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BY MACK M. WICKWARE.

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G. A. STEVENSON, Secretary.

K. O. T. M. Cass City Tent, No. 74, meets the first Friday evening of each month, at 7:30. Visiting Sir Knights cordially invited. JAS. HIGGINS, RECORD KEEPER. JAS. McARTHUR, COMMANDER.

Tyler Lodge. Regular communications of TYLER LODGE, No. 317, E. & A. M., for 1891, Jan. 24, Feb. 21, Mar. 21, Apr. 18, May 25, June 20, July 24, (St. John's) July 18, Aug. 15, Sept. 12, Oct. 17, Nov. 14 (election of officers) Dec. 12. HENRY STREAP, W. M.

A. H. ALE, Secretary.

First Methodist Episcopal Church. REV. J. E. WILLIAMSON, Pastor.

SERVICES—Public service, 10:30 a. m., class meeting, 11:30 a. m., Sabbath school, 12:30 p. m., Young people's meeting, 5:45 p. m., Public service, 7:00 p. m., Prayer meeting, Thursday 7:00 p. m. All cordially invited.

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Wheat, No. 2, white.....	83
do No. 2 red.....	80
do No. 3 red.....	85
Oats.....	24 @ 38
Beans hand-picked.....	14 @ 1 35
do un-picked.....	75 @ 1 15
Potatoes.....	6 @ 18
Rye.....	6 @ 75
Barley.....	8 @ 110
Clover seed.....	4 @ 65 5 40
Pens per bushel.....	4 @ 65 75
Back-wheat.....	2 @ 65 35
Pork, live weight.....	325 @ 25 50
Pork, dressed.....	50 @ 25 25
Butter.....	1 @ 16
Eggs.....	1 @ 14
Wool, unwashed.....	15 @ 22
Wool, washed.....	22 @ 32

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Miss Belle Schwaderer is visiting relatives in Newberry, Ont.

Don't turn you back on the small boy. He may have a snow ball.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McKenzie were visitors at Cumber on Sunday.

Village election one week from next Monday. Prepare your slate.

J. D. Crosby, son Roy and daughter Jessie, spent Sunday in Caro.

E. F. Marr has been confined to his house with illness the past week.

W. T. Brown and M. M. Wickware were visitors in Caro last Sunday.

The band played a few pieces on the street on the afternoon of the 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hendrick paid relatives in Elmwood a visit on Sunday.

G. M. Livingston, teacher of the Cumber school, visited in town on Monday.

Daniel Dickson, principal of the Cassville public schools, was in town Monday.

Postmaster Seed attended the meeting of the Republican Club at Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McPhail, of Caro, visited their son, C. W. McPhail, on Saturday and Sunday.

J. H. Winegar and daughter Lyda left Monday evening for York State for an extended visit with relatives.

H. S. Wickware and family were the guests of Thos. Foster and wife, of Bad Axe, last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Jacob Schenck and Miss Dora Schenck visited Rev. Gilchrist and family at Vassar last Friday and Saturday.

The new Presbyterian Church at Vassar will be dedicated to-day with impressive ceremonies. The edifice cost \$6,000.

Misses Kate and Joe McClinton were visitors at Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor and Detroit on Saturday, and the fore part of this week.

Duncan McArthur, who is engaged in teaching a school near Mayville, spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday with his parents west of the village.

Mrs. R. E. Gamble returned last week from Burlington, Wis., where she has been stopping with her daughter, Mrs. Axtell, for a few weeks past.

We have received the annual catalogue of the Island Home Stock Farm, at Gross Island, Wayne county, Mich. H. C. Farnum is now sole proprietor.

The Pope Manufacturing Co., of Boston, Mass., offers \$10,000 worth of bicycles to the students writing the best essay on any phase of the subject "Good Roads."

The Detroit Journal was sold last week to William Livingstone, Jr. for the sum of \$45,000. Under its new management it is likely that the Journal will be made a paying plant.

Vassar Times: "N. Bigelow, one of Cass City's solid business men and a former parishioner of Rev. and Mrs. Gilchrist, was a visitor at the parsonage last week Thursday."

S. N. Andrews, of Zion, Florida, renews his subscription and writes: "Thermometer this day at noon, (Feb. 5th) 74 degrees. How does that compare with your vicinity at same date?"

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Society, of the M. E. Church, will be held at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Winegar, Wednesday, March 22nd. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The Michigan Copper Journal mentions the name of Joseph F. Hambitzer as the proper man to nominate for state treasurer on the Republican ticket. Mr. Hambitzer is a resident of Hancock, Mich.

Last week J. H. Winegar purchased from W. H. Learn, of Novesta, a bear which, when dressed, tipped the beam at 105 pounds. The animal was about eighteen months old and was the fattest one ever killed in this vicinity.

Dugald McIntyre was very unfortunate last week. He was enroute for Caro, and was within five miles of his destination, when his horse suddenly dropped to the ground and expired within a few minutes. The animal was but seven years old.

The following is a list of advertised letters remaining in the postoffice at Cass City, Mich., for the week ending Feb. 27th '92: Mrs. Caroline Thompson, Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. Jas. Corcoran, Jas. Walker, M. Fitch. Persons calling for above will please say "advertised."

A. W. SEED, P. M.

Last week Thursday E. H. Pinney brought suit against Eugene Wentworth, of Novesta, for trespassing on timber land in Novesta. The suit was tried in Justice Wales' court before a jury, and a judgment of \$6.00 was awarded the plaintiff. The costs amounted to \$16. J. D. Brooker appeared for the plaintiff and Henry Butler for the defendant.

Miss Lilly Wickware left on the 5:20 train yesterday afternoon for Marquette where she has accepted a position as trimmer in a millinery house. On the Monday evening previous to her departure, she was very agreeably surprised by a number of her relatives—Mr. and Mrs. John Eno, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eno, Mr. and Mrs. James Eno and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Schenck—who came with well filled baskets to spend the evening. She was presented with a beautiful ring, as evidence of their esteem.

A former resident of Caro, but now of Tacoma, Wash., writes a letter to the Caro Democrat as follows: "This country is no place for a white man or woman to live in. The population is made up principally of Swedes and Norwegians, who seem to enjoy living here, but when I have been lucky enough to find an American, I have found a dissatisfied man. My advice to people who have any way of making a living in Michigan, is to stay there—never come to Washington, for there is nothing here to do. All the saw mills, factories, etc., in Tacoma could be put in Feige Bros' store rooms at Saginaw." Michigan is all right.

Caro Democrat. "We have received a letter from Wilnot this week worded as follows: 'Stop my paper, my time is out, and I will not take it from the office.' Don't write such letters to the editor, dear reader; don't do it. If you wish to discontinue the paper, just say: 'Dear and Respected Sir: I have taken your paper one year and find it worth its weight in gold, yet I am obliged to ask you to discontinue the same as soon as my time expires.' Then you may close by giving your reasons for doing so, 'because you keep and extra dog' or 'can not put down your tobacco expense two cents per week' or any other valid reason you may have. Be courteous to the editor, above all others."

Nellie Snover, the missing Richfield girl, is back again among friends in Flint. For over a year she has been working in Detroit hotels under an assumed name. She says she does not want to see the Pettits with whom she used to live, and will return to Detroit again. The cause of Miss Snover's disappearance was on account of a quarrel with Mrs. Pettit. There were several features which gave an air of mystery to the whole affair and

made suspicious of foul play rife, among them being the fact that a bloody skirt was found at the Pettit home, and that neighbors testified to seeing Mrs. Pettit hang out a washing at midnight the day of Miss Snover's disappearance. These facts, together with Mrs. Pettit's total indifference and their ill-disguised dislike of the county officials, gave some color to the theory. We are glad that the mystery has been cleared at last. Mrs. Pettit is a sister-in-law of Edwin Pettit, of this place.

Washington's Birthday was very appropriately observed in the High School Monday evening. The room had been nicely decorated for the occasion and was filled to overflowing ere time for the program to commence. Following is the program as rendered:

Music—National Hymn. Birthday of Washington—Wm. Meiser. Essay—Early life of Washington—Miss Livingston. Essay—Washington as a General—Miss Reed. Reading—Mr. Vernon—Belle Wainwright. Biography of Washington—Mr. Higot. Essay—Mr. Vernon Home—Maggie Campbell. Oration—Washington the Father of his Country—Mr. Predmore. Music—The Land of my Love. Essay—Washington and American Revolution—Hill Schenck. Recitation—American Flag—Maggie Chast-ner. Recitation—Vow of Washington—Ella Butler. Reading—Washington's Physical Training—Cashie Wood. Recitation—February Twenty-Second—Clark McKenzie. Reading—Washington's Farewell Address—Stanley Brown. Declaration—Herbert Puntcheley. Talk—Columbia Exposition—J. D. Brooker. Music—Mr. Vernon Bolts.

All those who attended speak highly of the evening's entertainment.

From the February Michigan crop report we learn that the weather conditions during January were very favorable for the growing wheat. Correspondents in all sections of the State, with few exceptions, report that the crop suffered no injury. The ground in all parts of the State was well covered with snow nearly all the month. The average depth in the counties of the southern section on the 15th ranged from six to ten inches, the average for the section being seven inches. The average depth in the counties of the central section on the same date ranged from four to eleven inches, the average for the section being seven inches. The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed by farmers in January is 981,038. Of this amount 182,992 bushels were marketed in the first or southern tier of counties; 130,749 bushels in the second tier; 188,954 bushels in the third tier; 325,468 bushels in the fourth tier; 140,639 bushels in the fifth and sixth tiers, and 12,300 bushels in the northern counties. At 34 elevators and mills from which reports have been received there was no wheat marketed during the month.

Supposing we have the straight backed roadster with long sloping quarter and free stile action. This horse can go. Give him his head, and how he reaches out, the spinal arch lifted to allow the freer play of the legs. Secure his head by the over-draw check and as the head rises the spine curves downward, and the action cannot be as free as before. The drop of the spines is an impediment of the leg. If we continue to pull up the head and consequently lower the back of the body, additional tension is thrown upon the abdominal muscles, the stride is contracted and finally its power reduced. The check has without doubt shortened the natural stride of many a promising colt. For the sake of greater road qualities and greater comfort to the animal, remove the check or slacken it until the horse can drop his head to a level with the body. Along the top of a horse's neck runs a massive sinew strong enough to support the head. It is attached to several vertebrae near the shoulder, then it runs free over the crest and becomes attached again to the vertebrae nearest the pole. When the head is pulled up high the crest presses hard on the sinew and causes intense suffering, sometimes setting up the inflammation known as pole evil.—[Farm and home.

Rather sloppy.

Patronize our item box at the post-office.

Rev. James McArthur is in Detroit this week.

Lorenzo Hopkins has returned from Oscoda county.

Mrs. J. D. Crosby is visiting in Ypsilanti and Detroit this week.

Frank Elliott, of Ellington, is visiting relatives in town this week.

James Brooker Sen., and wife are suffering with the grip this week.

L. M. Howey, proprietor of "Our Tin Shop," has an ad. in this issue.

Mrs. John Emmons, of Rodgersville, is visiting at C. D. Striffler's this week.

J. F. Hendrick, the well known jeweler and optician, has a new ad. this week.

A. M. Waner and wife and Mrs. G. S. Farrar visited friend in Caro on Saturday last.

S. Champion has recovered sufficient to be able to attend to his duties at the shop again.

The interior of James Tennant's store is being repainted and otherwise improved.

Mrs. E. G. Oldroyd, of Shreve, Ohio, is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Rev. W. L. Baker.

The grip can even down a lawyer, as Attorney Butler is having a hard tussle with it this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Coshier left Tuesday evening for Nebraska, where they will reside in the future.

Treasurer Seed has about completed the collection of taxes for this township. But few delinquents this year.

L. M. Howey has purchased six thoroughbred Brahma fowls from J. Sherman. Consideration, \$6.00.

W. T. Brown, Stanley Brown and G. M. Livingston, attended the firemen's ball at Caro on Monday evening.

Orlando Predmore has purchased another house and lot—the one east of Ed. Brotherton's. He intends to rent it.

Mrs. Chas. Campbell, of Ellington, took the train at this place Tuesday for Jackson, Mich., where she will visit relatives.

Miss Tena McDougall, who recently left for her home at Pt. Edward, is rapidly recovering from her severe illness.

S. R. Markham has purchased of L. A. Dewitt the property recently occupied by Mr. Predmore, as an agricultural store.

J. C. Seely returned from Oscoda last Saturday noon. He reports plenty of snow and cold weather in that part of Michigan.

All those who wish to contribute to the Michigan World's Fair Educational Exhibit fund, can leave their contributions at Fritz Bros.

Col. Boone, why art thou so still of late? We are all anxious to hear more about that new proposed railroad from Bay City to Pt. Huron.

A number have, by letter and otherwise, expressed their appreciation of the explanation of the new election law as published in the ENTERPRISE last week.

David Clark, living two miles north of this place, had two chickens hatched out on Feb. 25th. Beat this if you can. He says he will call them Washingtons.

The Rev. Winfield Sly, of Lansing, will assist in a series of meetings at the Presbyterian Church, beginning Monday evening, the 29th. Mr. Sly is a man of special gifts as an evangelist.

Eight new members were initiated in Court Elkland, I. O. F., Tuesday evening. This order now has an increasing membership of over fifty, and has been organized but a few months.

Remember the school entertainment to be given at the Town Hall to-night. The pupils should be greeted with a good house, as they have prepared an excellent program and the proceeds will be used for a worthy cause.

The series of revival meetings which have been held in the M. E. Church for the past three weeks came to a close last night. Rev. Williamson and his assistants have had met with quite good success in their revival work.

Remember our great offer. Two papers for the price of one. The American Farmer and the ENTERPRISE one year, one dollar, to those who pay all arrears and one year in advance. This offer holds good for a limited time only.

Rev. F. Curry was happily surprised last week Thursday evening by a number of the young people of his church, who had assembled at his house to help him celebrate the twenty-sixth anniversary of his birth. During the evening he was presented with a nice robe by the persons present.

Ed. Fitch has ever reason to be proud of the amount of work he can accomplish in a day, and Chas. D. Striffler declares that he is the "best man in town." One day this week Mr. Fitch split 13 cords of wood and piled 2 of the thirteen, also piled 7,000 feet of lumber for Mr. Striffler. Grass evidently don't grow in under Ed's feet.

The funeral of Mrs. O'Mally, daughter of Mrs. Sweeney, of Novesta, was held at the M. E. Church last Thursday afternoon and was conducted by Rev. Williamson. The deceased was fifteen years of age, and was well known in this vicinity. Undertaker McKenzie had charge of the remains which were interred in the Elkland cemetery.

This is the origin of leap year: In 1288, when Margaret was queen of Scotland, she made a law that during her reign any maiden should have the right to ask any man to marry her, and if he refused without good cause to make her his wife, he was to be fined one hundred pounds. After the death of the queen the women clamored for a continuance of the right that a law was passed allowing a woman the privilege, every fourth year, of asking a man in marriage.

Deputy Sheriff C. D. Striffler now has an assistant. His birthday is Feb. 25th, 1892.

The social at the Quick school house on Wednesday evening is reported a grand success. The proceeds amounted to \$22.50.

Increasing business at the Cass City Bank has made the employment of additional help necessary. Mr. McPhail has secured the services of Harmon Van Pettin, whose home is at Brooksville, Florida. Mr. Van Pettin has been attending school at Saginaw and comes well recommended as a young man of good character and ability.

Henry Eastman, of Grand Rapids, formerly of Cass City, and Addie Pardo, of Elmwood, were united in marriage on Feb. 17th. The ceremony took place at bride's parents in Elmwood. The happy couple were the recipients of many valuable presents by their many friends. They took the evening train for Florida, where they will spend a short honeymoon, when they will return to Grand Rapids, their future home.

The Detroit Journal has been purchased by Ex-Senator T. W. Palmer and William Livingstone, Jr., and it is announced that no effort or expense will be spared to make it the most complete newspaper in the west. Mr. Livingston, who assumes the active management of the Journal, is a representative republican whose experience in newspaper work and management covers quite a period of years.

Happenings on the Hill.

On Wednesday we were visited by Miss Fossie Brown.

Belle McKenzie and Eva Wickware were visitors last Friday.

The political economy class commenced its work this week.

Clarence and Clyde Quick visited the schools Wednesday.

The subject of botany will be commenced in the near future.

Several of the pupils are absent at present, on account of the grippe.

Nancy McArthur and Mrs. Williamson were visiting in the primary room Wednesday.

Miss Jennie McArthur taught Tuesday and Miss Livingston Wednesday, during the absence of Miss McClinton.

While our record has improved more than fifty percent on the subject of tardiness, still we feel that with more attention on the part of the parent also the pupil, we can still improve this record greatly.

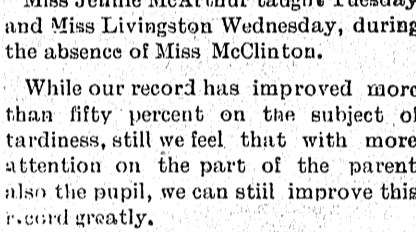
We are pleased to say that we have a great number of visitors now than any time before. We trust you will come any time. Do not send word that you are coming, but come right away. Don't stop to knock but walk right in, then you will be able to decide for yourself the kind of work being done. Ask questions about the work and make yourself at home.

We are promised a talk for some Friday afternoon, in the near future on the Capitol of the United States, by a person who has lived at Washington for some time. This will certainly be interesting to all.

We are sorry that a great number of the parents did not hear Lawyer Brooker's address last Friday afternoon in our high school, on the subject, "The position of teacher as compared with that of parent over the pupil." This discourse was full of valuable suggestions.

The committee appointed to decorate the high school room for the Washington program, Feb. 22nd, acquitted themselves in a creditable manner. The room was handsomely decorated with large and small flags, bunting portraits, and mottoes. If patriotism was taught more in our schools our government would rest on a safer and firmer foundation.

SELF-INFLICTED PUNISHMENT.



The Martyr—Come in—it's all right—boy is following my instructions—I feel I need this sort of thing—played the races yesterday.—Puck.

Job printing neatly executed at the ENTERPRISE office.

IN A GREAT STATE.

A WEEK WITH WOLVERINES BOTH GREAT AND SMALL.

A Farmer Cuts His Throat Before His Father's Eyes.—Detroit Wheelmen Win the Contest.

Harry Hill, a farmer aged 35 years, living near Novi, took his life in a particularly determined and sensational manner. He has been partially demented for some time past, though his friends did not consider his condition dangerous. He visited his father's home and after a brief conversation went up stairs and locked himself in a bed-chamber looking out on the orchard. When his father went to call him down he refused to answer and then refused to open the door for his father's admission. Becoming alarmed at the conduct of his son Mr. Hill procured a ladder and started to enter the chamber through the front window. Before he could enter, however, Harry appeared at the window and deliberately cut his throat from ear to ear in plain view of his father, and then with the blood streaming down his clothes, he opened the window and walked out upon the roof of the porch beneath it and before the father could interfere caught hold of an overhanging branch of a tree and swung himself into it. There he wedged himself in among the limbs and before he could be taken down he was dead. The body had to be lowered to the ground by means of ropes. The snow beneath the tree was stained with his blood for many feet around, presenting a ghastly sight.

Will Interest Michigan Wheelmen.

A special law from Columbus, O., says: Ninety-one delegates and 36 proxies composed the representation to the annual meeting of the League of American Wheelmen. In a contest from Michigan the contesting officers were seated and the convention then took up the matter of sending delegates from that state. The decision makes Joseph M. Bresler, of Detroit, chief of the council of the Michigan division. The contest arose over the fact that the Detroit Wheelmen of the L. A. W., believing that some crooked work was being done, held its vote which was cast solidly for J. M. Bresler, of Detroit, for chief consul, until the day before the voting closed. The vote was thrown out on the ground that it had not been cast in time. The action of the convention sustains the Detroit Wheelmen and elects Mr. Bresler.

Liquor's Sad Have.

The police were called to a miserable hovel on Kent street, in Grand Rapids, and found the cold and almost lifeless form of Mrs. Robert Brown lying on the floor, while a gallon jug, partly filled with liquor, told the cause of her condition. She was removed to a hospital where she died soon after. The coroner decided not to hold an inquest. A few years ago Robert Brown was a well-known and respected miller and quite wealthy, but both he and his wife acquired a love of liquor and their downfall was rapid. They often were arrested for getting drunk and fighting with each other, and a year ago he was sent to Kalamazoo as a drunkard. He has been drunk almost every day since. When her room was searched three silver dollars were all that could be found of the fortune they once had.

AROUND THE STATE.

The university athletic tournament will be held March 25.

A United States recruiting office will be established in Jackson.

The Muskegon Rifles have elected Capt. C. G. Ericson president.

Edward J. Hara, a brakeman, had both legs terribly crushed beneath an engine at Stearns, one so badly that amputation was necessary.

The sixth indictment against Edward M. Field has been filed by the grand jury at New York. It charges forgery in the second degree.

The Plutus mine at Idaho Springs, Col., one of the best mining properties in Colorado, has been sold to Colorado Springs parties for \$250,000.

A number of Kalamazoo capitalists have subscribed \$80,000 and purchased a tract of 30 acres and fine water power, on which a large paper mill will be erected.

Mary Ruoff, aged 15, of Kalamazoo, has caused the arrest of Joseph Bresson on a capias claiming \$2,000 damages. She alleges Bresson is the father of her unborn babe.

Hiram Lampen, aged 19 years while cutting the limbs off a tree he had felled was instantly killed by an old dead tree falling on him in East Overisel, Allegan county.

The position of the estate of P. D. Beckwith to build a \$50,000 memorial building and opera house at Dowagiac on condition the city remit taxes for thirty years has been accepted at a special election.

Muskegon lumbermen have asked the privilege of furnishing and finishing in natural woods one of the rooms in the Michigan world's fair building. The prayer will be granted and three or four other cities can be accommodated.

W. W. Tracy, representing the seed house of D. M. Perry & Company of Detroit, was in Jackson recently and reported having made a contract with William Watts, of Leoni, to grow from 200 to 250 acres of cucumbers especially for seed.

East Jordan people voted \$10,000 worth of bonds for "public improvements," and now that the railroad is coming their way they have sworn out an injunction to restrain the council from issuing the bonds. They claim they really believed the money was intended for water works.

President A. H. Finn, of the Baptist Young People's union, of Detroit, has notified that the invitation extended to the international body to hold its second annual convention in Detroit had been accepted. The convention will be called to order July 14 and will adjourn July 17.

The Southern Michigan Sheep Breeders' and Wool Growers' association met at Jackson, where a number of interesting papers were read, and it was decided to hold the annual shearing at the farm of W. E. Kennedy, in Liberty, April 13, at which time the election of officers will be held.

One citizen of Evart has had many a moment of pleasure this winter as he has toasted his old slippers by the fire, and has managed to extract considerable profit out of the pastime. He has won five watches, one of them gold, a \$5 bill and several lots in Florida, securing and sending in correct solutions to prize questions and sending published in magazines.

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CHILDREN DIE IN THE FLAMES.

A Midnight Fire in an Ironwood Dwelling Costs Three Lives.

Three young lives went out in a dwelling house fire at Ironwood. Charles Delongchamp with his wife and six children resided in the second story of a building, the first floor of which was used as a saloon. About midnight fire broke out in the kitchen of the Delongchamp quarters from an explosion of kerosene oil and rapidly spread through the structure. The father was absent from home but the mother and six children rushed panic-stricken in all directions. The mother carried a two-week-old babe in her arms, was finally rescued with the two older children. When taken from the burning building and questioned as to where the remaining children were likely to be found the frantic mother could give no clue, she had become separated from them in the dense smoke. The firemen and citizens fought the fire with renewed energy, but without avail. When the fire was completely subdued the remains of the three children Albert, Marie and Charles, aged seven, five and two years respectively, were found in the ruins. Several persons who attempted to rescue the little ones were severely burned.

Bi-Chloride Killed Him.

A St. Joseph correspondent says: Word was received here announcing the death at Plainfield, Ind., of H. H. Ansley. Deceased left here quietly several days ago to take the bi-chloride of gold treatment at a Koeley institute. Mr. Ansley was about 35 years of age and well connected. He was the inventor of a secret process of manufacturing and the head of a factory located there, which manufactures large quantities of these goods. August Newell & Co., large musical manufacturers of Chicago, having a large interest in the business. Considerable interest is felt in the matter here, as deceased had a large circle of friends, and his death is attributed directly to the bi-chloride treatment.

Important Liquor Decisions.

Opinions in three liquor cases handed down by the supreme court, which disposition on the part of the supreme court to adhere to a close construction of the liquor law, particularly the provisions relative to Sunday closing. In two cases attempts have been made to evade the law by selling in apartments adjacent to the barroom, equipped with chairs and tables for convivial parties. It is held that any room used on week days in connection with a saloon and to which wet goods are taken must be closed on Sunday. In the third case, it is held that a bartender has no more right to enter his saloon on Sunday to get a drink than any other person.

Making it a Sectarian Fight.

The question of the city council of Kalamazoo making a five year contract with the Erasmus hospital at a figure that many deem extravagant is causing great interest here. A large body of citizens aver that the contract proposed is a fair one and the city should accept it. Rev. Dr. D. F. Barnes delivered a sensational sermon, in which he denounced the project, and branched out in a general denunciation of the methods of the Catholic church. The sermon created intense interest.

An Old Soldier's Suicide.

An aged soldier, William Wahl, of Marshall, who had lived with Charles Lewis 15 years and in the poor house a year, had the grip. He purchased three ounces of laudanum and went to Jacob Baker's hotel and was given a room. He drank half of the opium mixture, and was not discovered for several hours. Two doctors were summoned, but Wahl died. A coroner's jury viewed the remains.

Preferred the Prosty Sister.

A matrimonial sensation has gained circulation in Peck which is unparalleled in the history of the village. R. G. Harding, who has been married four times previous to now, eloped with his wife's pretty sister, Leahy Vonnest. His present wife has always been an affectionate and devoted wife to her husband and his actions were uncharacteristic and uncalled for. Both will be jailed.

Albert Van Dusen, a Bay City laborer,

dropped dead on Third street while hauling wood. He leaves a widow and six children, two of the latter being with him when he fell and expired.

The case of Aaron W. Hamacher, tried

for assisting prisoners to escape from Jackson state prison has ended in Hamacher being found guilty. The case will be taken to the supreme court.

Richard Devore, a young laboring man,

was killed instantly by a falling tree while cutting timber on the farm of R. S. Sheiman, near Bancroft. He leaves a widow and four young children.

The recent Withry vs. Curtis trial at

Ludington has excited much interest. Curtis accuses the doctor of criminal injury with his wife. His wife asserts the same. The doctor says it is blackmail. The jury disagreed.

Lizzie Maher, of Grand Rapids, died,

aged 10 years, from the effects of an icicle falling from the eaves of her father's house and striking her on the head. The injury was sustained 10 days before but the girl was able to go to school for several days.

John Herschens called on Henry Allen

at his home in Jackson. Allen, who is 65 years old, is just recovering from a severe illness. The men quarreled and Herschens struck Allen over the head with a kettle, smashing it; strangely enough Allen's skull was not crushed and he will probably recover.

George Eckfeld, a boarder at the residence

of Mrs. Emma C. Clark, of Sarina, was cleaning a repeating rifle not knowing it was loaded. He had taken the weapon apart and was filing the lock when the hammer slipped and the one cartridge was discharged, the shot taking effect in the hip of Mrs. Clark, and her attending physician has been unable to locate it. It is thought she will recover, unless blood poisoning sets in.

A peculiar lawsuit has been begun at Kal-

amazoo by C. D. Root against Thomas Richardson, J. B. Westledge and John Cousins, who own land adjoining a paper mill pond, to prevent them from cutting the ice from the pond, and the paper mill company claims that it owns the right of the flow of water through the pond, and with that understanding gave Mr. Root a contract, allowing him the exclusive right of cutting the ice on the pond. The defendants began cutting ice opposite their land, hence the lawsuit.

Township Treasurer George Garlan

Duncan, of Houghton, lies in the county jail charged with embezzling \$4,500 of the township's money.

DARE DEVIL ROBBER.

HOLDS UP A TRAIN ALONE ON A NEW YORK RAILROAD.

After Several Thrilling Escapes from His Pursuers He is Captured in a Swamp.—A Stirring Story.

Rochester, N. Y., Special: The shooting of an express messenger on a Central Hudson train, the rifling of a valuable safe, the flight of the robber on the engine crew at the point of a revolver, a running fight from the engine cab for miles chased by another engine filled with railway men, and the final capture of the desperado by a sheriff's posse in a swamp after a wild pursuit across the country, are some of the sensational features of the most desperate attempt at train robbery in the history of the Central Hudson railway, and which cast in the shade as an exhibition of coolness and nerve the famous exploits of the Jesse James band or other outlaws of western fame.

The American Express company's special, or "money train" on that road from New York to Chicago had this experience on the night of the 21st. When the train was near Woodport the conductor heard a signal from the "money" car which aroused his suspicion. On looking through the hole where the bell cord runs through the car he saw a man wearing a mask over his face. The train was stopped and while waiting for the robber to make his appearance the trainmen were ordered to go ahead, or be blown to kingdom come. The trainmen were unarmed and thought to outwit the robber. They started the train ahead at full speed having left one man to telegraph the situation to the stations along the line. When the train arrived at Port Byron an investigation was made, but the robber was nowhere to be seen, having evidently made his escape while the train was in motion. The express car messenger was severely injured in several places and could not talk. At the next stop—Lyons—an enormous crowd had gathered and in the throng the trainmen noticed a young man carrying a hand-satchel with a strap and wearing gold eyeglasses. They remembered having seen the same fellow at Syracuse when the train started out, and how he could be at Lyons was a mystery which they at once coupled with the robber, and they attempted to seize him. He immediately drew two revolvers and kept the crowd away while he backed over to the engine, pulled the coupling pin and sped away like the wind. The sheriff and his posse followed him for several miles and boarded another engine on the next track and started in pursuit. On overtaking the robber he reversed his engine and allowed the others to pass at full speed, sending a shower of bullets in their midst which he dodged. When they had reversed the engine he again opened his batteries. Seeing his steam giving out he got as far away as possible and abandoned the engine. He made a farmer give up a horse at the point of a pistol and when it was wound took a horse and outran from another man however, and was not seen again. The alarm had been given, and the fellow was finally forced to give up to the sheriff. He gave his name as Cross, said he had been a cowboy and later a railroad. It seems that his scheme of escape was worked by getting on top of the car and by fastening a rope to the side door of the engine and pulling himself up. In this way he had escaped notice when the train was in motion and had slipped down at Lyons unnoticed.

Mexico Wants Our Frontier Land.

Considerable comment has been aroused by the statement of a prominent Mexican official of the state of Sonora, Mex., en route from Hermosillo to the City of Mexico, that a re-survey of the international boundary line would throw sixty miles of American soil into Mexican jurisdiction. This change would include the large town of Tucson, Yuma, Tombstone, Nogales, Bisbee, Wilcox, Benson, Gila Bend and many smaller ones, San Diego, Cal., and as far north as San Juan. An immense amount of valuable mining property also come under the new deal, also the entire line of the Arizona Pacific railroad in Arizona. While the statement is not credited as being correct, it is generally understood that the survey now about to commence will show some lossness, at least in the original lines. Captain Finley, U. S. A. is at Ft. Bliss, with two companies of soldiers and a corps of 150 men preparing for a survey which will occupy the better part of this year.

An Engineer's Carelessness.

At Kirkwood, a suburb of St. Louis, a switch engine in charge of Engineer Gallagher, collided with a suburban train loaded with passengers and driven by Engineer Turcilla. The cause was an attempt on the part of Gallagher to reach a station near Kirkwood before the regular train, which he knew was early due. The accident. Neither of the engines left the track, nor did any of the cars. Gallagher and his fireman stayed at their posts and were unhurt. Turcilla and his fireman jumped and escaped uninjured. In the passenger cars there were seven casualties. Thomas Essex was thrown against a seat and had two ribs broken, besides internal injuries which proved fatal. Several others were severely injured.

Terrible Deaths.

A horrible accident happened at the Edgar Thomson steel works, at Pittsburgh. Four men were on the platform in front of a steel converter when a heat of steel was blowing in. The converter turned over suddenly and the pit being full of steam the men were unable to see the fiery ball descending upon them. When the sparks fell a wild rush was made for the steps, John Fischer fell down, striking his head on a red-hot boiler. He was unable to stir and was terribly burned by the flying steel. John McCafferty's clothing was burned off and his body was badly charred.

Paris Special: United States Minister

Reid and family expect to sail on the La Bourgoigne on the 27th. Mr. Reid does not wish to leave his work uncompleted, but it is held here that M. Ribot is no longer in a position to sign treaties. Mr. Reid has not yet resigned the position of United States minister. It was his desire at first to resign early enough to enable him to present his successor to the French officials, but at the request of the state department at Washington, he will not resign until his arrival in America, and probably not until the extradition treaty has been voted upon by the United States Senate, as the state department might wish him to explain officially some portion of the document.

OVER 30 KILLED IN BATTLE.

The Priests Stir Up a Revolution in Mexico with Serious Results.

A special from El Paso, Tex., says: The news has been confirmed here of a battle between the revolutionists and federal troops at Temeohi Puebla, in Chihuahua, near the Sonora line, in which 30 men were killed, the most of whom were federalists. Another battle is reported from Las Alimes, where eight soldiers and the commandant were killed. Another skirmish is reported at Jockery, where the revolutionists were driven to the hills and three killed. The man who brought the information says the priests are telling the people that the country is in the hands of a tyrant who will not give them justice nor their liberty. They tell the people that they have \$70,000,000 with which to supply arms and ammunition and provisions. The uprising is being brought about by the priests, some of whom claim to be saints and inspired to tell the people of their wrongs and lead them to glorious victory. It is feared that a popular uprising of the lower classes will take place after the June election, when Diaz will begin his third term of the presidency.

Bold Attempt at Double Murder.

One of the boldest attempts at cold blooded murder occurred at Ottumwa, Ia. Robert Yates and John Erickson were the victims and Charles Cody and Dick Gallagher their assailants. The latter are in jail awaiting trial. Yates and Erickson are members of the Ottumwa Temperance council having signed the pledge recently, and their offense was that they are witnesses against several saloonkeepers in very important cases pending, and it was desirable that they should be put out of the way. The two former were walking down the street when they were overtaken by Cody and Gallagher, who struck them on the head with iron pipes, rendering them unconscious at the first blow. The men pounded Yates until they thought him dead and then dragged him to a railroad track, where they left him to be killed by a passing train. Erickson meanwhile recovered consciousness and returning to his home near by, where he now lies in a dying condition. Gallagher, the officers say, will turn state's evidence, when the whole nefarious plot will be exposed.

Foretold the Day of His Death.

Peter Kinney, of Coneyaugh, Pa., is dead at the age of 100 years and 6 months. He had been a resident of the valley since the beginning of the century, and was the oldest pioneer in that section. A singular circumstance in connection with his death is that he correctly foretold the event. Over a week before his death he called his family together and told them he had a vision in the night. Two angels, he said had come to him and tenderly asked him to hold a candle for them on Friday of last week. He had been very well ill, but his folks tried to dissuade him from the idea, even going so far as to call in several neighbors to reason with the patriarch. This had no effect for the old man steadily maintained that his vision would come true, and he would die on the day set, and he was right in both respects.

Read His Own Obituaries.

Rev. Elijah W. Merrill died at Minneapolis. When little more than an infant it was supposed that he had died and he was laid out for burial. Before the funeral signs of life were discovered and he was revived. A few days ago he was reported as drowned while crossing the Mississippi on the way to his farm in Wright county, Minn., and several memorial sermons were preached, including one at Albion college, Michigan, where he had been a professor. Mr. Merrill survived to read reports of these. He left a son, Rev. C. W. Merrill, now engaged in evangelical work, and an adopted daughter, now connected with the New York Herald, and well-known under the nom de plume "Margaret Manton."

To Test the McKinley Law.

The constitutionality of the McKinley tariff act is to be tested. The first move was made in the United States circuit court at Chicago, the filing of a motion to dismiss the appeal of Collector Clark from a decision of the board of general appraisers assessing certain duties on dress goods belonging to Locke, Huleatt & Company. The motion is on the ground that the act is unconstitutional, and a number of technical points are raised in support of the position taken. Success would mean that the present board of general appraisers would be abolished and the administrative act of 1883 be revived. The attorneys interested assert that the present statute is burdensome on importers and its machinery too complicated.

Gold Found in Missouri.

The citizens of Lathrop, Mo., are much excited over the report that a genuine gold mine has been discovered. Tested and found valuable on a place about five miles southeast of that city. While Alfred Allen, a negro, was sinking a well at a depth of about 43 feet, he struck a layer of sand and gravel of peculiar appearance and full of shining particles. Work was pushed forward and the stratum of sand was found to be fifteen feet thick, the deposits being much heavier near the bottom. A fair sample was sent to a chemist in Kansas City, who made an assayer's certificate showing to the ton gold \$105 and silver \$160.

A Little Child's Appeal.

Bernard Schmitz, a well-to-do Atchison county, Kansas, farmer, went to Germany to visit relatives, after an absence of nearly 20 years. Upon his arrival there he was arrested and imprisoned for desertion from the German army. He was sentenced for six months, but has been released and is now on his way back to America. His release was brought about by his 11-year-old daughter, who wrote to the emperor from her far away home in Kansas, and in a childish way asked for the pardon of her father on his birthday, the 28th of last month. The emperor received the letter in January 27, and immediately issued an order which gave Schmitz his freedom the following day.

The Lottery Will go to Mexico.

A dispatch from New Orleans says at last the true secret of the withdrawal of the Louisiana state lottery from the fierce political struggle which has been raging for many months is out. The lottery is to go to Mexico. Arrangements to that end are about completed with President Diaz, and the Fortresses of Chapultepec will be the location of the "Louisiana lottery" after 1893. While the directors of the company have not as yet held any meeting to consider the proposition made by different cities in other countries, it is known that Morris favors the City of Mexico, and that practically settles the entire matter.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

MATTERS OF INTEREST IN OUR NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Sub-Committee to Investigate World's Fair Expenditures.—The Popular Vote Movement.

THE HOUSE AND THE WORLD'S FAIR. At a meeting of the appropriations committee of the House authorized to investigate the expenditures of government aid for the World's Fair, Chairman Holman was authorized to designate a sub-committee to make the investigation. He named the sub-committee having in charge the District of Columbia appropriation bill as the one to make the investigation. The members are Messrs. Dockery, of Missouri; Compton, of Maryland; Breckinridge, of Arkansas; Henderson, of Iowa, and Cogswell, of Massachusetts. The sub-committee was instructed to prosecute its inquiry in Washington and not to visit Chicago unless subsequently authorized to do so by the full committee. It was also instructed to inquire into and report to the full committee all the facts it ascertains, omitting any recommendations. In other words the sub-committee is to sift the facts for the full committee. The significance of this lies in the fact that no authority is conferred to make any report as to whether or not the \$5,000,000 which Chicago wants Congress to appropriate for the fair should or should not be appropriated.

CANADIAN COMMISSION UNSUCCESSFUL.

Sir John Thompson, Hon. George E. Foster and Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, the Canadian commissioners, have closed their negotiations with Secretary Blaine and Gen. John W. Foster, representing the United States, for reciprocal trade relations between the two countries and left here for the dominion capital. The state department officials refuse to make a report on the mission, but it is believed that the visitors were unsuccessful in their mission, principally because of their alleged failure to satisfy the representatives of this government that they were authorized to conclude a commercial treaty entirely independent of the direct interests of Great Britain.

FOR A POPULAR VOTE.

The committee on the election of President and Vice-President ordered a favorable report on an amendment to the Constitution, providing for the election of United States Senators by the people. It is substantially Judge Chipman's plan and prescribes for election by popular vote the electors qualified to vote for members of the most numerous branch of the state legislature; that the state legislature shall determine the time, place and manner of the election. There is a strong sentiment in the House favorable to the amendment and petitions are pouring in from the country for its passage. There is very little doubt that it will pass the House.

CHINESE EXCLUSION ACT.

The Geary anti-Chinese bill to absolutely prohibit the coming of Chinese into the United States has been ordered favorably reported to the House by a majority of the foreign affairs committee. Mr. Geary will make the majority report, and will be opposed by a minority led by Mr. Hooker, of Mississippi. Messrs. Hitt, of Illinois, and Andrews, of Massachusetts, will also sign the minority report.

WAR RECORDS IN ERROR.

Senator Allison has introduced a bill to authorize and direct the Secretary of War to set aside the proceedings, findings and reports of the general court-martial and amend the same so as to show Adam Byram, late a private in Company A, Tenth Iowa infantry, was absent on account of sickness from Nov. 23 to Dec. 8, 1863, and to clear his record of the charge of absence without leave at that time.

About the Capitol.

William M. Grinnell, of New York, the new third assistant secretary of state, has reported for duty at the state department.

A Delogation of New York business men

were in Washington, to urge a more rapid delivery in large cities, of mail from the central postoffice to sub-stations.

More Revolution in Brazil.

Advices have been received from Fortaleza, capital of the state of Ceara, that disturbances have broken out in that state and that the people of the capital have driven the governor from the city. Ceara is one of the northern states of Brazil and has a population which is estimated at over 720,000. The state abounds in medicinal plants, balsams, gums, resins and fruits, and among its minerals are gold, iron, copper and salt. The trade statistics of the state show that a very extensive commerce is carried on. No reason is given for the outbreak.

Minneapolis' Shame.

Mayor Winston, of Minneapolis, Minn., has signed the amended liquor ordinance, giving into the police of the city authority to make complaints against saloonkeepers. It is stated that Supt. Henderson has ordered the police to keep their hands off and that saloons will open Sundays, beginning February 21. The whole citizens' matter will be carried to the supreme court by a committee on the plea that any person has the right to file information against another who is alleged to be breaking the laws of the state.

An Enormous Timber Sale.

One of the largest timberland sales ever made in California, has just been closed. Six hundred thousand acres or 20 miles square of sugar pine timber in Stanislaus and Shasta counties were sold to Miller & Brewster, of Green Bay, Wis., and Tatum & Bowen, of San Francisco. The land is so situated that all the timber may be brought on the down grade of the Southern Pacific railroad. A branch railroad will be built which will also tap other large bodies of fine timber. The average price was \$15 per acre.

MEN AND THINGS.

The recent freeze is said to have hurt the wheat crop in central Illinois.

Sixty persons suspected of being anarchists have been arrested in Berlin.

It is said that ex-President John Hoey has asked the Adams Express company for a pension.

While melancholy over the grip John F. Hamman, a printer, committed suicide at Dubuque, Iowa.

In attempting to rescue horses from a burning barn at Floodwood, Minn., Henry Hillenborg lost his life.

In Newark, N. J., a train crashed into a street car at the Broad street crossing, fatally injuring the driver.

E. B. Turpin has been indicted for the murder of Wm. Carter at Callatin, Tenn. To prevent lynching he was taken to Nashville.

HIS DEATH THE COST.

Tried to Inspect a Crude Oil Tank With a Lighted Lantern.

An explosion of crude petroleum gas took place at the factory of the artificial ice company on West Jackson street, Chicago. The engineer, Peter Clark, to discover how much of the crude oil, which is used for fuel, there was on hand, picked up a lantern and started toward the tank containing the oil. His fireman shouted to him not to carry the lantern near the tank, but the warning was unheeded. Raising the lamp door, Clark pushed his lantern into the interior, and for being low the accumulated gas at once exploded. Fragments of the iron were thrown in all directions, and in all neighboring buildings windows were rattled and broken, while the ground shook as with an earthquake. Clark will probably die from injuries received. Henry Smith, Henry Heideman and Patrick Dalton were also seriously injured.

Terrible Storms at Sea.

Special from Halifax, N. S.: News is coming to hand of the disastrous effects of the blizzard which swept the coast. The schooner Laura, of and for Gloucester, Mass., from St. Jacques, has arrived here. The captain reports that he encountered the gale, 20 miles off Whitehead. A tremendous sea swept the vessel, carrying overboard two of the crew, John Kelly and Colin McKenna. Kelly was swept back upon the deck by another wave, but McKenna was lost. The American schooner Ella G. Thurston has arrived at Lockport and reports the loss of four men on the banks. The men were in dories and could not find their vessel. The Gloucester schooner S. A. Duncan foundered off Green island. The crew was saved. A Hopkirk report from Bahia reports the loss of three of the ship Ganamoel Swensonburg. The vessel was on her way to Falmouth. A private dispatch was received here to the effect that the schooner Nora had picked up the steamer Akaba 90 miles off Turk's island and had towed her into that port. The Akaba was bound from Marselles to New Orleans.

The Sims-Edison Torpedo.

London special: Experiments were made at Portsmouth with the Sims-Edison electric torpedo. The tests of the naval weapon were made in the presence of Maj. J. C. Post, the military attaché of the American legation in this city. Capt. Einary, and a number of other foreign attachés; Lieut. Toppin, of the United States navy, and numerous English and other European officers. The experiments were gratifying and proved that the torpedo could be worked successfully when launched from a vessel in motion, with a range of one mile and a quarter and a speed of fifteen knots an hour. The torpedo exhibited there was four years old. Mr. Sims, who personally conducted the trials, claimed that at a recent test of the torpedo a speed of twenty-one knots for over two miles was attained.

Carpenters' Eight Hours' Strike.

Carport special: The United Brotherhood of Carpenters throughout the country will, on May 1, demand that eight hours will constitute a day's work, and will strike where the concession is not made.

WHEAT MARKETS.

Table with market prices for various types of wheat, including Good to choice, No. 2, and No. 3, with prices per bushel.

Table with market prices for various types of corn, including No. 2 yellow, No. 2 white, and No. 3, with prices per bushel.

Table with market prices for various types of cotton, including Middling, Good to choice, and No. 2, with prices per bale.

Table with market prices for various types of sugar, including No. 10, No. 11, and No. 12, with prices per hundred pounds.

Weekly Review of Trade. New York, February 22.—L. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of the business situation is not quite so satisfactory or encouraging as it has been. While the gradual increase in distribution of many

A GOODLY HERITAGE.

My vineyard that is mine I have to keep
Pruning for fruit the pleasant twigs and
leaves.
Tend them thy cornfield; one day thou
shalt reap
In joy thy ripened sheaves.
Or if thine an orchard, graft and prop
Food-bearing trees, each watered in its
place.
Or if a garden, let it yield for crop
Sweet herbs and herb of grace.
But if my lot be sand, where nothing
grows—
Nay, who hath said it! Tune a thankful
psalm;
For though thy desert bloom not as the
rose,
It yet can roar thy palm.
—Christina Rossetti.

FLORA'S FORTUNES.

"You want a narrow blue velvet ribbon, ma'am? Yes, ma'am, in one-half minute. Velvet ribbons, Miss Darcy, and look sharp about it."
Flora Darcy dropped the elaborate strip of scarlet worsted upon which she was at work and hurried forward to her place behind the counter for Messrs. Screw & Pinch made it a rule "never to allow any time to be wasted" in their establishment. When Flora saw the faces of the customers she was to serve, she dropped the box of velvet ribbons and exclaimed:
"Aunt Juliet! And Clara!"
The words broke almost unconsciously from her lips; the next instant she checked herself abashed.
"Dear me, Clara," faltered the elder lady, half angry, half confused, "this is very embarrassing to—"
"Do hush, mamma! What a fool you are!" said Miss Clara Darcy, in a not very filial strain. Of course, you aren't obliged to recognize any relationship with this—this young woman. Let us go," and they went.

Flora Darcy had a hard day of it at Messrs. Screw & Pinch's, and it was not until they were closing up for the night that she had an opportunity to clear the heaped-up counter which was her special charge. A pasteboard box-cover lay on the floor partly under the counter, and as Flora stooped to pick it up something glittered beneath it—a gilt-clasped portmanteau.
"Some lady has left her portmanteau on the counter, and it has got brushed off with the trimmings," was the girl's first thought as she opened it. "I never saw so much money in one time in all my life before!"
At the same instant a perfumed card dropped from the inner compartment—a card engraved in German text—

MRS. DEVEREUX DARCY.
The blood instinctively rushed into Flora's pale and weary cheek.
"It is Aunt Juliet's purse, and the money is hers—no, ours! Did not her husband meanly deprive my mother of her poor little fortune? Does he not live in luxury while we are starving? But it is not mine. I will take it to Aunt Darcy at once."
She turned resolutely toward the aristocratic quarter of the city, in which dwelt Mrs. Devereux Darcy. It was a long walk, but Flora scarcely heeded it, so eager was she to rid herself of the tiny burden that was momentarily growing heavier in her heart and hand.

Mrs. Darcy was at dinner; she could see no one, was the answer. Flora received when she requested a brief interview with her aunt, nor was she blind to the footman's insolence and supercilious stare as he delivered his stereotyped answer.

"You will give her this parcel, if you please," she said, a little annoyed.
"Yes, miss. I'll give it to her," was Mercury's reply, as he yawned visibly and shut the door after her; while Flora, infinitely relieved, tripped away with a heart many degrees lighter than it had been.

"I shall soon be at home now," thought Flora. "I hope mamma is not alarmed at my unusual delay."
Miss Clara Darcy, who had sat a whole hour in full dress white kid gloves, silver bouquet holder and all, was beginning to wax exceedingly impatient when at length "Dr. Phillipson" was announced—a frank, handsome young man, with thoughtful grey eyes and a port erect as that of Hyperion.

"You must excuse my delay, Miss Darcy; we professional men are not always masters of our own time and I was detained by a street accident—a broken arm."
"Ah, indeed?"
"Yes—a pretty little sewing-girl, I should judge—sent to the hospital. And, my the way, it's a curious coincidence—but her name is Darcy."
"Darcy?" echoed Clara.
"Yes; Flora Darcy."
"How strange! I thought," added Clara, with the glib readiness of the habitual falsehood-monger, "that we were the only family of that name in the city. Papa—ahem—has no relatives living."

The intense glow of the August sunshine quivered fitfully on the floor of the convalescent ward, as Dr. Phillipson's footsteps rang, strong, nervous and inspiring, upon its threshold. There was many a heart leaped up at the familiar sound, but most of all at the heart of poor Flora Darcy, who was sitting up for the first time since the long, wearisome fever that had followed on the pain and inflammation of her broken arm.

All the morning she had been thinking of Dr. Phillipson, but scarcely more than Dr. Phillipson had been thinking of her. What should he do with this fair, fragile convalescent who was just emerging from the valley of the shadow of death?
She had told him much of her history—the rest had been unconsciously revealed in the incoherent ravings of fever. Had Clara Darcy known this, she could, perhaps, have understood the sudden and unaccountable cessation of Dr. Phillipson's visits and at-

tentions. As it was, she was in a curious medley of conjectures and bewilderment not unmingled with the acutest mortification.

Dr. Phillipson came to Flora last in his round of visits.

"Well, Flora," he said, cheerily. "You are really sitting up. This looks encouraging. We shall discharge you in a day or two, now. What am I to understand by your sober little face?"

"I have lost my situation; my mother has spent all she had; I am not yet strong enough to work—and—I can not beg."

"You have relations—the Devereux Darceys. Why not go to them?"

"I would die first, sir," she said, with energy.

Dr. Phillipson smiled as he stroked down Flora's short, curly hair.

"Flora," he said gently, in a voice so low that it was audible to her ears alone—but no matter what he said.

"Mamma!" shrieked Clara Darcy, one morning not long after, "here's Dr. Phillipson's marriage in the papers; and whom do you suppose he has married? My cousin, Flora!"

"Your cousin, Flora!" shrieked the matron in dismay.

"This comes of hospitals and those horrid infectious places," went on Clara, hysterically. "I wouldn't marry a doctor—no, not if there wasn't another man in the world!"

And rather irrelevantly she burst into tears—tears that would have been bitterer yet if she could have known how quietly happy Dr. Phillipson and his young wife were—New York Ledger.

HE WENT TO THE SMOKER.

A Masher Who Did Not Care to Wait For an Introduction.

A masher boarded the train at Batavia, relates the Rochester Democrat. He had all the appearance of a professional lady-killer, including a red necktie and an Indian-rubber smile. He stared at all the ladies in the car as he walked down the aisle. He was picking out a victim and doing his work with the air of a man who knows not defeat.

It didn't take him long to make a selection. He picked out a young married woman who occupied one of the front seats of the car with a little girl and seated himself across the aisle a short distance behind her.

The soon-to-be-mashed little girl was alternately playing in the aisle and sitting by her mother.

During one of the child's frolics in the aisle the gentleman from Batavia caught her eye and beckoned to her.

The mother saw her child start to run away, looked in the direction in which she was going, saw the masher and smiled. This was all the encouragement the lady-killer wanted. He called the little girl to his side, wrote something on a card and said to the child: "Take this to mamma."

The little one obeyed, and this is what mamma read:

"I should be delighted to make your acquaintance."

The young mother's face turned scarlet as she read the note, but she wrote a reply to it and sent it by the little girl. Then she turned her gaze on the masher. "The little girl delivered the message, and this is what the fellow read:

"Perhaps you can get my husband, who is sitting directly behind you, to introduce us."

The masher looked up. Then involuntarily he turned his eyes toward the person occupying the seat behind him.

Another pair of eyes was regarding him with a fixed stony gaze. Suddenly the India rubber smile lost its elasticity, even the red necktie seemed to grow dull in color, and the lady-killer as suddenly concluded that he wanted a smoke worse than ever before in his life.

Wonders of the Trance State.

Prof. William James, a well-known Harvard instructor, in speaking of the trance condition and trances in general, says: "I know a woman who in her trances knows facts which altogether transcend her possible normal consciousness—facts about the lives of people whom she never saw or heard of before. I make this statement deliberately, knowing the liabilities to which it exposes me. My own impressions are that the trance condition is an immensely complex and fluctuating thing, into the understanding of which we have hardly begun to penetrate, and concerning which any very sweeping generalizations are sure to be premature."—St. Louis Republic.

The King.

The Chinese have quite a large collection of musical instruments, all more or less of an interesting character. One of the most important of these is called the "king," and was invented by the Emperor Tschun, and is generally supposed to have been in existence for 4,200 years—which is certainly a good old age. It consists of sixteen different sized stones, which are hung in two rows, and the musician strikes the stones with a wooden mallet. A richly ornamented instrument made after the same manner and called the "nio-king" may only be used by the emperor.—Saturday Evening Post.

Grand Combination Act.

Two farmers, neighbors and old friends, named Rheume and Morin, in the parish of St. Marie, Beauce, Quebec, had each eight children, four sons and four daughters. Morin's four sons have married Rheume's daughters and Rheume's four sons have married the daughters of Morin. The marriages did not take place all at one time, but the grand combination was consummated a few weeks ago by the marriage of the last couple.

SIDNEY LORAINÉ,

Or, The Count's Burden.

CHAPTER I. CONTINUED.

"The night had grown still and quiet, the rosy lights had all vanished, and thousands of stars shone overhead in the clear blue sky. The gentle stirring of the acacia trees below, the soft scents that the night air was bringing from the roses and honey-suckle, seemed to belong to some different world from the one in which she had dreamed away the afternoon hours. Perhaps it was Mendelssohn's dreamy music, interpreted by a master hand, that had somewhat to do with the change. And when at length he rose and came and stood by her side he did not at once speak, and to her no commonplace word of thanks seemed necessary.

"It is magic," he said, as round the corner of the dark building opposite came a sudden stream of moonlight, that touched with silver the trees below.

"Yes, it is magic," she answered. "I thought your playing had conjured it up, and I feared to speak, lest it should all vanish away. But now that you have spoken and the charm still works, let me thank you by some other means."

"For the music? Ah, that reminds me of home. When I am there, I always play until I am told to leave off. My father is very fond of music."

"And what does home consist of?" she questioned. He was standing in front of her, leaning against the window-sash, and she looked up at him as she spoke. The moonlight was touching her with its weird light, and he paused a moment before answering.

"Home consists of a father and five sons," he said. "Somehow a home wants a woman to complete it. I always think of you when I am here, which is not often. I am a soldier."

"Ah!" she stirred a little, and sat more upright. "And then: 'You have not a sister?' she added, as if that were not the first thing she had meant to say.

"No, I have never had a sister, and my mother has never had a daughter."

"Yes," she said, after a pause, "somehow home does seem to require a woman; yet—I am not sure. It sometimes seems to me that men say that when they wish to be pleasant to us and give us a share in their lives, but I am not sure."

"I don't know," she said, "but I am sure that you are necessary to their happiness, though we may be to their comfort."

He looked at her a moment in silence, in a way he had which left her in doubt as to whether he was trying to adjust that sentence to his own mind before answering, or whether it was merely her English that had perplexed him, and then said: "You are mistaken; a man perhaps does not wish to be alone; but he must not make a mistake. For then it is not only his own happiness that he is concerned with."

"And the woman?" she questioned quickly, sitting a little more upright. "Is it fair that she should not be wiser? But, perhaps," smiling, "her mistake does not matter?"

"Not so much," he answered, and he said gravely, "It need not affect any one but herself. It is only necessary that she should adjust her life to her mistake."

She rose to her feet with so sudden a movement, that the feather fan which had lain under her idly clasped hands fell to the ground unnoticed.

"I argue no more," she cried impetuously, "if the woman's happiness is not worth considering."

"How unfair," he answered, smiling a little at her vehemence, "when it was I who said that the woman's happiness was of necessity dependent on the man, and that for that reason the man—"

"And the man's," she interrupted, "is dependent on the woman! It seems to me we have talked in a circle, and arrived exactly where we began—namely, that men can do very well without us."

"You are too quick," he said. "I cannot keep up with you, but I think you know where we were agreed all the same."

"It is the English," she answered, evasively; "if we were both speaking our own language, we should understand one another better."

"Perhaps,"

"Here is father," she went on, turning toward where Mr. Lorainé had appeared on the threshold between the two doors. She went a few steps toward him, and took his hand in hers, the little mutinous expression fading as she looked at him, her eyes growing soft and sweet.

"You are just in time, father; Count Lindenheim and I went on arguing until we were at the verge of quarreling—at least I was."

"And what was the point of difference?"

"It was a rule."

"A fortnight had passed, and Esme von Lindenheim still remained at Hayes. It was Sydney's constant companion. Together they set out in the garden, during the shade of the tulips, during the long, hot afternoons; together, later, they would pass to the terrace which lay on the other side of the house—the terrace where, in all the rays of the setting sun, the peace of heaven descended down in all the pride of the consciousness of fine feathers. They would lean on the low wall facing the glory of sunset, looking across the level English meadows, through which flowed the river, taking on its glassy breast the reflecting gleams of red and gold from the sky above, and admiring, often in silence, the glories of heaven, which seemed finding a reflection in the waters beneath.

The first few days they had read much, talked of the work which was the connecting link between the friends—the work in which the son of the one and daughter of the other had so easily found a meeting place; and from that they had diverged to books generally, and a comparison of what they had read and liked.

"Father," Sydney had said, entering the library the day after Count Lindenheim's arrival, and cautiously closing the door behind her, "where is Schiller? You know I told you that it was poetry, not tennis, he would require to amuse him. Well, he has already proved me right. He is going to read aloud to me, and of course—"

"Is going to read Schiller," interposed Mr. Lorainé. "Here it is."

"I hope," replied Sydney, smiling, "he will not choose 'The Glove,' though I suppose there is very little use hoping. They all begin with that. At least, that is the result of my large experience."

"You are very ungrateful, my dear Sydney," was her father's comment, as he pushed the book into her hands.

But fifteen days had passed since then. Poetry had been abandoned for conversation, sometimes indeed for silence, whilst Sydney sat and worked. And it was not only with Miss Lorainé that Count von Lindenheim had made

"And I can only say," he replied, "that it seems to me a great thing to have been trusted with the key that threw open the gates." He found himself looking with a sort of pathetic interest at the old man's sad eyes, to whom had been conjured up a vision of his buried past, at the girl's glad eyes that had had a glimpse into what was veiled from her eager view in the coming time, and then the momentary emotion that had touched all three subsided, and he became aware that he was still holding Sydney's fan, which he had picked up when it fell from her careless hand. He gave it back to her with a light wringing. "You are brave; do you know that peacock feathers are proverbially unfortunate?"

She took it in her hand, touching the feathers caressingly.

"Ah, but I am not afraid of the especial misfortune that they are said to bring!"

"And what is that?" asked Mr. Lorainé.

She turned with a little courtesy to her father. "The daughters, sir, of the house do not marry."

"And you mean to accomplish your destiny in spite of the peacock?"

"With you and me, I mean to hope, and with equanimity my destiny, and cling to my peacock's feathers, and my prime minister."

"You are a wise woman," replied her father, "and, for the third and last time, I ask for your sons."

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himself something more than a casual visitor. Old Mr. Lorainé had grown to find his presence very welcome. His gentle courtesy always pleased him, and the interest with which he entered into his work, and the affectionateness with which he would walk up and down with him in the summer twilight, listening to the stories of long ago, brought back, in a measure, his youth to the older man.

"The sun is setting, mademoiselle, he has deserted the garden, and it grows chilly. Let us follow him to the other side of the house."

"At the sound of the voice with the little foreign accent that she had learnt to know so well, Sydney Lorainé rose to her feet, and put down her book.

"It is you," she said. "Where have you been these one, two, three hours?"

"I have been for a long walk," was his reply.

"All alone?"

"All alone. I have been thinking."

"And could you not think here? It would have been very much cooler and pleasanter."

"Cooler and pleasanter," he repeated, "but I would not have been thinking. But now, come quickly, let us go to the terrace."

TO BE CONTINUED.

The Graceful Minuet.

The minuet which Strauss is about to introduce to the partial exclusion of his own waltz, was the first ball dance which had a really world-wide popularity. It is a slow dignified dance, an appropriate product of the time and place of its birth. It is very old. When Don Juan d'Autria went incognito from Brussels to Paris nothing he saw during his famous trip excited his admiration half so much as the grace with which the beautiful Margaret of Burgundy danced the minuet. Other beaux and titled dandies of the same period also put in writing flattering allusions to the beauties of this dance. Nevertheless, it is exceedingly doubtful that the minuet of those times was the original model of the minuet of to-day.

The minuet which very recently has appeared in the Parisian salons, was invented by the French ballet master, Gardel, or rather was evolved by him from a much older dance for the celebration of the marriage of King Louis XVI. "Minuet of the Queen" is the title which the great Gardel gave to his new dance in honor of Marie Antoinette. The figures of a dance of the time of Louis XIV. were utilized by Gardel as the basis of his new minuet. The old dance, with which every court ball of Louis XIV. was opened, consisted mostly therein that the gentleman and lady faced each other, moved a few steps forward and backward in time with dignified and sonorous music, bowed deeply and returned to their places. This dance was called the "Branle." It was succeeded by the gavotte, in which "the gentlemen kissed the bouquet of flowers, and with a deep bow handed it to his partner." From this gavotte Gardel derived the minuet. The famous dancing master, Pecourt, introduced an important innovation by changing the S figure into the Z figure, which is still danced. The minuet is the only dance which preserves the courtly dignity of the old régime, and therefore has ever been regarded as the most aristocratic of dances. The most popular of minuet music is from the first finale of Mozart's Don Juan. This music is the model of all other music to which the minuet has been danced of late years.—*Berliner Borsen-Courier*.

Falling From Balloons.

The proportion of balloon accidents to successful descents has, on the whole, says the *Forum*, been probably smaller than should have been anticipated. Blanchard, the first to take up ballooning as a vocation, died in his bed in 1800, after having made sixty-six descents without accident. Many ascents have been made in the cause of science, and the names of Green, who made over 1,400 ascents; of John Wise, who made the distance from St. Louis to Jefferson county, New York, 1,200 miles, in twenty hours; of Gay-Lussac and Biot, who in 1804 made a most valuable series of meteorological and physical observations at the height of 19,000 feet; of Glishor, who rose to 37,000 feet with the aeronaut Coxwell, and especially, recently, of the brothers Tissandier—all of these are familiar to everyone.

In 1794 the balloon was used for military purposes by General Jourdon, who secured continued observations of the Austrian movements, and thus gained the battle of Fleurty. The French are also reported to have used the same method in the battle of Solferino. A balloon corps was organized by General McClellan at the outbreak of our own civil war 1861, and the use of balloons was one of the regular and daily means of obtaining information of the movements of the enemy.

During the siege of Paris the balloon became the only means of sending dispatches out of the beleaguered city, and proved to be very reliable. Of all the balloons sent out from Paris, over sixty in number, only three were lost, and they probably simply because they were dispatched at night to avoid the risk from the fire of enemy, which, as the event proved, was far less dangerous than darkness. Every government probably now has a balloon corps.

Ben Butler's Joke on Sam Randall.

The question of adjournment was under consideration, and Gen. Butler had stepped over to Mr. Randall's desk for a private consultation. Butler favored a Sunday session. Randall opposed it.

"Bad as I am," said Randall, "I don't have some respect for God's day, and I don't think it proper to hold a session of Congress that day."

"O, pshaw," responded Butler, "doesn't the Bible say that it is lawful to pull your ox or ass out of a pit on the Sabbath day? You have seventy-three asses on your side of the ditch to-day, and I think I am engaged in a holy work."

"Don't do it, Butler," pleaded Randall. "I do have some respect for you that I don't want to lose. I expect some day to meet you in a better world."

"You'll be there, as you are here," retorted Butler quick, as thought, a member of the Lower House.—*N. Y. Tribune*.

UPON HONOR.

A Common Sense, Humane and Invariably Successful Method of Curing Drunkenness.

As a rule the man or woman who is a slave to spirituous or malt liquors or to opium, morphine, chloral or tobacco, will not confess to the bondage to anyone but himself or herself. As a rule, also, he or she is very sensitive upon the subject, and anything like a public announcement of their failing is an experience above all others which they would avoid. Hence it is that a victim of any of the habit diseases indicated, dislikes going for treatment and cure to a small town whose chief enterprise is a whisky cure institute, and where the instant he or she puts in an appearance they are marked as drunkards.

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A Sunday school teacher endeavored to make his pupils understand the parable of the good shepherd. "Now, little children, suppose you were all little sheep, what would I be?" He expected them to say that he would be the good shepherd, but much to his disgust one of them replied: "If we were little sheep you would be a big sheep," whereupon the teacher looked very sheepish, indeed.—*Texas Sittings*.

Fogg—"I think that Brown is about as indulgent a husband as there is going. He went home last night and found his wife hugging and kissing a bald-headed fellow, and didn't make a bit of fuss about it."

Mrs. Fogg—"Then all I've got to say is, the more fool he! Why didn't he kick the old rascal down stairs?" Fogg—"Oh, he wasn't so very old; quite young, on the contrary. And, besides, what would you think of a father who kicked his first and only baby downstairs?"—*Bo-ton Transcript*.

A Little of Everything.

Alexander Robinson, of Cambridge, O., recently sold a turkey which weighed 30½ pounds.

Wm. Stevens, of Glenwood, Ore., was found dead in his bed with a fallen tree across his cabin.

A sign in a store in Tremont street, Boston, reads: "Fresh Eggs, 23 cents; strictly Fresh Eggs, 35 cents."

Of the twenty major generals of the war of the rebellion credited to Ohio, seven only survive; of the twenty-one brevet major generals twelve are living.

There is only one refinery in the world that makes absolutely pure sugar. The refinery is in Germany, and it supplies chemists and druggists with sugar for solutions which must be unclouded.

The body of a man who had killed himself accidentally while hunting, near Yorktown, Ind., was faithfully guarded by a dog until it was discovered, many hours after the fatal occurrence.

Insanity has increased so in France that the asylums can no longer hold the lunatics. The assistance publique has, therefore, decided to place some of the crazy paupers who are harmless with peasant families, just as it puts out pauper infants and children.

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Dishonesty in Literature.

There is one peculiarity of literary property—in story, sketch or poem—which the average reader perhaps does not take into account. It is the comparative facility with which the author can, if he is dishonest, sell the same thing over and over again to different publishers without detection. In the multiplicity of publications it is an absolute impossibility for the most acute and astute "reader" to decide whether anything which is offered has appeared before in some other publication than the one which relies on his judgment and discrimination; and the best of them are more or less liable to be made the victims of literary dishonesty.

It is a pleasure to note, however, says the Detroit Free Press, that the business of swindling periodicals and newspapers in this fashion is being made more and more difficult. One, at least, of the leading periodicals has opened a "black book," in which are entered the names of all writers detected in offering for sale matter which they have had published before. If other publishers will adopt a similar plan and make an arrangement for regular interchange of lists, or for their publication in some form accessible to all publishers, the evil can be very greatly diminished, if not wholly done away with.

Historical Research.

American enterprise is opening up to the world many avenues of information possessing not alone temporary interest but material for the verification of Biblical records. Gen. Stone, an American officer who has been for some years engaged in Egypt in surveying "metes and bounds," which were the subject of many disputes, has discovered the sites of the camps of the Israelites in their wanderings in the desert. These discoveries are valuable in that they prove the accuracy both geographically and historically of the Bible records. The location of these ancient camps displays the knowledge of sanitary laws possessed by the Jews, and as their Egyptian captivity is proven by the remains, architectural and otherwise, found in the ruins of the ancient cities, the whole Biblical account is now perfectly confirmed.

The Ozone Cure.

Experiments on a large scale for the cure of consumptives by the inhalation of ozone are about to be made at St. Raphael, a point on the Mediterranean coast where the air is supposed to be peculiarly well adapted to a satisfactory trial of the treatment. Ozone has long been known as a potent agent for the cure of phthisis, but great difficulty was experienced in getting it pure, a condition absolutely essential. About three years ago two French physicians, Drs. Labbe and Oudin, perfected a process by which the genuine ozone was produced, and wonderful results have been achieved, it is said, by the inhalation of this subtle agent by patients in the Parisian hospitals. A vast sanitarium is now to be established at St. Raphael, and a good deal is likely to be heard of the ozone cure before long.

It is reported that several weeks ago Isaac Robinson, of Petersburg, N. Y., died suddenly, leaving an estate valued at \$150,000. One of his children was Mrs. Jacob Dryfoos, of Radford, Va. Recently for three consecutive nights she dreamed that her father had buried a jar containing a large sum of money in gold. Her husband searched the spot seen in her dream, and there, sure enough, was the jar filled with the precious coins. Had the lady failed to dream the three times in succession the result might possibly have been different.

A WRITER in the Hebrew Standard complains that some of the Jewish religious reformers are introducing Christian features in the synagogue services. In one synagogue the "Dead March in Saul" has been sung as an accompaniment to "Lecho Dobi." The Hebrew Standard itself is desirous that rabbis should preach on Talmudic or Biblical topics rather than on secular questions.

The Iowa authorities are determined to prevent the brutal exhibitions known as prize-fights from being held in that state. In the house a few days ago the judiciary committee reported favorably on a bill with that end in view. A union of action among sister states in this matter would tend to the improvement of social conditions throughout the nation.

A FARMHAND employed in the neighborhood of Bangor, Me., lately received in payment for eleven weeks' labor his board, a few pairs of old pants, a second-hand overcoat, some tobacco and a licking. But notwithstanding the munificence of his employer he proceeded against him at law for further remuneration.

A Grove near Harrisburg, Conn., is full of hollow trees and gray squirrels. The squirrels have made holes all over the trees. Whenever the wind

blows the trees are converted into gigantic pipe organs. The effect, according to those who have heard it, is as weird as could be imagined.

WILLS have been found in many queer places, but the queerest hiding-place for a document of that kind was a squirrel's nest in a chestnut tree near Hamburg, Conn., which two hunters cut down recently.

The last language into which the New Testament has been translated is the Motu language of New Guinea, the latest tribe to become English subjects.

Science of Bread Making.

At the recent annual meeting of the American Chemical Society, held in Washington, D. C., the question of the value of carbonate of ammonia as a leavening agent discussion in which Prof. Bazer, of the University of Pennsylvania, and President of the Society; Dr. Richardson, late of the United States Department of Agriculture in Washington; Dr. Wm. McMurtrie, late Prof. of Chemistry in the University of Illinois; Dr. E. H. Battley, late Chemist of the Brooklyn N. Y., Board of Health and Prof. of Chemistry of the Long Island College, and others took part.

The consensus of opinion was overwhelming in favor of the employment of ammonia. It was stated as a fact that ammonia rendered the gluten of the flour more soluble than the original gluten, and that the bread in which this action was produced by carbonate of ammonia must be more digestible and hence more healthful, and because of the extreme volatility of carbonate of ammonia and its complete expulsion from the bread in the process of the most useful, most healthful and most valuable leavening agent known.

These conclusions are borne out by the very elaborate and exhaustive experiments made by Prof. J. W. Mallet, of the University of Virginia, which show conclusively that the bread made with baking powder in which one per cent of carbonate of ammonia is used, in connection with cream of tartar and soda is not only of uniformly better color and texture, but a product of more wholesome, because the ammonia serves to neutralize any organic or lactic acids present in the flour.

Old papers for shelves etc., 15 for five cents, for sale at this office.

Try Dullman's Great German 15 cent Liver Pills, 40 in each package, at Fritz Bros.

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Take Notice.

All persons owing me are requested to call and settle either by note or cash, by January 15th, 1892.

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James Gage,
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Piano—\$5 per quarter of 12 weeks.
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Private lessons in Painting—Six dollars per quarter of 12 weeks. One hour per week. Members attending the class on Saturday afternoon, lasting one hour and a half 50 cents per lesson.

BUSINESS POINTERS.

Pay Up!
All persons owing me on account are requested to settle at once as am going to leave Cass City.

2-5 W. ELEVIER.

Please Read.
All persons owing us on account will please call and settle at once as we wish to close our books for the past year.

1-1 FROST & HEBBLEWHITE.

For Sale or Exchange.

Some fine lots fronting on Segar street near the business part of the town. Good location for a home. Will sell at bargain, with terms to suit purchaser; or will exchange for a good, young horse. See these lots before buying.

T. A. CONLON.

Merit Wins.
We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have handled remedies that sell so well, or that have such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. For sale by Fritz Bros.' Druggists.

A Positive Fact.
Ladies do not delay your valuable time by waiting for a salve, but secure a bottle of Dullman's Great German Uterine Tonic and be cured of your monthly trouble either in old or young. It is the very best preparation I ever prescribed in my extensive practice. It has given the best of results in the greatest number of cases of female trouble of any medicine that I ever used. I do not make a practice of using or recommending patent medicines, but this remedy is prepared by a very competent physician and chemist of my acquaintance and I can cheerfully and conscientiously recommend it as the best.—\$1 a bottle. A. C. FRITZ, M. D. Specialist of Diseases of Women, 89 East Madison St., Chicago, Ill. For sale by Fritz Bros.

Very Much Surprised.
I have been afflicted with neuralgia for nearly two years, have tried physicians and all known remedies, but found no permanent relief until I tried a bottle of Dullman's Great German Liniment and it gave me instant and permanent relief. 25 cents per bottle. Signed A. B. SNYDER, Hamilton, Mich., April 11, 1891. For sale by Fritz Bros.

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 eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It guarantees to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Fritz Bros.

Consumption Cured
An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all throat and Lung Affections; also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-men. A ruler of human suffering, I will send free of charge to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

LEGAL NOTICES.

PROBATE NOTICE.
State of Michigan, County of Tuscola, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the probate court for the county of Tuscola, made on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1892, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Arthur Shoemuth, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said probate court, at the probate office, in the village of Caro, for examination and allowance, on or before the twenty-fifth day of July next, and that such claims will be heard before said court, on Monday, the twenty-fifth day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of those days.
Dated February 20th, A. D. 1892.
JAMES M. VAN TASSEL,
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola, ss.
At a session of the probate court for said county, held at the probate office, in the village of Caro, on the 23rd day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two. Present, James M. Van Tassel, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of William Hebbelwever, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of James J. Hebbelwever, of Elkland Township, Tuscola Co., widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate be given to her.
Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 29th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden in the probate office, in the village of Caro, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Cass City Enterprise, a newspaper printed and circulated in this county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
[SEAL.] JAMES M. VAN TASSEL,
Judge of Probate.

Something New! In the way of a COOKING STOVE!

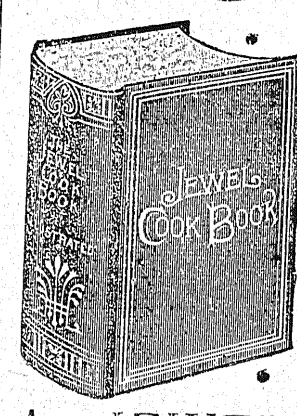
Patent Portable Steel Oven

It is the most valuable feature ever put into a Cooking Apparatus. I have it in six hole Ranges designed to burn either wood or coal at from \$22 to \$35. If you need a Cook Stove examine this. It will please you. At the prices I am closing out my immense Stock of Heating Stoves, both coal and wood, it will pay you to purchase, even for next years use.

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Yours Respectfully,
J. L. HITCHCOCK.

LOOK! GIVEN AWAY!

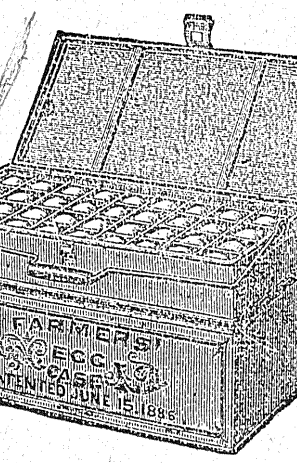


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To Every Purchaser of \$10 worth of Goods.

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This Case holds 12 dozen and is made of Tin handsomely Japanned and ornamented. The Fillers are made of both Paper and are very durable. Saves both packing and counting; obviates loss from breakage and miscounts. It is an ornament to any home. Get a ticket at our store, have the amount of each purchase punched out. This case will be given you when your cash purchase amounts to \$20.00.



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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE!

—We have concluded to sell or Exchange our—

ENTIRE STOCK, —CONSISTING OF—

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.

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Located in the Austin Brick Block, first door west McDougall & Co's.

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Dissolution Notice.

Cass City, Mich., January 4th, 1892.

DEAR SIR:-

We are going out of business and now is your chance for bargains. We are going to close out our entire stock of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps, Carpets, Cloaks, Lace Curtains, Groceries, Etc. Everything must go, and we will put a price on them that people should grasp at. All lines will be sold at ruinous prices. Ladies fine all wool Newmarkets, worth from \$12 to \$18, all go at \$5 each. Clothing below cost to manufacturer. Boots and Shoes at a great sacrifice. It is needless to quote prices. Come and see for yourself.

P. S. McGregory will retire from the business and James McArthur will engage in Exclusive Dry Goods Trade. Stock must be closed out by March 1st. We have about a Sixteen Thousand Dollar Stock and it all must go.

We extend our sincere thanks for the Liberal Patronage received during our seven years business career in Cass City and hope it has been mutually pleasant and profitable.

Be sure and attend this Big Sale.

Respectfully,

2 MACKS 2.

P. S.—A Grand Clearing Sale will be carried on at Kingston during January and February. All in the vicinity of Kingston please give us a call and we will try and make you happy with Low Prices. Returning thanks for past favors, we remain,

Yours Respectfully,

2 MACKS & CO.

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Pure Drugs,

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Cass City, Mich.

WINTER IS HERE

Remember the place to buy

Sleighs,

Cutters,

Feed Cutters,

Straw Cutters,

Root Cutters,

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W. J. CAMPBELL'S.

Real Estate.

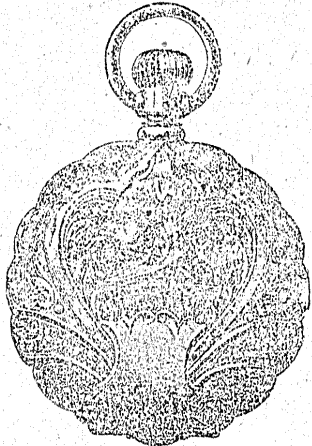
Parties having Real Estate for sale, of any description, may find it to their advantage to call upon E. H. PINNEY, Cass City, Mich., who will either buy or take the agency to sell the same on commission.

Also parties wishing to buy or exchange improved or unimproved lands or Cass City property, may find what suits them by calling upon

E. H. PINNEY,
CASS CITY, MICH.

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W. C. T. U. COLUMN.

THE EVILS OF TREATING.

"The Commercial Travelers' Circle of Canada has issued the following open letter to business men and commercial travelers, signed by Mr. R. M. Stewart, president, and Mrs. E. Fielding, secretary: The Travelers' Circle of Canada wish to call your attention to the system of treating and being treated to intoxicating liquors when transacting business. We are pleased to note that this custom is now by many entirely avoided, yet some are led to continue it, perhaps fearing that to discontinue a practice they have followed for some time might affect the success of their business. We believe no merchant will allow himself to be biased in placing of an order by a treat from the traveler who visits him but we feel the practice in the past has sometimes been adopted in the hope of so influencing the customers, and some travelers who have practiced it have been gradually led into the use of intoxicants to such an extent as to injure themselves, while in some cases it has resulted in the loss of their situations and suffering to their families. In these days of keen competition a traveler sometimes finds his sales not equal to his anticipation, a spirit of despondency is apt to take possession of him, and if he is susceptible to the influence of alcohol, and has taken some with his customers during the day, he is likely to indulge further at night when he meets his fellow travelers after his customers have gone home. We ask retail merchants to give this matter their careful consideration remembering that many of these young men have come from homes where parents, sisters and brothers are anxious about their welfare, or perhaps a young wife who has confided her all in him has high hopes of his success on the road, trusting he may soon secure promotion or establish a business for himself, and continue for her a comfortable and happy home. Kindly abstain from being a party to any course which, if indulged in, will wreck all these high hopes, and leave the victim a nuisance to society. It is individual effort that counts, and every man should recognize that he has a responsibility on this question."

DEFORD.

Social for Sunday School on the 22nd.

Big time at the school house on the 22nd.

Miss Barbara Retherford is staying at B. Sharp's.

Geo. Walker visited at Lamotte on the 21st.

Carrie Cooper is visiting at Chas. Spencer's, Cass City.

Frutebey will build a new house on his farm the coming summer.

Owen's camps are broken. Our boys have come home. Did not go to Owendale.

Alva Parmateer is on the gain. He is now under the care of Dr. Simonton, of Kingston.

Four of Jessie Sole's family were prostrated with the grip at one time. They are now on the gain.

Sheriff Jarvis was over this way last week. Well, he seen the country. Haven't learned to a certainty, but have no doubt but he was highly pleased with the christian integrity of the people.

Statistics of 1890 show Illinois to be first in horses, the number being 1,337,528; Missouri first in Mules, 248,950; New York first in milch cows, 1,552,217; Texas first in meat cattle, 7,024,960; also first in sheep, 5,040,175; Iowa first in hogs, 7,105,320. Total No. of horses in the United States, 15,408,140; total milch cows, 16,416,351; total meat cattle, 37,651,351; total sheep, 44,938,365; total hogs, 52,398,019; total mules 2,314,696. It is a noticeable fact that nearly all the mules are owned in the southern states. By carefully looking over that we find the sunny clime to be mainly built of mules, darkies and democrats.

American Art.

The complaint is often made that the American artist is too apt to resemble the prophet in being without honor in his own country, and it is not all wholly unfounded, but, like all other grievances, it has two sides. The truth is, writes one who knows, that something never comes out of nothing, and that a proportion of painters lead too thoughtless and too frivolous a life to do anything like good work. Art is the expression of an idea, but if there is no idea to express, how cheap and worthless is the art! To be a great painter requires an intellectual man or woman; one who is on terms of familiarity with great thoughts; whose mind is well stored; who has enriched his imagination from history, poetry and romance; who is familiar with the subtle suggestions in which mythology abounds, and who has, too, spiritual divination and insight.

Rabbits have been playing some most extraordinary pranks in and near North Lyme, Conn. The other night at a bean supper, while dishes filled with this delightful vegetable were cooling on the porch of the old Sill house, a drove of the animals ate them all up. On the Sunday evening following they crowded into the vestibule of the church in such numbers as to interrupt the sermon. It took the pastor and five members of the congregation nearly a quarter of an hour to clear the room and in doing so they killed eighteen rabbits. Monday night the church society gave a rabbit pie festival.

An interesting item, from two points of view, is that a Pennsylvania cotton mill company closed arrangements practically last week to remove its plant to Sylacauga, Ala., and capitalize it at one million dollars. Other evidences of the growing industrial prosperity of the south are that another large cotton mill is to be erected at Anniston, Ala.; that a fifty-thousand dollar cotton mill company has been formed at Newton, N. C., and that there are good prospects for a cotton mill at Talladega, Ala., and a yarn mill at Lawtey, Fla.

We are assured by those who make a study of the weather that a gradual modification of cold for the next nine thousand years is to ensue. This will be a damper on coal dealers, and may, ere the period of moderation elapses, retire some of them from business. We have the consoling reflection, however, that by the time the cold snaps return we shall have been enabled to lay by sufficient coin of the realm to buy coal for a real, old-fashioned winter.

Locomotive Steamboat.

Swedish papers describe a novel kind of construction termed a locomotive steamboat, built at Kristensrud, for the navigation of a chain of lakes separated by falls, the boat being fitted for this purpose with wheels fitting a track, and power may be applied to either the propeller or the driving wheels of the locomotive part of the track. The latter is three feet six inches gauge, with grades of one in thirty-three, and having curves of a radius of one hundred meters.

Travel to London.

If the number of persons daily entering the city of London were dispatched from any given station by train as many as 1,977 trains, each conveying 600 persons, would be required for the purpose. If the trains were all joined together in a continuous line they would extend 221 miles.

FOR SALE.

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Of Ladies, Misses and Childrens

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Regardless of Cost!

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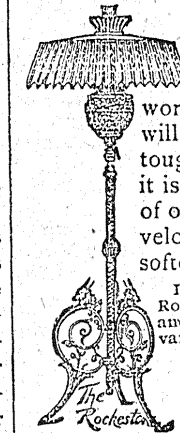
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