; and then, when I believed you loved me, Ima—ah forgive me for the cruel test I put you to, and never blush, nor dread one, that your heart betrayed a truth it did not recognise!—I thought the last cord that bound me had snapped. Yet I made no more effort to be true to myself. On that last evening that I saw you I resolved to keep away from you—I would try to discover whether your love was but a girl's fancy—and in one second of time all was swept to the winds of heaven, save only my love for you. And now, must your dear life be sacrificed for mine? Oh, Ima, when you will not believe my evil fate, it is my great love that speaks! But, even so, is my guilt the less in winning you?—for I cannot plead doubt."

"Guilt?" The girl almost smiled. "Your heart, I think, spoke better in that than your reason. You know I am not an utter sceptic, Philip. I was at first; but, after what I could hear, I could be so no longer. But why is there only one reading to the fulfilment of the prophecy? You all allow it

to be ambiguous, yet believe that it can point only to the extinction of your house?"

"'Life for life,'" repeated Darrell; "and gladly would my life be laid down for you, Ima; but, even then, should I not bring to you bitterest woe?"

"Woe to which death were happiness," said the girl passionately. "But, Philip, life is given by will as by deed; may not that be the explanation?"

Sir Philip started violently.

"I cannot—I dare not think it," he said hurriedly. "No, the hope were too bright—"

"You have lived so long, Philip, in the shadows that the light blinds your eyes; but, come life or death, I am still yours."

"Not to share death—just Heaven forbid!" he said, looking upwards.

"Philip, Philip, what are the mere years of existence when all is gone that makes life more than time?"

Darrell gazed down wonderingly at the exquisite face through which the woman's soul shone so clear and strong. Was this the happy careless child he had seen but a few days before dancing in the sunshine, without it would seem, a thought for the morrow?

"Oh, my heart, my heart," he said, with inexpressible sadness. "I have robbed you of your happy childhood, and have given you in exchange a love that must pierce you like a two-edged sword!"

"But, ah, the joy with the pain!" she whispered, hiding her face. "And is not one hour more of earthly happiness worth long years of dull content?"

"Dost thou so love me, darling?"

He could say no more, but bowed his head on hers again in silence; and he was almost won to her faith, and the bitterness almost passed away in the glory of her sublime love.

The sun was now past the meridian; but time was unheeded in the enchanted glen. Gentle Hassan seemed content to be forgotten for the slight dark-eyed girl to whom his master spoke so low and tenderly; and the birds sang softly in the deep foliage.

Softly, little by little, yielding to his questions, Ima confessed to her lover how she had suffered during those days of his absence and how, when she knew her own heart, she feared him, although she yearned to see him again, so that she would have fled from him at the moment she beheld him if it had been possible.

"Sweet one!" he could not help smiling now—"you sought, all unconsciously what you would most avoid. There is not one in these parts who will enter this vale, save myself; there is no outlet at the other end, as you imagined, and I had ridden through the glen only ten minutes before I met you; so there was fate in this at least. No snare ever set for bird more complete."

"Then—oh, Philip, if any one has seen me enter the glen it will be said I came to meet you!"

"It is unlikely that you have been seen; the country is wild, and human beings are scarce, though we are only a mile from the gates of the Court park."

"Near the Court? I had no idea where I was," said Ima, coloring deeply.

"Whom do you fear?" asked Darrell, watching her. "Roland Sabine?"

The girl started.

"Yes," she answered in a low tone.

"Ima," said Darrell quietly, "has he dared to speak to you?"

"No; it was to avoid him that I came out to-day. He said something the other night that startled me, and I said I did not understand him. When we were going, he asked to see me that he might explain; and how could I refuse? So I said he could come to-day; but I grew so frightened, that at last, when I awoke this morning, I felt that I could not meet him; and that is how I wandered out."

"A childlike act indeed, darling, remarked Sir Philip, stooping to kiss the trembling lips that had told him this with such girlish naivete. "And so you fled to a lover scarcely less dreaded, because loved." Then his face grew stern. "Ima, if Roland speaks to you, refer him to me; and let him guard his tongue well, or he will learn to his cost that the last of the Darrells is not one whit behind his ancestors in avenging an insult."

TO BE CONTINUED.

LIKE TO BE HUMBUGGED.

What a Woman Physician Says About the Wants of Patients.

A woman physician in the city told the Woman a most remarkable thing a day or two ago. "It takes a deal of conscientiousness to keep a physician from becoming a quack," she said.

"It's such an easy thing to quack when your patient wants you to, and that because the patient wants it, it would perhaps be beneficial in the end. By quacking I mean resorting to clap-net and unscientific methods, such as the faith cure and its like. No one but a physician has any idea how great a demand there is for this among intelligent people."

"They don't want the honest, straightforward exhibition of the action of drugs on the body. They want a mystery about it, an exhibition of healing as a divine force—something that appeals to the imagination. And because it's a subject for the imagination the demand comes not from the ignorant and unthinking, but from the most intelligent and best-informed people."

"I have known some of the most logical and clear-headed people in this city to offer such resistance to scientific, rational measures in medical treatment and insist so strongly upon some illegitimate and inadequate course, as to put the honest physician's patience to its last resort."

"Isn't quite that they like to be humbugged. They don't know it for that, though the physician does. They want something for the imagination to work on. And that's the stronghold of the quack practitioner. It takes an honest man or woman to practice medicine honestly."—New York Sun.

Willie Went.

"I don't think I will even again use slang in the presence of ladies," said Willie Washington. "I was at Miss Pepperton's the other night—wathh late, to be snah—and I happened to remark: 'Anything you say goes.'"

"Did she seem displeased?"

"No, but she immediately took occasion to pronounce my name wrongly slowly and distinctly."—Washington Post.

He Never Will.

"Do you recollect this?" said the creditor, handing him an unpaid note. "No," replied Highlier, "I never met it."—Washington Hatchet.

CROWS AND CRABS.

How the Sagacious Birds Catch and Devour the Palatable Shellfish.

Fishermen in Havre de Grace, at the mouth of the Susquehanna river, tell amusing stories of the way crows catch crabs and prepare them for eating, says the New York Record. When the crows first come in the spring they visit the streams connecting bays and ponds every morning looking for crabs. They commonly arrive before crabs begin running, but the crows exhibit great patience, sometimes waiting ten or fifteen days. The crows scan the streams from small tree-tops or mounds of sand. Others stand on the banks of the rivulet with heads cocked sidewise and an eye staring at the water. When the crabs begin running the crows dive into the water from any coign of vantage near by, clutch a crab, soar into the air and drop their prey with great precision on the stone-covered beach which fringes the bay. By this means the crabs are reduced to pulp and the crows, with much wing flapping and discordant cawing, voraciously bolt the meat.

Capt. Tom Carroll of Chincoteague says he once saw five crows teasing a crab. One of the birds caught and carried it to a big dry sand-bar. There it was put down. The crows' cawing brought five of his tribe. They pulled it about, turned it upon its back, and fumed over it. These gymnastics were accompanied by hoarse chattering, and a grunting sound which Carroll avers was laughter. To vary the sport they would make believe to fly away, but dropped softly to the sand forty or fifty feet off.

From that point the dusky quintet of practical jokers kept their eyes intently fixed on the crab rolling along in the direction of the water, 100 yards away. The crows, without a sound, craned their necks, watching their hard-shell victim flopping laboriously through the soft, dry sand. Suddenly they broke into a wild chorus of caws and made after the crab. One picked it up and soared away to the beach, followed by his fellows. There he was dropped to death and the crows flew away to their roost.

Saint Swithin.

Swithin, good bishop of Winchester, before dying designated his place of burial. He wished to lie not in the crypt of the dark minster, but out under the green turf, "where the sweet rain of heaven might fall upon him." Canonized in due time, the monks proposed to remove his bones from their quiet under the eaves to a splendid tomb. The day was July 15. It rained with such constancy that day and every day for forty days that they abandoned the project as forbidden by the saint, and out of this arose the popular custom of deeming July 15 "weather-day" and Swithin saint of rain.

Why They Twinkle.

When Eve had led her lord away, Cain had killed his brother, The stars and flowers, the poets say, Agreed with one another

To cheat the cunning tempter's art And teach the race its duty, By keeping on its wicked heart Their eyes of light and beauty

A million sleepless lids, they say, Will be at least a warning; And so the flowers would watch by day, The stars from eve to morning.

Alas! each hour of daylight tells A tale of shame so crushing That some turn white as sea-bleached shells— And some are always blushing.

But when the patient stars look down On all their light discoveries— The traitor's smile, the murderer's frown, The lips of lying lovers—

They try to shut their saddening eyes, And in the vain endeavor We see them twinkling in the skies, And so they twink forever.

—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

FEMININITIES.

This country now has 730 women preachers.

Women are architects and builders in Zululand.

It is by women that nature writes on the hearts of men

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OWENDALE.

George Taylor was in Cass City Monday.

James E. Taylor and wife, of Grant, visited at his parents here on Sunday.

Wm. Bures purchased the prize yoke of steers from A. Davidson Saturday last.

M. Allen, of Sheridan, will do a job of stumping in the near future for G. Taylor.

John Henderson Jr. was in Cass City on Saturday last.

Mrs. R. Ballagh is improving slowly from her sickness.

Mrs. D. Person is quite sick at present.

Everybody took in the fairs at Cass City, some at Caro, others Bad Axe.

Miss Lottie McLand, of Pt. Huron, is again the guest of her friend, Jennie Crawford.

Dan Person returned home from Roscomons Friday last, being called here by his wife's sickness.

Wil Babcock and R. Ballagh took Miss Jennie Taylor took the morning train at Unionville last week Thursday.

Mrs. S. Steency, of North Branch, formerly Miss Aggie McKee of this place, was the welcome guest at her parents the past week.

Mrs. McKee returned home from a five weeks visit with friends at North Branch.

in the Caro fair Thursday.

Mrs. McPherson, of Teeswater, Ont. is at present the guest of her daughter, Mrs. T. Hughes.

A. McIntyre, of Sheridan, purchased R. Ballagh's stock of cattle the past week. He is certainly a good buyer, as he made the best offer on stock bought in this locality.

David Colvert, farm superintendent has the largest crop of millet that he has seen for some time. He harvested 60 loads of that material and 20 loads of second crop hay. There will not be much demand for hay in Owendale this winter.

There will be a joint Patron of Industry and Alliance Basket Picnic in E. Burton's grove, one mile north and one-half mile west of Gagetown on Tuesday Oct. 13th. Several speakers will be in attendance. Some of the most prominent ones will be John Hunt, of Verona county, Pres. of the P. of I. and D. Wood, of Unionville, county lecturer of the alliance for Tuscola county. There will be amusements on the grounds and a good time will certainly be had, as the committee is sparing no pains in making the event a grand success.

GAGETOWN.

R. P. Reavy attended the Vassar fair Friday.

P. L. Purdey, of Caro, was in town Monday.

Mrs. Snowdy, formerly Ella Armstrong, is very sick.

C. Hood and family now occupy the Bingham house.

J. D. Brooker and wife were in town on the 1st, inst.

Frank Warner and Lizzie Mullen are home from Pt. Huron.

H. Freeman was at Cass City Monday last week on business.

Geo. Weld Sr. has a new windmill on his place with an iron derrick.

Ed. Blakley is again behind the counter at Young & Co.

H. Fuller and Otis Nicholson was at Elkton Tuesday on business.

Richard Collison, who worked for Amasa Coon several years, is now farming for uncle Johnie Wilson.

About twenty-four of the Gagetown, G. A. R. boys attended the Caro Fair Friday and report a good time.

It is thought that our patient post master will sleep more soundly here after as the rookery for boys has been closed up.

The Maccabees have bought the Antin Building and will refit the upper story for their Tent quarters.

James Gage is about to engage in the furniture and undertaking business. He has bought the stock of J. G. Lehman and has also rented his apartments.

Rev. Mr. Keith and family arrived Wednesday and the M. E. parsonage had to have an over-hauling before moving in.

The Jap Holmes' house on State street has been bought by Mercy Shehan of Kilmanah.

R. S. Brown and wife were the guests of U. S. Grayes and wife, of Owendale, Saturday.

Alexander King, of Argyle, made R. S. Brown and wife a short visit the 2nd, inst.

No warin prospect now, they are all girl babies—at Jas. Dent's, Jas. Master's, Dan Snowdy's respect fully.

Cora Farrar, assistant P. M., left Saturday for a weeks vacation at home and will also make her father a visit at Lansing.

At their regular meeting Saturday night T. B. Myer's Post, G. A. R. passed a unanimous vote of thanks to Whiteside Post, of Caro, for their courteous treatment given them at the fair ground Saturday.

KINGSTON.

Hard frost Tuesday morning.

Wednesday cool and pleasant.

School closed one day on account of the fairs.

Mias Ella Erb is the new Deputy postmistress.

Miss Anna Youngs is teaching music in Sandusky.

Mrs. Swerthout is quite ill at the present writing.

Three car loads of live stock shipped from here the 3rd.

Henry Roy ard family moved out of town Wednesday.

The infant child of David Jeffery has been quite ill this week.

Both fairs were well attended last week by the Kingstonites.

Mr. Flint has rented Julia Moyer's house and will soon move in.

D. J. Keys has returned home from Detroit much improved in health.

O. W. Willets and family are nicely settled in the M. E. parsonage.

Miss Alma Chase, of North Branch, and Evert Erb of Kingston, were married last week.

C. D. Soper and wife, of Marquette, visited Mrs. Soper's parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kings.

Milo Yeoman, who has been engaged in Mr. Thomas' drug store, left for another job.

Mrs. Julia Moyer and family left Monday evening for Eaton Rapids where she expects to make her future home.

Richard Felford has been engaged to teach the school in the Walter district this winter.

The Epworth League gave a social at Mr. C. J. Linnendoll's Tuesday evening, which was well attended.

No preaching Sunday morning, at the Baptist Church as Rev. Upper is still poorly.

Mrs. F. C. Lee announced on the opening of her millinery store ten per cent off on all sold that day, Oct. the 8th.

Joseph Annet is doing a flourishing business at carpentering in as, as he has four buildings yet, to be erected.

Mias Nellie Wilkin and Grant Upper were married at Sandusky last week.

Kingston was represented at the Caro fair last week by Mr. Wm. Fulford, who took the third prize in the three minute horse race.

Mrs. Fuller, of Wolyerine, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Mathews.

Mrs. F. C. Lee has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. Adamson, of Ubyly.

Major King has been superintending his hardware store building at Easy part of this week.

On Tuesday evening Miss Wilkin son received a telegram announcing the death of her sister's infant son at Clifford.

Last Friday evening occurred a pleasant surprise at A. D. Moyer's for Mrs. Julia Moyer who was presented with a new dress by her friends on account of her departure.

LEGAL NOTICES.

FORECLOSURE SALE.—Notice is hereby given that a mortgage dated the 15th day of April 1886, executed by Henry Stewart and Susie Stewart his wife, to Luna V. Spafford, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Tuscola, Michigan, on the 16th day of April, 1886, in liber 55 of said register, on page 496, and on the 4th day of January, 1890, recorded in the office of the register of deeds for said county, in liber 60 of said register, on page 418. That default has been made in the payment of the principal sum secured by said mortgage, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative, and that there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of three hundred and three dollars and fifty cents, (\$303.50). Now therefore notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder on Monday the 19th day of November, 1891, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the front door of the court house in the village of Caro. That said premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows: All that certain piece of land situated in the township of Gilead, county of Tuscola and state of Michigan, known and described as lot number eight of block number five of the second addition to the village of Cass City. Said premises will be sold as aforesaid with the interest that may accrue thereon after this date and the costs of foreclosure.

Dated August 24th, 1891.  
CUTTIS W. McPHAIL,  
Assignee of Mortgage.  
J. D. BROOKER,  
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage.

FORECLOSURE SALE.—Notice is hereby given that a mortgage dated the 20th day of July, A. D. 1888, was executed by Gabriel G. Dufort (a single man) of the township of Akron, Michigan, to John P. Phillips, Arthur J. Phillips, Clara A. Wood, and Adaline A. Spencer, executors of the estate of John P. Phillips, deceased, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office in the county of Tuscola and State of Michigan, in Liber 64 of Mortgages, on page 391, on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1888. That default has been made in the payment of interest due thereon, whereby the whole sum secured by said mortgage has become due according to the terms of said mortgage, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage the sum of two thousand eight hundred and ninety-two cents, that under the power of sale contained in said mortgage, said mortgage premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on Monday the twenty-first day of September, A. D. 1891, at one o'clock in the afternoon at the front door of the Court House in the village of Caro, in said Tuscola County, and that the premises described in said mortgage are as follows: To wit: The east half of section thirty-one (31) and the south-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section thirty-two (32) all in township fifteen (15), north range eight (8) east, containing one hundred and eighty acres of land, more or less, and will be sold as aforesaid to satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage with the interest that may accrue thereon after this date and the costs of foreclosure.

Dated, June 24, 1891.  
JOHN P. PHILLIPS,  
ADALINE SPENCER,  
and CLARA A. WOOD,  
Executors of the  
Estate of John P. Phillips, deceased, Mortgages.  
T. P. ZANDER,  
Attorney for Mortgages.

FORECLOSURE SALE.—Notice is hereby given that a mortgage dated the thirtieth day of September, 1889, was executed by Alice Osburn and Isaac J. Osburn to William A. Osburn and Isaac J. Osburn to William A. Osburn, in the township of Gilead, county of Tuscola, Michigan, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for said county, in liber 68 of mortgages, on page 190, on the 1st day of September, 1889; that said mortgage was assigned by the said William A. Osburn to A. Elizabeth Rhoades by an assignment dated the 10th day of October, 1889, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for said county, in liber 66 of mortgages, on page 361, on the 11th day of October, 1889; that after the execution of said assignment of said mortgage, the said A. Elizabeth Rhoades died, and letters of administration of her estate were granted to the undersigned, William H. Carson by the Probate Court of said Tuscola county. That default has been made in the payment of said mortgage and in the payment of interest due thereon, whereby the whole sum secured by said mortgage has become due according to the terms of said mortgage, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of five hundred and fifty-five dollars and twenty cents, that under the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on Monday, the 6th day of October, 1891, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the front door of the court house, in the village of Caro, in said Tuscola county, and that the premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows: All that certain piece of land situated in the township of Gilead, county of Tuscola and state of Michigan, known and described as the south fractional section seven (7) in township thirteen (13), north range seven (7) east, and will be sold as aforesaid to satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage with the interest that may accrue thereon after this date and the costs of foreclosure.

Dated July 17, 1891. WILLIAM H. CARSON,  
Administrator of the estate of A. Elizabeth Rhoades, assignee of mortgage, deceased.  
P. C. QUINN, Attorney for Administrator.

MORTGAGE SALE.—Whereas default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a certain mortgage dated the 16th day of December, A. D. 1881, executed by Edward S. Matt, a single man, of Edlington, Tuscola county, Michigan, to Alta Brown, of Canandaigua, Ontario county, State of New York, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Tuscola, in liber 42 of mortgages, on page 201, on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1881 at the front door of the court house, in the village of Caro, in said Tuscola county, and that whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of twenty-seven dollars and sixty cents, (\$27.60) as principal and interest; and also another certain indenture of mortgage, bearing date on the fourth day of January, A. D. 1884, which said mortgage was made and executed by the said Edward S. Matt, to the aforesaid Alta Brown and was recorded in the Register of Deeds, for the county of Tuscola, in liber 39 of mortgages on page 320, on the ninth day of January, A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the afternoon of said day; and whereas the amount claimed to be due on the last mentioned mortgage, at the date of this notice is the sum of three hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty cents, (\$333.30) as principal and interest, and the fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and provided for by statute, and whereas the said mortgages have been duly assigned by Orrin Poppleton, Brown, deceased, of Birmingham, Oakland county, Michigan, to Ella P. Hatch, of Jamaica Plain, Suffolk county, Massachusetts, by assignment bearing date the 22nd day of December, A. D. 1885, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Tuscola, on the 4th day of September, 1891, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day; and whereas the said mortgages are now owned by heretofore named Ella P. Hatch, and it is claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgages the sum of eight hundred and sixty dollars and ninety cents, (\$860.90) as principal and interest and no suit or proceedings have been instituted either in law or equity to recover the debts now remaining secured by said mortgages or any part thereof, and whereas the power of sale contained in said mortgages have become operative, and whereas notice is hereby given that by virtue of the statute in such case made and provided, the aforesaid mortgages therein described, at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House, in the village of Caro, in the county of Tuscola, that being the place of holding the Court for said Tuscola county, on the 6th day of the afternoon of said day, 1891, at one o'clock as aforesaid and the interest which may accrue thereon, together with the costs of this notice, together with the date of this notice, said premises are described in said mortgages as follows: To wit: That certain piece or parcel of land being in the township of Edlington, county of Tuscola, and State of Michigan, and described as the south-east quarter of section three (3), town No. thirteen (13), north range ten (10) east, containing forty acres according to United States Survey.

Dated September 28th, A. D. 1891.  
ELLA P. HATCH,  
Assignee of Mortgage.  
HENRY BUTLER,  
Attorney for Assignee.

In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Tuscola, in Chancery, in a certain cause therein pending whereof said John Heffelbower is complainant, and said Clara Heffelbower, Benjamin Heffelbower, Edward Heffelbower, Benjamin Heffelbower, Frederick Heffelbower and Zelma Heffelbower are Defendants, made and entered on the fourth day of May, A. D. 1891. Notice is hereby given that I, Walter J. Gamble, Circuit Court Commissioner in and for said county of Tuscola, state aforesaid, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on Monday, the second day of November, A. D. 1891, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north westerly front door of the Court House in the village of Caro, said building being the place in which the Circuit Court for the County of Tuscola is held, the following piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the township of Elkland, county of Tuscola, and state of Michigan, known and described as the north-west quarter of the southeast quarter of the north-west quarter of section ten (10) in township fourteen, (14) north of range eleven (11) east together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Dated, September 18th, A. D. 1891.  
HENRY BUTLER, Solicitor for Complainant.  
WALTER J. GAMBLE, Circuit Court Commissioner. Tuscola County, Michigan.

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CALL ON  
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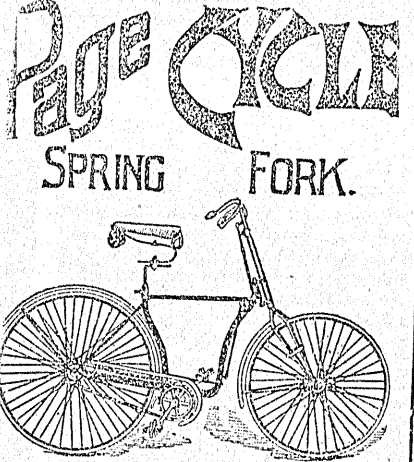
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LOWEST LIVING PRICES  
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Yours Respectfully,  
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SEVENTH  
ANNUAL ANNOUNCEMENT  
CASS CITY WOOLEN MILLS

We, the undersigned, in returning thanks to our many patrons throughout the surrounding country, do beg leave to announce that we are in full running order for this season. Also, that a full stock of Full Cloths, Flannels, Blankets and Yarns, are kept constantly on hand, for sale or exchange for wool.

Roll Carding a Specialty!  
Parties sending wool by rail will please state plainly what way they want it worked up, thereby avoiding mistakes.  
Respectfully Yours,  
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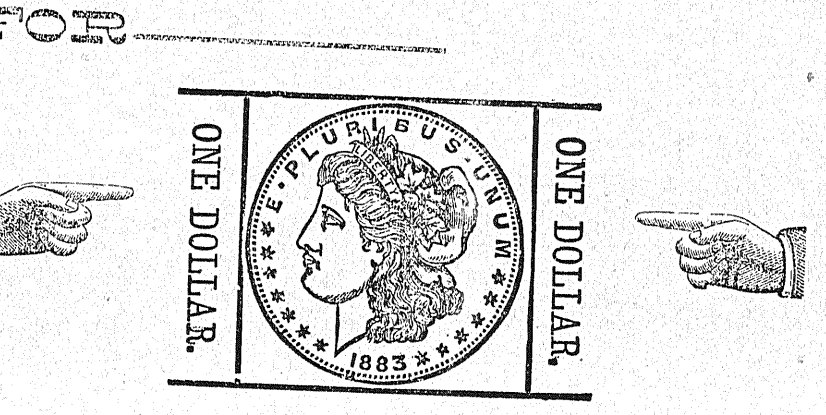
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HAS WITHOUT EXCEPTION THE  
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Rides as gently over obstructions as a carriage and in a every sense of the word a perfect cycle

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE!

We have concluded to sell or Exchange our  
ENTIRE STOCK,  
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Dry Goods, Groceries, Notions, Boots and Shoes, embracing a complete assortment of Ladies' Shoes made at the New Factory of A. C. McGraw & Co., and Warranted to be of Superior Excellence. WE WANT TO DISPOSE OF OUR ENTIRE STOCK, and will SELL or EXCHANGE it for Butter, Eggs, Greenback, Silver or Gold. Our reason for doing this is to make room for New Goods that are constantly arriving. A Large Stock of Dress Goods just received that are Sure to please you both in Style and price.

J. C. LAING, Cass City.

**CANBORO.**

Quite a blow along the line the other night.

Reported that some sheep are missing from Wm. Williamson's.

Benjamin Day was at Cass City on Wednesday last on business.

Benjamin Day concluded not to take his Cleveland bay colt to the Caro fair.

Elder Keath preached here and at the Heron school house on Sunday. Come again in two weeks.

Bennie Castle is visiting in the town of Winsor at his uncle's Neil Warrington.

H. McDermott, and R. Parr were over to the town line of Oliver and Winsor.

J. G. Evans was suffering from a cold and sore throat during the last of the week.

Looks queer to see a bachelor put out his washing. It is most equal to a woman plowing.

Thomas Cosgrove sows sixty acres of fall wheat, part in Grant and part in Brookfield.

Wm. Adair dug from one hill seventy five potatoes. Who can beat it?

Jerome Spencer's lease on the Wm. Hart farm in the north west corner of Grant, is out this fall, and Spencer does not lease again.

Dwight Freeman will move his saw mill to the town of Oliver, north one and a half miles and east one and a half miles from Canboro.

The members of the K. O. T. M. are quite sanguine of the prosperity of their hive. May their endeavors be crowned with success.

**DEFORD.**

Lester Vorhes is visiting in Oakland county this week.

Wm. Cooper, wife and daughter, visited at North Branch last week.

Another merchant talks of locating among our business hustlers.

We learn that Fred Chadwick has sold his driving horse to Orren Stowell.

Old lady Daugherty has some of the largest and finest vegetables we have seen. A bea three feet in circumference, also one vine that has eight large pumpkins on it.

Cassius Lewis has finished his new barn.

Mr. Parks has built an addition to his barn.

Mrs. Peck is still in poor health. 'Tis relics of the grip.

George Walker is still confined to the house with sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sole returned from Dryden country last week after a four weeks visit.

Mrs. George Martin's sister from near Port Huron is visiting the latter.

**Electric Bitters.**

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters see the same result of praise. A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the liver and kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.

Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Price 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle at Fritz Bros.' Drugstore.

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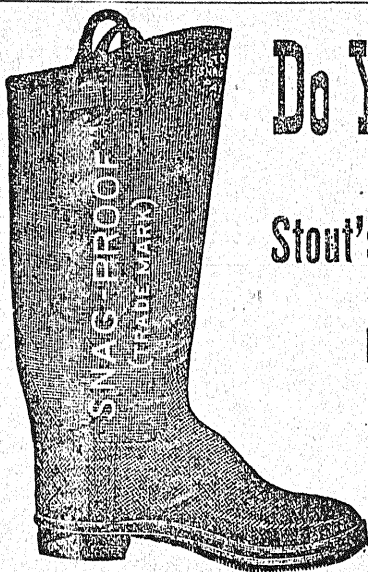
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Proprietors of Dulman's Great German Remedies. GENTLEMAN—I have for the past two years been troubled with a serious and very severe Liver and Stomach difficulty. Have had advice and medicine from our very best physicians and only to be temporarily relieved. Some of our friends persuaded me to try your Great German Remedy for the Blood, Stomach and Kidneys and to my surprise after using three bottles I feel like a new man. If you desire you can use my name in print or by papers, or any other papers in the state to convince the afflicted that it is the best Blood, Liver and Kidneys medicine on earth. I feel like a new man. Have lived here over 40 years. J. M. LIVINGSTON, Grand Rapids, Mich. For sale by Fritz Bros.' \$1 a bottle.

**It Should Be In Every House.**

J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay St., Sharpsburg, Pa. says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Cold, that has cured his wife who was threatened with Pneumonia after an attack of "La Grippe" when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for Lung Trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free Trial Bottles at Fritz Bros.' Drugstore. Large bottles, 50c. and \$1.00.



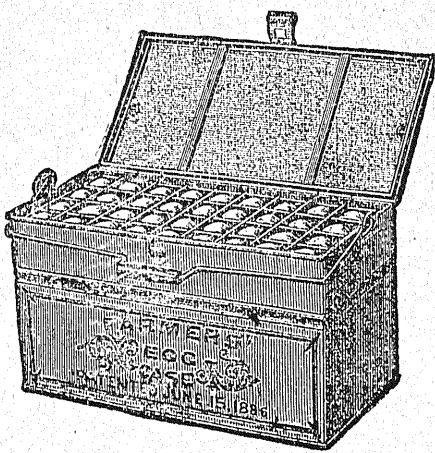
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Or anything in this line, to call on  
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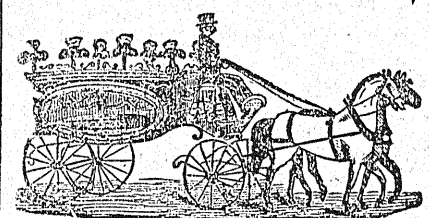
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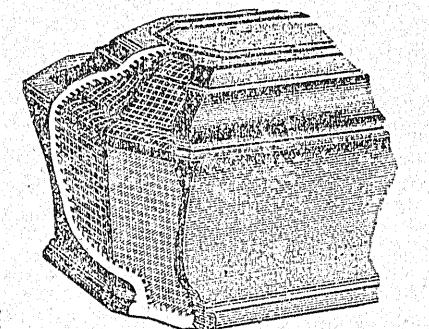
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Duplex Solid Wheel,  
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Furnished and put up if desired.

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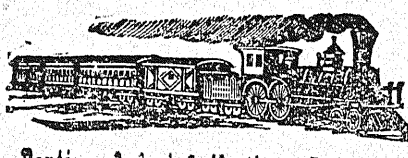
What I keep in stock a Full Line of Implements for Fall trade, consisting of—

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- Pea Pullers,**
- Wind Mills,**
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Pontiac, Oxford & Northern Railroad.

TIME TABLE NO. 3.

GOING NORTH

Table with columns: STATIONS, Freight, Mixed, Pass. Rows include Pontiac, Oxford, Dryden, Inlay City, North Branch, Jifford, Kingston, Wilnot, Belord, Cass City, Sagaw, Owendale, Berne, Cassville.

GOING SOUTH

Table with columns: STATIONS, Pass, Mixed, Freight. Rows include Cassville, Berne, Owendale, Sagaw, Cass City, Belord, Wilnot, Inlay City, North Branch, Kingston, Jifford, Dryden, Oxford, Pontiac.

Trains Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 run daily except Sundays. Train No. 5 will run Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Train No. 6 will run Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

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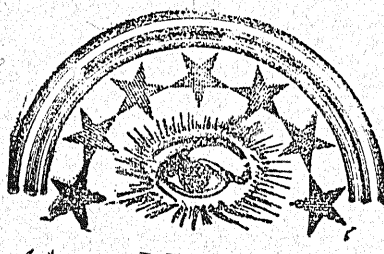
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Obituary.

Handed in by Rev. W. L. Baker. Seldom has death come to a home with sadder results than when it invaded the home of our friend and neighbor Sylvester Ale. and took from it the jewel of that home and left weeping parents and friends. Doras was the idol of his parents, and because of his peculiarly well disposed habits and nature along with a strong affection for his parents he was a comfort to them and company to friends. He was but a child in years but his mind reached out for mature things then are common children. But he is gone but not forever--only gone to be a center of attraction for his friends on earth and to draw them heavenward. He has gone to live in fairer worlds and enjoy sweeter blessings than earth can give. To the stranger we append the following concerning his sickness and death: He was taken with a congestive chill which turned to a low fever. It in turn gave way to peritonitis which caused death on Tuesday evening, September 29th, after ten days illness. A large number of friends gathered with the relatives on Thursday, Oct. 1st, to pay their last act of kindness to the deceased. The funeral was conducted by the pastor of the Presbyterian Church assisted by Rev. F. Curry, of the Baptist Church. The text was taken from the song of Solomon, 6:2. Interment was made at Cass City Cemetery and thus ends all that is mortal of the child who in life was loved by many and in death is mourned by all.

A Gem Printing House.

The Chicago Herald building is expected to add another to the great monuments to the progress of American Journalism which ornaments nearly every large city in the country. Upon the walls of the business office alone \$30,000 will be expended in illustrating in oil the origin, rise and success of the newspaper press. At the top of the building will be posed a bronze figure of a herald with an uplifted trumpet placed to his lips. This work is by Gellert, and the same famous artist has executed upon the front of the structure three large bas-reliefs in terra cotta illustrating a primitive method of printing, then Gutenberg taking a damp sheet from wooden type, and finally a modern, well perfecting press pouring out its catarnact of newspapers. The edifice will be lighted by 1,900 incandescent electric lights, and 300 arc lights, different plants being required for each. A tall flag pole which will surmount the building will be encircled at its top with electric lights of 10,000 candle power. The basement contains twelve perfecting presses. Novel departures will be made in the attention to be given to the comfort of compositor's. A special elevator will be provided for their exclusive use. The composing room will have its walls covered with expensive glazed white tiles, which will make it bright and cheerful and conducive to cleanliness. The printer will have for their use alone private bath rooms and lavatories. In return for the consideration thus shown them, Mr. Scott has asked the Herald compositors to agree, when the new building is opened to dress during working hours in white linen shirts and not to append to the negligence of a collarless condition. They were disposed at first to laugh at this, but when their employer explained to them that he wished the thousands of visitors who will inspect the building during the Worlds Fair go away sound in the praise of everything connected with the Herald, and when he told the printers what he was doing for them they unanimously and gladly gave their assent to his odd programme.

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HORSES. REGISTERED CLYDESDALES. Stallion 4 yrs old, 1st Henry Wiltmaber; 2nd J. D. Brooker.

REGISTERED NORMAN PERCHERONS. Stallion 4 yrs old, 1st K. Miller. GRABE DRAUGHT. Stallion 1 yr old, 1st H. M. Sanborn; 1st Bull St. 2nd.

Mare or gelding 4 yrs old, 1st D. Somerville. Gelding or mare 3 yrs old, 1st and 2nd W. F. Hayes.

Mare or gelding 2 yrs old, 1st Thos. Jackson; 2nd Dr. Mortis.

Mare or gelding 1 yr old, 1st J. Jackson, 2nd D. Somerville.

Mare with foal by side, 1st and 2nd John Beekman. Sucking colt, 1st and 2nd John Beekman.

GENERAL PURPOSES HORSES. Stallion 4 yrs old 1st A. Knowles; 2nd G. Martin.

Stallion 2 yrs old 1st H. M. Sandborn; 2nd D. Somerville.

Mare 2 yrs old 1st and 2nd J. J. Englund. Mare 1 yr old 1st J. Jackson; 2nd John Walmley Sr.

Mare with foal by side 1st Geo. Gray; 2nd A. Davinson.

Gelding 3 yrs old 1st Dan McArthur, 2nd J. W. Hayes.

Gelding 2 yrs old 1st J. W. Cleaver; 2nd A. Knowles.

Gelding 1 yr old 1st T. Burden; 2nd G. L. Cross.

Sucking horse colt 1st J. Wheeler; 2nd A. Davinson.

Sucking mare colt 1st W. Nicholas; 2nd A. A. McKenzie.

ROADSTERS. Stallion 4 yrs old or over 1st A. W. Calbeck; 2nd F. Martain.

Stallion 3 yrs old 1st A. W. Calbeck. Stallion 1 yr old 1st S. M. Gilchrist.

Mare or mare 2 yrs old 1st F. Moore; 2nd Jas. Brooker.

Mare or gelding 3 yrs old 1st.....; 2nd A. W. Carey.

Gelding or mare 2 yrs old 1st N. Bigelow; 2nd J. W. Cleaver.

Gelding or mare 1 yr old 1st and 2nd Spencer Gale.

Mare with foal by side 1st S. M. Gilchrist; 2nd J. W. Cleaver.

Sucking horse or mare colt 1st M. H. hastman; 2nd J. W. Cleaver.

CARRIAGE HORSES. Matched team 1st J. H. Striffler; 2nd.....

Mare or gelding 3 yrs old 1st C. A. Sherman; 2nd L. G. Weston.

CATTLE. REGISTERED SHORT HORN. Bull 3 yrs old, 1st J. Marshall; 2nd J. W. Murphy.

Bull 2 yrs old, 1st Geo. Gray. Bull 1 yr old 1st D. Somerville.

Bull under 1 yr old 1st A. Campbell; 2nd J. Marshall.

Cow 3 yrs old 1st J. W. Murphy; 2nd J. D. Withey.

Heifer 2 yrs old 1st J. W. Murphy; 2nd O. C. Wood.

Heifer 1 year old 1st J. W. Murphy; 2nd J. D. Withey.

Heifer under one year 1st J. W. Murphy.

REGISTERED JERSEYS. Bull 3 yrs old 1st H. P. Mahoney; 2nd J. D. Brooker.

Bull 3 years old 1st H. Pardo; 2nd C. B. Woodworth.

Bull under 1 yr old 1st and 2nd C. B. Woodworth.

Cow 3 yrs old or over 1st and 2nd C. B. Woodworth.

Heifer 2 yrs old 1st and 2nd C. B. Woodworth.

Heifer under 1 yr old 1st and 2nd C. B. Woodworth.

REGISTERED HOLSTEINS. Bull 3 yrs old or over 1st W. Robinson.

Bull 2 yrs old 1st C. Ruggles. Bull 1 yr old, 1st T. W. Dunn.

Cow 3 years old 1st R. Brown. Heifer 2 yrs old 1st R. Miller.

Heifer under 1 year old 1st R. Brown.

HERD BLOODED CATTLE. 1st C. B. Woodworth; 2nd J. Murphy.

SHORE HORN GRADES. Cow 3 years old or over 1st and 2nd A. Durfee.

Heifer 2 yrs old 1st J. W. Murphy. Heifer 1 yr old 1st A. Durfee.

GRADE JERSEYS. Cow 3 yrs old 1st R. Miller; 2nd H. P. Mahoney.

Heifer 2 yrs old 1st H. P. Mahoney. Yoke oxen 4 yrs old 1st H. Whipple; 2nd L. Bueherly.

Yoke steers 3 yrs old, 1st J. P. Pettenger. Yoke Steers 2 yrs old 1st Adam Davison.

SHEEP. REGISTERED MERINOS. Ram 2 years old or over, 1st D. Law; 2nd D. A. Freeman.

Ram one year old 1st D. A. Freeman. Ram lambs 1st D. A. Freeman.

Pen ewes 2 yrs old P. C. Ruggles 1st and 2nd. Pair ewes 1 yr old 1st D. A. Freeman.

Pair ewe lambs, 1st D. A. Freeman. LEOPARDS. Ram 2 yrs old or over 1st J. J. England.

Ram 1 year old, 1st J. W. Murphy; 2nd J. J. England. Ram lamb, 1st J. W. Murphy; 2nd J. J. England.

Pair ewes 2 yrs old 1st J. W. Murphy; 2nd J. J. England. Pair ewes 1 yr old 1st J. J. England.

Pair ewe lambs 1st J. W. Murphy; 2nd J. J. England. SOUTH DOWNS. Ram 2 yrs old or over 1st J. B. Pettenger.

Pair ewes 2 yrs old or over 1st J. B. Pettenger. Ram 2 years old 1st J. W. Murphy.

Ram lamb 1st and 2nd J. W. Murphy. Pair ewes 2 yrs old 1st and 2nd J. W. Murphy.

Pair ewes 1 yr old 1st J. W. Murphy. Pair ewe lambs 1st and 2nd J. W. Murphy.

SHROPSHIRE. Ram 2 yrs old or over 1st J. Marshall; 2nd Geo. Gray.

Ram 1 yr old 1st and 2nd J. Marshall. Ram lambs 1st and 2nd J. Marshall.

Pair ewes 2 yrs old or over 1st and 2nd J. Marshall. Pair ewes 1 yr old or over 1st and 2nd John Marshall.

GRADE LONG WOOL. Pair ewes 2 yrs old 1st J. Murphy. Pair ewe lambs 1st W. Marks; 2nd Geo. Gray.

GRADE SHORT WOOL. Pair ewes 2 yrs old 1st J. F. Pettenger; 2nd D. Law. Pair ewe lambs, 1st J. B. Pettenger; 2nd D. Law.

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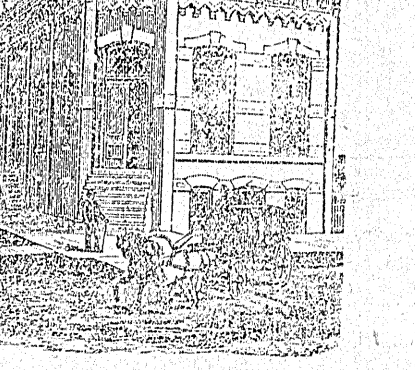
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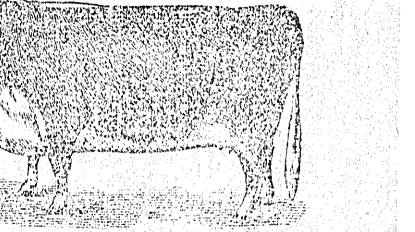
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