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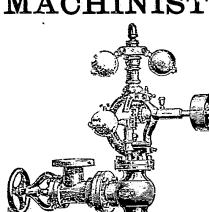
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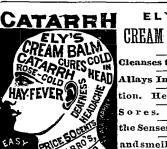
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But, gin you really do insist That I should suffer to be kissed, Gae get a license from the priest And make me yours before folk. Behave yoursel' before folk. And when we're ane, baith fiesh and bane

"POLES APART,"

against the frail door post of the summer house till the airy building rocked to its foundations. begged, looking very white and hurt.

'My love may not seem much to you,

but at least it is the best I've got to

not help feeling it a decided liberty on Dick Fellowers' part to imagine him-self in love with Colonel Howard's only daughter, and she heartily wished she had never suggested his being asked to dinner-at which he had overturned a glass of chablis over her new lace lounces—or consented to show him the gardens in the soft sunset glow of

"I've told you it isn't the least use, Mr. Fellowes; your life and mine are poles apart; we can't make them meet. I'm very sorry you should be pained. Try to forget it all."
"Forget!" echoed Fellowes, the blood

rushing to his temples. "No, that's not likely. I tell you, while you live sang Stella, with something that was Good-bye, Stella; I can't stand any more. Heaven bless you for all you are so cruel!" and he was out of sight down the garden path before Stella could have stopped him, even had she What curiously abrupt manners he

had, she thought, as she made her way to the drawing room through the heavy scented roses to sing the song Captain Thurlow had begged for in a whisper as she left the table. How odd to go without bidding her father good-by! and he was leaving Churlstone thre next day, she knew. Captain Thurow's polished courtliness was a positive relief after such behavior, and as he turned the pages of the "Bohemian Girl", and murmured compliments into Stella's well pleased ear, Dick Fellowes and his wooing faded from her

mind like a disagreeable dream. the two years that followed, and that of some proposed Government works,

sible of a little shock of intense won But there was very little time for any thought of the outside world after that. Colonel Howard died in Afghanistan, and Stella found herself a pennithought of Captain Thurlow. Surely there was one strong arm and brave heart that would not fail her. But ence between Miss Howard, the pretty daughter of his reputedly wealthy col-onel, and Miss Howard, the penniless shire manufacturer's daughter was in all the society papers within a fort-night; and as Stella tried to crush out the mortification and resentment from her heart which seemed full to overflowing, there sounded in her ears, as

you as I have done". governess in other people's houses, she

wondered how she could have despised any love so honest and so true, and

ual, and Stella had promised to give up her holiday till they were all gone again. She was writing notes for a great garden party, when the little girls burst in upon her in wild excite-

"Oh, Miss Howard! only think!" they cried-"Sir Richie is coming-our own dear Sir Richie! Isn't it lovelv! and they gambolled about her like

"And who may Sir Richie be?" in quired Miss Howard composedly, directing her envelope.
"Not know Sir Richie? Why everybody knows him. He plays tennis with us, and rows us on the lake, and buys us dolls! Fancy, mamma, Miss Howard does not know our darling

er, more sedately, "that there is an excuse for not knowing at least the name of Sir Richard Fellowes." The pen rolled on the newly addressed envolopes and spoiled two.
"Sir Richard Fellows!" was all Miss

and he's just been stopping at Osborne. Is it possible you've never heard his Why, he was one of the lions last season—young, rich, and the fashion. I'm lucky to get him here even for a flying visit; but my husband and he are old friends, and he is wonderfully fond of the chicks. Can it be you have never heard of him, really?" "I—I met him years ago," Stella

managed to falter.
"Then people would think you fortunate. However, I fear you won't have much chance to renew your old acquaintance; Sir Richard is such an object of attention from both debutantes and chaperones. He is one of the great parties of the year." And Mrs. Boucher laughed a little good-natured laugh.

Gladly—gladly would Stella have hidden herself in her distant schoolroom that night and plead neuralgia, or any other synonym for an aching heart, rather than enter the crowded drawing-room, whence the soft flow of voices and laughter floated out from the open windows over to her own room in the wing. But Mrs. Boucher had told her they would want some singing, and governesses must not indulge their feelings when other people's entertainment is at stake. Stella's heart seemed beating in hear ears as she entered the great drawing-room behind a tray of coffee cups, and bid herself in a sheltered corner near the

At first she could see nothing cleary, the rose shaded lamps threw so dim a light; then she grew aware of a group of smiling, interested people, all bestowing their most gracious smiles and attentions to a tall figure in their midst. Could that be Dick Fellowes -that broad shouldered man with the brown moustache and close cropped curley head, who moved and looked and spoke like a man easily confident of his powers, and used to succeed and please? Stella thought of the ill-fitting garments of old days as she noticed the shapely cut of the coat collar, and the grace of self-possession in Sir Richie's every movement. Dick had red hands and big boots, and suggested a bull in a china shop. Was there some mistake after all? A moment, and then he raised his head, and she caught the old merry smile and the flash of the quick gray eyes; and half blinded and bewildered with a rush of reccollection, Stella made her way to the pi-ano in obedience to Mrs. Boucher's nod

Why had Mrs. Boucher asked her to sing "Golden Days"? It was Dick's favorite song long ago, and Stella felt as if it would choke her. Her voice shook, so that Mrs. Boucher's guests thought their hostess had a good deal overpraised her governes' style, and a Miss Venner near by, remarked to Sir Richard Fellowes that she did not admire that tremolo kind of manner so many girls affected.

"Ah, for the days beyond recalling! Ah, for the volden days!" –so nke that she self up sharply, and felt as if she had

fallen forever in her own respect. As she rose from the piano her eyes met those of Sir Richie standing close to her side. There was nothing beyoud the most casual recognition in the slight bow on both sides, and then Stella got away somehow to her own quarters, to find vent to the passionate flow of tears that overcame all her self control. Next day was to be the grand garden party. Miss Howard was suppos-

supervision over her little pupils, Ethel and Maudie, who, wild with delight, hastened her out to the tennis lawn long before any one could possibly be expected to arrive.
"Just one little game before the people come to the ground, Miss Howard," they begged. "You know we may not play when the grown up are here, and we do so want a little tiny game." Miss Howard, mindful of her best

ed to be unostentatiously in the back-

ground, dressed in her best, to keep a

nis when combined with a plumed hat and long gloves, vainly endeavors to "Only a little scrap of play," they said: "Ah! you know you can't re-

cream gown and the difficulties of ten-

fuse." And Stella was forced to laugh and yield. So that was the picture that met the eyes of the idle gentleman who sauntered down the shrubbery path among the fragrant syringas, and turned the corner by the terrace steps—a girl's figure in a creamy gown vivid in the hot sun against the green hedge and the trees behind; a shady hat which threw into relief the crisp bronze hair and soft flush on her cheeks; a racquet poised aloft, and a flutter of white winged pigeons towards the dark blue sky. He stopped short as if spell

"Oh, Sir Richie," shrieked the children; "you're just in time! Come along and have a game with Miss Howard-do, do!" Stella turned with a violent start; the racquet slipped from her gloved hand and struck her left wrist a violent

blow. The pain turned her faint and

giddy, and she felt herself grow white to her very lips. "No, no, young woman," she heard the voice that was so like, and yet so unlike the voice of other days say-"Miss Howard won't play with me-she never would." Then with a sudden change from the laughing tone-· "Have you hurt your arm? I am

afraid I startled you." And he came forward hastily. But Stella drew away as he approached. "Nothing—it is nothing." she said, almost crossly. "Pray, don't trouble;" and as a stream of gaily dressed people emerged from the conservatory and began to spread themselves over the terrace and approach the lawn, Stella actually turned and fled into the shrubbery. She had reached the fountain by the

statue of the dancing faun before she was overtaken. "Pardon me," said her pursuer in a tone that was certainly not Dick's—it was too commanding. "I do not want to contradict you, but I can't quite believe it is nothing;" and in another moment the little bruised wrist, from which she had stripped the glove, was n Sir Richie's firm, light grasp, and Stella meekly surrended.

"Sit down here" was the next order. and found herself placed on the mossy step of the ruined fountain, while with quick deft fingers, Sir Richie dipped his handkerchief in the cool, clear water, and bound it round the slender wrist. Could it be Dick? Was it not all: mocking dream? Stella could only hope with all her might that the awak-

the pines overhead, were the only sounds that broke the summer stillness. The tennis lawn was too far off for them to hear the merry players; they were quite alone. Did Dick reremember the last time they had been alone together? He came and sat down on the broken step by her side.

ening might be long delayed.

parted? Must I ask in vain as I did then, for the least little word." Not a movement, not a sound from the shrinking figure at his side. His face grew graver still and he bit his

lip.
"Am I to go away again, then," he face from him.

"Have I made you cry? My darling! my own—" he was trying to take her in his arms, but she struggled to free

"If it had, which I deny," he said, the relative positions would be the same. You are as you have always been, a world above me in all things. But love can bridge any gulf, Stella;

come a trifle less absorbing, "do you Churlstone. You told me no man would ever love me as you had done. I didn't believe it then, but I know you are right now.' "Did I say that?" he asked, laugh-

The Future of the Negro.

Dr. R. H. Allen has made some starting statements to the Presbyterian General Assembly which met recently at Cincinnati. Twenty years ago, he said, there were in the south less than The first crop is gathered about the 4,000,000 negroes. There are now 7,middle of December, and subsequently 000,000. At the present rate of increase in 1900 there will be more negroes than whites in the south, and in 1985 there will be 192,000,000 negroes and only 96,000,000 whites. Dr. Allen argued that the negroes doubled every twenty years and the whites every thirty-five years. An appalling picture of the future was drawn because of the illiteracy of the blacks, which with their increase of numbers would hand over to them the political power, first of the Southern States and then of the Nation. If Dr. Allen's figures are true, the outlook would be black enough in more ways than one, but other authorities assert that it is the white race whose relative increase is the greatest, and that that fact will be established by the census of 1890. It is quite true that there was a large apparent increase of the blacks between 1860 and 1880, but it is now believed to a reddish brown, losing much of the white powder with which the wrinkles States in 1860 and 1870 were imperfect of their body are loaded. When dried in an oven they retain this powder, and then their color is gray, but when also, who are growing up in ignorance.

ple and will soon be in advance of the Model Republic unless we do better. This should not be. On the Continent they are ahead of us in technical and art schools, where the enterprising sons of the laboring classes can become master mechanics and excel in all kinds of decorative art work. It is our shame as a nation that in so many of our shops the skilled workmen are

of Senator Blair of New Hampshire is a matter for national rejoicing. He is foremost in all good measures, and his

pires.—Demorest's Monthly for August.

Cheap Money. She pushed her way through the little crowd of ex-capitalists that was congregated about the "ticker" and set her shopping-bag down upon the coun-

ter with a slam. "I see by the papers that money is cheap," she began. "Never so cheap as at present," re-

"Tens, madam?" said the broker in "Yes, ten-dollar bills. Where do you Have you any remnants — quarters, halves, and all that—at a great sacrifice? What is the cause of this fearful reduction, anyhow? Must you close out your entire stock of money

at a very low figure," said the broker. "Yes? By the way you didn't tell me what you get for the ten-dollar "O, wine and cigars and theatre tick-

ets." said the broker absent-mindedly.

"I mean, how much do you sell them

"Ten dollars." "Do you call that cheap?" "Yes, I do." growled the financier. "Tve seen the time when I had to pay \$15 for the use of \$10 on my personal note at thirty days, and it was dirt cheap, too, considering the security. What did you expect to pay?" "O, not more than five. I'm looking for bargains. Good morning."

Howard could gasp out.

"Yes, the great inventor and civil engineer. He had his baronetcy conferred a few months ago, when he finished the great railway line to Thibit; no nearer the goal than when we last to the sole pool, but the block step by the said, low and gravely, the some plan. The men who stand on the bank and make ibg-hearted propositions are called financiers, and so they are.

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traditions were rife with superstition. and there are on record many of their amusing pleas to get out of ships or to have respect paid to certain peculiar ideas. In these days of progress it is seldom that sailors are heard of as objecting to sailing on Friday or to the presence of women on shipboard. Yet superstitions on these matters occasionally crop out Capt. North, of the bark Julia Rollins, who arrived on Wednesday from Rio Janeiro, had an experience with a seaman named Appleby, who had not forgotten the tradition of his fathers, and showed his belief in bad luck coming to a vessel with women on board. Capt. North took with him Mrs. North and niece on his last voyage. When the vessel reached Rio, Appleby tried to desert, but was caught; then he feigned sickness, for which, Capt. North said: "I cove him islen but this even did not gave him jalap, but this even did not allay his desire to leave the vessel." Capt. North then asked him to explain his desire to be discharged. All along Appleby had said there were good reasons why he could not stay. At last he told Capt. North that he could not stay on a vessel where women were. that no good luck would come from their presence, and cited the loss overboard of a sailor named Wm. Collier, on the passage out. He demanded to see the consul. Capt. North gratified him, but his excuse had no effect with the official, who sent Appleby on board in charge of a Brazilian soldier. He still persisted in his determination to leave, and upon advice of the consul, Capt. North put- Appleby in close confinement. By dieting him on bread and water the captain tried to reform his superstitious tendencies. Twice a day he was asked to "turn to," and as many times he stubbornly refused to comply. When the Julia Rollins was bound out Capt. North asked Appleby if he would go to work if released, add-

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Verschiedenheit. A New York man has invented a cast-iron button-hole. He has been a member of the Assembly for two terms Scientists claim that cigaret-smoking leads to idiocy. We do not know

a chew from the wrong man: he savs there is no charity broad enough to cover the sins of a man who uses bad tobacco. One man may call another a liar

it will prevent litigation over his estate if he will make his will before he

with perfect freedom in Kentucky, but

ings Bank. The motto of the Audubon county, Iowa, Sentinel is: "Fear God, Tell the Truth, and Make Money." It is only in the newspaper business that this combination can be made.

"Out of every one hundred and nine 'emale school teachers," says an ex-

one hundred and two marry? Give us all the facts. Locust-eating is becoming common at West Chester, Pa. In cooking them the wings and legs are removed, and they are thrown into boiling water for a few minutes. They are then trans-

change, "seven marry every year."

How many times do the remaining

was so vigorously waged last summer in various parts of the country, is being renewel in Dawson, Ga., where an ordinance has just been passed imposing a fine of five dollars on persons

the street. A Vassar graduate being out in the country, went into the stable of a farm

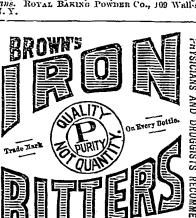
house. "Dear me. how close the poor cows are crowded together," she remarked. "Yes, mum, but we have to do that." "Why so?" "So they will give condensed milk."

One of the resolutions of the Convention that nominated President Cleveland was that "the selection of Federal officers for the Territories shall be restricted to citizens previously resdent therein." In opposition to the spirit of this resolution, a Wisconsin man has been appointed Chief Justice of Idaho, and a citizen of Mississippi has been appointed Receiver of Public

Mr. McLaughlin, the supervising mechanic at the Washington Monument, says that he has given away at least five tons of chips from pieces of marble used in the monument, and that the demand for relics is even greater than ever. There are now lying about the base of the monument about three tons of small chips of the marble and granite. Of course, they are free to all who desire them. Mr. McLaughlin believes that inside of a year every chip will be taken away.

"Yas, boss," said Uncle Cephus, "dem

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Dick Fellowes flung himself back "Say only one kind word, Stella," he

Stella Howard sitting sweet and calm in her white gown and pearls, half glanced toward her impetuous lover, then dropped her blue eyes again with a suspicion of a dainty shudder. Dick's bands were so very big and red, and his evening dress looked as if it came out of the ark Of course he was very good and nice, and Stella did not mind nis clumsy attentions when no one more interesting was at hand, but to be made love to by a big, awkward, young civil engineer working on the new railway line!—a creature who couldn't sing or ride, or play billiards—who entered a room like a wandering elephant, and was forever buried in diagrams and calculations, instead of talking society chatter! Stella could

that June evening.
"I don't know what to say," she said, trying not to show her disdain too plain-

Only once did she hear his name in was in connection with the schemes and he was called "Mr. Fellowes, the well-known and rising engineer." Dick rising! Dick famous! Stella was sen-

less orphan, dependent on the distant relations with whom she was living. Even in all her sorrow and despair there was a little ray of comfort in the Captain Thurlow was endowed with a knowledge of the world, which made him keenly aware of the nice differorphan. His engagement to a Lanca-

if it were a prophecy. Dick Fellowes' parting words, "No one will ever love Was it all the perversity of a woman's nature that made Stella's memory dwell so often and so kindly on the memory of that wooing as time went on? In the old days life had held so much love for her that Dick's seemed a thing little worth the having; now that she was that lonely thing, a

her recollection of clumsy Dick grew to be a very kind and gentle one. Not that her lot was as hard as many: indeed the Bouchers were very kind to her. Her pupils were good and affectionate with the careless affection of children; she had plenty to eat and drink and nothing to complain of, except that her life had pass-ed her by. She had tried to do her duty, to teach the children well and wisely, to help Mrs. Boucher with her many guests and society cares. The house was to be full for regatta week as us-

frisky kittens.

"Miss Howard has been out of socie-

Still, no answer. With a sudden impulse, Sir Richie stooped and peered under the shady hat which hid her "What! crying, Stella!" He was on his knees beside her on the green moss.

herself. "Ah, Dick," she murmured brokenly, "I told you once our lives were poles apart; it was false then, but it has come true."

won't you let me try? It's my trade, you know." And she struggled no longer.
"Dick," she whispered, by and by, when conversation had had time to beremember what you said that night at

ing. "Well, yes; I was right, I dare say—only I put it in the wrong tense. What I should have said was, not 'as I have done', but as I do, and as I shall ever keep on doing as long as the world shall last. And that would have been truer still, my guiding star; so let it stand like that in the future." And that point was settled once and

that the censuses of the Southern so far as the enumeration of the blacks was concerned. But one thing is very certain, there are too many of the southern blacks, and southern whites This is a real national peril which Senator Blair, of New Hampshire, tried to meet by a bill which passed the Senate, but which failed in the House, setting apart sections of the public lands in the several States, the proceeds from the sale of which would be devoted to the primary education of the poor of both races. We have boasted of our common school system, and with good reason, in the past, but we are now behind, very far behind other nations in this important matter. Some seventeen per cent of our population cannot read or write. In Germany only two per cent of the people are unacquainted with the three R's. Great Britain and France are making giant strides in the primary education of their peo-

generally foreigners. The re-election

National Education Bill will now be enacted before his term of office ex-

plied the broker, affably. "How are you selling tens?" she continued. surprise. keep them? This doesn't look at all like a bankrupt sale. I expected to find them in little baskets ticketed: Anything in this basket \$5, and so on.

within the next thirty days, regardless of cost, to make room for fresh goods? Or is your stock damaged by fire?" "We have some stocks that are damaged by water that we can let you have

river a man was standing watching the driftwood float past, when he call-ed to several colored brethern standing by and said he would give them half of all they fished out. The propo-The splash of water in the old stone sition was too good to be rejected, and basin and the mysterious whisper of the sable spectators went to work with a will. They rescued a lot of the drift wood and devided it, the result of their labor being a good thing for all concerned—particularly good for the man who made the generous offer. The occurrence will seem exceedingly funny to most people, but there is a great deal

Cochineal. In Guatemala, the raising of hemip terous insects of the bark-louse family

especially the caccus cacti, or Spanish cochinilla, is a profitable, if not a pleas ant industry, and vast plantations are devoted to the cultivation of the Indian fig, or nopal, of the genus cacti, or opuntia cochinilla fera, for the nour-ishment of the bark lice. Between the altitudes of 3,000 and 5,000 feet is the favorite locality for cochineal raising, particularly in the vicinity of Guatamala la Antiqua, the ancient capital, founded by Alvarado, and in the department of Quezaltenango.

The method of cultivating these insects is most curious. They require about the same care that is ordinarily bestowed upon silkworms. During the last days of May, immediately before the annual rains begin, great branches of cacti, covered with the in-sects, are cut off and stored in a building, erected for the purpose, to protect them from the weather. At the close of the wet season, or about the middle of October, the plantations are restocked from these supplies by suspending ittle nests, made of jute, maguey, or any other soft, woody fibre, upon the spines of the growing nopul, each nest containing a dozen female insects. Warmed by the tropic sun, they soon emerge from their semi-comatose condition and begin to lay eggs with mar-velous rapidity, each female producing more than a thousand young. The new crop immediately spreads over the plants, the females at once swelling to a surprising size and attaching them-selves so closely to the nopal as to be-come a part of it, so that they resemble vegetable excrescences rather than anmated insects. In this condition they are gathered for cochineal, the preg-nant females only being valuable for commercial purposes. The males are comparatively few in number, not more than one to a hundred and fifty females, and are of no use for coloring material. The females are picked off with a blunt knife, collected with baskets, and killed by dipping into boiling water or by baking them in ovens or on plates of iron.

several more of as many successive generations are obtained. These tiny scions of the numerous family cocoida are in the form of rounded scales, the body covered with deep transverse wrinkles, bristly on the posterior part, with abdomen of a dark mulberry color, and short black legs. The male has two erect wings, the female none. An expert laborer can pick only about two ounces of cochineal a day. These lose at least two-thirds of their weight in the process of drying. As it requires not less than seventy thousand insects to weigh a pound, the average retail price of the commodity is only seventy cents a pound in the United States, i will be seen that the cochineal business is by no means a sinecure for the onerative. When the living insects have been immersed in boiling water they turi

baked on hot iron they become black. This accounts for the so-called varieties of the same bug, known in the market as silver grains, black grains, and foxy grains. Foxy grains are those killed by boiling. They bring the highest price.

The coloring principle which causes these tiny creatures to impart a crimson hue to watery infusions has been separated by chemists, who give it the name of cochiniline. It is a brilliant, purplish red, very soluble in water or alcohol, but not soluble in ether. It is obtained by macerating the dried insects in ether, treating the residue in alcohol and separating it. Next it is purified from accompanying fatty mat ters by again dissolving it in alcohol, after which the addition of a little sulphuric acid will cause it to be precipitated in a few days. The coloring mat-ter is thrown down by different metallic salts, such as those of zinc, bismuth iron, nickel and tin, and these produce precipitates of brilliant colors. By means of the chloride and nitrate of tin the bases of the splendid crimson and scarlet dives are obtained, to which the great value of cochineal are chiefly due. The best of these pigments call ed lakes are made by introducing fresh-

ly prepared gelatinous alumina into the decoction of cochineal.—Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper.

A Strange Funeral. Mrs. Dr. Alexander, of Fayette, Iowa, writing to her brother, Dr. Wentworth of Sandy Hill, gives the following instance of struggle with the elements and human selfishness connected with the recent snow blockade: A woman died in Southfield, the township south of us, in our very coldest weather, who desired burial in our cemetery. Hearse, minister and friends started out, taking the road, ten miles around. Carriages stalled in the snow and horses failed, but they struggled on till they came upon an open prairie field, belonging to a farmer, by crossing which they could make it easier and save five miles of the journey. It only needed the opening of the gates at each extremity to accomplish it, but hearse, minister and mourners were met by the owner of the field, and forbidden the crossing under the penalty of the law. They ploughed their way back to the road and, half frozen, made out to get to the house some hours after the funeral announcement. Returning to town with the body, they were so blockaded on all sides by the snow that they left the poor woman over

fence, gate and bar of the fence around that field laid low the next night by indignant sympathizers. A Singular Reptile.

night in a house by the way, and two

days after conveyed her here for buri-

al. The farmer who refused the pro-

cession permission to pass had every

A snake of a very rare kind, says a

Washington special to the New York

Herald, is now at the Smithsonian in-

stitution. It came there on Friday,

having been captured near the famous

Buck Horn wall, on the line of the

Baltimore & Ohio railroad, near Deer

Park, Md. The peculiarity of the snake is that it can and does whistle and sing like a young mocking bird. In general appearance it is like the ordinary snake, except its head is shaped somewhat like a pug dog. In length it is four feet long, and the largest part of its body is four and a quarter inches The Leavenworth Journal says that in circumference. When it whistles during the late rise in the Missouri or sings it makes a series of jumps like a frog. The head snake professor of the Smithsonian institution is now at Wood's Holl, Mass., and it will probably be sent there for his examination and classification. It is in shape and color altogether different from any of the African singing snakes, and besides issues a louder and more harmon- You see, dere grandfader he died ob ic sound or whistle than is recorded of any of the classes of snakes that are de back, wich de doctors called de cebfound in the East Indies. A similar character of a snake is said in the books to be frequently seen on the No, boss, I down know what kind ob island of Sumatra. So far this is the men dem 'men in jeters' is, but I spec first singing or whistling snake that dey is way up, caze Miss Libbie she has been found in this country. The dun lowed dat de fambly wus a goin' man who caught it supposed he was to hab a cote ob a'ms."—Detroit Free chasing a young mocking bird.

Objecting to Sail With Women. Among the old school sailors their

ship before he signs articles.-New

ing that if not he would be placed on sea rations, which in his judgment should comprise half a pint of water

and half a biscuit. Appleby turned to, came home safely, but he will, in the

future, know if women are on board a

it in longitudinal slices, bring it on the table surrounded by wild flowers and other fancy fixings, and you have a dish fit for the gods. Some luxurious palates, happily accompanied by means enough to gratify their gustatory whims, find one or two bottles of frozen melon, in place of claret, a decided improvement. But the man who cannot like a good, ripe, sweet watermelon, without wine, is deserving of much pity.—The Cook.

how true this is, but are satisfied that idiocy leads to cigaret-smoking. Mr. Beecher has evidently borrowed

does it. The Louisiana Lottery, which supports ex-Confederate Gens. Beauregard and Early largely, is called by sensible southern papers the "Louisiana Los-

"Is the man honest?" asked old Hyson. "Honest as the day is long," was the reply. "Ye-es," said old Hyson; "but then he won't do at all. I want him for a night-watchman."

ferred to a frying-pan of hot butter, and cooked for about five minutes. The war on Mother Hubbards, which

wearing the objectionable garment on

She believed it.

Moneys in Wyoming.

Jonsings am de highest toned colored people in de hull State. De pride ob dem young ladies is sumpin dat's past some kind ob a high-toned misery in rum spinal men in jeters, an' upon dat fac' de fambly hab been foundered. Press.

JOHN G. HOLMES, Editor.

THURSDAY, JULY 28, 1885. Gen. Grant is reported as being tired

of his sufferings, and anxious for the

There is a class of people living in Chicago who ought to be transported about ten miles directly east, and anchored with a stone about their necks. They are the gang who term themselves socialists.

So uncommon an occurrence has the arrest of a burgler become, it is made the subject of universal comment, when one of the night mechanics are taken in and cared for.

The manufacture of Japanese menthol pencils has created a new demand for pepperment, and St. Joseph county farmers, having an unusually large crop, are correspondingly happy.

Brick Pomeroy, not satisfied with the unpopularity he has gained for himself with the American people, is now trying to further disgust them by proposing the erection of a monument to Mrs. Surratt.

Owing to decisions made by Attorney General Garland regarding contracts made by the government not being binding on the government, and its effect on contracts with John Roach & Co. for building a number of war vessels. Roach & Co. have been forced to make an assignment, and thus one of the most extensive ship building establishments in this country has been financially swamped.

S. D. Bingham has been suspended as an "offensive partisan" and Col. Geo. P. Sanford appointed in his stead as Postmaster at Lansing. S. D. Bingham is a Republican in such a way that all may know it, and Col. Sanford is equally as offensive a Democrat, being one of the most active political wire pullers the Democratic party possesses in the State. Of course it is a great improvement in the civil service to turn out one partisan and turn in

Another flurry of excitement passed through commercial circles Saturday by a renewal of the movements on the Afghan frontier that indicated more strongly than ever the determination of Russia to continue her advance toward the Indian Ocean. There is but one thing certain regarding the Afghan question, and that is that war will be the means of settlement of this ques-

A few scares have been indulged in in the eastern part of the country, caused by the appearance of what seemed to be fatal cases of cholera, but which were doubtless nearer allied to cholera morbus. While the fear of the Asiatic plague is so strong and well founded too great care cannot be observed in matter of cleanliness and all previous administrations, governdiet, especially during the hot months of decay and green fruit.

Because the Pall Mall Gazette has been making notoriety for itself by stiring up the rottenness of London, the publishers propose to send a large invoice of its papers to this country for sale, and the best place for the United States Government to stop them is just outside New York harbor. This work of the Gazette may be, and undoubtedly is, an excellent thing for London, but there can be no good derived from scattering the stuff broadcast in this country. We have enough of nastiness in American's current literature without importing it from

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, July 20, 1885. Not every citizen of the United States is aware that the District of Columbia, which includes the capital of the United States and about 250,-000 inhabitants, has a Government different from that of any other district or municipality of the Nation. Washington is ruled by a triumvirate appointed by the President of the United States. The inhabitants of this city suffer from no suffrage, cast no ballots, and know no local politics in the ordinary vulgar sense. The three men appointed by the President govern under law, have charge of the police, public schools, parks, streets, water works and city improvements. They make a pretty good local government, and some other cities might profit by

the example. On the 17th of this month the term of one of the Commissioners, Ex-Senator West, of Louisana, expired and the President promptly appointed as his successor Mr. Wm. Webb, a lawyer and an old resident of this city. The appointee is one of the best that could have been selected, and the community, without regard to politics, are rejoicing that so good a selection has been made. Mr. Webb, like his predecessor, is a Republican, he is sixty years of age, and is identified with the best social and business interests of the Capital. Larly yesterday morning he received a note from the White House requesting him to call at once, as the President desired to see him. and at 11 'clock, in accordance with the request, he called, when the President tendered him the appointment. Mr. Webb said he was taken by surprise and would like a few days to consider whether he could afford to accept. He has since consulted with his friends, and has determined at their request, and at their earnest solicitation to accept the office.

There has been a great deal of gossip in the papers during the week on the subject of the President's policy about official changes. First it was announced that the President had ordered a practical halt in the old business of removing Republican office and the result seems to be that things are going on much as usual. The President does all that he can do on any given day, and stops when he gets through. There has been no change

Miss Cleveland took her departure for the summer on Thursday, and the White House will hardly have her for a nfistress again before October. She will spend much of the intervening time at the family home at Holl and Patent, N. Y. She has now a considerable income from the sale of her book. It is reported that she does not intend to use this for any personal purpose, but will devote it to educational objects. I very much doubt the truth of this report. Miss Cleveland is not wealthy, and she has lived long enough to know the sweetness of independence, and to enjoy the fruits of

With the departure of Miss Cleveland there will be a cessation of the regular Saturday afternoon gatherings on the portico. There has been a thorough overhauling of the mansion in the past few days, and the curtains and carpets have been put away until cold weather, and the floors are now covered from basement to attic with cool, attractive patterns of matting.

Nearly all the leading society people of Washington called upon the mistress of the White House bofore she left Washington, and exchanged notes as to their plans for the summer, and expressed the hope of meeting her next winter. Something was said at one of these gatherings about the rumor that Miss Cleveland had been offered and would very likely accept the Presidency of Vassar College, denial was given to this story by Miss Cleveland, and she informed her callers that she would be in the White House during this Administration.

When the President goes off for the summer vacation he will not be accompanied by any member of his Cabinet, and although Col. Lamont will take a pleasure jaunt at the same time he will go in an opposite direction. Dr. Ward, of Albany, on old friend of the President, and an enthusiastic fisherman, will be his companion on the trip in quest of trout, the two gentlemen having visited the Adirondacs last year.

The suspension of John Roach will stop work upon the three steel cruisers now being constructed for the navy. Secretary Whitney and Attorney General Garland virtually hold that there is no contract by which the government is bound to accept and pay for them, even if they prove exactly according to the plans and specifications in every particular. They construe the law and the contracts as giving them full power on the part of the government to repudiate the contract in whole or in any part; but the unfortunate contractor is not only bound, but is liable to the seizure and confiscation of his property for damages in case they choose not to accept his work. They say in substance, not only to John Roach but to all others who take government naval contracts: "The contract binds you, but it does not bind us." If Roach does not go on with the building of the cruisers, Secretary Whitney may advertise for new proposals. But he will do so under peculiar disadvantages. The man who is best able to do the work, and who very greatly underbid all rivals, will have competition. Other builders will not again be likely to bid as low as they did before, even if any of them can be induced to bid at all, under the present strange ruling that a contract will bind the contractor but will not bind the government. Heretofore, under ment contractors have been able to rely upon the honor of the United States in business dealings; but Democratic 'reform" seems to have reached a degree of sharp practice which the law would not allow in private business, and which is usually considered dishonest and disgraceful. In this condition of things it is probable that, if the new cruisers ordered by law are built at all in this country, they will be greatincreased in cost. As to buying them of English builders, the people would not stand that. Besides no English firm would be likely to touch a contract at any price with the risk of repudiation by the government. The probabilities are that Secretary Whitney and Attorney General Garland have got themselves into a pretty bad scrape, from which the way out will be neither easy nor pleasant.—De-

Mr. Cleveland having announced his purpose to labor for the restoration of 'Jeffersonian Democracy," it becomes

"Reforming" the Supreme Court.

a most important question whether he intends to work in that direction in appointing Justices of the Supreme Court. All the other evil the President may do fades into insignificance when compared with the calamity of restoring bourbonism and State sovereignty bigotry to the control of the supreme bench and thus making it certain that the work of that tribunal would be taken up again just where it left off in the Dred Scott decision. A year ago this danger was pointed out clearly and distinctly to the St. Johnnies and the mugwumps, but the midsummer madness that afflicted them lasted until late in the fall, and as a result the country now stands exposed to a danger of a most serious character.

The appointments made by Mr. Cleveland so far are ominous. The most extreme State sovereignty bigots stand first in the order of preference. Service in the rebel army and devotion to the doctrines of the southern confederacy are the chief titles to favor in these opening days of the Democratic restoration, and the indications all are that the same practice will prevail when it comes to appointing Justices of the Supreme Court. Already Mr. Cleveland has selected for the chief law officer of the government a man as much devoted to State sovereignty dogmas now as when he labored hand in hand with Jeff Davis-a man who had not been in the office of attorney general two months before he gave the country a taste of his quality by deciding that the fourteenth amendment is practically inoperative and void. What will the people say when it comes to putting Garlands on the supreme bench

and establishing them there for life? Unfortunately it may be in Mr. Cleveland's power to change the character of the supreme court. It is not improbable that before his term expires he may be called on to fill four or five vacancies, and by glving these posts to State sovereignty bigots Mr. Cleveland may do the country incalculable harm. It is a matter of record that Daniel Webster considered just such a danger one of the worst that could beset the country. He had faith that the doctrine of Nationality would triumph over secession or any other form of open attack, but his greatest fear was that attempts would be made to "dilute the constitution by creating a court which shall construe away its

provisions." In a speech made in New York in 1831 Mr. Webster said: "If the time shall ever come (which Heaven avert) when men shall be placed in the supreme tribunal of the counholders on charges of offensive parti- try who entertain opinions hostile to zanship. This was speedily denied, the just powers of the constitution, we ing all remedy. Our case will be past surgery. From that moment the constitution is at an end. If they who are appointed to defend the castle shall betray it, woe betide those within! If I live to see that day come, I shall dein the policy of the Administration, spair of the country. I shall be pread to give it back to all its former hat it will be most employed. It will

afflictions in the days of the confedera-Precisely such is the danger now be-forethe country. The Democratic par-ty demands of Mr. Cleveland a "re-

form" of the supreme bench, which is

of judges who are "hostile to the just

powers of the constitution." State-

sovereignty judges are to take the place of Nationalists, and this result once accomplished it will be, as Mr. Webster said, "an evil defying all remedy." Thanks to the Saint Johnnies and the mugwumps the only protec tion the country has against this evil is in the form of a very slight majority in the Senate. The responsibility of the Senators will, therefore, be very great. Under no circumstances should a Republican senator vote to confirm as a Justice of the Supreme Court any man who has been tainted with State sovereignty dogmas. No amount of legal learning, no purity of personal character should justify the appointment of such a man. The senators may properly enough waive party feelings and allow the President to have his own way in regard to most appointments, but when it comes to putting State-sovereignty bigots on the supreme bench to "dilute the constitution by construing away its just powers" they should stand like a rock, remembering, as Webster said, that this would be an evil "defying all remedy." The coun-

Encouragement for Union Veterans

try will demand of the senators that

in such a case they resist to the ut-most.—Chicago Tribune.

Who Vote Democratic Tickets. Col. A. W. Norris, a gallant Union soldier who during the war was twice promoted for bravery on the field, has been removed from his place as Pension agent at Philadelphia, and sever al Union ex-soldier clerks in the office had to go with him to make room for Secession Rebels. It was not surprising that these veterans had to go. They were National Republicans and voted the same way that they shot, and hence in the estimation of an Administration which delights to honor Rebel Secessionists and Ultramontane Bourbons they are ranked as "offensive partisans". At the command of Mr. Cleveland they picked up their crutches and left the pension-office. One of the va-cancies thus created has been filled by the appointment of Joseph Rarbiers, who served as a Lieutenant-Colonel in the Rebel Secession army and has since distinguished himself as a most blatant traitor. The new Pension Agent at Philadelphia did not actually serve in the Rebel army, but he published at Doylestown a Copperhead paper whose utterances were so venomous that the office was once sacked by a party of infuriated citizens who could stand it no

The Administration shows its real spirit when it finds Union veterans offensive not merely at New Orleans, Charleston, or Richmond, but at Philadelphia. Secessionists, it seems, are to be rewarded in the loyal cities of the North, and Copperheads and Rebels are chosen in preference to Union veterans even in Pennsylvania. The supply of this sort of material is not great in Pennsylvania, and hence it is necessary to give some of the offices to imported Rebels from the South. Barbiere while living in the South was active in stimulating the Rebellion, and, after completing his service in the Rebel army and coming North, remained as virulent a traitor as ever. Some years ago he published a book, in which he eulogized Jeff Davis and Wirz and vilified Union men in generbeen ruined and put out of the field of al, alluding in particular to Lincoln as "a political scavenger" and "an ignorant fanatic". The Copperhead whose newspaper office was sacked during the war very naturally became the publisher of this book, and now by grace of a Democratic Administration these worthies are installed in the pension-office at Philadelphia. The Rebel author and the Copperhead publisher still continue their partnership, and, seated together in the pension-office, they may well chuckle with complacency as Union veterans hobble in, doff their hats, and present their certificates for examination. What is there left for this Adminstration to do in honoring the memory of the Southern Confederacy when in the loyal City of Philadelphia it putsRebels and Copperheads in charge of the very office where Union pensions are paid? Is another drop needed to make the cup of humiliation overflow? Gen. Black should understand that his old comrades are grieved and mortified to find that he lends himself to vile work like this. Surrounded as he is now by men who served in the Rebel army, and holding conference with them every day, it may be that he rarely hears the voices of any of his old comrades who fought on the Union side. He should know that they are chagrined beyond expression to see him driving Union veterans from the pension-office to make room for Rebels, and they wonder that the very wounds he suffered as a soldier do not reproach

End of the Iron Age.

him for engaging in such work.—Chi-

cago Tribune.

The Most Notable Discovery of the Century. Aluminum is one of the 68 elements recognized by modery chemistry. It is a metal resembling silver in appearance, out only one-fourth its weight, or specific gravity. It is very malleable and ductile, and can be rolled into the thinnest sheets, or drawn into the linest wires. It melts at a red heat. By hammering it becomes as hard as iron. It is highly sonorous and makes beautiful bells. Mixed with copper, in the proportion of 5 parts aluminum to 95 copper, it forms a metal resembling gold and equally unaffected by the oxygen of the atmosphere. This is called aluminum-bronze, and it possesses, in addition to its remarkable property of non-corrosiveness, a tensile strength far superior even to the best steel. It is frequently used in the manufacture of jewelry, the very small production

litherto limiting its wider use. Aluminum, which by the way is the basis of alum, was discovered by a German chemist in 1828. For thirty years it remained merely a chemical curiosity, but in 1858 a French chemist developed a method by which it could be manufactured in sufficient quantities to give it a commercial value. Still it could only be produced at great expense, and has usually brought in the market about \$50 per pound. Recognizing its value to the arts if once brought down to a price permitting its common use, a very large sum has long been promised by European capitalists to any one who should find a means

for producing it at a cost not exceeding \$2 per pound. This has now been done. Within a few months Prof. Maybury, of Cleveland, in the course of some experiments discovered a method of producing a more intense heat by the concentration of electrical currents than had ever before been known, and by the use of this electrical furnace he solved the problem of the cheaper production of aluminum. The metal abounds in common clay, but emery or corumdum is particularly rich in it, and of this mineral unlimited deposits are found in North Carolina. Following up his discoveries Prof. Maybury found he could produce aluminum at 25 cents per pound, and the result promises a revolution in the metal business. The invention has been patented in this and all other civilized countries; a company with a capital of \$10,000,000 has been organized, and works are now being erected at Niagara Falls for the extensive manufacture

of this valuable metal, the immense

water power being utilized for the crea-

tion of the necessary electric currents.

In a short time they will be in full operation, when aluminum is expected

to come into very wide use where light-

for many purposes supersede steel tion. I know of no security against the possibility of this evil but an awakened public vigilance."

being much more indestructible, neither being oxidized by exposure nor liable to crystalization and fracture as steel is. It will hence be the most perfect material known for railroad bridges, shipbuilding and a host of other purposes. So the day is at hand when our to be accomplished by the appointment bridges and ships will seem made of gold, and the present age of iron will be transformed literally into a revived

State Items. Charles F. Walters, an Albion drummer, last-seen June 7 at Klkhart, Ind., has been missing since. As he had \$300 on his person foul play is suspected.—Evening News.

The choice collection of curiosities presented to the Michigan University by the Chinese has arrived at Ann Arbor in good condition, and will be placed on exhibition as soon as possi-

J. Slayton, a pioneer of Calhoun Co., hung himself in his barn in the Rice creek settlement, near Marshall, a few day ago. He was 80 years old and had shown signs of mental disturbance

Wm. A. Lewis is appointed postmaster in Evart for the next four years The local Democracy are in tears on account of this appointment, from the fact that Mr. Lewis is a prohibitionist, having stumped Osceola county in the cause, and ran for Judge of Probate on that ticket last campaign.

A few days ago L. II. Pratt, a prominent farmer near Greenville, was driving on his mowing machine when he became exhausted with the heat, whereupon his wife, coming into the field and seeing how matters stood, mounted the machine and did a good day's work.

On the person of Walter Crall, the trrmp who was killed by falling under the cars at Montague Saturday night, there have been found \$150 worth of tickets stolen from the C. & W. M. office at Shelby some time ago.

The home of John Skurtz, near White Pigeon, was burned by the explosion of a galoline stove. The causes that led to the restriction law on the use of kerosene should attract the at-

The pump house near the well has sunk considerably.—Detroit Post.

Wm. Cross, a Chicago sailor, went to sleep on the railroad track at Traverse City, Wednesday night, and was run over by the cars, his hand and foot being badly mangled and his spine hurt. He had crawled under the cars to get out of the wet, and fell asleep. Four Cass county Democrats were burdened with the cares and labors of post office duties this week.

A little four-year-old is said to have lied at Sebewaing last week as the result of a snake bite. The child was struck in the ankle, while at play, and running to his mother informed her that he had been pierced by a stick of wood. The limb soon began to swell, and shortly afterward his entire body was terribly swollen. Great agony was endured until death.— Evening

The latest Muskegon enterprise is the shipping of sawdust. Gow, Majo & Co have received an order for a large quantity, and are at present loading the schooner S. Morrison with between 40 and 50 tons. Mr. Gow states that there is a demand for 50,000 tons of saw dust to be shipped to the Terra Cotta Lumber Co. of Pullman. The sawdust is mixed with clay and burned in kilns something like brick. When this process has been finished the material is ready for use and is used in buildings in place of lath.—Muskegon

IONIA, July 14.—A year ago the city council appropriated \$1,000 to sink an artesian well from which a supply of artesian water could be secured for the city water works. The money was exhausted at 400 Leet. Several fissure veins were struck in sandstone 360 to 400 feet below the surface, which united made a flowing well of excellent water, though the flow was not very strong. This summer a further sum was appropriated to sink the well deeper, hoping to strike a larger supply of water. Over 200 feet was added to the depth, most of the way through slate. Yesterday the drill struck red sand stone, and to-day struck brine at the depth of 530 feet. The brine flows freely out of the top of the well and is very strong; it is believed to be fully 80 per cent.

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Estate of Bonj. Stevens, Deceased. First publication, July 23, 1885. OTATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office in the village of Berrien Springs, on the twentieth day of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-Present, David E. Hinman, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Benjamin Stevens, In the matter of the estate of Benjamin Stevens, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John Sheldon, creditor of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to John C. Dick, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 17th of August 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 at the Probate office, in the village of Berrien Springs, 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 Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[L. S.] DAVID E. HINMAN, Last publication. Ang. 13, 1885.

(A true copy.) Judge of Probate. Last publication, Aug. 13, 1885. BILL FOR PARTITION. ILE Circuit Court for the County of Berrien .-

THE Circuit Court for the County of Berrien.—
In chancery.
William B. Hoag, Samuel W. Redden and Thomas M. Fulton, Complainants, vs. Andnew C. Day, Betsy Day, Horace S. Black, Augustine Willard and the St. Joseph Valley Railroad Company, Defendants.—Bill for partition.
In pursuance of a decree and order of sale made by said Court in the above entitled cause wherein the said William B. Hoag, Samuel W. Redden and Thomas M. Fulton are complainants, and Andrew C. Day, Betsy Day, Horace S. Black, Augustine Willard and the St. Joseph Valley Rail Road Company are defendants, which said decree and order of sale bears date of the 15th day of June, A. D. 1885. Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of the

use of kerosene should attract the attention of the Legislature to this more dangerous petroleum product.

Ishpeming merchants propose to do the business of Ishpeming themselves, and have prevailed upon the city council to pass an ordinance requiring newcomers to deposit \$250 with the city treasurer before opening business. There is some question of the constitutionality of the ordinance.

A cyclone struck Lawton Sunday, tearing up trees and demolishing outbuildings. It also leveled outbuildings and badly injured corn fields.—Evening News.

That is coming uncomfortably close to this corner of the state.

The water works well at Three Rivers is almost a failure, owing to the quicksands. At a depth of 74 feet the shifting sands are found as lively and unstable as nearer the surface, and the thing will necessarily be abandoned.

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and sold, the amount so secured to draw seven per cent interest payable annually. Dated June 30, 1885. GEORGE A. LAMBERT, Circuit Court Commissioner for said County. VAN RIPER & WORTHINGTON, Solicitors for Complainant.

Estate of James W. Gray, Deceased. First publication July 16, 1885.

CTATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrieu.—ss At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate Office, in the village of Berrien Springs, on the fifteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and eighty-five.

Present, DAYID E. HINMAN, Judge of Probate In the matter of the estate of James W. Gray, deceased.

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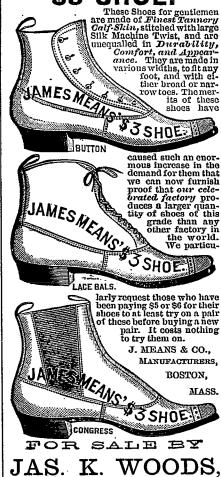
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Nancy Gray, widow of said deceased, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Chauncey Miller, the executor named in sail will, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Tuesday, the eleventh day of August next, at ten o'clock in the foremon, 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 Berrien Springs, in said county, 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 Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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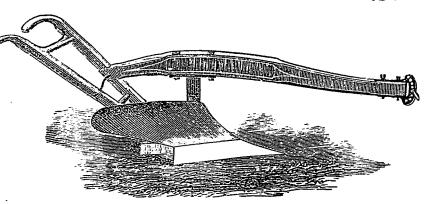
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KUKUMBERS and kramp kolik.

THE Berrien Springs bank opened for business, Monday.

Ovid wool buyers claim to have

bought 222,000 pounds this season. PERCH and white bass fishing is the t life of St. Joseph sports just now.

Ir required \$14,200.74 to pay the expense of Niles City schools last year.

HUCKLEBERRIES sell in Niles for 1212 cents per quart, while we think ten cents high here.

Dr. Belknap has brought a herd of Jersey cows from Vermont. They are said to be fine ones.

DR. DUNNING, of South Bend, was called to this place Tuesday morning

The salary of the Niles school director has been reduced from \$300 to \$100, the price paid in this place.

to see Howard F. Smith.

FRED WIRTS, of Niles, has been appointed agent and telegraph operator for the Wabash company at Eau Claire.

THE Niles Democrat characterizes

the school meeting held in that city as a "monkey and parrot time."

One more young lady has been added to Dr. Slocum's family. Good looking and hearty.

ABOUT four-fifths of the village taxes have been collected. The other fifth should have been paid last month.

MISS CLARA SCHREIBER, of Portage Prairie, a little girl, fell from an apple tree, Thursday, and broke her arm. THE enormous skating rink build-

ing in Benton Harbor is to be used as a dining hall during the reunion.

[†]The formation of sand bars at Berrien Springs is making interesting work for boatmen on the river.

THE watermelon market has opened in this place with an imported article. The local crop is barely well in blos-

Prof. Simons, of Dowagiae, will take an active part in the teachers' institute, which commences in St. Joseph August 10.

THE minstrel company with which Frank Brown has traveled the past two years, started Sunday night, from

Chicago, for a tour of the Pacific coast. A SPECIAL from Lansing to the Detroit Post states that Gov. Alger has appointed Geo. W. Hill, of this county,

coroner to fill vacancy. Work has been commenced on the St Joseph and Benton Harbor street

railway, and it is intended to have the cars running for the reunion, Aug. 21. THE youngsters, who call themselves

the Star Nine, went to New Carlisle, yesterday, to play a game of base ball. and were beaten by a score of 7 to 15.

ROUGH BROS' Wagon Works are now running on a small order for repairs from the government, for western wagon trains. The order calls for 3,-000 pieces.

In writing home, last week, Charley Fox reports having just been engaged in his first skirmish with the Indians He reports no injury to himself, but states that a bullet passed through his coat sleeve.

FARMERS complain that the work of the Hessian fly caused the straw to so weaken near the roots that much of their wheat crop lodged, and has been hard to harvest.

HARVEST is past and the steam thresher is now abroad in the land. A number of machines were started in this vicinity, Monday, and the new wheat crop commences to move.

THE old log house recently taken from Benton Harbor is to do service in the Battle of Shiloh panorama instead of the Battle of Gettysburg, as was stated last week.

If it is to continue to be so hot we can dispense with the signal service in this place. We had no idea it could have such an effect to have simply a voluntary station in our midsi

MARRIED.-Mr. Clinton Longfellow and Miss Louisa Vetter were married at the residence of the bride's sister. Mrs. John Rhoades, in this place, last evening, July 22, Rev. V. H. Warren tle the Home in South-Western Michiofficiating.

The Visitors. MRS. HOWELL STRONG and daughter are visiting Howell at Mt. Pleasant.

MRS. E. GROVER is visiting with her

sister, Mrs. Cripe, near Pokagon. MISS ANNA LANDAU, of Bay City, is visiting the Misses Oppenheim in this

WALT. HARPER returned yesterday from his three weeks' visit in the eastern part of the state and Canada.

MISS PAGE, of Hartford, Van Buren county, is visiting in this place, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Roe.

MRS. KATE HUNT, of Jackson, came last Thursday to make a long visit with her mother, Mrs. DeArmond. MRS. LOU DEBUNKER and children

are visiting the parental home in Niles township these hot days. MR, AND MRS. KERR who have been away the past two months, returned to

their home in Buchanan, Tuesday. MRS. DELL SWOBE, who has been employed in Mrs. Crandall's boarding house, returned to her home in Char-

lotte. last week. MISS BERTHA COVENEY who has been at Los Angeles, Cal., since last October.

MISS LYDA HAMLIN went Tuesday to Chicago to be away a few weeks at the home of her brother, Mr. John A.

MRS. AMELIA WOOD, of Valparaiso, Ind., is visiting in this place with her half-sister and brother, Mrs. George Samson and Frank Merrill.

J. F. Peck intends to start Monday morning for Dakota, presumably for the purpose of investing his surplus cash in Dakotas' broad acres.

MR. CARLETON S. ROE, of Bryan, O., son of Elder Wm. Roe, is here for a visit. He and Rolla Roe are looking for a location to embark on the rough sea of business.

MISS NELLIE BLACK, who has been engaged in the millinery business for her brother-in-law, J. L. McKie, in Three Oaks, the past year, has returned to her home in this place, for a few months, and is enjoying a visit by her friend, Miss Flora Petts, of Warsaw,

To meet the demands of fashion and keep renters good natured, Dr. J. M. Roe will soon put plate glass fronts in his two store rooms occupied by Highs' and S. A. Wood and J. H. Roe.

Mr. WM. BLAKE, in trying to lubri cate his wind-mill. Tuesday morning. caught his left hand in the machinery of the mill and had it, the hand, badly crushed, breaking one bone. Dr. Spreng dressed the wound.

THOSE small red berries, with stiff stems, on sale at the groceries, are apvent serious mistakes, as they contain | park.—Evening News. an infinite amount of misery, taken in

The young ladies of the Presbyterian church of this place, will give a lawn social at the residence of Mrs. P. Geyer, in Niles township, next Tuesday evening, July 28. Ice cream and cake will be served. All are invited.

THE Edwardsburg base ball players came to this place last Friday, to get even with the Buchanan nine, for beating them a few days since, but failed to do so by a score of 11 to 8. The boys play a good game.

DEARMOND AND KERN will celebrate the opening of their new building, in Dayton, by a social dance in the new hall, to-morrow evening. If the weather remains as hot as of the past few days, dancing will be a most enjoyable pastime, surely.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending July 22: Edward Huston, Mrs. Jane Hodart, Mrs. Barbary Sidlers, Miss Libbie

Swartz, Mrs. Eliza White. L. P. ALEXANDER, P. M.

The gentlemanly burglar who has been calling on wealthy Detroit citizens at uncommon hours and politely they gathered in the few valuables that were to be found, is on the westward trip, and was last heard from in

Mr. J. D. Ross had the first load of new wheat in market Saturday, and sold it to L. P. Fox for 85 cents per pushel. It came from his large farm of three acres in Ross & Alexander's third addition to the village of Bu-

THE editor of the Benton Harbor Expositor is said to be able to trace his ancestry back to Anannias, a Piute chief. We have thought all the time there was something uncivilized about Tom, but could not exactly calculate what it was.

THE vote to raise \$5,000 in Benton Harbor, to aid the St. Joseph Valley railroad, stood 300 to 11. Now if Benton Harbor will just be kind enough to put the amount at interest until the company gets ready to build the road the principal and accrued interest will go far toward building the road.

96 in the shade, was the report of the signal service in this place for Sunday afternoon, and 106 in the sun, reported by C. O. Hamilton, for the same time. Yesterday afternoon, 101 in the shade and 120 in the sun are reported. This is what might be termed large | traction engine which was propelled

THE Board of Control of the Michigan Soldiers' Home are now making their tour of the state to decide upon the location for the Home. Major Wells, Chairman of the Board, left this place Monday evening for that purpose. The list of towns to be visited include Detroit, Battle Creek, but when not in the water they would Jackson Kalamazoo, Diamond Lake. St. Joseph, Benton Harbor, Grand Rapids, Port Huron, Saginaw, and a number of other places in the northern part of the state. There are several items, if properly considered, will setspark past the extinguisher.

THE Masonic Grand Lodge of Michigan is advertising for sale at mortgage foreclosure the property of Rufus Landon, in Niles. Landon for many years served as treasurer of the lodge. and when he settled up he gave the mortgage for money he could not turn over to his successor, amounting to

Mr. Geo. Howard has brought forth another useful invention in the shape of a device for holding a door open at any angle, and to serve as a night lock. It is a simple and effectual device that does the work it is intended for well, and can be cheaply made.

THE fellows who were going to build the narrow gauge railroad so rapidly, and created so much flurry, have given our expectations another drop, and disappeared. The expectations did not fall so hard as before. They are getting somewhat used to that kind of treatment, and do not soar quite so high on such occasions as they did.

A WANDERING camp meeting, with the inspiration and "sentiment" conby enquiring of the proper parties.

A QUART of milk from one of the Jersey cows just imported from Vermont by Dr. Belknap, placed in a re-frigerator over night in a two quart dish, produces in the morning cream one-quarter of an inch thick.-Mirror

We suggest that Buchanan milkmen supply themselves with some of these

MAYOR BABCOCK, of Niles, has recently lost a \$300 span of horses, and an analysis of the contents of the stomach reveals the fact that some unregenerate cuss had been mixing arsenic with their feed. The degredation and inate devilishness of some people is beyond comprehension.

This is the time when other places require dogs that run at large to wear muzzles. In Buchanan nothing of the sort is done. The \$2 tax that has been assessed the past two years has materially thinned the canine family in the village, and is doing a good work in two directions.

JOEL NILES owns a farm in Berrien township and has it rented to Thos. Marsh. A dispute arose between them which resulted in a fight, and Saturday Marsh was brought before Esquire Dick charged with assaulting Niles with intent to do great bodly injury. The hearing was set for Wednesday, and was then adjoerned to next Satur-

THE old cemetery at Charlotte, situated in the central portion of the city, and which, owing to the fact of neglect, had become a most uninviting ples. They should be labeled to pre- | spot, has been converted into a public

Buchanan can well follow the example of Charlotte. We have just such a place of neglect and rubbish in Bu. chanan.

A good subscriber, a rabid St. Johnite, whose name has been on our list over ten years, discontinued a few weeks since. He didn't care much for the paper, and didn't have time to read much any way. He came down town Monday and had such a desire to read the RECORD that he asked one of the merchants to bring his copy from his home, that he might read it. He was accommodated.

PEOPLE living along the St. Joseph river appear to be making considerable disturbance because Dick DeMont and a few of his South Bend friends went down stream in a skow from South Bend to the lake. Dick is a large man, but we didn't notice any back flow on the creek as he passed down. Perhaps the supply of fun the Captain always has along created a special buoyancy that counterbalanced his weight.'

So far as heard from the yield of wheat in lots threshed at this time is encouraging. Frank Rowley reports ten acres at 30 bushels, Mrs. Tichenor's entire crop at a little over 25 bushels, and Mr. Ross' three acres yielded 88 bushels, threshers' measure, that weighescorting them about the house while | ed 62 pounds. Ten acres threshed for Gotlip Boyle, by Wm. Hathaway, yielded 361 bushels, threshers' measure.

THE Berrien Springs manufacturing company's dry kiln, with about 12,000 feet of lumber it contained, was burned, last Thursday, the fire catching from the furnace within the kiln. The loss amounts to \$600 or \$700. Berrien Springs being possessed of no fire-fighting machinery, the work of combating the flames was done with pails and at great disadvantage. The narrow gauge car'did service in transporting water from the sink hole, about a mile

In looking over a copy of the Buchanan Weekly Union of September 14, 1865, we find an advertisement that closes with, "We are selling prints at from 12 to 25 cents per yard; good yard wide sheeting at 25 cents; cotton yarn 90 cents, and other goods in proportion. We have bought our goods in the nick of time, and will give our customers the benefit of it. We challenge a comparison of prices with any firm in or out of Berrien county.

J. H. Roe & Co." MR. H. E. BRADLEY has been making some very satisfactory tests of his spark extinguishing device, for threshing machines. One test made last Thursday being with B. T. Morley's up Niles hill. The fire was made with light shavings, and stirred up at a lively rate, so that if there were any failure to throw fire it would be from no fault with the fire or fireman. Mr. Bradley carried the hose connected with the extinguisher and a pail with water. By putting the end of the hose in the water no sparks could be seen, fly at a lively rate. The idea of this application was brought upon Mr. Best's wheat stacks last fall, and he certainly has the machine that effectually stops any further trouble of that

The flag at the post-office is at halfmast to-day on account of a message received this morning by telephone anhave occurred at an early hour this morning. The bulletin at 4:40 this morning, as published in the Chicago Tribune, says: "Gen. Grant is just alive, and is liable to pass away at any moment." Lost.-A pair of steel-bowed spectacles, in black papiere mache case,

were lost in the vicinity of the corner of Main and Fourth streets, Friday afternoon. The finder will confer a favor by leaving the same at this office or with the owner, E. N. Beattie. THE Panorama of the Battle of Get-

tysburg, on exhibition in Chicago, is considered by everybody the greatest attraction of the Garden City. It is visited daily by hundreds of people, and everybody says it is the greatest exhibition they ever saw. We can only say that nobody should fail to visit it while in Chicago.

MR. AND MRS. J. H. REDDING. of Dayton, were driving into town Tuesday evening from the east, and when coming down Niles hill one whiftletree came loose, frightening the horses, and the result was a ranaway. The team ran up Front street and was stopped at the brow of Front street hill. The carriage was considerably demolished. and the occupants thrown out and somewhat bruised, though not seriously injured. On the whole it was a fortunate escape for Mr. and Mrs. Redding

MARSHAL SHOOK very properly objects to the criticisms being indulged in at his expense, on account of his action in the Levi Lister scrape. His commission allows him to arrest any person found making a disturbance, without a warrant, but when the disturbance has been stopped and quiet established when he arrives on the ground, as was the case on that occasion, he must have a warrant, the same as any other officer, before he can arrest. His action in that case was perfectly proper.

difference in politics.

and Order League against some of the St. Joseph 'saloon keepers, for selling day, under the Statutes, while the other two believed it was. Another trial, with a new jury, is being had to-day.

James L. Steffy, of Berrien Spring, Monday, July 13, aged 34 years. Frank Nixon, son of John H. Nixon of lake township, July 13, aged 21. Mrs. Sarah Wilson, of St. Joseph,

FIRE.—Saturday morning, fire in a pile of flume rubbish, piled against the flume of Kingery & Marble's mill, caught into the mill and in a very short time the entire building was a mass of flame. The hand engine was promptly on hand and doing its best to get a stream on the burning building, but with no appreciable effect. The steamer was taken to the bridge next in which a number of other buildings had taken fire, but once at work the spread of flames was promptly stopped The mill was an old one and not of

learned the fact only when that important part of their wearing apparel had been nearly used up. Another saw the nouncing the death of Gen. Grant, to | pile of ground feed in the ruins and wondered why that sawdust was so white. Rough Bros' steam pump and hose came in good use in wetting down the wagon works premises and extinguishing the flames in the lumber shed. The first time they have been in use in a long time. It appeared to be the general opinion that the steamer is a good thing to have around on such occasions, notwithstanding the adverse criticisms made on its purchase. The property will most likely not be rebuilt as a grist mill. Andy Carothers' telephone does not work so well as it did before the fire. The wire was attached to the mill. Mr. P. Kinney, the miller, had the greater share of his fortune, which, though small, was his all, invested in stock in the mill, and loses

A PRIVATE CONVERSATION AFTER

Wife, who was that woman at the fire that wore the long loose gown? It surely is a stranger; she can't live in this town. The waist so short it barely reached below her shoulder blade;

trimmed with flowers:

Did not even make her toilet, but to the fire she

Well, I am astonished; here I'm near eighty-four, And never in all my life saw such a frock before. And was old Mrs. Hubbard named after that affair? If so its not surprising that her cupboard was Now I know when she went out why her dog such antics played;

Twas because when he could see her the poor fellow was afraid.

GALIEN ITEMS.

Rev. G. F. Brayton has traded his property in Galien for hotel property in Coloma, and will move there this week. Galien loses a good citizen.

Mrs. James Fox went to New Carlisle, Monday, to be treated for cancer, b**y'n t**raveling I**ndian** medicine woman, who is stopping at that place.

Married, by Wm. A. Robe, Sunday, July 19, Clarence Glover and Jennie Myers.

is in town visiting relatives. Will Burrus, of Jackson, was in town Sunday to see his mother, Mrs. Alcott.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morse, July 18, a daughter.

THREE OAKS ITEMS. "Oh! to be over yonder"-in Green-

We are pleased to learn that an inquest will not be held right away over the corpse of our social life. The young people have staved it off by forming a literary club.

Just after the moon had sunk behind the dingy tower of Glover's Flour Castle (in the air), some friend entered Henry Waldo's place, in Chikaming, and made good his escape with several biscuits and a piece of ham. No clue. No doubt the robber is dead.

Will Hall, accountant for the firm of Chamberlain, Warren & Hatfield, has been taking drugs for the past week. Hope he may soon assume a vertical pose and come down town soon.

What is the matter with the Lake Side Nine? Lake Michigan sand hill in sight, from the cracker of the new whip fac-

The Drew school house, closed the past year to religious services, was reopened by the Monday evening session. We trust all may be improved, and especially a certain few near by.

Supervisor Babcock, of Niles city, was in town Monday last. County Surveyor Drew has received the transit ordered by the Board of Supervisors. Encouraged by his good

window in his office. Drowned.—The sad intelligence of the death of one of our boys startled every one on Tuesday evening last. While bathing in Fitch's lake, in company with a friend, Earl Brown, aged about nineteen, was rendered helpless by cramping and sank in sixteen feet of water. His body was found after three hour's search, and efforts made to bring back to life, but in vain. Friends extend their heart-felt sympathy to the family in the loss of their only son and brother.

LAPSUS CALAMI.

[Official Notice.] Young People's Picnic Association of Berrien County will he held at Barnard Grove, Berrien Springs, on Wed-

nesday, Aug. 5, 1885. Hon. A. N. Woodruff of Watervliet Prof. O. E. Aleshire of Buchanan, and Thomas O'Hara of Berrien Springs, will be present and address the Asso-

Music will be supplied by the Niles Silver Cornet Band, the Berrien Springs Band and Glee Clubs. Amusements in variety will be provided. The Committee will spare no effort to insure an enjoyable day to the people.

By order of Business Committee. FREMONT D. NICHOLS, Pres. WALTER KEPHART, Sec.

FRANK LESLIE'S POPULAR MONTHLY for August opens with a readable and Bartholdi Statue, by Mr. James B. Townsend. "Within the Capes," by by Amelia E. Barr, with its ten por kind as it is impossible to get a live one of the leather buckets. Two others caught coals in their bustles, and some-fine poems. Published by Mrs.

The American nation has a double birthright-liberty and land. Its liberty it has guarded jealously, but until very recent years it seems to have been indifferent to the loss of its landed estate and ignorant of the methods by which it has been diminished. A vet eran legislator, the Hon. George W. Julian, who has given special attention to the acts disposing of our public lands, tells the story in brief in a contribution to the North American Review for August. In the same number five medical authorities discuss the question, "Can Cholera be Adverted?" Felix L. Oswald contributes a suggestive article on "The Animal Soul;" and the Rev. M. J. Savage, in "A Profane View of the Sanctum," brings an indictment against the daily press. The other articles are one on "The Price of Gas," by Charles H. Botsford, one on "Temperance Reform Statistics." by Prof. W. J. Beecher, and the chapter of "Comments," by various writers, on articles in previous numbers.

[Fusion would be] helping to place in power the most bitter, obstinate and implacable enemy of the Greenback party and cause—the Democracy: possible they have begun their national administration where they left off twenty-four years ago. They are busy clamoring for and filling offices, but

zation of the currency. Its practice during months of regained power has shown it to be on the side of the bullionists and money sharks. Democratic tradition would antago-

nize a postal telegraph, as tending to centralization. Democratic tradition would resist any check upon the growing power with private enterprise, while the cor-

check upon the importation of foreign contract labor, as also an interference with private enterprises.

Between the Democratic party and the Greenback party, so far as principle is concerned, there is no common tie-not one. So far as political results are concerned, fusion has not only been a disastrous failure, but it has left the Greenback ranks shattered and decimated, where but for fusion, the Greenback party might have been in the ascendant in Michigan today. A few offices gained at such cost are but a reproach. Fusion as an experiment was a fatal mistake. Further fusion in the light of experience

E. R. Carter, of Medina, Lenawee county, was badly burned and his house shattered by the explosion of a gasoline stove Monday. He is in a critical con-

Locals.

Hair, Nail, and Tooth Brushes in WESTON'S. 2 great variety, at Catch on! Yes, that is what some merchants say. But he will have to catch on more than he has to compete with us. Prices tell the story, and we

Received, July 22, a general assortment of fresh goods and positivly very WEAVER & CO. 🥞 low in price. Handsome Satteens, only 15c, can be found at HIGHS'、レ

P. O. News Depot, only 2 cents. 2 And still they go. Best Ginghams 9 cents; good Prints only 3 cents. at REDDEN & BOYLE'S. 1

HOLD ON! Get our prices on Crocks, Jars, Fruit Jars, and Groceries before G. W. FOX.

REDDEN & BOYLE'S. See those Lightning Fruit Jars, at Fox's. They are the boss.

one, at REDDEN & BOYLE'S. / 4 New Wide Laces cheaper than ever, A CARD.—Those suffering from Piles should know that they can consult me free of charge, and be positively and

such cure is effected. C. M. SUTLIEF, M. D. Major House, Tuesdays. Colored Glass Sets, at

permanently cured, without pay until

Just received by J. K. Woods, a new stock of Men's all Calf Shoes, Button and Congress, Imitation Lace and Balls for \$2.50. Come and see them.

16, and in Buchanan July 18. Plenty of all sizes of Mason Fruit Jars, at Morgan & Co's, Cheap. 2 Our Price on Parasols is very cheap, HIGHS'.

be at the Major House every Tuesday All-afflicted with Piles are invited to call and consult him free of charge. New line of Curtain Poles at STRAW'S.2

Bargains in Ginghams now at 10

HIGH'S. TRENBETH has changed his mind and will take all orders he can get. MORGAN & Co. sell Mason Cans. pints, \$1.15; quarts, \$1.30; 2 quarts,

Look out for low prices on all Sum-GRAHAM.T Try Morgan's 5-cent Cigar Lakeside All persons who in the last few years have taken concrete brick from the foot of Niles hill, are notified to call on John C. Dick and pay for the same and

pay for the brick. ANDREW C. DAY. 22 w4 Bargains in all Summer Goods now on sale at

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JUST RECEIVED BY

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Come and Examine.

Prices Lower Than Ever

Mixed Paint and } at STRAW'S. 4 Alabastine, Roberts' Knives and Shears are sold HIGHS'. only at

Mason Jars, pints, quarts and two

All kinds of Dye Stuffs, at WESTON'S. \$500 will buy a good lot and small house, on Lake street, now rented for

Call at this office. A good new house and good lot on Oak street, suitable for two small and peaceable families, can be bought at this office for \$700, worth \$1,000.

\$5 per month. A good investment.

Finest Letter Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, &c., at WESTON'S. Farmers, L. T. EASTMAN wants you to call at his place, opposite the grist mill office, and examine the Walter A.

Wood Harvesting Machines, Bissell Plows, and Pumps of all kinds. Remnants of 2 to 6 rolls of Wall Paper below cost, at STRAW'S. 4 A 75 cent Corset for sale at 50 cents

WALL PAPER sold at COST, to close out, at HIGHS' A fresh invoice of the Celebrated Buck Cigars better than ever, to be WESTON'S.9 had only at

HIGHS"

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The highest price paid for produce MORGAN & CO. S Highest cash price paid for all kinds BISHOP'S." Highs sell more ladies' Hose than ever, because ours is the cheapest and

best assortment.

Photograph, Autograph and Scrap WESTON'S. Ubums, at The Best Line of Coffees in town, at MORGAN & CO'S/0 Prints, Shirting, Muslin, and all

kinds of Summer Goods, very cheap,

HIGHS'26 Parasols worth \$3.50 for \$2.50; same, guarantee it. For sale by E. S. Dodd worth \$1.50 for \$1.00. This is not your own price, but cheaper than the man GRAHAM M that says it is.

Glass and Queensware, cheap, at 4 PECK & BEISTLE'S. Look at the price on our Ladies' Muslin Underwear. Very cheap, at 27

HIGHS'. Rock bottom prices for all kinds of Groceries, at PECK & BEISTLE'S. If you are ready to dye, call at WES-TON'S for Diamond and other Dyes. Domestic recipes filled with the best

BISHOP sells Stoneware at Sc a 2 You can buy Hammocks at our store the cheapest. Look at them.

Paris Green. Insect Pewder, and White Hellebore, for potato bugs, worms, flies and insects, at WESTON'S.

'REDDEN & BOYLE.

Call and see that New Glassware, BISHOP'S. Warm Weather Gauze Shirts for men and vests for ladies, at from 25c up, at HIGHS:32

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of Groceries, Crockery Glassware and

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EXTRA copies of the RECORD may always be found at the news depot in the post office room. Smoke the "Buck" Cigar, at 2/

SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY, INKS, WALL PAPER, &c. WESTON'S PIONEER DRUG STORE. Morgan delivers goods promptly to all parts of the city. 12

WESTON'S.

WESTON'S. Hammocks are sold the cheapest at Highs'. Look there before you buy. 34 See MORGAN & Co's stock of Flower

New designs in Wall Papers, at 2 2

1/2 Pots. Cheap. See the neatest Carpet Sweeper in STRAW'S. the world, at 25 pounds of Jack Frost Flour for 60 cents, equal to Buchanan patent, at TREAT & REDDEN'S.5

S. A. Russ' Celebrated Starch Com-

pound and Bleaching Blue for sale by G. W. Fox. Full directions will be found in each package of Compound for making and using starch on scien-HIGH'S. 4 tific principles, and the plan of doing Michigan Salt, \$1 per bbl; Jugs, it twenty times easier than the old way, and equal to any laundry work. 21w8

PHACTS AND PHYSIC. The medical adviser of the English Government has reported against send ing a cholera commission to investigate Dr. Ferran's inoculations in Spain. The belief prevails that England will not be visited this year by the epidem-

"Oh! Cast that Shadow from thy Brow." You can't do it if you have liver complaint or dyspepsia. The darkered countenance tells the story of inward commotion and woe. Clear your stomach, strengthen your digestion. regulate your liver, tone your nerves, and then away goes your shadow from your brow, and you are happy because you are well. Mrs. M. J. Alston, of Littleton, N. C., says, "I recommend Brown's Iron Bitters to the nervous and debilitated. It greatly benefited

Senator Joseph Brown, of Georgia pays taxes on \$400,000 worth of real

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Prince Frederick Charles, next to

Erysipelas and salt rheum was driven entirely away from Mrs. J. C. Anderson, Peshtigo, Wis., by Burdock Blocd

Moses North of Newberg, Cass coun

cosmetics, but only in pure blood and healthy action of the vital organs, to be obtained by Burdock's Blood Bitters. 3 The Dowagiac Times tells of a South Haven man who will harvest a ton of

Henry Scheenhals, foreman Henry Krug Packing Co., St. Joseph, Mo., uses Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil with his men for sprains, cuts, bruises, etc. 3 Allegan has a Fourth of July liquor

selling case on trial.

A lady writes: I have used Aver's Sarsaparilla in my family for many years, and could not keep house withsequent upon female weakness and irregularities, I consider it without an

Pills. On the contrary they prove of special service to those who have used calomel and other mineral poisons as medicines, and feel their injurious

Apples are dropping badly in many portions of the State. In Ionia county many cherry trees are dying. THAT HACKING COUGH can be of quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We

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The state mining school has been lo-

cated at Houghton. J. N. Wright, of Red Jacket, has been elected President Firs.—All fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvelous cures.

When Baby was sick, we gave her CASTORIA

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GermanCornRemoverkills Corns & Bunions Hill's Hair and Whisker Dye—Black and Brown, 60c. Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 Minute.25c Dean's Rheumatic Pills are a sure cure. 50c. "Rough on Rats." Clears out rats, mice, roaches, flies, auts, bedbugs.

Glenn's Sulphur Soap heals & beautifies, 25c.

"Rough on Corns." Ask for Wells' "Rough on Corns," 15c. Quick complete cure. Hard or soft corns, warts, bunions. "Buchu-Paiba."

Bed-Bugs, Flies. Flies, roaches, ants, bed-bugs, rats, mice, gopher hipmunks, cleared out by "Rough on Rats." 15c. Thin People.

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"Rough on Rats" clears them out, also Beetles

FARMERS, CALL ON SAMSON centrated in the dude who tried to sing The skirt was long and full and deep, the queerest has returned to this place greatly im-For, of the two parties, the Demo-& PIERCE FOR YOUR BINDER bass, "or any other man," perambulatproved in health. crats are the most inimical to political Of course I'm old, and rather dim my sight: ed the streets, Monday evening. If progress. While both parties are MRS. LUCY HODGES, of Chicago, is And I wondered if she didn't think the fire was in equally hostile to the fundemental any one has lost a menagerie of this the guest of her nephew and nicce, doctrines of the Greenback party, outdescription they can probably find it quarts, at TREAT & REDDEN'S. ; Geo. I. Blowers and Mrs. J. H. Roe in Why, husband, that was our neighbor; her pew in side of these there are some elements church is next to ours; of progress in the Republican party, this place. The one that wears the heavy silk, and bonnet but none in the Democratic. So far as

THE first democratic postmaster appointed in Berrien county in twentyfour years is Alonzo Bennett, who takes the place of John M. Glavin in New Buffalo. Mr. Bennett was the original owner of the plant that was the predecessor of the RECORD. He founded the New Buffalo Independent in New Buffalo in 1859 and in 1861 moved the office to Buchanan and start ed the Buchanan Vindicator which was soon sold to Lloyd & Turner, who changed the name to Buchanan Weekly Union, and in 1867 sold to Daniel As Wagner, who rechristened to Berrien rien County Record. Naturally we have some sympathy with the success

and pairot time in Berrien Springs, liquor on the Fourth of July. The case is before Justice Murdoch. Two juries were impanneled in Berrien Springs, Tuesday, but could not be made to stick, and yesterday morning Constable Evans took a jury from this place. The Justice intended that the defendants should have no advantage. for he would not trust his subpenas in the hands of the sheriff after seeing him take a drink with them, hence Constable Evans' connection with the case. The trial resulted in a disagreement of the jury, four believing that the 4th of July was not a legal holi-

very great value; probably about \$2,-000. A barn standing just north of the mill, and worth perhaps \$100, was burned, and another on the south side. worth perhaps \$50, was unroofed. Small blazes were started in D. C. Nash's house, on the opposite side of the street from the mill; in W. P. Wood's residence, north of the mill; Rough Bros' Wagon Works lumber sheds, on Main street, and in J. K. Woods' barn, on Oak street, and fire was carried as far as J. L. Richards' place, at the northwest part of town, nearly half a mile; but these were carefully watched and promptly extinguished. The fire and hose companies are to be highly complimented for their the manuer in which they worked. The rubber hose purchased last year, per square inch pressure, caused some scales, near the mill, are slightly out of balance. The road two miles north west of town was strewn with cinders Bradley by the burning of Mr. David | from the fire. One lady spectator remarked that the most laughable performance was to see one man handing water to a roof in his boot. He had

of Mr. Bennett, notwithstanding the THEY are having a sort of monkey rying the case of the St. Joseph Law

County Deaths.

July S, aged 76 years. to the fire, but the firemen found it too warm a situation and were obliged to move, which occupied valuable time,

promptness in answering the call and warranted to withstand 350 pounds aggravating delay by bursting with less than 100 pounds. This looks like a case for the council to look after. As is usual on such occasions there were about a dozen bosses to one man who would turn in and work. Some of them were promptly extinguished by an application of a stream from the hose. John Hames loses a few barrels of tar roof paint, stored in the small barn on the north side of the mill. The black smoke from it presented a beautiful appearance, and an equally delightful smell. John Holloway's stock THE FIRE, JULY 18, 1885.

And the dress you speak of, darling, is the Mother It is the ruling fashion, and is worn most all the

She knew 'twas in the morning, and left her work

Democratic tradition would place no

Mr. Tom Swem, of St. Paul, Minn.,

would be a crime.

REDDEN & BOYLE'S.

luck he will petition them to put a bay

Ninth Annual Meeting Of the Young People's Picnic Association of Berrien County. The ninth annual meeting of the

profusely illustrated article on the Earnest Ingersoll, is a breezy, historical and descriptive article, with ten illustrations. Lieut. Hughes, of the U.S. Navy, contributes a chapter on "Our New Steel Cruisers and their Uses," with engravings of the Dolphin, the Chicago, the Boston, and the guns to be placed on them. A notable article is that on the "Wits and Beauties of the Eighteenth Century, traits of the noted English beauties of that period. Another finely illustrated article is "A Run to Gibraltar," by C. Gordon Cumming: and the article on "Nathaniel Hawthorne" is accompanied by a portrait of Hawthorne in youth, the "Old Manse," his Study in the Tower, the "Wayside," and three scenes from his works. The scientific article in this number is "The Torchbearers of the Sea," by C. F. Holden, on phosphorescent fish. Fiction is pro-vided in the serial, "Of Two Evils"

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Fuson. What a Leading Michigan Greenbacker Says in the "National View,"

there is no intimation of any measures of policy for the relief of the country. The traditions of the Democratic party are hostile to the full nationali-

of the corporations as an interference porations go on centralizing power in their own hands.

Democratic tradition would resist any measures looking to co-operative industry.

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Fashionable Items. From Godey's Lady's Book. Beaded bonnets are obsolete.

Mitts are ugly, except on a beautiful As a rule, hats for the seaside are eccentric and fantastical in the extreme.

Gant de suede gloves, in various shades of buff, are still worn with all The new cambrics and batistes very

much resemble foulards, both in colors and patterns. Woolcn lace is in greater vogue than ever, it is used to trim everything, even

Parasols are prettier and more elegant than ever. Lace is extensively

fools. They cannot grasp great musical principles." [N. B.—I think Fanny was a fool in this case not to take all used to ornament them. Green is a very fashionable color; the favorite shades are lizard, absinthe, chartreuse, and malachite.

The rage for beads continues; the most novel are the leaden ones which combine well with bright-colored materials. Plaited skirts are still worn; but

loose skirts, slightly gathered, are more novel and fashionble. The jersey is now only worn of a morning, and is quite discarded for

dressy and elegant toilettes. Feathers are but little worn this sum-

mer; a few birds are to be seen, however, nestling in a bow of ribbon. The round hats of young girls are not

unlike the capote in shape and style, the

border wider, protruding over the face. Apple-red is the name of a new shade in net veiling. It is soft and pretty, and throws a becoming shade on the complexion.

Embroidered silk gloves are the latest. The white ones are particularly pretty and very much worn.

Yachting dresses made of cream flannel, with tucked skirts and blouse waists slashed with red or yellow are just the thing.

Sleeves are made less tight and plain than hitherto: for thin wash-dresses they frequently come only as far as the elbow, finished with a fall of lace. Small necklets of plaited silk crape

pink, cream, blue, or lilac, with a small pompon to match at the side are fashionable for dressy toilettes. For tennis some charming gowns are

made of cream woolen material with jerseys to match, the latter being embroidered in gay colors.

Agricultural Items.

The flee beetle is reported as doing extensive damage to potato vines in Ohio.

An immense area is reported planted in the great celery centre, Kalamazoo, It is related that redwood posts set

at Napa, Cal., thirty years ago, upon being dug up were found still sound. The peanut crop is expected to be small this season on account of decreased acreage. The Virginia crop this year

covers only 3,000 acres. Last year it was The farm fences of the United States cost more than the farm buildings. The length of fences is rated at 6,000,-

000 miles, and \$2,000,000,000 is given as

Heavy snow and hail, accompanied by high winds, have intlicted enormous damage to the crops in Austria-Hungary. The first reports overstated the ses, but the results have been very

The total area of the cotton crop in June is reported as exceeding 18,000,000 acres. The plant is healthy, growth nearly average, the stand good. Where recent rains have been excessive the crop is grassy. The general average is 92, which is higher than in the three preceding years in June. There is an unusual uniformity in condition, only Tennessee showing less than 90.

The New York Tribune reports Mr. A.S. Fuller as suggesting that "consumers would better use dark-colored evaporated fruit than be slowly poisoned with sulphuric acid generated in the bleaching process. "In the fruit re-gions of the West the better class of vaporators do not leave the fruit darkcolored. Hence, sulphurizing is not needed. It is only fruits evaporated on the woodshed roof, or on strings hung over the fence, that are dark-colored These need both washing sulphuring to make them decent-looking.

A New England farmer figuring upon the fence problem finds that the 64,000 farmers in Maine are supporting 42, 000,000 rods or upwards of 131,000 miles of fences, estimated at \$1 per rod. This shows an investment of \$42,000,-000 more than an average of \$656 to each farm, or two and a half times the value of all the live stock in the State, and nearly as much as all the farms with buildings and fences would sell for. Maine farmers should either abolish fences or come West where "no fence" or else fencing in large fields is the rule.

How the Hand Speaks.

Small hands reveal themselves by magnitude, grace, generalities. The pyramids and monoliths of Egypt and the temples of India were planned and superintended by a people celebrated as having the smallest and most delicate hands in the world.

The model Greek hand, as shown in the ideal statues, is large, with a mod-erately thin palm and a prominent The medium sized hand, in fair proportion with the body, is the hand that

will do or delegate doing best.

The hard hand indicates one who easily puts forth continued action, endures in physical effort, and delights in ener-

getic activity. The elastic or sinewy hand loves rapby energy, rather than endurance.

id, skillful activity. It is characterized Soft hands belong to one who labors with fatigue and weariness. In all occult matters the thumb

plays a prominent part. It indicates the intelligent will. In general, a large thumb shows decision of character persistency of purpose, therefore is apt to belong to one likely to succeed.

A small thumb shows one who is vacillating and uncertain in his aims, intermittent and changeable in his efforts. Short fingers indicate one who sees in general, examines only the mass, comprehends the tout ensemble. Long fingers indicate one who sees ating Caucasians.

the parts, appreciates the details, and understands the minutiæ. Slightly tapering fingers indicate one growing in the direction of ideality.

a person fanciful, erratic, romantic, im-

practical, changeable, sometimes unreli-

Long nails indicate a pcacemaker,

one who will bear much for the sake of

quiet, and is steadfast in friendship.
Short nails belong to one who will

Large white half-moons at the base

of the nails announce a frank, open-

hearted person, who naturally speaks his thoughts and tells his plans and

purposes. He may keep a secret, but

it requires an effort. The naturally

secretive person is not apt to have any

sign of half-moons.

Pale spots on the nails, especially near the base, indicates disease of the

nerves and an inclination to melancho-

able—always peculiar.

ly.—Philadelphia News,

assert his rights.

people there who would like to get rid of the fish with which they have stock-Fingers lying close together, so that no light is seen between them, especial ed their ponds. ly if the fingers are irregular, suggest A recent prize man in one of the leading New England colleges is said to avarice, secrecy and generally selfish Famous instrumental musicians, celebrated marksmen, skillful gymnasts find artisans are apt to have square anger ends. Pointed finger ends attest

have paid his way through college by buying old clocks and other bric-a-brac in back country towns, and selling them at fancy prices to New York and New Haven collectors.

Geologists are interested in the discovery of a large deposit of volcanic dust and water-worn grains of volcanic sand containing glass and every sort of mineral almost, save quartz, near Plattsmouth. Neb., the only deposit of the sort east of the Rocky Mountains.

Emma Steiner is at the head of the New York Standard Opera Company. and on its travels she undertakes to protect her chorus girls against the dudes. She has already been put under bail at Bradford, Pa., for applying the lash to a fellow for an insult to May Bruno. At Erie she similarly chastised a chap who sought the society of May Janerm, and later she cowhided a gallant at Meadville.

New Orleans is rejoicing over the disovery of a good supply of pure water First-Isabella of Spain comprehendat a depth of about 400 feet, which can ed and sympathized with the plans of be tapped by the old artesian-well pro-Columbus, and aided him to accomplish cess. There is talk of public bath houshis discoveries; therefore, "Women are es and a variety of cleansing enterprisfools. They cannot grasp great the-

Second—Caroline Herschel perform-

ed drudgeries of calculation to help her

brother, and also made independent

discoveries; hence: "Women are fools.

They cannot have truly scientific bias."

Third—Lucretia Mott preached the gospel of "liberty of the individual"—

odily, mental, spiritual—to the last

hour of her grandly courageous life;

ergo: "Women are fools. They are

bound by priestcraft and superstition."

Fourth—Fanny Mendelssohn com-

posed many of the works attributed to

her brother Felix; so: "Women are

Fifth-Mrs. Stowe did more by her

pen than ten men by their speeches to

abolish African slavery in this country, which proves that "Women are fools.

They are not capable of judgment on

Sixth—Charlotte Bronte wrote an

immortal novel while toiling in the

gloomy kitchen at Haworth; hence:

Women are fools. They can only

Seventh-Mrs. Roebling, during her husdband's illness, carried on the stu-

pendous calculations without which

the Brooklyn bridge could not have been built. Evidently "Women are

fools." They have no head for the higher mathematics. Q. E. D.

Eighth—Anna E. Carroll planned a

vast campaign during the Civil War.

which threw victories into the hands

of our Northern Generals and virtually

saved the Union; hence: "Women are

fools. They have no military genius."
Ninth—Mary A. Livermore, in the

same way, did priceless work at the

head of the Sanitary Commission, thus

showing that "Women are fools. They

Tenth-Mrs. Frank Leslie paid off a

\$50,000 debt in less than E'x months after assuming control of the great

publishing business left by her hus-

band; which makes it plain that "Wo-

men are fools. They have - financial

Fast Traveling.

Up to a recent date, railroad travel-

ing in the United States has not been

as swift or as safe as in the leading

countries of Europe. In the old world

there is more government supervision

which insures better work in the con-

struction of roads and more care in the

running of trains, while, in the matter

of safety, our roads have recently been quite equal to those of Europe. But the

companies which built our rail-way sys-

tem were forced to cover long distances

through thinly settled regions with

many physical obstacles in the way,

such as do not exist except in rare in-

stances in Great Britain and on the

Continent. Our road-beds, alignments

and equipments were not up to the mark

of the best European standard, hence

the slowness of our trains. But lately

there has been a change for the better,

and on our leading roads almost as good

time is made as in the old world. In 18-

70 fastest train from New York took

three hours and fifteen minutes to reach

the outskirts of Philadelphia. The pas-

senger is now landed in the heart of

Philadelphia in two hours from New

York, the trains going at the rate of

forty-five miles an hour. Fifteen years

ago the shortest time between New

York and Boston was eight hours and

twenty minutes. This has been reduced

to six hours; and within a couple of

years the time will be further abridged

to five hours. In 1870 St. Louis was 46

hours distant from New York, the time

is now 34 hours. New Orleans was 86

hours away, now fifty hours is cousum-

ed in the passage. From New York to

Chicago by the Pennsylvania route is

912 miles, by the New York Central

980; limited express trains are now run

over both roads which average 3016

miles per hour on the former, and

89 1.5 on the latter. Both trains reach

Chicago in 24 hours apparent time, but

25 hours real time; the difference being

due to the longitude. We hear much

nowadays about the troubles of rail-

physical condition. As a matter of fact,

all our railroads are improving in their

service, and are of more value to the

traveling and business public as years

roll by .- Demorest's Monthly for Au

Verschiedenheit.

Cleveland were all school teachers.

of yellow and typhoid fevers.

ance on the street until 10 P.M.

afraid of the "quick sunshine".

Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Garfield and Miss

Decaying wood, the Sanitary Engin-

eer says, is an unsafe thing, because it

is a great assistant in the contraction

There are four daily papers in Lima,

all published in the evening, with cable dispatches from Europe and the United

States. They do not make their appear-

Drinkers of imported Bayarian beer

will be interested to know that the Re-

pertoire de Pharmacia pronounces it to

be colored with sulphobenzazodimethy-

"What makes the rain growl so loud,

"There," exclaimed Blobson, pointing

to a tramp who was attempting to

leave the premises with a large dog at-

tached to his trousers; "there is what

I call a good example of a contested

A Marklesburg mother, having oc-

Another small friend under

circumstances said he was

mamma?" asked little Joe in a thunder-

gust.

similar

I always did."

have no executive talent."

think of one thing at a time.'

the credit that belonged to her.]

great questions.

es if this water supply can be utilized. The last remaining toll house on the old Philadelphia turnpike was torn down last week, and for the first time in fifty years the great thoroughfare between Philadelphia and Pittsburgh

be one of the greatest states of the American Union. In 1880 it was eleventh on the roll, ranking by population Of its 1,500,000 of population, nearly 900,000 were born in the state, and last "the first white man born in Texas.

week there was buried in New Orleans Connecticut leads in longevity in this country. The majority of very old people are women. Among men. soldiers and farmers are the longest lived. A recent investigator found one hundred ministers who had passed the

century limit, but he found only thirty doctors, ten lawyers, and ten actors. Around the base of the hills surrounding Carson, Nev., says the Appeal, there is a thermal belt in which all kinds of fruit and vegetables may be grown without danger of injury from frost. Higher up on the hills and lower down in the valley the ranchers and gardeners have hard times guarding their

plants and trees. A patriotic citizen of Vacaville. Cal... who detests the Chinese, recently refused to sell a native of the Celestial Empire a lot for \$1,000, but sold it to an esteemed Yankee friend for \$500. With an eye to business, the Yankee sold it to the heathen, and pocketed a profit of \$500, and the original owner now has a "Chinese washee" sign floating next door.

There is an ice deposit at the mouth of the Sandy River in Oregon which is twenty feet high, half a mile long, and extending back an unknown distance It was formed by high water from the Columbia driving it into the Sandy, and having since been covered with sand to the depth of two to five feet, the sun has little effect upon the frigid mass, and it will probably remain all

Old Mrs. Bennington-Did ye find out how Mrs. Brown is gittin' on? I neerd she's very sick. Old Mr. Benning on-I saw the doctor as he was drivin along today, an' he said she shuffled off a mortal coil last night. I s'pose it'll do her good to get rid of it. Old Mrs. Bennington-Drat these new-fangled doctors; they can't talk nothin' but Latin The poor soul may be worse. I'll try an' git over there myself this after-

According to the Lancet the absurd notion still prevails in some parts of England that in cases of attempted suicide by hanging it is improper to cut down the body until the police arrive. In a recent case a man permitted his brother to hang, and when the officers arrived he was dead. The man did not recognize the folly of his conduct until the coroner asked him if he would "wait for the police before rescuing any one from drowning."

"Well Johnny", said his mother, "did you have a pleasant time at the Sunday school picnie?"

"Naw," Johnny growled, "I didn't

get nothin' to eat but a san'which an' a couple of dry cookies with red sand sprinkled on top. "Why, what became of the beautiful chocolate cake and chicken salad that I gave you to contribute?"
"The superintendent an' the teachers eat 'em.

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And art adorns her cheek,
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He seeks perfection, too. DELUSIONS OF THE SENSES.

Production of Hallucinations of Sight Hearing, Taste and Smell-Narcotism.

The senses of sight, hearing, taste and smell are all subject to false impressions, termed hallucinations, which are provoked after the same model as those of the general sense of In fact the "special senses" are, all of them, merely modifications of the general one. The nerves of special sense are different from those of touch in that when they are irritated they give sensations each after its own special kind. Thus, when a gentle electrical current is passed through the ears, a musical tone is heard; when through the tongue, an impression of taste is perceived; in the neighborhood of the eye, flashes of light are seen; through the upper part of the nose, an odor is apparently produced. This applies to the nerves themselves. The same effect is produced when the nerve centers in the brain, with which these organs of sense are connected, are irritated. Every one who has received a severe blow on the head, or has a general jarring of the brain from a fall,

sight which is thus produced. "Seeing stars" thus caused is a good example of such a false impression made upon the sight center by mechanical violence. But mechanical injuries are not necessary to the production of hallucinations of the senses. They are easily brought about by irritating the sense centers by poisonous substances brought to bear upon them through the blood. Sometimes a pretty exact idea of the sub-stances which caused them can be formed from the character of the false impressions themselves. Such notions as these: that the person is being pursued by the police, that there is an attempt to give him poison, that demons

are trying to carry him off, that vermin of all kinds, lizards, serpents and the like, are crawling about him, at once

suggests that there is acute poisoning by

knows all about the hallucination of

alcohol-or delirium tremens at the bottom of the trouble. It is an old-established fact that when an individual became intoxicated with the national drink of the Welsh, metheglin or mead, a liquor prepared by the fermentation of a mixture of honey and water, he was generally possessed of the idea of bees buzzing about his head and ears-a hallucination of both sight and hearing. Irving relates in his "Astoria," that on one occasion the Lewis and Clark explorers wished to give the Indians a suitable entertainment, but having nothing in the shape of "fire-water" to give them except alco hol, made a mixture of this with water and honey from a bee-tree. This was a fair imitation of "hydromel," and gave much satisfaction to their savage guests. After repeatedly imbibing, these sons of nature began in good earnest to fight the bees which seemed to them to be gathering in countless numbers about their heads, although, in reality, there were none there—a repetition of civilized men's experience with this seduc-

tive intoxicant. Indian hemp, or hasheesh, induces curious condition in most people which can be called a hallucination of the "time sense." Minutes seem pro to a wonderful degree, and hours seem sometimes to have the duration of centuries. The sense of sight is generally affected in a characteristic way by this remarkable drug. Visions, mostly of an agreeable kind, especially with gorgeous displays of color, are frequent; but time and space seem wonderfully prolonged under its influence. The de firium produce I by belladonna, stramonium ("jimson weed"), and henbane in poisonous quantities, is remarkable for the disturbance of sight which go along with it. The visions seen seem to be of a pleasant nature, for there are usually laughter and good humor in the spoken

> Elastic Wood: [Philadelphia Press.]

According to the census tests, the western larch, Larix Occidentalis, is the nost elastic of the 310 species tried. It is not to be inferred from the phrase 'most elastic," that this tree has the greatest power and strongest tendency to recover its original position when the pressure which bends it is removed, but that it will bend further without breaking than any other wood. Next to this larch comes the mangrove, then the vel low birch, and following these in order are ranked Pinus Contorta, Pinus Cubensis. Eugenia buxifolia, southern yellow pine, nutmeg hickory, sugar maple, black birch, Spanish oak and shagbarl hickory.

The Cherub's Inquiry.

Boston Evening Record. Children's ideas of usefulness in this world are primitive, to say the least. A Boston editor has a 5-year-old boy who has pronounced views on this subject He said the other day at the table: "Papa, I wish you were a bakeshop man:

"Why, my boy?"
"Because then you could bring home cakes and things, and we could go in and get cookies when we wanted to. Or if you were a meat man, or a grocery man, or a carpenter and made nice things, or a blacksmith shop man—that would be awful fun. Say, papa, is it any good what you do?" Getting Rid of Gray Hair.

The Medical World reports a case now under observation in which the patient's hair which had become prematurely gray, is slowly returning to its original color under the internal administration of phosphori ed cod liver oil. The Family Likeness

rlington Free Press.] "There isn't much family likeness in our family," said Johnny Dumpsey, "and what there is is mostly for pie." THE FOOD OF PARIS' POOR.

honor of one of the so-called heroes of

The Viand's Dealt Out at the "Restau rants"-"Harlequins"-Lower Places. Paris Cor. Chicago Tribune. Over in the Mouffetard suburb, in a dark and filthy street, just renamed in

the Reign of Terror, are three "hotels" kept by three brothers, in partnership, l suppose, as each landlord scrupulously conducts to his neighbor's place those customers whom he cannot himself accommodate. On the ground floors of all are grog shops, of the kind which Emile Zola has portrayed in "L'Assommoir," and where for 1 sou, a cent of our money, you can get a big glassful of something which passes for spirits, which is sold under the name of brandy, and which its consumers call vitrol; no "rifle whisky" ever distilled ever came within a rod of it. And in rear of the grog-shops are the "restaurants," in which the landlord's "lady" stands. ready to minister to the wants of those who "wish for a supper." I wish you could see the viands kept on hand in those "restaurants" just once, you know, out of curiosity, for you would not care

any more than I do to repeat their in-

Every morning bright and early these "ladies" make the rounds of the mar-kets and the pork butchers, picking up the refuse of stale vegetables and of meat on the eve of being spoiled, not infrequently which has begun to be spoiled, and with this offal they confecdishes, horrible salamagundi which they sell at 3 cents a "portion, making 2 cents profit out of every 3.
And to these repasts people flock from all quarters, for their trade is not confined to their own tenants, and I know a political illustration of the extreme radical party who might have become really illustrious if in a moment of despair he had not committed suicide, who

for two months kept himself alive on

this pittance. Mr. X. was naturally of a robust temperament, yet he very nearly died of it; he assured me that many there had eaten nothing else for more than a twelvemonth, and, he added, "probably never will for a twelvemonth to come."

At other places the specialty is "harlequins," by which is meant a hodgepodge of sheep's trotters, half-pickedclean spareribs, salad, sometimes washed, oftener not washed free of the rice and currant jelly with which it has come into contact in the slop bucket, mutton bones and ham-rinds, with potato peelings, turnip-tops, etc., etc. It is, as you will perceive, not a costly concoction, and pays well at 3 cents a por-tion, although this portion is copious, for which reason it is greatly in favor with the oi polloi, who eat it greedily in the "bureau," only regular residents enjoying the privilege of a table-their own beds in the dormitories.

One landlord, being the proprietor of only five small chambrees, with four beds in each, imagined a special way by which to eke out his earnings. He fur nished his lodgers with breakfast in their rooms, and carried them up himself, giving them to choose be tween the "harlequins" as aforesaid, and boiled rice. This was a happy thought and much appreciated by those who were tainted with sybaritism, all the more that they had plates—old newspapers supplied gratuitously, but which were to be folded and put away with care under the bolster when done with. "I warn you," he said, "that my means will not permit me to provide an old newspaper every day to everybody.' One thing, however, seriously embar-rassed this worthy at the beginning how was he to carry the rice and the "harlequins" up-stairs? But he was of an inventive mind, and so turned this difficulty by carrying the things upstairs in his pockets. Of course I mean in the pockets of his apron, a bit of sail cloth, with two huge sacks, out of which he would extract a handful of the particular mess demanded. He was very particular about this; his left hand only was plunged into the rice pocket; the right hand was reserved exclusively for the "harlequins."

That man sold a great deal, and has retired from business to a farm near the Puy de Doner, selling out his goodwill and fixtures to a relative for \$10,000. "And we regret the change," said one of his oldest customers whom "He was a philanthropist interviewed. in his way, and improved on the apronpocket and newspaper-plate arrangement. He let us eat at a real table and on a real tablecloth, and we began to feel like civilized beings." My informant did not explain to me, though a vet-eran policeman did, that the tablecloth in question was a sheet from one of the beds, which each lodger was obliged to contribute in his turn. Certainly this combination of economy with innova-tion was a stroke of genius and merited

In some of the "garnis a la nuit," the bill of fare is more simple than in the above mentioned establishment. which may be classed as the aristocratic and high-toned. Elsewhere soupe maigre, with occasionally a little salt, never either fat or butter, is made from vegetable remains, picked up on the pavements near the halles, and old oread crusts bought from the baskets of the chiloniers, all of which cost 2 cents a bowl and was well patronized until, owing to the prefect's edict concerning the monopoly of slops and offal to a joint stock company, the ragpicker's occupation, like that of Othello, became "gone," and so closed the sources of supply of the poor man's caterers.

How to Roll a Pamphlet.

[Courier-Journal.]
So few people understand the proper way of rolling music, cheap editions of novels and pamphlets, that I am tempted to give them a hint on the subject. It after removing the wrapper from a new song or novel, to be compelled to roll it in the opposite direction two or three times before the leaves are in a condition favorable for reading. This nuisance may easily be obviated by rolling the package so that the title-page shall be on the outside, instead of the inside, as is generally the case. When thus rolled, the music adapts itself to the rack, and the pamphlet to comfortable perusal.

Powdered rice is said to have a great effect in stopping bleeding from fresh wounds. The rice powder is sprinkled upon lint, which is then applied as a

Pricing an Ancient Cabinet.

compress. "Uncle Bill's" New York Letter.1 There are some things, happily, which only wealth can have and poverty doesn't care for. I was passing one of the Fifth avenue furniture concerns which have

lately grown to great proportions through the craze for antique and decorative things. It occupied two of the former residences of fashionable families turned into one store; but care had been taken to leave the exterior much like a private house, for there were the smallest of signboards on the front and only a single show window exposed any of the wares. Such is the ultima thule of exclusiveness as carried from society into trade. In the window stood a large cabinet. Great age was indicated by its worm-eaten surfaces, and the fashion of it was obsolete. Two vomen came along and looked in at it. One said that it might do, and the other remarked that she thought so, too, though it was a homely old thing. They agreed that it was second-hand, and ought to be cheap. They went up the steps and rang the bell, for such is the ceremony of these establishments. A flunky in livery opened the door, and a clerk met them on the threshold. "Phwat's the price av the chist o'

drawers in the windy?" one of the women inquired. "Ten thousands dollars," sober answer.

The figures were as genuine as the amazement of the women. I already knew what the cabinet was, and anticipated the effect of the announcement of price. Gen. Meade, when United States minister to Spain, bought this ancient article, which is supposed to have been origin ally made to hold the sacred vessels in a church. It was really a wonder of workmanship. Inside and outside it was covered by intricate carving. The Meade family cared little for it, however, and it was a dilapidated wreck in an attic when a dealer bought it for a trifle. Then there was a lawsuit for its possession, I believe, and eventually came into the possession of a New York expert, who has restored it by means of repairs, additions and remodeling. Probably some enthusiast will pay the sum asked for it.

Remarkable Skill of a Deaf Woman.

[Philadelphia Press.]
Two ladies from Boston recently called upon Archbishop Ryan, and were very cordially received, since one of them was an old friend. The archbishop was particularly struck with the intellectuality and quickness of apprehension of the newer friend. He could see by the expression of her eyes that she frequently anticipated his questions and divined his thoughts before he had given himself complete expression. Presently she went to another part of the room to examine a picture, and the other lady, turning to the prelate, said: "Archbishop, do you know that my friend has not heard a single word that you have addressed to her?"

"What!" exclaimed the clergyman in perplexity. "She has not heard me! Vhat do you mean?" "She is stone deaf." The subject of the conversation had by this time returned to the archbishop,

"Is it possible that you do not hear me when I speak?"

"It is quite true," was the reply. "I have completely lost my hearing, but I know what is said by the formation of the lips. I have been informed that

my skill in that art is, perhaps, uncommonly high." The archbishop, by the way, contemplates, if possible, bringing into his jurisdiction a French priest, who has achieved great results in the art of

distinguish words by the movement of the lips. __

The Druggists' Circular learns, by good authority, that the tobaccos of the market do not contain opium. The drug is too costly to use in this way. The violin is beginning to supersede the piano as a fashionable instrument for ladies in Paris. The angels of the middle ages played the viol as well as the harp, and violin playing has, therefore, a most respectable precedent. A New Orleans negro minister sees indications of decay and even dotage in the white race. He warns "the young and vigorous" negro race not to amalgamate with the rapidly-degener-