



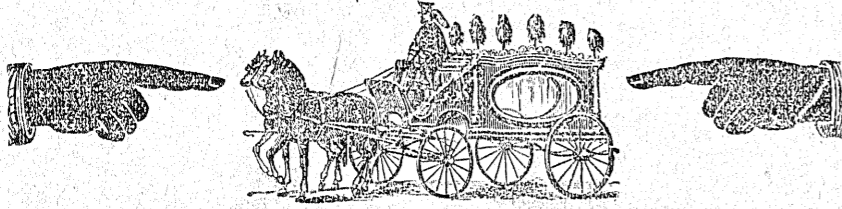




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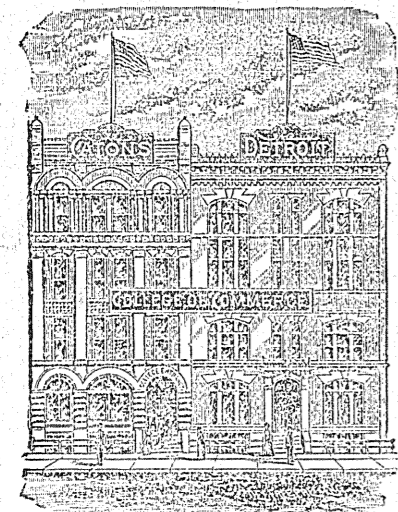
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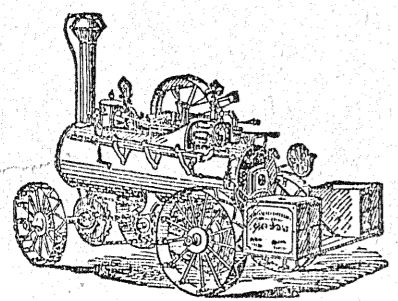
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## CASS CITY ENTERPRISE.

Published every Friday morning at Cass City, Tuscola County, Michigan.

**MACK M. WICKWARE,**  
EDITOR AND OWNER.

Subscription price One Dollar per year in advance.

**Special Notice.**  
Business Locals 25c. per line first insertion, 15c. thereafter.  
Cards of Thanks, 25c. each.  
Resolutions of Condolence, 25c. per line.  
Items, announcing entertainments, etc. where money is to be derived, 50c. per line. When bills are ordered a notice will be given free.  
Notices for charitable entertainments, 15c. Rates for display or standing advertisements can be obtained at the office.  
The wide circulation of the Enterprise in the counties of Tuscola, Ingham and Sanilac, makes it a valuable advertising medium.

### About Newspapers.

Many persons have vague and peculiar notions concerning a newspaper's source of revenue. Some innocent souls go even so far as to imagine that newspapers are printed solely through philanthropic motives and that their columns belong to the public, who have an unquestioned right to fill them with communications setting forth their own regular views. Still others have an idea that advertisements are merely to fill up space. Only a few days ago a woman deeply interested in church work said, "We are soon going to have a celebration at our church. Then the paper will have enough to fill up with and they will not have to print so many of those horrid advertisements."

For the information of those not familiar with newspaper work it may be interesting for them to know that newspapers are printed for the same reason that shoes and furniture and hats and caps, etc., are made, to sell to provide an income for those who invest their money. The claims of the newspaper are its wares; and the use of them is sold to persons in other lines of business who desire to advertise their special wares. The quality of the reading matter provided by a newspaper regulates its sale and therefore regulates the value of its advertising columns. The revenue received for advertisements is what sustains a newspaper, just as the profits that the shoe manufacturer makes on his goods enables him to live and to continue in business. The newspaper man often pays more for his news in the way of salaries, telegraph tolls, etc., than he realizes from the sale of his paper. As a source of revenue therefore the literary columns of a newspaper are not to be considered. The more "horrid advertisements" a publisher obtains the better his accounts will balance at the end of the year.

Probably no men in business are more liberal than the publishers of newspapers. Column after column of gratuitous advertising is done for church fairs, concerts, public amusements, charitable entertainments, etc., so that many persons in every city have conceived the idea that the newspapers should deem it a privilege to tell the public of their little schemes to make money for their church, their societies and other organizations. Such gratuitous advertisements is of the best quality inasmuch as the rates for advertising by what is known as "reading matter" are always higher than those charged for "display" or regular advertisements. The mass of matter, all of it of interest to some one, has to be condensed so that all of the local news and summaries at least of the most important dispatches can be printed. The same rule prevails in all daily newspaper offices.

From these statements the reader will be able to reach for himself or herself the conclusion that newspaper making is a business, that the advertising columns are the newspaper publisher's wares, and that the editors and reporters have so difficulty in filling the columns reserved for their use. The public duties and public functions of a newspaper bear in an entirely different direction and have no connection with the subject which has here been made the issue.

### The Grand Old Man.

Never did he come out grander than on the occasion of his speech to his old constituency at Midlothian, although it must have been delivered to the grandsons of those who first voted for Gladstone. If the Conservatives had expected that piece of hard gingerbread which hit him on the nose a few days before to do him up even temporarily they reckoned ill. He seemed even jollier than usual, rose early, strolled outdoors for several hours, then came in and "dispensed with eyeglasses altogether in preparing the notes for his speech of the evening." It really seemed to help his sight—that chunk of hard gingerbread. Then he spoke for eighty-four minutes, more than a minute for every year of his eighty-two years of life, and nearly an hour and a half, without notes, and the verdict was that Gladstone never made a stronger speech in Edinburgh. At the end of it he showed no sign of exhaustion. How sick all this must make the Conservatives, especially in view of the which the old man gave them toward the end of his speech, reported in the New York Sun as follows:

The opponents of home rule asserted that the education and enlightenment of the country, the men of leisure and high station, were all against home rule. He was sorry to say that this was true to a large extent, but this condition of sentiment among the classes mentioned had been painfully rectified in almost all, if not all, great political controversies during the last fifty years, whether those controversies affected the franchise, or commerce, or religion, or the wicked and abominable institution of slavery. The classes of leisure, the educated classes, the titled and wealthy classes, had always been in the wrong.

### The Close was this:

Let us go forward in the good work commenced. Let us put our trust not in titles, not in equities, or in poets, or in acres. I will go further and say not in men as such, but in Almighty God, who is the God of Justice, who has ordained the principles of right and equity and freedom to be guides and masters of our lives.

### The Gold and Silver Ratio.

Senators Stewart of Nevada, Hays-brough of North Dakota, and Representatives Springer of Illinois, Bland of Missouri, and Dalzell of Pennsylvania discuss this question in The North American Review. Most of these gentlemen are in favor, in case anything comes of the proposed international silver conference, of adopting the European ratio of gold to silver in place of ours—that is to say, taking 15 1/2 ounces of silver to 1 of gold, instead of 16 ounces of silver to 1 of gold, as called for in our present standard.

Facts of historical interest are to be gleaned from the discussion in The North American. Representative Bland goes back in our history a century to 1792. In that year our congress fixed the value of gold at fifteen times that of silver—adopted a ratio of fifteen to one. In 1808 France, in fixing the relative values of gold and silver in her bimetallic standard, decreed that gold should stand to silver as 15 1/2 to 1, thus fixing a higher value on gold than the American standard did. This ratio of 15 1/2 to 1 was practically adhered to in Europe until Germany demonetized silver in 1873.

By laws passed by the United States congress in 1834 and 1837, however, our standard of the ratio of silver to gold became as 16 to 1. This was not brought about by changing the amount of silver in the dollar, however, but by diminishing the amount of pure gold in the gold dollar. Our silver dollar of today, "416 grains of standard silver," contains exactly the same amount of pure silver, 371 1/4 grains, that it did a hundred years ago, when the nation first adopted the bimetallic standard.

On the occasion of the dissolution of a British parliament notice is always given a few days beforehand of this dissolution at such a time. On the day of the dissolution writs are issued from the crown office for a new election. Nominations for members from the boroughs must be made three days after the notice is given, and three days after that the election takes place. In case of the election of county members six days more are allowed for the nomination, and six days instead of three may elapse between the nomination and the election. This does not give much time for electioneering, but as a matter of fact most of the fine work is ended, as in the present summer, before the formal nominations are made. Within two weeks therefore after the dissolution of a parliament the elections for the new one are over.

We observe that the suggestion made some weeks ago as to the availability of barbed wire as a means of defense in war has already been acted on in a practical manner. Mr. Andrew Carnegie is ever ready to pick up valuable hints, and he has inclosed his whole iron plant at the Homestead works with a heavy barbed wire fence which will keep out all intruders. A more formidable means of defense could not be devised in case of the strikers' war, for which Mr. Carnegie was preparing when he built that fence. Strikers can shoot through and over it, or they can hang in effigy obnoxious individuals outside of it, or they can stand outside and "cuss," but they cannot themselves get inside to work violence. Barbed wire fence, well built, will keep out lovers, mobs and chicken thieves alike.

The spectacle of Bismarck and the emperor in an open row and the German government washing its soiled linen in public is an edifying one to us of this republic, just as the baccarat scandal in England was. We don't care which whips.

### Detroit Editors' Opinions.

The Tribune questions: "Now that the Homestead workmen are fighting among themselves, will the Democrat paper advise them to kill each other?"

The Free Press thinks "There is something suspicious in the wild anxiety of the Republican press to prove that there is no connection between the Homestead trouble and the new tariff."

The News says: "Mr. Ellis' letter does not show him to be the biggest kind of a political genius. Because the people's party is right on the silver question, and because he follows it closely in its argument, he is right on that question; but he is not, after that, big enough or strong enough to avoid dropping into demagoguery by apologizing for his profession or making stock flings at the 'subsidized press'."

The Journal says: "The amalgamated association is operated by the aristocracy of labor. One-tenth of its members draw one-third of the entire sum of wages. It is they who have the fixing of the pay and they naturally fix so as to pay themselves for their skill and ability. Being intelligent and acquainted with prices, the more poorly paid of the members trust them."

Dr. Jaques' German Worm Cakes destroy worms and remove them from the system. Sold by A. W. Sead.

Job printing neatly executed at the ENTERPRISE OFFICE.

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BY USING GOLD DUST

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# LAUNDRY.

If you don't believe it, get a 4 pound package which only costs **25 CTS**

and see if you don't save one-half gallon of sweat the first wash day:

Where will I get it? At

**G. A. STEVENSON'S**

of Course, the LARGEST GROCERY and CROCKERY STORE in the THUMB.

Every Body trades there because he sells

CHEAP, pays CASH for Eggs, exchanges

Goods for Butter and also Delivers Heavy

Goods.

WHO WOULDN'T TRADE THERE?

## Hot Weather Reading.

Why are we capturing the Crowds?

Why are we having such marvelous trade?

**LISTEN:**

We have the largest and handsomest store.

We carry the largest stock.

Our prices are always the lowest.

We always have something in the

line of bargains to offer you.

Take a stroll through our store and you will say you never saw the like of it. You will find the finest and most complete stock of Groceries you ever saw.

**FAIRWEATHER BROS.**

A PRESENT—Next week only, with every \$1.00 cash purchase we will give you a silver-mounted pen stock and pen FREE. Remember the gift will be July 25th 30th, only.

**AS A GIFT**

To our Customers we offer the following books.

With \$30 worth of Cash or Butter and Eggs in trade within 4 months, we give you your choice of Hill's Album, Crown Jewels, Heroes of the Dark Continent and Museum of wonders.

With \$20 worth of Cash or Butter and Eggs in trade, within 3 months, we give you your choice of The Farmer's Encyclopedia, Remarks by Bill Nye, or Stanley in Africa.

With \$5 or more cash in trade at any one time we give a very nice copy of The Life of P. T. Barnum.

These books are very neatly bound, good print and good paper, and are nice enough to hold a place in any one's library.

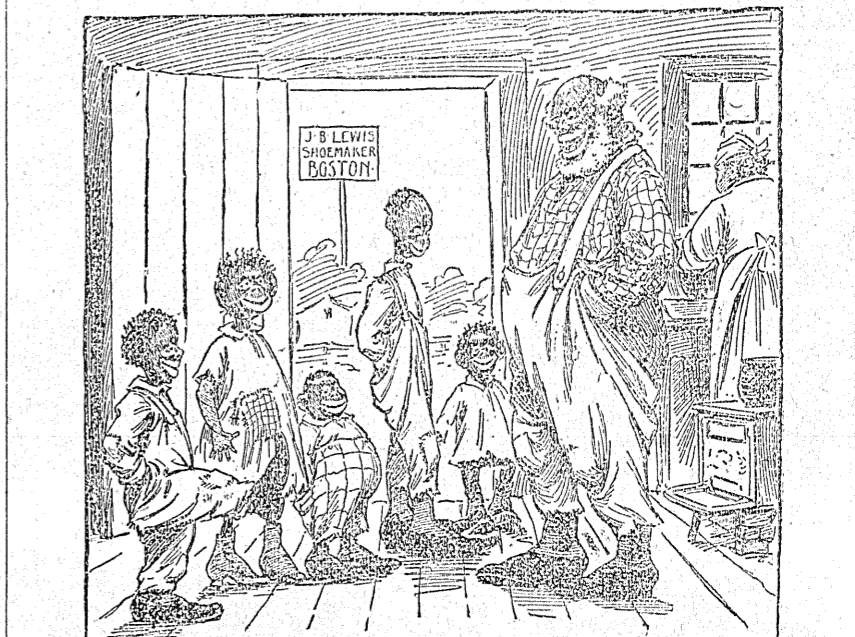
The Crown Jewels is a book of poems with very nice steel engravings.

Our plan is to issue a card to each customer trying for one of these books and at each time a purchase is made the card is to be presented to have the amount of said purchase punched from it.

You see it costs you nothing for the trial if you do not trade enough to get one of the books. Please call and see them.

**LAING & JAMES.**

P. S.—To secure the first mentioned books, \$30 must be traded within 4 months from time of receiving card, and the second offer within 3 months.



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	Former Price.	Now.
31 prs. Ladies Cloth Top, Kid Top, Button Shoes,	3.00	2.00
26 prs. Ladies Kid Button Shoes,	2.50	2.00
30 prs. Ladies Kid, Oxford Tie Slippers,	1.00	.75
42 prs. Ladies Tan-Colored Goat Slippers,	1.25	1.00

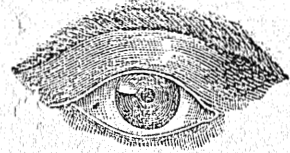
## CROSBY'S BOOT & SHOE HOUSE.

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I have the largest line of Optical Goods in the county, and I give special attention to fitting spectacles for defective vision. Everything guaranteed. Call and see me.

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Jeweler and Optician,  
CASS CITY, - MICH.

Don't buy a Piano, Organ

— or —  
**SEWING MACHINE**

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**W. J. CLOAKY,**  
Cass City, - Mich.

I deal direct with the manufacturers and pay cash, therefore can give you **BETTER BARGAINS!** than can be found elsewhere in the county.

No Middle Men's Commission to pay.  
Call on me when in want of anything this line and Save Money.

I handle the Clough & Warren pianos and Organs, and the Singer Sewing Machine. Every machine add instrument are fully warranted.

Yours Respectfully,  
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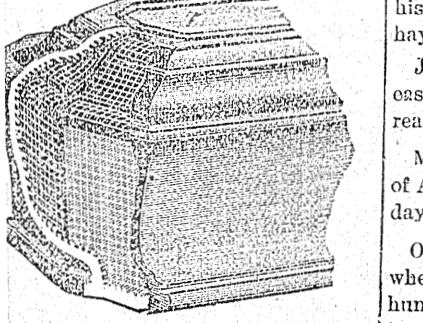
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**UNDERTAKER**  
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Complete stock of Coffins, Caskets and Undertaker's Supplies on hand.

**STRUCTIBLE BURIAL CASKE**  
(CEMENT.)



Expense of the above Casket is little more than that of a wood one.

**Music Voice Culture, Paintings, Etc.**

and Miss Coleman, teachers on piano and Violin also of Singing and Painting.

**TERMS.**  
— \$5 per quarter of 12 weeks.  
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— \$5 per quarter of 12 weeks.  
Lessons in Painting—Six dollars a quarter of 12 weeks. One hour per week.  
Members attending the class on lay afternoon, lasting one hour half 50 cents per lesson.

**BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE**  
Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Itch, Corns, and all skin eruptions. It cures Piles, or no pay return, or money refunded. Price 25¢ per box. For sale by Fritz Bros.

Dullman's Great German 15 cent Pills at Fritz Bros.

## HAPS AND MISDEEDS!

As Told by the Enterprise's Corps of Correspondents

All the Chit-Chat From the County Round About Briefly Told For Busy Readers.

### DEFORD.

There is sickness in Robert Vance's family.

L. W. Vories was a Wilmot caller on the 30th ult.

Maggie McCracken has returned from Oakland county.

Mrs. Mabel Garner has gone back to Oakland county.

George Rossman, of Maflette, visited at Isadore Rutherford's on the 30th ult.

Mrs. Frank Terry was called to Pontiac last week to attend the funeral of her mother.

Camp meetings near Novesta. They have pitched their tents in a proper place "for we came not to call the righteous but sinners to repentance."

Howard Rutherford has purchased a fine animal, from Wm. Cooper. All lovers of blooded stock should behold "Pig Gullion the surprise of the world."

Miss Annie Rutherford went in search of berries, drove a colt—colt went home first—left cart strewn along the way—Girl and colt all O. K.—cart in a heterogeneous condition.

Young man, shun the women who hates children and has no love for flowers. Should you join destinies with such a one you will be sorry but once—and that once will be as long as your life lasts.

The Detroit Tribune tells us that C. R. Brown, Baptist minister at Niles, selected for the subject of his remarks, "A darned hot day and how to avoid it." Now that is what we call practical preaching, and if such an evangelist would cast his lot among us we would be the first man to establish the old Hebrew custom of giving one tenth of our yearly income to the church.

Reader, would you know an individual to a certainty? If so, watch his unguarded conversation. When we wish to find the subjects contained in a book we examine the index, and as the the index of a book sets forth its contents so a man's conversation is the index of his thoughts. If his remarks are light and frivolous, they come from a shallow brain; if his language is coarse and vulgar his mind is of a low and brutal order; if his conversation is pure and elevating, so are his meditations. His thoughts are written in his countenance and he becomes good or bad as he is influenced by the greatest of all attributes, the mind. As our mental vision opens to these facts, we better understand the "Book" that declares, "as a man thinketh so he is."

### ELLINGTON.

Barley is being harvested now and will be a very good crop.

Harvesting is not done yet, but most of the wheat is drawn in.

The late rains have helped corn, potatoes, buckwheat, etc., greatly.

Wm. J. Campbell, of Cass City, was in Ellington Tuesday on business.

Walter Gerow has pulled his peas, and he has a heavy crop of straw and peas.

Shade Lanzello is making some more improvements by building a new hog house.

B. W. White will have a neat family residence on his farm when his new house is completed.

Mr. Frost has erected a good shed for his sheep, and has room overhead to put hay for them.

John Medical is hard at work upon the east wing of his house and will have it ready for occupancy early in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Flower and children, of Almer, drove over to Ellington Sunday and spent the day visiting friends.

Orn Mallory threshed ten acres of wheat last Saturday for John Fry. Two hundred and seven bushels from separator.

Thomas Rosel, was cutting and splitting wood last Saturday near a close line with a double bit ax, when it caught on the line and come down cutting a gash in his head.

Wm. Bailey went over to the bay last week Wednesday with a horse and cart and expecting to stay over Sunday, which he did, but his horse came home Thursday morning, leaving Will and the cart over there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moshier and Jacob Moshier started about midnight Sunday evening for the bay to go huckle berrerying. They will return Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bailey and Mrs. Ella Bailey also went, and will bring Wm. Bailey back with them.

### GAGETOWN.

Will Morris, of Caro, was home over Sunday.

James Martin was in Caro Saturday on business.

The Sunday excursion had on five coaches filled to the brim.

Hugh Lenord has moved and taken possession of the Bigelow farm.

Rev. Mr. Verner, of Almer, will preach at the Episcopal church, Sunday, the 14th inst.

Jas. L. Purdy and Mrs. H. J. Comstock, were the guests of Mrs. C. Purdy and family Sunday.

James McGinn had a very severe attack of congestion of the lungs on the 28th. Is some better.

John Hall and wife, of Akron, have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. J. Palmer, the past week.

Joseph Gage, I think, can boast of having the best piece of corn in this section. If not, speak right out.

Bolton & Brown, decorators, have been plying their brushes on James McLellan's new house in Brookfield.

Rev. Nathan Stockwell and wife, of Akron, were the guests of Rev. J. B. Keath and wife on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. H. J. Comstock and Mrs. R. S. Brown made Mrs. Ware and her daughter, Mrs. Wardly, a visit on the 29th.

Mrs. H. Baxter and Mrs. Gaffney, of Cass City, were in town Tuesday in the interest of the Cass City Post, G. A. R.

Alexander McDonald, of Brookfield has the best stand of oats that we have seen, and there is about twenty acres in the field.

Dr. Wm. Morris and his daughter, Blackie, Miss Ruth Greer and Miss May Miles, went to London, Ont., Monday to visit friends.

M. H. Eastman, C. R., of Court Elkland, officiated at the installation of the officers of Court Elm, in place of J. A. McDougall who couldn't come.

### CANBORO.

Our rain put a check on the fires up in Oliver.

John Wilson lost a valuable horse last week.

Marvin More was to the city on Saturday last.

C. B. Doty was to Kilmannagh on Monday last.

Monday; why yes, really, Rescue, we had a shower.

Blackberries are scarce this year in these parts, so the berry pickers say.

Tom Caufield's threshing outfit started on the season's work this week.

Quite a number went to Bay Port, Wednesday to the Sunday School picnic.

Joe Cody went to Bad Axe on Monday last for some repairs for his engine.

Quarean has black cap berries that he sells at the house for 8 cents per quart.

Old Mr. Winegar has returned home from the Garden, where he has been visiting.

Harvesting still progresses. Some of the crops are excellent and others quite the contrary.

### Spend Your Vacation on the Great Lakes.

Visit picturesque Mackinaw Island. It will cost you about \$13 from Detroit or \$18 from Cleveland for the round trip, including meals and berths.

The attraction of a trip to the Mackinac region are unsurpassed. The island itself is a grand, romantic spot; its climate is most invigorating. Dr. William A. Hammond, of New York, says: "As a health resort so far as my personal experience goes, there is no place so good in every respect for the exhausted city worker, the banker, the merchant, the professional man and wife and children, as the Island of Mackinac." Palace steamers, four trips per week between Detroit, Mackinac, Potoskey, the "Soo" and Marquette. Every evening between Detroit and Cleveland. Send for illustrated pamphlet. Address A. A. Schantz, G. P. A., Detroit & Cleveland Steam Nav. Co., Detroit, Mich.

### Physicians Outdone

My wife has been suffering with female trouble of the severest kind for over three years. I have paid twenty-five dollars during the last three months, and she had no relief. She had doctored continually with the best of physicians. I bought three bottles each of Dullman's Great Female Uterine Tonic and Dullman's Great German Blood. Liver Stomach and Kidney Cure, and can say day that she is entirely cured. W. H. DROWLER. Sworn to before me on this 23rd day of June, 1890. JOHN C. DULLMAN, Flint Mich. Notary public, Genesee Co. \$1 a bottle. For sale by Fritz Bros.

**DO YOU WANT TO MARRY** or do you wish social letters from gentlemen and ladies of culture and means from all over the country? If so, send on ten cents and receive a copy of the elegant matrimonial paper called ORANGE BLOSSOMS, which will afford you more healthful enjoyment than you have had for many a day. Each number contains hundreds of letters from young ladies and gentlemen wanting correspondents from those of the opposite sex. If there is a man or woman who has not found his or her affinity here's the golden opportunity. Address ORANGE BLOSSOMS ROOM 15, 18 Boylston street, Boston, Mass.

Try **DAYLIGHT PILLS** for human ills. Sold by A. W. Seed.

**DR. WINCHELL'S TEETHING SYRUP** is the best for the general ailments of children. Sold by A. W. Seed.

### NOTICE

All parties owing me on account or notes due, are requested to call and settle at once. Dr. McCLINTON.

Try Dullman's Great German 25 cent Cough Cure at Fritz Bros.

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**HOT AND COLD BATHS,**  
Razors, Honing and Conceaving a specialty. Cream Pimple Eradicator and Capillary stock.

**S. CHAMPION, Proprietor**  
Fine line Cigars and Tobaccos.

**JUST RECEIVED**  
—AND ELEGANT LINE OF—

**Crockery**

**Glassware**

of Latest Patterns. Do not fail to call and see them.

**OUR STOCK OF Groceries and Bazaar Goods**

is Fresh and Complete. Highest Market Price paid for Butter and Eggs.

**James Tennant**

**TO THE PUBLIC!**

I wish to Announce to the People of Cass City and vicinity that I have purchased the

**RED FRONT MEAT MARKET**

and will always keep on hand a full Supply of Fresh and Salt Meats of All Kinds.

I Solicit a Share of your patronage. Respectfully,

**M. H. EASTMAN.**

**DRUNKENNESS, or LIQUOR HABIT**  
Cured at Home in Ten Days by administering **Dr. Haines' Golden Specific.**

It can be given in a glass of beer, a cup of coffee or tea, or in food, without the knowledge of the patient. It is absolutely harmless and will effect a permanent and speedy cure, whether the patient is a moderate drinker or an alcoholic wreck. It has been given in thousands of cases, and in every instance a perfect cure has followed. It never fails. The system once impregnated with the specific, it becomes an utter impossibility for the liquor appetite to exist. Cures guaranteed. 48 page book of particulars free. Address the **Golden Specific Co., 185 Race Street, Cincinnati, Ohio.**

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A recent discovery by an old physician. Successfully used monthly by thousands of Ladies. Is the only perfectly safe and reliable medicine discovered. Beware of unprincipled druggists who offer inferior medicines in place of this. Ask for Cook's Cotton Root Compound, take no substitute, or enclose \$1 and 6 cents in postage in letter, and we will send sealed, by return mail: Full sealed particulars in plain envelope, to ladies only, 2 cents Address **POND LILY COMPANY,** No. 3, Fisher Block, Detroit, Mich. Sold in Cass City by A. W. Seed and Fritz Bros. and responsible druggists every where.



## PONTIAC PANTS

**MADE IN U.S.A.**  
\$3.50  
CUSTOM MADE  
ALL WOOL  
PONTIAC PANTS CO.  
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LOVE AND FAME.

I looked for Fame,
And Love came flitting by,
But paused awhile,
With batwing wings, to sigh;

INGEBRET OLES DATTER.

A certain broad stretch of prairie
in Southern Minnesota lay smiling in
the sun one autumn day in 1862.

Along the border of the prairie
a crooked little river crawled beneath
a scanty fringe of cottonwood trees.

There were two men, a woman and
two children at labor in the natural
meadow, the smaller child almost a

It was perhaps 2 p. m. when a tall,
gaunt American plunged into the
river on the opposite and alternately

His auditors looked at him blankly,
save Ingebreit who dropped her rake
and came to him pale and terror-

"Is it Indians?" she faltered.
"Yes; and they will be here before
dark. Tell your people to start at

The settlers began an animated
conversation, while the refugee shifted
his weight uneasily from one foot to

"Did you see any Indians?"
"No; but I saw signs of them and
left my claim. Afterwards I looked

The chief counselor of the Scandi-
navian settlers for such they were,
was a man much younger than the

With an air of great learning he
wasted several very precious mo-
ments in making up his mind what

How he proposed to communicate this
idea to the reds in the heat of an at-
tack and in an unknown tongue was

"I do not believe what this Yankee
says. He admits that he has seen no
Indians. They are all rascals and it

"You are half a Yankee already,
with your going to their school," said
her cousin. "I have noticed your

"Of all fools deliver me from a
fool!" he muttered and turned toward
the village, five or six miles away.

His late companions watched him
as he clambered up to the level of the
prairie with hasty strides. Here he

"That smoke is caused by settlers
burning their straw," said the wise

When the evening shadows began
to fall upon the landscape the weary
haymakers ceased their labors and

The cows seemed miles away that
night to the little one, and as she
wandered along the tears blinded her

Only a little cry escaped her as she
turned to run, but there was a sharp
report as a twinge of pain in the hip

If she could only endure to run a
little way, she thought, to where the
weeds were higher, she might lead

Short shrift had they on their de-
parture for another world. As the
tired mother hurried through her

There was a cluster of hoofs at the
door, as though a band of terrified
wild horses had broken into the little

The mother concealed her youngest
child in her clothing, sank to the
floor, was tomahawked scalped and

quarters, where the "long fell sweep"
of the sword did gory service; but
they got him at last, and then ate the

They did not find the concealed
child, which, dumb with terror, re-
mained silent, but when the squaws

But through the morning mists
there was another clatter of hoofs,
caused by the coming of an armed

And Men of Great Mental Strength
Have Their Weaknesses.

All great people have their follies,
which is another way of saying that
all have their weak points. Tycho

The great Dr. Johnson, with all his
philosophy, was not without a super-
stition. He was very careful not to

Julius Caesar to whom the shouts
of thousands of the enemy were but
sweet music, was mortally afraid of

Queen Elizabeth, despite her bloody
nature, trembled at the sound of the
word "death," and the New York

Peter the Great could scarcely be
persuaded to cross a bridge, and
whenever he placed his foot on one

CHILDREN OF THE AGE.

They Do not Accept Every Thing That Is
Told Them Unquestioned.

Sarcely children are more acute
than they used to be. As a child I
accepted what was told me without

"I have undertaken to bring up
my children as I was brought up,
but instead of accepting what I say

"That depends," replied the doctor
placidity. "I possess powers as you
can see for yourself, which can do

Quibble: "My dear, why will you
permit that Mrs. Butler to make a
goose of you? She actually kept you

Toward the reign of Elizabeth coal
was becoming a popular kind of fuel
though a strong prejudice lingered

THE MAN WHO VANISHED.

BY FERDUS HUME.

CHAPTER II.—CONTINUED.

"Sir," said Lancaster, taking off
his hat, "will you permit me to"—
Suddenly he broke off his speech

Adrian faced around rapidly with a
thrill of horror, for it was the man
whom he thought dead was speaking,

"Do not be alarmed," he said in a
full rich voice, with a reassuring
smile. "I am not dead, although you

Adrian was too astonished at this
reception to make any remark and
still felt inclined to retreat, but his

Adrian said in a somewhat defiant
manner, but for the rest I was
walking along the road and finding

"My name," observed this man in
his musical voice, resuming his seat,
"is Doctor Michael Rovensmire, and

"What my name is does not mat-
ter," Adrian said in a somewhat
defiant manner, but for the rest I

"I came from town," replied Adrian
sullenly.
"Isn't more like it—but you're

Adrian cast a frightful look of
anguish at this man who seemed able
to unravel the whole of the events of

"You see," said the gentleman with
a slight laugh, "you can do nothing
contrary to my will, so your best plan

"Adrian Lancaster—the man she
loves—is better than I thought—
he will be of service to me, and while

He gazed steadily at the young
man, and Adrian felt that in another
moment he would reveal all he wished

It was all in vain, however, setting
his feeble will against that of the
other, for little by little he felt the

since he was playing cards with Philip
Trevanna.
"Is that all?" said Rovensmire, when

"Judging from the explanation you
have given me you are in a very un-
pleasant position—however, the man

"No—no," interrupted Lancaster
hurriedly, clasping his hands, "he is
dead—I feel sure I killed him—oh if

"Do you intend to give me up?"
cried Adrian in a voice of anguish.
"By no means—I was only putting

The doctor looked piercingly at the
young man for a moment, and then
gave a satisfied laugh.
"I think you'll do," he said coolly.

CHAPTER III.

The Dissection of a Soul.

"The history of my life, which I
am about to relate to you, is known
to no one, and I only reveal it now as

My father went out to India when
it was ruled by the H. E. I. C., and
being an unscrupulous man deter-

My parents came to England, and
shortly after I was born, my mother,
unable to bear the rigor of the Eng-

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annihilated me physically by dis-
integrating my body, and sending my
soul forth to the infinite without its

"At this critical stage of my career,
however, I chanced to meet my old
friend, Lal Chunder, who was still

"I remained a long time with Lal
Chunder, submitting myself to pro-
longed fastings, to terrible ordeals

I could leave this tenement
of clay at will, and could
send astral body whither I
desired. I could indulge in the

CATCHING A WOLF.

Bill Burns Won the Bet, but It Cost Him
dearly.

One cold, windy day a party of liv-
ely young fellows driving across the
prairie saw a prairie wolf making a

Each time the wolf went in Burns
crawled rapidly toward it, lying flat
in the grass whenever the wolf came

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"Have you never felt moods too-
subtle and evasive for the cold inter-
pretation of unromantic prose?" asked

"Did Longfellow really say that?"
she asked as a crimson splendor more
glorious than a Mediterranean sunset

"I think those were his exact
words," replied the unblushing de-
ceiver.
"Then, if Longfellow said it," she

In Easton.
Mrs. BacBeigh—I saw the Chicago
woman whom you used to be sweet

BacBeigh—But my dear Washing-
ton and Tremont are parallel streets,
100 yards apart at the least.

Out of His Line.
Rag Man (at the back door)—Got
any rags to sell, sir?

The World's Inhabitants.
This globe has had 66,627,842,387, -
074,255 human inhabitants since the

Accented For.
We're about five minutes late this
morning," said the passenger.
"No, sir," said the conductor.
"Yo forget that you are on the last

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STATIONS.	Freight	Mixed	Pass.
Pontiac	8:40	5:20	8:30
Oxford	9:45	6:15	9:35
Dryden	12:02	7:04	9:48
Inlay City	12:30	7:30	10:3
North Branch	1:15	8:02	10:25
Clifford	3:10	8:29	10:52
Kingston	3:55	8:41	11:11
Willmot	4:15	8:52	11:21
Potter	4:35	9:02	11:30
Cass City	5:45	9:25	11:44
Gagetown	6:10	9:50	11:57
Owendale	7:15	10:55	12:10
Berne	7:15	10:55	12:33
Cassville	7:45	11:25	12:59

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	Pass.	Mixed	Freight
Cassville	8:30	5:45	8:45
Berne	8:48	6:15	9:15
Owendale	9:11	6:45	9:45
Gagetown	9:39	7:15	10:15
Cass City	10:07	7:45	10:45
DeFord	10:35	8:15	11:15
Willmot	11:03	8:45	11:45
Kingston	11:31	9:15	12:15
Clifford	12:00	9:45	12:45
North Branch	12:28	10:15	13:15
Inlay City	1:00	10:45	13:45
Dryden	1:30	11:15	14:15
Oxford	2:00	11:45	14:45
Pontiac	7:10	10:00	2:00

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