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At a small advance on cost, FOR CASH, at S. & W. W. SMITH'S. Sole agents for Compressed Yeast, Trumpet Roll Plug Tobacco, the best goods in the market.

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Advertisement for boots and shoes, hats and caps, clothing, and furnishing goods. Includes text: 'We Have the Largest and Best Selected Stock of BOOTS & SHOES, HATS AND CAPS, CLOTHING, AND FURNISHING GOODS.'

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Advertisement for J. F. Hahn, Metallic and Casket Coffins. Includes text: 'Metallic and Casket Coffins, made constantly on hand or made to order.'

Advertisement for Dr. J. D. Seelye, Eclectic and Magnetic Physician. Includes text: 'DR. J. D. SEELYE, Eclectic and Magnetic Physician. Specialties in the treatment of all chronic diseases.'

Advertisement for W. E. Plimpton, Conveyancer, Insurance, Pension and Collection Agency. Includes text: 'W. E. PLIMPTON, Conveyancer, Insurance, Pension and Collection Agency. Office on South Street, a few doors west of Main.'

Advertisement for J. O. O'Brien, Meetings. Includes text: 'J. O. O'BRIEN, Meetings. Meetings on Tuesday evening of each week, at 7 1/2 o'clock, at the hall on South Street, in the room occupied by the late J. O. O'Brien.'

Poetry.

A MARRIAGE OF CONVENIENCE.

He held her hand, and she held his— She sighed "Dear Jim," he whispered "Liz." Her eyes were turned toward the floor— He scanned her through the space he wore.

Story.

"HOME, SWEET HOME."

"You have lost all trace of them?" "All." The speakers were two young men, who sat in a sumptuous library that looked out on the Fifth Avenue of New York.

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Farm and Household.

Pounds of Pork to a Bushel of Corn.

The mode of fattening hogs in Kentucky is thus given by a farmer in that State, and at the same time shows the number of pounds of pork made from a bushel of corn: "For years we have fattened hogs in considerable numbers that weighed on an average 150 pounds on the 1st of September. They were then taken from the gleaned wheat-field and clover pastures and penned in a lot of six acres of standing corn, where they had access to pure water.

Position in Sleeping.

It is better to go to sleep on the right side, for then the stomach is very much in the position of a bottle turned upside down, and the contents are aided in passing out by gravitation. If one goes to sleep on the left side, the operation of emptying the stomach of its contents is more like draining water from a well. After going to sleep, let the body take its own position. If you sleep on your back, especially soon after a hearty meal, the weight of the digestive organs, and that of the food, resting on the great vein of the body, near the back-bone, compresses it, and arrests the flow of the blood more or less. If the arrest is partial, the sleep is disturbed, and there are unpleasant dreams. If the meal has been recent or hearty, the arrest is more decided, and the various sensations, such as falling over a precipice, or the pursuit of a wild beast, or other impending danger, and the desperate effort to get rid of it arouse us that sends on the stagnating blood, and we wake in a fright, or trembling, or perspiration, or feeling of exhaustion, according to the degree of stagnation, and the length and strength of the effort to escape the danger. But when we are not able to escape the danger, when we do fall over the precipice, when the tumbling blunder crushes us, what the result is death? That is the death of those of whom it is said, when found lifeless in their bed in the morning: "They were as well as they ever were the day before," and often it is added, "and ate heartier than common!" This last is a frequent cause of death to those who have gone to bed well, to wake no more, we give merely as a private opinion. The possibility of its truth is enough to deter any rational man from a late and hearty meal. This we do know with certainty, that waking up in the night with painful diarrhoea, or cholera, or bilious colic, ending in death in a very short time, is properly traceable to a late large meal. The truly wise will take the safer side. For persons who eat three times a day, it is simply sufficient to make the last meal of cold bread and butter, and a cup of some warm drink. No one can strave on it, while a perseverance in the habit soon begets a vigorous appetite for breakfast, so promising of a day of comfort.—Hall's Journal of Death.

Hot Lemonade for a Cold.

A hot lemonade is one of the best remedies for a cold. It acts promptly and efficiently, and has no unpleasant after-effects. One lemon should be properly squeezed, cut in slices, put with sugar and covered with half a pint of boiling water. Drink just before going to bed, and do not expose yourself the following day. This remedy will ward off every attack of chills and fever, if used promptly.

The Panama Hat Plant.

The Bolivians give their plant the name of Jipagapa, a town in the Republic of Ecuador, which is the principal seat of the hat manufacture—"Panama," like "Albino," in the case of coffee, and "Brussels," in that of carpets, being a commoner. Before the late has been introduced, when it is out of close to the petiole, the base of which forms the centre of the crown of the hat. It is then divided longitudinally into strips with the thumb nail, the thick part forming the mud-rind being rejected. The number of shreds into which it is divided of course depends on the fineness of hat into which they are to be manufactured. This split leaf, which is of greenish white color, is next dipped into boiling water, acidulated with lemon juice, and lastly it is allowed to soak in cold water for some time, and afterward dried in the sun. Each hat is, or ought to be, made of a single leaf. They vary in price, according to fineness, from thirteen pence to many pounds. The damping and drying operations cause the shreds to assume a curled or cylindrical form, which much increases the strength without injuring their pliancy. Before plaiting, the coarser qualities are stamped with water, but the finer sorts are left out in the morning dew, and lastly, if you look sharp, you will see the insect carry his proboscis over his legs and about his body, as far as he can reach. The minute truss is perfectly retractile, and it terminates in two large lobes, which you can see spread out when the insects begin to meal on a lump of sugar. Now, the rubbing together of legs and wings may be a soothing operation, but for what purpose is this carefully going over the body with the trunk, especially when that organ is not fitted for licking, but simply for grasping and sucking up food. On placing a fly under the microscope, to the investigator's disgust, it appeared covered with lice. Mr. Emerson concluded that here was something which at once required looking into. Why were the flies lousy? The fly seemed to take his position very coolly, and extending over his proboscis, began to sweep it over his body as if he had just alighted. A glance through the microscope, however, showed that the operation was not one of self-beautification, for wherever the lice were there the trunk went. The lice disappeared into the trunk, and the fly was eating them. He took the paper into the house and waved it around, taking care that no flies touched it, went back to the microscope and there found animalcules, the same as on flies. He had now arrived at something definite; the animalcules floating in the air, and the quick motion of the flies gathered them on their bodies, and the flies then went into some quiet corner to have their dainty meal. The investigator goes on describing how he continued the experiment in a variety of localities, and how, in dirty and bad-smelling quarters, he found the myriads of flies which existed there literally covered with animalcules, while other flies, captured in bed rooms, or other clean apartments, were miserably lean and entirely free from their prey. Wherever filth existed, evolving germs which might generate disease, there were the flies covering themselves with minute organisms, and greedily devouring the same.

Atmeal Porridge.

An Englishman sends the following receipt to the German Town Telegraph: Oatmeal porridge is especially suitable for children. It nourishes their bones and other tissues, and supplies them with greater density than most foods with the much-needed elements of phosphorus. The Irish and Scotch make their porridge with water, and add cold milk; but the most agreeable and nutritive way is to make it entirely with milk, to use coarse oatmeal, and to see that it is not too thick. The following is a good recipe: Bring a quart of milk to boiling point in an enamel-lined saucepan and drop in, by degrees, eight ounces of coarse oatmeal; stir till it thickens, and then boil for half an hour. The mixture should not be too thick, and more milk can be added according to taste.

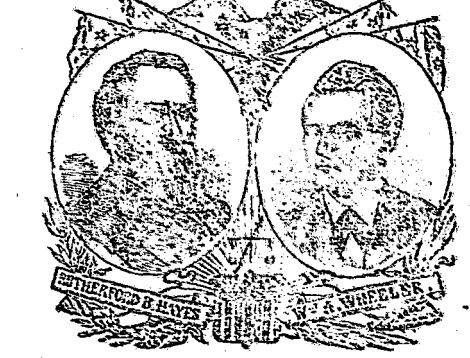
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Shucks or husks should never be thrown out to be wasted. They will winter cattle very well, and unless there is plenty of hay and corn it pays well to save all husks.

Berrien Co. Record.

JOHN G. EDWARDS, Editor.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 9, 1876.



THE ELECTIONS!

The Election of Hayes & Wheeler Claimed BY ONE VOTE!

Congress Claimed by the Republicans.

Michigan Republican by 15,000 to 20,000.



Our rooster yesterday morning.

Election news this morning acts as a tonic. See him now!

Yesterday the Republicans of the country were despondent, and believed Tilden and Hendricks to have been elected, but a change has now come over them, and they feel confident that Hayes and Wheeler are elected by one vote, with North Carolina, which gives ten votes, doubtful, being claimed by both parties. The Inter Ocean of this morning sums up the result as follows:

"He laughs best who laughs last." There is a good prospect, as we write, that Republicans will have the best laugh yet over the election. There is much room for hope that we have carried at least a sufficient number of States to give Mr. Hayes a majority. Indeed, the Chairman and Secretary of the National Committee boldly claim the election.

Though we are not ready to declare that it is a foregone conclusion, the prospect is certainly one that is very encouraging. The doubtful States of Florida and Louisiana are claimed by the Republicans with great confidence; while North Carolina, heretofore given to Tilden, is said to be in doubt. The Associated Press dispatches from these States claim Democratic majorities, but it should be remembered that these dispatches are sent by persons for the most part strongly in sympathy with the Tilden cause, and are, therefore, rather unreliable. Still we can readily perceive that in case of a close vote in any of these States it must necessarily be some time before positive information can be obtained.

The chances, as we write, however, are considerably not to say largely, in favor of the Republicans. Wisconsin, Nevada, and Oregon, heretofore in doubt, seem to be undeniably for Hayes. The following is the complexion of the vote, according to our latest advices:

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GOOD BYE, HENRY!

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STATE SENATOR. The following table of votes on State Senator shows that Hon. Wm. Chamberlain is elected by a good majority. The townships marked \* are estimated, the balance being the majorities as reported.

Ohio Correspondence. PERRYSBURG, Nov. 1, 1876. Ed. Record.—November opens upon us with skies as sunny and air as balmy as June, and we sit with raised windows and open doors, while we take more pains to keep cool than warm.

WAR DECLARED! THE BATTLE HAS BEGUN! Immense Army of Overcoats in the field that are to be slaughtered worse than the Turks. Fall Suits of Clothing totally demoralized in price.

FRANKENBERG! At Niles, we sell Winter Clothing for the next ninety days, or longer if necessary, at such prices as never before have been heard of in this part of the West.

We Have No Room for Shoddy. We warrant every article sold from our store to be exactly as represented, and will cheerfully refund any money should this not prove true.

LOOK AT THESE WAR PRICES! OVERCOATS FOR \$4.00, WORTH \$8.00. MEN'S SUITS FOR \$5.00, WORTH \$10.00.

We Mean Exactly What We Say. Underwear, Hats, Caps, Gloves, Mittens, and Gents' Furnishing Goods, almost GIVEN AWAY!

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Michigan at the Centennial. The following paragraphs we find in an exhibition and copy them to show how Michigan stands at the Centennial Exhibition.

The fruit exhibition in Agricultural Hall will probably close this week. It has been a great attraction, and the exhibit of Michigan fruit has done much to produce the most favorable impression as to Michigan as a fruit-producing State.

The Next Congress. The Inter-Ocean says that the election returns on Congressmen are not sufficiently full to be decisive of the question whether the Republicans have secured the next House of Representatives.

A special to the Chicago Tribune from Washington, under date of Nov. 5th says: Some of the prominent Post office officials are of the opinion that the Post office Commission now investigating the subject of railway mail transportation will recommend the re-establishment of the fast mail trains, and will support the recommendation by evidence of their necessity.

The lumber shipments from Saginaw river during October is reported to be 68,500,000 feet, of which 24,500,000 feet is "entered" from Bay City, the balance from the Saginaws. Total shipments from the river for the season to date, 409,500,000 feet, of which Bay City shipped 275,000,000 feet and Saginaw 134,000,000 feet.

A span of valuable horses, belonging to George Bagley, a farmer living some three miles west of Galesburg, was killed by the cars on Thursday night of the 28th ult., and another span, belonging to the 493, a farmer living just east of town, was killed by the night express on the 28th. In both instances the horses have escaped from their pasture, and were feeding along the railroad track.

L. P. ALEXANDER, Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Insurance & Collection Agency. 160 ACRES OF BRASSING FIELDS; new house, 1000 ft. long, 40 ft. wide, 20 ft. high, 100 ft. wide, 10 ft. high, 10 ft. wide, 10 ft. high.



Sunday Reading.

THE DYING WIFE
BY ANNE MARVELL
They tell me I am dying, John,
So come beside my bed,
And kiss me, as you used to do,

A Word to Girls.
The woman who is indifferent to her looks is no true woman.

There is nothing real about the world but its vanity.
The voices of the rich and great are mistaken for errors, and those of the poor and lowly for crimes.

Life, like diamond in a mine, is sometimes valueless to its owner, until it comes estimated by another.

People may tell you of your being unfit for some peculiar occupation in life; but heed them not; whatsoever honest occupation you follow with perseverance and assiduity will be found fit for you, and will be your support in youth and comfort in old age.

Let us think of quietly enlarging our stock of true and fresh ideas, and, as soon as we get an idea or half an idea, be running out with it into the street and trying to make it true.

Beware of snarling dogs. There are plenty of these about; they are generally very small creatures, but they more than make up for their size by their noise.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss.—Second Judicial Circuit, in Chancery.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.
In the matter of the estate of Charles Blake, deceased.

SHERIFF SALE.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss.—By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of and from the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, to me directed and delivered, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John Woods, do, on the 4th day of August, D. 1916.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
NOTICE is hereby given that the building committee of School District No. 1, in Three Oaks Township, is now ready to receive sealed proposals for furnishing material and building a new school house.

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The following letter from Rev. B. B. East, Pastor of the M. E. Church, Madison, Mich.

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PENSIONS.
ARE PAID.
Every person entitled to a pension should apply for it.



Phunygrams.
A woman out on Pond street, whose husband has gone to the Cantennial 'on business,' tracks a struggling line of mud across the carpets.

It is a good thing to be able to see a point. Here is a happy instance of ability in that line.

'D'ye think the hard times are gone, Cammy?' said one boy to another on Washington Ave. yesterday.

'Everything goes wrong,' said an Illinois farmer, wiping his eyes.

'What ails dis beoples of America,' says an old traveler from Germany.

At the show the other evening, a gentleman sarcastically asked a man standing up in front of him if he had any thing to say by way of defence.

'It is a world of trouble,' solemnly said the minister yesterday.

A grasshopper was recently caught at Omaha with a paper on its neck dated at Ouster City thirty-five days before. The distance it had hopped was 500 miles, or over 14 miles a day.

Why were Adam and Eve the originator of sugar-planting? Because they raised the first Cain.

There is a North Hill man who goes to church three times a Sunday; who always sings 'I'm glad salvation's free' so loud that the deacon, whose ears are very sensitive, can't sit within four pews of him with the contribution box.—Burlington Hawkeye.