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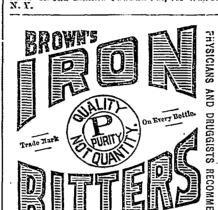
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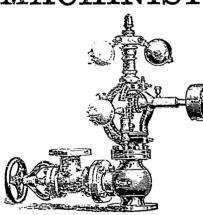


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And so I was all the world to him, And he, too, was all the world to me. With joy within we know it not.

We met when the breath of morn was sweet In the shady lane where the robins sung; And one blessed dawn we pledged our troth In a little nook where the bluebells hung; Where the roses blushed as the winds swept by, And lilies bowed 'neath their weight of dew, We walked and talked till the sun was high, We two!

Ah, yes, it was years and years ago, And our boys and girls are gone-all gone-Some far away! some buried here! Now we sit with thin and whitened locks, And our days below we know are few. But we love with a deep, unchanging love,

knew a little maiden On our hill, Sheperdess she was, and short her frocks, Bounie Lil. You could see her every morning,

All the steeps and slants adorning, With her dimpled arms well lader 'Mongst her phlox. Bonnie Lil.

Swung the blue bells soft together, Major Convolvolus nodded to her

Of the hill: She had secrets deep and grave she guarded well, Little Lil. Only flowers knew that loved her And though they bloom above her

Mrs. Wilson's Speculation.

"But, pa," said his daughter Polly, with a superior smile, "everybody does it-everybody that's anybody goes out of the city in the summer." It don't stand to reason," Mr. Wilyou'll make a cent out of 'em.'

should be loony enough to come, that "I don't know why not," said Mrs. Wilson, bristling, "Sarah Simmons made forty dollars, clear, out o' that surveyor she boarded last summer; and I'm just as close a manager as Sarah Simmons. I don't know why we shouldn't make considerable." "Nor I," said Polly, with spirit. "Wal," Mr. Wilson had concluded,

bet more'n two cents on it." "You ain't called on to bet nothing," said Mrs Wilson.

written out in Polly's round hand, was sent to a Philadelphia paper.
"We're going to take boarders, Dave,

ing supper. Dave Bartlett, though the son of a promptings of an energetic spirit by

helping Mr. Wilson on the farm that sunimer. well as the superjor height of his curthe prettiest he had ever taken to a picnic, or home from prayer-meetingand she was a good cook, besides. "You don't say so?" said Daye, look-

sharply.

And that was the beginning of the trouble. For if Polly had been pleased with Dave, she would never have encouraged Mr. Croffut. Croffut was one of the four boarders

Centreville. He was a good-looking, jolly young man, who brought a paint-box and an easel, but who spent most of his time with Polly, in the morning hanging around the kitchen, siting on the front

steps afternoons. Mrs. and Miss Kirby, a widow and her pretty daughter, had followed shorty; and Mr. Dowson, and elderly gentleman with a tase for botanizing.

former, addressing the head of the house, triumphantly. "When I see the end on't," said Mr. Wilson, calmly—"1'll say."

ers, now, Dave Bartlett?" Mr. Croffut's approaching figure darkly, "if you're going to take up with that ridic'lous little city feller instead

of me---". "If you can't talk sense," said Polly, with her dark eyes flashing, "You needn't say another word to me." "I won't." said Dave, savagely

fut's attention, which increased daily, with downright encouragement; and Dave-Polly could not believe her eyes-

there after, and if Dave, observing Mr. Croffut's steady success, paused frequently to meditate bitterly upon it in the solitude of the corn-field at least nobody knew it. Things went on with much apparent smoothness. "Why don't we do something?" cried Miss Kirby, one morning, looking across the breakfast table at Dave,

nic?"
"We will," said Dave, with an eagerness perhaps increased by his unpleasant consciousness that Mr. Croffut and

as well as he could paint, and probably better; and Mr. Croffut had remarked to Polly that he didn't see, for his part, where Miss Kirby's good looks

A party of four, accordingly, climbed into the two-seated buggy that afternoon — Dave and Miss Kirby on the front seat, Polly and Mr. Croffut on the back. A big lunch-basket crowded their feet; a folded easel stuck far out behind—Mr. Croffut had announced his intention to make some sketches at last.

"Stop!" cried Polly, as they started "Billy" li be sure to get hungry." Billy was the horse. "I shall take some corn for him." "Let me get it, Miss Wilson," said

Mr. Croffut, eagerly, and disappeared with gallant haste. Just now the idea occurred to Dave, and just what he expected to accomplish by the deed, was probably not clear to himself; but the vision of the detested Mr. Croffut in the corn-house, which had an excellent lock, was too much for him. With a muttered ex-

He smiled to himself as he neared the little building, strode forward swiftly, pulled a key from his pocket, slammed the door and locked it, and

Dave did not respond. On the seat heside Polly, calm and smiling, sat Mr. Croffut.

and then, as Dave climbed in dazedly: 'Mr. Wilson insisted on getting the corn for me. He'll bring it directly.' "Den't let's wait!" cried Miss Kirby. "We can unharness the horse and he can eat grass." She gave him a light tap with the

It was growing dark when it came rattling home.

The picnic had not been a striking success. Mr. Croffut, to be sure, had

not made any sketches; but he had eaten sandwiches and cold pie unceasingly, and he had monoplized Polly to his heart's content. But Dave - Dave's behavior had

He had driven home at frenzied speed, his face grown positively hag-They found the house in an uproar. Mr. Dawson was pacing the front walk and looking agitated; Mrs. Wil-

to her eyes. "I don't know nothing what's become of your pa, Polly." she gasped; "he hain't ben around all the afternoon! I'm nigh crazy!"

that Dave had, with a rather ghastly smile, leaped from the buggy, and was hastening toward the back yard "There ain't but one thing could 'a happened to him," sobbed Mrs. Wilson; "he's ben waylaid and murdered, Polly -my goodness!"

son's arm grasped in one strong hand. locked him in there myself, not—not knowing." And he led Billy to the

With a slow smile, Mr. Wilson looked around at the group. Then he repeated the operat on, bestowing particular attention upon the boarders. His smile broadened into a grin, and ended in a chuckle. Mr. Dowson looked alarmed.

gested, audibly. Mr. Wilson regarded the speaker for several moments, with amusing interest. Then he took off his hat and

strike him as exquisitely humorous; Mr. Dawson sorting his dried grasses. or Mrs. Kirby quietly crocheting, produced strange spasms of merriment; even Miss Kirby and Dave in pleasant

forth a series of explosive chuckles. conduct could pass unnoticed. Nowhich upon Mr. Wilson was to send him off into an uncontrollable fit of

laughter. "I don't know what to think of your pa," said poor Mrs. Wilson, wiping her eyes over the dish-pan, an hour later.

Polly was soberly silent. Every-"I'd got it all reckoned up." Mrs. Wilson went on, tearfully. "If they'd 'a staved three weeks longer, I'd 'a had enough to get a new carpet and a rocking chair, and new paper for the sitting room."

There was a sound of hurried footsteps and strange voices from the "What's that?" said Mrs. Wilson, sharply; "It don't seem as though I

could stand much more." She wiped her hands wearily, and hastened inside, followed by Polly. door framed was altogether the most remarkable they had ever beheld. Mr. Dawson, with heated face and with the signs of a recent struggle in his ripped coat sleeve and disarranged collar, with his hands fast behind him in iron bands, stood glaring before them. Mr. Croffut, rather more composedmeeting Polly's gaze, in fact, with a sarcastically affectionate smile-but with his hands in the same position in a like cause, lounged against the mantel. Mrs. Kirby, with white lips and blazing eyes, was pouring forth strange wild threats and lamentations. Miss Kirby was weeping hysterically their coat-fronts, faced the four, stern-

clung to the door. timated her suspicion that he could fly one of the officers responded, eyeing derneath the armor of a vessel,

his prisoners wrathfully, and arresting Mrs. Kirby's shrill harangue with a wave of his hand. "Ever hear of the Shelley tribe—a young couple and an old one, always working together? These are 'em-an old gang."

Mr. Wilson smiled broadly. knew it.'

Mr. Wilson, in a voice shaken by suppressed mirth. "You don't happen to remember locking me up in that there corn-house, do you, Dave?" Dave grew somewhat redder.

ing his voice with difficulty, "there I was. I kicked, and I pounded, and I hollered; but nobody come. Wal, jest as I got to feeling pretty blue, and considerable mad, I heard somebody talking, and I peeked through a crack and saw them." He indicated the elder couple. "He had some clover and stuff he'd ben a-picking, and she had her crocheting."

'em when it sort o' struck me that the usual, and different from common. They come on till they stood there, jest under the butternut tree, and I addressing the party in general, "when began to gather from what he said that they were two married couples, instead of what they give out to be; and that them two women wa'n't that last affair must a' blown over, and back to business in a week or so, was. I begun to think it was a corn-house. It didn't take me long, when I did get out," Mr. Wilson concluded, with a final chuckle, "to get

word to Philadelphy and set things The faces of the prisoners, as he

plate. "As to the idee o' taking boarders," said Mr. Wilson, regarding his wife and daughter with a jovial smile, "I

to say, having mentioned so trifling a son rushed to the gate with her apron matter as their board bills, Polly stood to feel indignant when Mr. Croffut, catching sight of her, dropped a flood "We have searched everywhere," said of imaginary tears onto the officer's

> Dave watched her anxiously. "You ain't sorry he's gone, Polly!" he ventured. "Sorry! Why, Dave Bartlett!" cried Polly, looking shocked. Dave hesitated, blushed; and, fum-

> bling in his vest pocket, hastily drew forth a little ring carefully wrapped in tissue-paper. "I was going to ask you to wear this, Polly, before-before the boarders came," he whispered. "Will you have

"I-I don't know," cried polly with certain recollections of Miss Kirby floating through her mind. But it glittered on her left hand when she went in, at last, to see about dinner .-Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper.

Tricks of Tramps. upon the present plan, he says: "If the "All the old lays are played out and used to. I really believe the chickens roost higher than they did in the good old days. O, times is getting awful!" shall see in the Anglo-Saxon race men The fellow retired to a cave of gloom, emasculated and sorely deficient in muscular strength. A lack of control metaphorically speaking, as he gave way to the flood of memories of the over our bodily and mental functions time before tramp business had been prostrated by over-production. "A man has to either steal or work some fake, like mending umbrellas or mending hiney—that's about as handy as any allowed to follow their impulses, and O, there ain't much to it. All a man's are but partially checked in their appegot to carry is some samples, which tites before manhood or even youth must be straight, and some Persian cement-glue, water, or anything to hold the dishes together till the man gets out of the neighborhood. You tie up the dishes with string and tell 'em that they must let 'em alone at least twenty-four hours to dry, which gives you time to skip. I run out of the glue water onct, and I cemented my dishes together with molasses, which got out of a farmer's pantry. It was

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Coal Ashes for Heavy Soils.

A writer in one of our agricultural convously at first, then sat frigidly down temporaries says that for the purpose of making stiff soil friable, sifted coal ashes, where they can be readily had, are better than sand. They are more easily disseminated through the mass, and contain a small proportion of mineral salts likewise, though their merit is principally mechanical. I had a patch of clay over trap rock that, after a rain, took on the consistence of putty. I could do nothing with it. Vegetable manure it scorned, and the spade cut in it as though it was skim milk cheese. The place was made the receptacle of the winter's ashes. Two years after, it was dug up through a mistaken order in the fall. Next spring I manured it, and had it dug over. Then I planted it, of all things in the world, with melons. They were a striking success. More than that the friability of the soil remained permanent.—Scientific American.

Verschiedenheit.

In the United States and Canada there are now 14,147 newspapers, an increase of 823 during the past year. In China divorces are allowed in all cases of criminality, mutual dislikes, jealousy, incompatibility of temper, or too much loquacity on the part of the

Within a few days 180 omnibuses have been sold at auction in New York. The 100 sold at the Madison Square stables went as low as an average of

The best piece of good luck that has come to New Orleans for some time is the discovery of a good supply of pure water at the depth of about 400 feet. which can be tapped by the old artesian well process.

are used to store it in, and these are sunk into the pond, which is guarded by alligators. The money returns no interest, but neither has any bank ever failed. The population of Europe has increased in a century from 145,000,000

to 350,000,000. Englishmen have mul-

tiplied fivefold, the Russians fourfold,

and the Germans less than threefold, while Frenchmen and Spaniards have added only about 50 per cent.

discovered in a Chicago hotel. The deepest coal mine in the world is the Rose Bridge Colliery at Wigan, Lancashire, which is 808 yards deep,

and manifest great astonishment when they discover they are not in an African desert. They have not yet become accustomed to being born on this conti-

"You say your husband has a good memory, do you, Mrs. Crimsonbeak?" Oh, excellent," responded the lady addressed. "And how do you know it is so very good?" "Well, I asked him to bring me home a mackerel a week ago, and he brought it home to-day. Now, a man must have a pretty good memo-

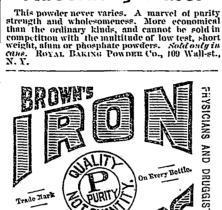
One of the earliest writers on temperance was a Venetian, who lived in the latter part of the fifteenth and in the early part of the sixteenth century. He was regarded as the model temperance man of his time, and vet fourteen ounces of wine was his regular daily allowance. The temperance men of

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My swain he was noble, brave and strong, With a love as boundless as is the sea, Though clouds obscured the glorious blue,

Since the wedding bells rang sweet and clear

We two!

Every bloom was proud to know her, Sang she, tripped she merrily,

Waved each knightly pampas feather, Wee and winsome was this maiden

And her smile has fled to Aiden, They'll not tell.

BY EMMA A. OPPER. It was Mrs. Wilson's idea-taking boarders that summer; Mr. Wilson had, from the first, assumed a hostile attitude concerning them. "It don't stand to reason," he had remarked, slowly, when the plan had been proposed to him in the privacy of the kitchen, "that nobody'll want to come way out here in Centerville, clear from Philadelphy, jest for nothing; no-body that's got their senses."

son had proceeded, "s'posing somebody

cheerfully, mebbe you're p'inted straight; I ain't agoing to say but what you be. But I shouldn't keer to And the next morning a modest advertisement for boarders, carefully

said Polly that evening, addressing the tall young fellow in checked shirt and cow hide boots, who was washing his hands at the pump, preparatory to eat-

well-to do neighbor, was following the Polly admired his independence, as ly head; and Dave considered Pelly

inģ blank. "Well-why not?" said Polly, rather "Well," said Dave, seriously. if you was to ask me, now—"
"I ain't going to," Polly retorted.

whom the advertisement brought to

had completed the quartette a week Mrs. Wilson and Polly were exultant. "What do you think now!" said the

"What you got to say about board-"Just this here," said Dave, eyeing

After that Polly received Mr. Crofbecame deeply devoted to pretty Miss Kirby. If Polly's pillow was dampened with tears for two or three nights

fee-pot."

"How nice!" said Miss Kirby, vivaciously; "we'll have it to-day!"

"If Miss Wilson is agreeable," said

"Pa!" cried Polly, fixing her eyes upon him severely, as a sudden, startng suspicion entered her mind, "you "Jest since t'other day, Polly," said

"Wal," Mr. Wilson proceeded, steady-

The humor of this recollection overpowered him for a moment. "Wal, I was jest agoing to holler at old feller was talking ruther more'n jest put my ear to that crack. Mebbe you recollect what you were talking about that there time?" said Mr. Wilson, regarding the pair, mildly. "I was considerably surprised," he went on, mother and daughter to no great extent. And when they went on to say it'd be safe enough to be getting and gave me to understand, though not meaning to, jest what their business providence, my getting shut up in that

straight!" finished, were not pleasant to contem-

don't know as I've reelly changed my mind on that p'int yit!" When Mrs. Wilson's boarders departed, a little later, without, it is needless watching them from the back porch, with Dave beside her. She was still dazed; she was even too bewildered

it takes an artist to live fat like we

pretty much the same. "Cleaning clocks is another good fake, only it has been worked to death. One of us goes ahead and tinkers up the clock, taking it partially to pieces, tickling it up with a feather, and aninting it with ile or lard or something. I always, when I'm on the tramp, carry boa constrictor ile or yak ile for the purpose. It's coal ile or lard, just as it happens. When I come to put it together, if I don't know exactly where all the wheels go, I do the best I know how, and if there is any overflow of wheels without holes to put 'em in. as is usually the case, I just quietly slip em in my pocket. I then handspike the hands ahead a half-hour, and tells the folks it is unhealthy to turn them back, and that they had better wait until the time comes as pointed by the clock before they start it running.

and gelatine come together, particularly in the form of a thin film, in the presence of daylight, the film becomes formula is the following: Gelatine 2 grs., bichromate of potash 2 grs., nigrosine 10 grs., water 1 fl. oz. Dissolve the gelatine and nigrosine in most of the water, and the bichromate of potassium in the remainder. Mix the two solutions in an amber-colored bottle. If it is found that the ink "gums" in the pen, the quantity of gelatine and bichromate may be somewhat reduced. But the ink, when properly made, and dry, cannot be entirely removed from paper by hot or cold water, acids, or alkalies.—Scientific American.

ed torpedo at the Washington Navy

velocity of 100 feet in 10 seconds, the Polly were whispering behind the cot- on the sofa. Two men, in citizens' line of firing being almost perfectly year one Saratoga hotel paid a market bill of \$125,000. Among the items knots an hour. This torpedo is diswere 90,000 pounds of beef, 18,000 pounds of mutton, 20,000 pounds of by a rocket composition which is held lamb, 7,000 pounds of yeal, 1,500 pounds in an iron tube sixteen inches in diamof pork, 60,000 pounds of chickens, 35,eter and forty-two inches long. The 000 pounds of game, 900 dozen squabs, explosive charge is so arranged as to 26,000 pounds of fish, 6,000, pounds of be detached upon contact, and shot forsalmon, 22,000 pounds of butter, 24,000 dozen eggs, 65,000 quarts of milk, and 10,000 quarts of cream.

where the boat did not usually stop unless signaled, a man was seen stand ing gesticulating wildly. The captain came forward and with an amused expression of countenance informed the passengers that he knew from the ex-

At one of the smaller landings,

A French Canadian Bride.

NUMBER 26.

cited state the individual was in that a wedding party was coming on board. And his prognostication was soon verified, for as soon as the boat touched the landing a motley procession came trooping down—old and young and middle-aged, from the infant in arms to the aged couple, who, John Anderson like, were tottering down. The procession was headed by the bride and groom, the latter looking excessively uncomfortable and out of place in his "dressed-up" condition; but the bride presented a great contrast to her newmade lord; her self-satisfaction was supreme. As the captain remarked. "If you really want to witness happiness and contentment, you must see a French-Canadian bride from the rural districts. She has attained to the height of her ambition; she is at last decked out in bridal finery." She went straight for the saloon after coming on

board, and looked around a little ner-

found them in the same position, with

the bride still casting loving glances at her feet. When the newly wedded pair left the boat they were met by an

handkerchief. The last seen of the

kid shoes they were almost invisible

as their owner trudged up a steep,

sandy hill on a hot August afternoon.

Magazine for August.

-Agnes Fraser Sandham, in Harper's

Why Life is So Short.

the professor of the athletics at Am-

herst College, answers the question,

why we live no longer, by showing that

we are consuming our energies as a

people at such a rate that the physical

and mental work which used to be dis-

tributed through seventy years is now substantially accomplished at forty.

Men's heads are prematurely bankrupt;

their stomachs are worn out; their

hearts, kidneys and muscles are over-

worked; and then, as if to put a cli-

max upon the whole ordering of life

use of tobacco increases during the

present as it has during the past twen-

ty-five years, we shall not only know

of sudden death from heart and brain

injuries consequent upon it, but we

is one reason why we live forty instead

of seventy years." This is plain lan-

guage, but it comes to the point. Dr.

Hitchcock says of our youth who are

comes on, that "the tender and grow

ing organs are so debased and abused

that a dysentery, diphtheria or fever

is forced in and life is forced out be-

fore the natural limit of life." Again,

he alludes to the use of tobacco by

youth to the extent "that all at once

an arteriale in the brain substance

breaks open and the life is given up in

the teens rather than in the scores."

The records of our public schools can

be searched to show that the cramming

and over pressure are making terrible

mischief among young girls at the age

when they are least able to bear the

strain. The private remark of a long

settled clergyman in this city, that he

had buried too many girls from one of

our schools ever to send his daughter

there, makes one open his eyes. In

every direction we are making life

short—by our vices, by our careless use of physical force, by our pushing

habits, by wrong methods in our public

schools, by the attempt to get a double

portion of satisfaction out of life as it

is dealt out to us. Boys and girls are

yielded up to death simply because in

the homes of the people there is no one

to teach and compel the young to use

the forces of life moderately.—Boston

A New Use for Toads.

of getting rid of roaches and water

bugs we have heard of, is related of a

A servant, hearing that toads were

an antidote, caught three ordinary hop

toads, and put them in the kitchen.

Not a roach or a water bug, it is stat-

ed, can now be found in the house.

The toads have become domesticated.

so cleanly and inoffensive that there is

no objection to their presence.

never wander about the house, and are

Another use for toads is to employ

them for insect destroyers in the gar

den. They are determined enemies of

all kinds of snails and slugs, which i

is well known can in a single night

destroy a vast quantity of lettuce, car-

rots, asparagus, etc. Toads are also

kept in vineyards, where they devour

during the night millions of insects

that escape the pursuit of nocturnal birds, and might commit incalculable

havoc on the buds and young shoots of

the vine. In Paris toads are an arti-

cle of merchandise. They are kept in

tubs, and sold at the rate of 2 francs a

dozen.—Scientific American.

citizen of Schenectady whose kitchen

was infested with them.

The latest and most ingenious way

Herald.

Dr. Hitchcock, who is believed to be

on the extreme edge of the nearest bench, and cast down her eyes, as was supposed, in blushing modesty. But no! it was not modesty; it was her shoes upon which her admiring glances were directed. The rest of her costume was commonplace, consisting of a black dress of some cheap material, which one of the ladies designated as "lustre." She wore a hat trimmed with a wreath of tawdry-looking pink and blue artificial flowers, while bows of yellow and green ribbon relieved the sombre hue of the dress. But it remained for the shoes to give the true bridal character to this somewhat remarkable toilet. They were of white kid, low cut, with huge rosettes on the instep. Her pedal extremities, which were of rather collossal proportions, were augmented by home-knit woolen stockings, which appeared just a trifle incongruous. Her husband soon joined her, and took a seat beside her, and as he sat speech-less, with his wife's hand lying in his own, it was supposed he too was lost in admiration and wonder at the beauty of the slippers. A half-hour later

old man and a young girl, who, by the way they embraced the bridegroom, were set down as his father and sister. The former took the bride gently by the hand, who received them with rig id stateliness. The girl timidly ventured to kiss her newly made sister. \$30, and one brought only \$15. The caress was passively permitted, not returned, and afterward deliberately wiped off with a blue cotton pocket-

pond as a money-safe. Hollow trees

A Chicago hotel keeper had a man recently arrested for stealing a cake of soap. The man pleaded, in extenuation of his offence, that he wanted it for his collection of curiosities, it being the first cake of soap he had ever

or almost a half mile. There is plenty of coal further down, but the heat in the solid strata is 931/2 degrees Fahren-Young ostriches are warmed out of their shells by incubators in California,

ry to remember a little thing like that for a whole week."

to day would set him down as an old toper.

her handkerchief free from knots now. 化闪光 经接受条件 医乳糖

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GOLD STRING

brightly; "Why don't we have a pic-MORRIS LYON.

> Mr. Croffut, promptly.
> There is not much love lost between
> Miss Kirby and Mr. Croffut. The
> former had confided to Dave that she thought Mr. Croffut too stout, and in-

cuse he sprang from the buggy.

turned back in triumph. "Hurry!" cried Miss Kirby, as Dave

"Get in-get in!" he commanded;

whip as she spoke, and the buggy ratappeared to enjoy himself. He had

been most peculiar. He had been ex ceedingly nervous; he had fallen into frequent gloomy reveries; his face had indicated the most acute mental suffering; and his strange conduct had cast a gloom over the party.

Mr. Dawson. 'It is a strange disap- shoulder, pearance." Nobody noticed, in the excitement,

Her eyes had fixed upon Dave's advancing form-Dave, with Mr. Wil-1 "He was in the corn-house," said the young man, rather faintly. "I must 'a

"He has not lost his reason?" he sugwiped his forehead. "I'm powerful hungry," he observed There were occasions, during the following week, when Mr. Dowson's suspicions seemed likely to be correct. For Mr. Wilson, once the calmest of persons, had suddenly developed a startling fund of eccentricities. They appeared oddly enough, to be in some way directly connected with the boarders. The sight of Mr. Croffut assisting Polly with the churning seemed to

conversation on the parlor sofa, called It was not to be supposed that such body was in the least surprised when Mrs. Kirby, having endured Mr. Wilson's peculiartities with polite patience for a week, signified her intention, at breakfast one morning, of returning to the city the next day; nor when Mr. Dawson, with a gentle cough, observed that he had been contemplating the same course; nor when Mr. Croffut, with a tenderly regretful glance at Polly, said it was really time he was back in his studio—the sole effect of all

"It's all his doing; they wouldn't 'a thought of going so soon if he hadn't acted so crazy-like. And to think of the way he took it—laffed! I do be-lieve he is losing his senses!" thing seemed in a hopeless muddle.

The scene which the open parlor ly. Mr. Wilson, cheerfully composed, and Dave with staring eyes and parted

lips, were looking on.
"What is it?" cried Polly, in a voice faint with horror; while Mrs. Wilson

THURSDAY, JULY 30, 1885.

GEN. GRANT.

Arrangements are being completed for the last obsequies of the nation's honored dead. There is to be a private funeral service at Mount McGregor, the place of the General's death, to be attended only by the family and a small circle of relatives and near friends. The remains will be taken, Aug. 4, to Albany, stopping a short time at Saratoga. At Albany the remains are to lie in State one day, when the funeral train will proceed to New York, where the remains will lie in state until Aug. 8, when the public funeral will be held. The place chosen by Col. Fred. Grant for the sepulchure of his father is in Riverside Park, New York, between ed point in the park and overlooking the Hudson river. Memorial services will be observed on the day of the funeral in all of the principal cities of the country.

The Sedalia, Missouri, savings bank has collapsed, on account of the embezzlement by one of the clerks of \$18,000 of the bank's funds.

The tax law passed last winter provides for a change of date of sale from May to October, which necessitates the second publication of the lists this fall

America appears to not be the only place where carelessness in erecting buildings is practiced. A tenement in Cologne, occupied by sixteen families, fell last Friday, and forty-five persons were killed.

Owing to a heavy drouth the citizens of the Shenandoah valley, Virginia, are obliged to transport water a number of miles, at an expense of 50 cents per

Hon. Wm. Williams of Warsaw, Ind., who has been serving his country as Minister to Paraguay, but recently removed, will return home to learn of the death of his wife, of Warsaw, and his son in Washington, both of which occurred since he set sail for home.

A subscription has been started for the erection of a statue of Gen. Grant in Lincoln Park, Chicago, to cost \$50,1 000, and a good portion of the amount has already been raised. This is a good example for Knickerbockers who are in the predestral business to profit

Mackin was last Thursday granted a writ of supersedeas, which gives him one or two months more of freedom at least. The mills of American justice rind slow and not always very fine. Joseph Chesterfield was in harness ready to start for the penitentiary when the news of his lawyer's success

Temperance in West Virginia. P. M. Sutton, a reporter in the Chicago Tribune, Saturday, from Charleston, West Virginia, under the head of "Practical Temperance," has the following: The writer is an Iowa man who appears to be seeking information as to the best means of handling the liquor traffic:

When leaving Kentucky I wrote that I heard exciting reports from West Virginia. "Exciting" was a very improper word. There is nothing exciting here on the temperance question and never has been, and yet the temperance people of this State have made a very great impression. They feel and believe that they have adopted and demonstrated the best temperance law of any State in the Union. All classes seem to be of that opinion. The Democratic Legislatures have adopted and perfected the law, but the most prominent Republicans are enthusiastic in its praise. There are fifty-four counties in West Virginia. Forty of these counties have voluntary prohibition. In half of the other fourteen counties the traffic is nearly prohibited, and in the remaining seven the traffic is kept in the hands of temperate men who, by ample bonds, become responsible for whatever evils the traffic inflicts, and, as a result, the people claim the least amount of intoxication that is possible

for a like people to attain. Let me state first what the law of West Virginia is and then what the people say of its results.

A SENSIBLE SYSTEM. First-The option of license or prohibition is placed in the hands of the County Court of each county. The County Court consists of three Supervisors, and is almost identical with the County Board of Supervisors in Iowa. This County Court is prohibited, however, from granting a license to any person in any city or incorporated town, or "within one mile of the limits thereof," until such person shall first "have and obtain leave of the Common Council of such city or incorporated town." When such person shall first have obtained such leave and shall have satisfied the court that he is a temperate person and a safe and suitable person to intrust with the sale of intoxicating liquors, and shall further give a good and sufficient bond with at least two freehold and resident sureties in the sum of \$3.500, conditioned to pay all fines and damages lawfully assessed or adjudged against him. Said person a license as they shall deem best, having in view only the common wel-fare of the people of the locality where the applicant asks a license to sell. The Supervisors of forty out of the fiftyfour counties of this State, representing the sense of the people of their respective counties, repeatedly and persistently hold that the saloon is neither a necessity nor a convenience, and that the welfare of the people will be best promoted by refusing their existence West Virginia has a number of river towns; Charleston, Wheeling, Huntington and Parkersburg are all large river, boating and mining towns. In counties having such towns the court (or Supervisors) select a limited number of the best men who will accept licenses and give the required securities, and then limit the traffic to these parties. The Constitution pro-

Second—Sales (under penalties not exceeding \$100) are prohibited absolutely to minors or persons in the habit of becoming intoxicated. All sales are prohibited Sunday, and within one mile of any agricultural or industrial fair; also all election days, and behind frosted windows and screens, and any person found intoxicated about any polling-place shall be fined and made to give a bond for his good behavior for the next six months, and in default of such bond he sent to jail. And any person elected to any office under the the same if it be shown that he gave to teach in the state for the next ten had been sold at \$25 to \$80 each. directly or indirectly any intoxicating years.

vides, as does our Iowa Constitution,

that all laws shall have a uniform op-

liquors to any voter the day he was

Third—Every person to whom a li-cense is granted must first pay the State \$100 for the use of the school fund, and must also pay to the city or town in which he is licensed to sell such additional municipal license as

said city or town shall impose. The above is the law of West Virginia, a State of mountaineers, lumbermen, boatmen and miners. Its provisions are all simple and its penaltics moderate, and yet it has wrought prohibition in forty counties and has procured a high and growing temperance sentiment in the other fourteen. The law itself I can vouch for, as I have taken it from the record. Now as to the results, I can only tell you who I have seen and what they say.

ENCOURAGING RESULTS. I first saw Capt. J. W. Cracraft. He nas resided in Charleston since the war; was a Captain in ex-President Hayes' Ohio regiment. He has been a member of the West Virginia Legislature, is a red-hot Blaine and Logan Repub lican, and helped to carry this county last fall for the Republican ticket. He said while the liquor law of this State was adopted by a Democratic Legisla-122d and 125th streets, the most elevat- ture he believed it the best law now in operation in this country, and he thought no other law could have worked such wholesome results. He said it had demonstrated that where the least liquor was sold there was always the least crime, and that all classes respected the law. He said the Supervisors of his county tried the experiment of refusing licenses altogether for one year. The result was that the miners and boatmen got entirely beyond their control and drunkenness and crime became general, and the Sab-

bath became a day to be dreaded. After a year of experimental prohibition the Supervisor (or County Court) licensed a limited number of the best men that would undertake the business. These men so licensed could control the miners and boatmen, and in order to keep their licenses did control them to the extent that drunken ness and crime greatly decreased and the Sabbath was generally observed. "In this river and mining town of 10,-000 there are twenty saloons," said the Captain, "and you seldom see a drunken man, and Sunday is a quiet and or derly day. In most of the counties in this State prohibition is altogether the best method, but in towns like this it is impracticable and license is better.

I next saw Capt. John S. Burdette the old Democratic State Treasurer. He was in the Virginia convention that adopted the ordinance of secession, but he was a Union man, as were most of the delegates from west of the mountains, and when the convention voted to secede Burdette and the other delegates "from over the mountains" seceded from the convention and went back over the mountains to Wheeling and there organized a new State, as an unorganized people whose State Government had dissolved had a right to do. Congress admitted them into the Union and thus came West Virginia. Capt. Burdette was a leader in all that work and then raised a company and joined the army. He is an uncle of lowa's famous Bob Burdette. He is an honest, blunt, brave man. I said: "What do you think of probibition, "Prohibition is all right. Captain?" said he. "Prohibition is all right where the people want it, but it is a bad thing to cram down the throats of a whisky drinking people that don't want it. I then said: "What do you think of

political prohibition?" POLITICAL PROHIBITION. "Well," said the Captain, "I can tell you very quick what I think of political prohibition. I think it is a whitelivered fraud. Political Christianity has always been a fraud, and just so sult to a civilized people. The principles of the Prohibition party are God, home, and native land. The fools run for office on that platform. Who do they expect will run on the other side? They insult civilized people by assuming that the people of other parties oppose their principles. I tell you they are all a set of fools, except a few who run the thing for gain and notoriety. Democrats are never fooled by them. The Republicans are their only suckers. Democrats are Prohibitionists, and good Prohibitionists, just as they are good Christians. but they don't mix reigion and prohibition with their politics. They vote the Democratic ticket first, and go to church and look after

prohibition afterward." I next had the pleasure of meeting the Rev. J. A. Fullerton, D. D. Dr. Fullerton is one of the leading pastors in the Methodist Episcopal church of this State, a very learned and devout man, who has given a great deal of thought to the subject of prohibition. After the usual interrogatories the doctor talked about as follows: "I am uncompromisingly a Prohibitionist. It has become almost a part of the Methodist creed. The Methodist ministers are Prohibitionists, with scarcely an exception." I then asked what he thought of that provision of the West Virginia law which gave counties an option as between prohibition or li-cense. "That is Christianity. Christ never said 'Thou shalt.' He always said, 'Come.' Of course there must be laws, and they must," said the doctor, "he obeyed; but there are natural prerogatives that all must respect. There are laws which all nations must obey, yet each nation has prerogatives that belong to it exclusive of all other nations. So there are laws that all the States must obey, yet each State has

natural rights of its own, so do counties, so do precincts, so do individuals. Now, when a nation undertakes to dictate to a State or colony that which is the natural right of the State or colony, it becomes usurpation, and the State or colony has a right to resist it, even though it be a minority, for a majority has no right to practice usurpation upon a minority. Now, liquor laws have always been held to be police regulations. If so, it is the natural prerogative of a police district, and when a State, simply because it is the majoriy, undertakes to force a police district to adopt a pelice regulation that it doesn't want and doesn't believe in it gives the people of that district cause to feel that they are being imposed upon. I don't know how it may work in other States, but giving an option to the counties has worked wonders here. Prohibitionists are making friends everywhere and gaining every day. We don't say to a county 'Thou shalt,' but we go ahead and say 'Come,' and the counties are falling in, and when

they come to stay." PROGRESSIVE LICENSE REGULATIONS. I next saw the Hon. N. S. Walker, the Democratic Secretary of State. He said the people of West Virginia had never had any temperance excitements. They began with a good law, and the sentiment had grown steadily into a determination among the people. He said he was in favor of both license and prohibition. That the prohibition counties had a splendid effect upon the license counties. The people intrusted with licenses felt that they were upon trial before the people. He thought the best feature of their law was the fact that the people of each county were made directly responsible for prohibition if it had it, and each county, city and town responsible for every saloon they licensed. The responsibility was placed directly upon the very people who through their public officers were responsible for the enforcement of the law in their immediate lointo active competition with its neigh

they come it is with glad hearts, and

Eight Michigan ladies hold state teachers' certificates authorizing them

boring counties. License was brought

into competition with prohibition and

sible to attain.

in the end secured the best results pos-

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, July 27, 1885. The public buildings of the city are more elaborately swathed in black than they ever were before except on the death of President Garneld. The Interior Department, presided over by Secretary Lamar, is more heavily and artistically draped than any other, and the National flag over the Pension Office is bordered with crape. There is much dissatisfaction here on account of the selection of New York as the burial place of General Grant, and an effort will probably be made to have the place of interment changed to this

The President has made a change in his plans for a summer vacation. It is quite likely he will not visit the Adriondacs until the middle of August. and then remain away from Washington through the month of September. It was his intention to leave the White House next Saturday evening for New York, but the death of General Grant caused him to change his mind, and he will thus be enabled to give a little more time to public matters. During next week he will not receive visitors outside of the Cabinet Ministers and Bureau Chiefs, as there are a number of important matters to be settled before he can get away from the city.

Cabinet ministers and heads of bureaus generally spend considerable time away from Washington in summer. This has been carried to an extent of actual abuse, since public business of all kinds and of all degrees of importance must wait upon their action. The absence of a head of a Department always perceptibly lightens the work of his clerks, and it is absurd to hold or act upon the doctrine that the chief can take his ease as be pleases, but that the subordinate must stick to his desk, even when the chief's absence leaves him nothing to do there.

Nebraska Correspondence.

FAIRFIELD, July, 21, 1885. EDITOR RECORD:-Thinking a few vords from Nebraska would be inter-

We have been having some very dry weather. People began to think their crops would be ruined by the drouth, rumbling of thunder was heard in the west, and a pleasant and very acceptable shower came. There is one thing I have noticed in particular since I have been in the State of Nebraska, that quite a hard shower of rain doesn't prevent the farmer from plowing the next day.

Crops of all kinds are looking well. and barley, is well filled; the potato would hardly think of taking such berries to market, but they sold readily for twelve and a half to twenty-five cents per quart. It is my impression that with enterprise and a small capital invested here a person could make a good profit in raising small fruit. The farmers heretofore have put all their attention to corn and stock raising and small grain, corn being their principal crop, and they feed it to their cattle and hogs and turn them right off for the cash. I have heard it remarked by old farmers; "how foolish I was not to put out an orchard, for apples sell so high."

I like the climate of Nebraska so far very well, although we have had a few very uncomfortably warm days, but the nights are cool and pleasant. There is generally through the day a nice.

cool breeze There are a great many groves of timber set out, which adds greatly to the beauty of the Nebraska prairie. The principal timber grown here, for protection against the hard winds and for quick growth, is the box alder, black

walnut and cottonwood. Fairfield is situated eighteen miles east and south of Hastings, on the St. Jo. & Western Railway, and has a population of nearly 1,500. It has five churches, good public schools, and the

Christian college is located here. The mail comes every Sunday morning, bringing the RECORD, an ever welcome visitor in our family. Long may

it live, is my best wish. Very respectfully, MRS. VAN KIRKENDALL.

State Items.

The taxes of Nichols, Shepard & Co., the large thrashing machine manufacturers at Battle Crkek, amount to onetenth of the entire city taxes.

Titus Garn, living west of Charlotte, reports having threshed eight acres of wheat which yielded 45 bushels to the

It is stated that the extreme heat of the last few days has lowered the water in Goguac lake by evaporation nearly a foot.

A Paw Paw man has a hole in the ground into which he crawls when the wind blows. Report doesn't say whether he draws the hole in after him or

The Eldridge sewing machine company, employing 400 men, will move to Battle Creek if they can get citizens of that place to take \$100,000 of stock

in the company.—Evening News. Fools get pretty thick in some parts of the world. For instance. The Muskegon Knights of Labor will boycott any merchant who handles cigars with-

out the K. of L. label after Aug. 15. Mrs. Jacob Stackely, a German wonan living near Maple Rapids, has had her husband arrested on the charge of assault and battery for attempting to

The wife of a farmer living west of Owosso and the mother of 17 children. shows what a woman can do in the way of work by laboring every day in a harvest field — Evening News.

Dyer Dunning, a prominent citizen of Milton, Cass county, while assisting a neighbor to raise a barn, was hit on the head by a falling timber, and kill-

Will Sloth, of Constantine, is in the pup trade. Last week he shipped 7 Chesapeakes to Laporte, Ind., which Kalamazoo Telegraph.

Battle Creekites can't stand too much preaching, and so have fined Geo. D. Mealy \$18 for preaching on the pub lic streets, and because Mealy couldn't come down with the cash sent him to

jail ten days. The G. A. R. Post at Lansing is said to be about to disband, on account of an attempt of the Post to give Col. Sanford, the newly appointed postmaster, a certificate of character against the consent of some of the

There will be a reunion of Co. D, 66th Ill. W. S. S., at Hartford, Van Buren county, Thursday and Friday, August 5 and 6. A cordial invitation is extended to comrades of the 66th, and their wives, mothers, sons, daughters and sweethearts, to report for muster.

The champion big boy lives at Millington. His name is Smith and he proposes to knock out all of the numerous tribes of Smith on generous propositions. He is 12 years of age, weighs 137 pounds, and is four feet and nine inches in his stockings .-Evening News.

A colt less than two feet high and weighing under 23 pounds was born at Detroit last week. The sire is a Brazillian pony 45 inches high weighing 315 pounds, and the dam is an East Indian thoroughbred 37 inches high and weighs 300 pounds.—Kalamazoo Tele-

Here's a real nice old lady. Her name is Mrs. Henry Slaught. She is 80 years old, has resided in Ingham county since 1839, and is now living happy and smart at Aurelius. Seventeen children call her mother, 103 grandmother and 50 great-grandmother, 170 descendants in all.—Kalamazoo Telegraph.

In Wayland a cat and an old hen are joint protectors of a litter of kittens. The hen furnishes the milk and the cat scratches for worms which the kittens eagerly devour. The first part of this yarn is vouched for by the Globe, and the latter part is one of Reid's (Allegan Gazette man) hot midsummer meditations.

Augustus Wheidt, a tramp, was taken esting to some of your readers of the in by Farmer Thorpe, of Charlette, last RECORD, I will endeavor to write a few | fall and treated decently. Wheidt took advantage of the farmer's absence in Dakota to elope with his wife and ship his goods and chattels to Owosso where Wheidt and the quandam Mrs. but yesterday, the 20th, the distant | Thorp were arrested Saturday evening, as they were about to retire.—Evening

One of the places visited by the "gentlemanly burglar" at Grand Rapids was Nelson W. Northorp's at 2 o'clock Monday morning. The first member of the family he struck was Mr. Northorp's mother, an old lady of 77, whom he commanded to show him Coin bids fair for an abundant yield; where the family valuables were kept. small grain, such as wheat, oats, rye | She was not frightened by the warlike appearance of the man, and informed crop is exceedingly good, no bugs to him that they did not keep money in contend with; garden vegetables do the house, and ordered him to leave. He didn't go fast enough and she got well; small fruit, such as grapes, black- out of bed, giving him three or four berries, raspberries and strawberries, pushes toward the door. He respected yield well. The strawberries that I | the brave old lady and her gray hairs. neither threatening nor inflicting or her bodily harm .- Kalamazoo Tele-

Here is a nice little horse story from Flushing: "A Flushing farmer has a team of horses that will draw a reaping machine through a field of grain, turn all corners squarely and not leave a head uncut, without the assistance of man. He simply starts the team in the field and they move along until they come to a corner; back up, turn, and then go in the other direction as accurately as if the farmer held the reins."—*Telegraph*.

It is also reported that this same team, when they get the field cut, will unhitch themselves from the machine, and actually thresh the wheat by rubbing the heads between their hards and blowing out the chaff, and deposits the kernels in the granary ready for market. Wonderful horses they have in Kalamazoo county.

SHOOTHIM. When gayly the thermometer At ninety holds its place, And with your hat of straw you fan Your mad-perspiring face: When every stitch of clothes you wear

Is sticking to your form, How soothing 'tis to have a friend Inform you "it is warm." -Boston Saturday Evening Gazette. In considering the claims of the

Iowa Prohibtionists it must be remembered that when they speak of "no open saloons" they do not refer to the places where liquor is sold by the quantity to be drunk elsewhere, nor to the millions of liquor prescriptions from the drug stores, nor to the liquor drunk in club-rooms. The claim that "open saloons" have been reduced in number must be read in the view of the fact that the drug stores and wholesale establishments have enormormously increased their sales, and the internalrevenue statistics show over 4,000 licensed liquor dealers in the state. Selling by the dram is not so common as before prohibition the traffic now being mostly by the quart and gallon, although the large towns still maintain "open saloons".—Chicago Tribune

PHACT AND PHYSIC. A woman has asked the Belgian Jockey Club to let her ride her own horses in their races.

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A North Lansing manufactory is turning out 12,000 toy guns per month. For colds, croup, asthma bronchitis and sore throat use Dr. Thomas' Ec. lectric Oil, and get the genuine.

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small fruit trees in Shiawassee county, and they are dying by hundreds. Never neglect a constipated condition of the bowels, or serious results surely will follow, such as piles or impure blood. Use Burdock Blood Bit-

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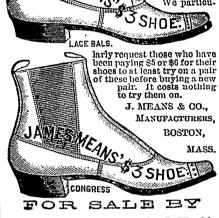
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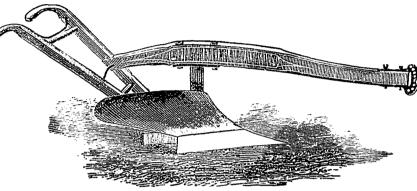
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THE Benton Harbor skating rink is to be devoted to manufacturing purpo-

WE are getting about used to this boiling weather, but it goes pretty tough yet.

THE pension department finds fortytive customers in Buchanan and vicin-

THERE will be a short session of Circuit Court at Berrien Springs, next week, commencing Monday.

THE new state law exempting exsoldiers from the payment of poll tax will take effect September 18 next.

THE old hotel building at Hill's Corners has changed hands, Mr. L. Francis having sold it to H. J. Spennetta.

WILL SCOTT is having extra success in stock raising. He is the possessor of a pair of fine twin calves.

MR. ALEX. EMERY has been confined to his room with sickness the past

Mr. S. Humes, of the Major House, was 67 years old last Monday, and he made that the occasion for giving his friends an entertainment.

THE cornice on Imhoff's new buildng is in place, and an idea may now be formed of the final appearance of

INCENDIARIES got in their work on Luker & Peterson's slaughter house, in St. Joseph, Monday night. Loss \$700. No insurance.

A valuable horse belonging to Edward Cady, of Berrien Centre, was ruined by running away with a shovel plow recently.

MARRIED .-- Mr. Geo. Fedore, of this township, and Mrs. Anna Neib, wibow of the late Phillip Neib of Niles, were married at her home Tuesday.

WALTER FOWLER, of Niles township, was drowned while bathing in Barren Lake Saturday. He is a relative of Doc Fowler of this place.

section was much lighter this year than | too freely of ice water. usual, and the luscious fruit formed a very small part in the fruit market.

THE Niles furniture firm of Miley & Son is reported to have made an assignment with \$2,000 assets, and liabilities a little in excess of this amount.

NEXT Wednesday is the date of the Young People's Picnic at Berrien Springs, and with respectable picnic weather there will doubtless be a large

SLATER & KINGERY are doing a good business with the Slater telephone in Three Oaks. They put up a good telephone and should do a good business wherever they go.

AT the late school meeting in Niles there were 458 voters in attendance. In Buchanan if we have the 58, without the 400, we are doing exceedingly

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending July 30: J. H. Browne, Lufe Carpenter.

L. P. ALEXANDER, P. M.

A FEW of our citizens who have become tired of this hot weather propose to put in a few days "Tenting on the old Camp Ground", on Diamond Lake island next week.

POSTMASTER ALEXANDER is preserving the front of his residence lot by building a stone wall in the bank. When he gets it completed the young folks can sit and dig their heels into the bank, and he will enter no protest.

THE members of Wm. Perrott Post. G. A. R., are requested by the Post Commander to meet at their hall next Sunday evening to prepare to attend the services in memory of Gen. Grant. All members should be present.

FARMERS who bought Bohemian oats will doubtless expect the versatile agent who sold them to appear soon to take their crop at \$10 per bushel, according to agreement. Its about time · to harvest another crop of suckers.

WE did not think it hardly possible. but it appears to be a fact, that the ladies have found a style of cutting hair that looks worse than bangs. They call it "pompadore," and it most resembles a mule with his mane bobbed. The new fashion is taking well with the young ladies.

The Visitors. MISS LURA ROE is visiting friends in Three Oaks

MR. HARRY WEAVER is in town for a visit with his parents. MRS. S. P. HIGH went to Grand Rap-

ids yesterday to visit friends. MR. AL HUNT, of Jackson, is in this place for a short visit. MR. AL. O. HOWE, of Columbus, O.,

is here for a visit at his old home. MISS NELLIE BALDWIN is in Bridgman for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Cripe, of Pokagon, is here for

a visit with her sister, Mrs. Grover. Louis Denn, of Bangor, is here visiting his old neighbors for a few days. CHARLEY SPARKS left this morning for Valentine. Neb., to take a position in the store of his brothers.

MISS NELLIE WEAVER has returned from her visit of a couple of months with relatives in Ohio.

MR. E. H. CLARK, of Reddick, Florida, has returned to his home in Buchanan for a short visit.

JUDGE A, J. SMITH and wife, of Cassopolis, were the guests of Mrs. Dunning, in this place, yesterday. A little boy has come to make a long

ily. All doing well. MR. J. F. PECK left Monday morn-

near Andover, Dak. MR. AND MRS. C. H. ROLLINS, of

South Bend, visited a few days this week in Buchanan. MISS LILLIE METZGAR has gone to-

relatives in Lagrange, Ind. MISS FRANC ALVORD finished her vacation yesterday, and has returned

to her work in Kalamazoo. Joun Arruta and wife, of Charlotte, are here visiting their many friends, and are the guests of Mary

EDITOR SHIVELEY, of the South Bend Times, is in Buchanan, the guest of John Mansfield. This has no connection with the Buchanan post office. Mr. A. P. Shepardson has gone to

Kirwin, Kansas, where he is in the employ of Mr. Noah Weaver, formerly of this place. CAPT. GEO. II. RICHARDS AND LADY have gone to Mullet Lake summer re-

sort for a few weeks of the "heated term." They have chosen a pleasant ELD. FINNEY, who left this place for

Boston a few months since, to be treated for cancer, returned with his family, Saturday, thinking himself entirely free from his malady. MISS ESSIE GENE GEVER is visiting

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Geyer, in Niles township, since last Friday. She will probably be a permanent visitor. Weight nine pounds-Mr. J. F. BARMORE, who has been traveling in the south, and lately in Mexico, in the interest of a Michigan Wagon company, is at home for a short racation. J. F. does not appear to be highly pleased with Mexican manners and methods of business.

THE Soldiers' Home Board of Control reached St. Joseph Friday, when one of the members receiving a dispatch announcing the death of a member of his family, the Board adjourned until Tuesday, when they resumed their investigation.

THE Moon that makes the Downgiac Times shine is said to have a longing for the consulate at Chatham. Ont. He has been a Greenbacker and then Democratic editor, and among the faith- els. One bushel of this was weighed ful workers, and ought to have it.

HENRY RAY, of Coldwater, known here by his ownership of the patent on the cement payement, died at Charlotte, Friday, after three days' sickness, sup-The crop of huckleberries in this | posed to have been caused by drinking

> THE Berrien County Agricultural Society have their premium lists out, announcing their fair to be held in Niles during the first week in September. A fireman's tournament is also announced as among the amusements and attractions.

A FARMER requests us to state that it would be well for all to look well to their hedge contracts.—Mirror. A number of those interested would like to know what "a farmer" means. If there be a "nigger in the fence" they want to see him.

In the case against Thos. Marsh, for assault with intent to do great bodily harm, mentioned last week, Marsh had his examination Saturday and was discharged, but was immediately rearrested for assault and battery, to which he plead guilty and was charged \$10, fine and cost.

THE Berrien county Agricultural Society's posters announce an attractive display of sports for the fair, including horse racing, ballon ascensions. firemen's tournament, etc. There will probably be a few farm products there, although no mention is made of this department.

THE editor of the Benton Harbor Expositor is having a bad time. A few evenings since a crafty burglar fished his pants out of the window and took \$57 from the pocket, and soon after he fell into the river and came near being drowned. The fates appear to be against him.

THE State Teachers' Institute for Berrien county will be held at St. Joseph, commencing Monday, August 10, and closing Friday, August 21. There will be no tuition or enrollment fee. Full particulars in regard to board, etc., may be obtained upon application to the local committee, Mr. G. F. Com-

ings, St. Joseph, Mich. In this paper appears a statement by for deserting his wife, or in other not. If it be such the authorities of This is a disagreeable case wherein plimentary to either party concerned. It is a crime, and the officers who enchildren is a specially unpleasant affair. punished as participants.

HON. J. J. VAN RIPER found his family carriage horse in the barn yard dead, Sunday morning. The remains have been properly and humanely cared for, and J. J. is looking for another.

Tims immediate vicinity has been

specially favored with heavy rains

during the past two weeks, while a

short distance north and west of us complaint is made that not enough has been had. Lost.-A heavy double, gray shawl was lost Sunday afternoon, between Oak Ridge Cemetery and the residence of Abram Broceus. The finder will confer a favor by leaving the same

with the owner, Mr. Geo. Hanley, or at

MEMORIAL services in memory of Gen. Grant will be held in Rough's Opera House, under the auspices of Wm. Perrott Post, G. A. R., Sunday evening. A memorial sermon will be delivered by Rev. H. V. Warren. A general attendance is expected.

AMONG the graduates of Olivet college, at the last term, we notice the names of the following persons known visit with Theodore Thomas and fam- in this county: H. C. Rankin, formerly principal of our schools; Rose E. Standish, Watervliet; Jay J. Bronson, ing for a few weeks' stay at his farm, Buchanan, and R. P. Sherwood, of Wa-

THE Detroit & Cleveland Steam Navigation Company have just issued an elegant pamphlet showing forth the many beauties of that famous sumday for a visit of a few weeks with her mer resort, Macinac Island, and a trip there on the Company's elegant steamer. Write to C. D. Whitcomb, Detroit, for a copy, if you expect to go "Summering".

NEXT Wednesday the St. Joseph Valley train will make extra trips for the accommodation of those who wish to attend the Young People's Picnic, as follows: Leave Buchanan, 7 A. M., 11:30 A. M., 4:20 P. M. Leave Berrien Springs, 10:30 A. M., 12:30 P. M., and 6 P. M. Fare, 50 cents the round trip.

ST. JOSEPH people are happy in the thought that they have made a favorable impression on the Committee who are to locate the Soldiers' Home, and that St. Joseph is going to get it sure. There are a dozen or more other places in the state feeling about the same way

DIED .- Miss Lillie Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warren, formerly of this place, known to many as Miss Lillie Carlisle, died at the home of Mrs. H. L. Carlisle, Tuesday evening, July 28, of consumption, aged 18 years. The funeral is being held this afternoon under the auspices of the Good Templar's Lodge, of which she was a prominent member.

A RAND of Italian minstrels struck a pretty good business in this place Tuesday evening, furnishing music for the entire town. The hour being quite late, many of our citizens did not appreciale the entertainment as they were putting in good time sleeping. They are said to hail from Three Rivers.

MR. WM. G. HATHAWAY reports this morning having threshed 202 acres of wheat that averaged 2314 bushels per acre, machine measure. In this is included fourteen acres threshed for David A. Best that produced 580 bushand tipped the beam of a Fairbanks scales at 64 pounds. Considering the fact that this is only Southwestern Michigan this may be called a pretty

THE WEATHER .- Following is a report of the weather at this point as observed by Mr. V. E. David, Government signal officer, for the week ending Wednesday, July 29, at 0 o'clock P. M.: Mean temperature, - -78.3Mean humidity, - - 82.1 Prevailing wind, - - West. Highest temperature, 96, p. m. of 28th " 70, a. m. of 27th. Lowest

- - - 26 degrees. FRED CONNER of Niles was brought to this place Monday by Constable Evans, charged with bastardy, on complaint of Belle Anderson. Both parties to the suit are "culled population". Conner was released upon his own recognizance to appear before Justice Dick Saturday. Both parties have been married, but parted from their lawful partners.

THE Marshal has been granted an extension of thirty days for the collection of taxes. It usually takes about twelve months to collect the taxes in this village, and those who pay last are usually those who are most able to pay. A few suits for the collection of these delinquents would most likely stir them up to more prompt settlement.

No Michigan teacher should fail to attend the State Institutes. The State furnishes the best of instructors for them, and teachers, both old and young, should avail themselves of the privileges offered. The Institute for Berrien county will commence August 10, in St. Joseph, and last two weeks. The Cass county Institute will be held at Cassopolis, commencing August 17, and continues two weeks.

There appears to be an inclination on the part of some who are in position to know better, to berate the members of the Law and Order League for prosecuting saloon keepers for keeping open doors on the Fourth of July, after they had done so with the implicit confidence in an agreement between the saloon men and village authorities, that, in consideration of liberal contributions to the celebration fund, the saloons were not to be molested by the authorities. The decision of the case Rev. A. G. Johnson and the verdict of rested on the question of whether the the Church committee who tried him | Fourth of July is a legal holiday or words compelling her to desert him. St. Joseph have no more right to enter into any such agreement as they are jealousy interfered with the peace be- accredited with, than they have to tween husband and wife, and has been agree that a horse thief may ply his the sweetest morsel Mother Grundy | vocation unharmed, simply in considhas had in many a day. The quarrel eration of his having made liberal conthat has led to separation is not com- tributions to a purse in a horse-race. and because of the three bright little | tered into the agreement should be

This vicinity was visited by one of the heavest rains of the season Friday afternoon. Heavy rains fell on all sides of the village, but in this immediate vicinity the fall was light. In the bend of the river lightning played quite lively. It struck Mr. Barnard's barn, scattering shingles and siding. Some boys were in the barn at the time, but were not injured. DeBert Bliss' windmill was also struck. The current running down the wire used to throw the mill out of the wind, and from there tore up the foundation slightly. A tree in Mrs. Weaver's yard, in the same neighborhood was shattered. A large tin pail with flaring sides, standing in John C. Marble's yard, seven miles south of here, during the storm, had over three inches of water in it that had fallen during the storm. Wheat shocks in that neighborhoood and on Terre Coupee prairie were quite badly blown

Huge "snaix" are becoming altogether too common. Listen to the following from the South Bend Tribune. If this does not stop soon we shall be tempted to favor prohibition and the crowning of St. John as king of the Cannibal Islands:

In the Duplan marshes near Elkhart. an enormous snake is supposed to have made his home for the past twelve years. On Thursday of last week this snake killed a cow, and the farmers of the vicinity decided to join in a general hunt and dispose of the reptile, if possible. The snake was seen to enter a hole in the ground. A rabbit was forced in after it, and after waiting half an hour the hole was blown out of the ground with dynamite, and along with it the snake, which had swallowed the rabbit. The snake was dead but the rabbit crawled out of its mouth alive and unhurt. The reptile by one measurement was seventeen feet long and thirty-three inches in circumference, and by another eight een feet long and forty-eight inches in circumference. The former measurement was taken by a dry goods mer chant who is noted for short measurements when selling goods, so the peo ple of Elkhart accept the latter and longer measurement as correct.

ST. JOSEPH is trying hard to work up a boom as a watering place and summer resort with some degree of success. So great has been the success anything without a sea serpent, and St. Joseph has one. He was discovered | the public be so patient as to wait for by Phil. Genet who describes the critter | the truth? The author of the above in the Chicago News. He says: "I was beating in about 6.30 in the

vening, nearly half a mile north of the light, and was looking out ahead when the —— thing ran its head up out of the water more than four feet but I couldn't stop the boat, and I felt it jar against something almost hard enough to knock me down. I knew then it was a pretty big critter, and I looked over the bow. I should say it was about as big around as a beer-keg, what I saw of it, and its hide was a dark green color and looked like leathto the surface. There was a sort of ridge along its back, and there was a light streak under its throat. Its teeth were a little hooked, and I should say its jaws were about a foot deep. Its eves were about as big around as a silver dollar and they set out each side of how long it was, maybe forty or fifty feet. Its tail sloped off and was flattened out like an oar, only thicker a good deal, and it lashed the water with

it when it dived." Such monsters are frequently seen there near the "bar." but it is not common for them to go so far out to sea, and it is not common for one fellow to see them more than once before he getstired of visiting their haunts. .

Dr. Gray, who has been having such wonderful success (?) "treating the afflicted" and "extracting teeth without pain," has not been here for some time, and will doubtless make that time much longer before he visits his afflicted patients again. His operations here and elsewhere in this county go to prove that he is without knowledge in the profession he pretends to practice, and an episode in which he figures prominently, at Chesterton, Ind. recently, goes to prove that he ought to have a permanent home in some well regulated State prison. It is wonderful how the "afflicted" will flock around such traveling quacks the moment they rent a room at the hotel and shove out a shingle. This is the way he treated the "afflicted." a thirteen-year-old girl, near Chesterton, as

told by the Tribune of that place: "Mr. Butts was away at work and Mrs. Butts went to Porter to buy groceries. Elizabeth Waldo was left to take care of a small boy in their absence. After Mrs. Butts was gone, away, Gray came to the house and asked if the folks were at home. Being told they were away, he entered the house and told the girl she lied. He then began looking under the beds and in every nook and corner in the house to satisfy himself, that there really was no one in the house. Then he began making indecent proposals to the girl. At the same time the little girl was rocking the child, and he ordered her to quit rocking the baby. Catching hold of her he forced her to sit on his lap, and attempted to smother her with his breath. Getting loose from the villain, the poor girl seized the babe in her arms and attempted to run, when Gray forced her to lay the child on the bed. He then threw the girl on the bed and attempted to make her take a dose of medicine, which probably was chloroform. Abandoning this object, ie attempted to use force, and would undoubtedly have succeeded in his hellish purpose, but for a providential accident. Just at that moment Jonathan Wolf was driving through the lane that runs by the house into the main road, and when just opposite the place his horse stopped. Yelling at the horse, Wolf cried out, "Get out you ---- -Gray hearing this, thought it was himself that was meant, and with his clothes unloosened and minus his coat, he rushed from the house. Seeing that Wolf's suspicions were not aroused. Gray returned, got his coat and left.

Shortly after he skipped for Michigan City. When the folks returned home, Elizabeth told Mrs. Butts what had happened, and soon after a warrant was sworn out for Grav's arrest. On Friday he came to Porter Station, and on discovery of this fact, Constable Trateyas went to arrest him, but before he got there some sneak warned Gray of his danger, and he skipped out on a freight, and at this writing has not yet been apprehended. Should he ever be found, it is a foregone conclusion that Chesterton will be an exceed-ingly unhealthy locality for him." Niles Mirror.

The Niles Paper Mill Co. on the 28d, declared a semi-annual dividend of 84 per cent....A new post-office has been established at Fairland station, on the C., W. & M. road, five miles north of postmistress.

"On July 4th Rev. A. G. Johnson resigned the charge of the Buchanan circuit, in writing, to the P. Elder, J. R. Brown, giving as a reason that he and his wife had parted, on Monday, June 29. 1885. On July 7th, Rev. G. W. Sickafoose, who was prosecutor in behalf of the Church, notified the said Johnson that he was charged with deserting his wife in a manner unbecoming a Christian Minister, contrary to the discipline of the Church, and was requested to chose a committeman and prepare for trial. A. G. Johnson requested the trial of his case to be in less than twenty days, and consented to by the prosecutor. The 23d day of July was the time appointed by the P. Elder, to be at the residence of A. G. Johnson. Rev. G. W. Sickafoose, prosecutor, chose Rev. J. F. Bartmess as committeeman in behalf of the Church, A. G. Johnson chose Rev. F. Thomas, and these chose Rev. J. H. Simons, who met July 23d at 9 o'clock a. m. to hear and try said case. After due investigation they made the following report in substance: We find the charge sustained and would recommend that he be silenced as a preacher until the A, Conference, there to answer to the same charge before said Conference. According to the discipline of the Church that was as far as this committe had authority."—B.

I wish by the following publication to call the attention of every honestminded citizen of Buchanan to the false impressions which J. R. Brown seeks to make upon the public, mind by the above. All is correct until the verdict of the committee. Reader, ask yourself the question, in what portion of the true verdict, as given below and signed by the committee, do they say, "We find the charge sustained"? Why does not J. R. Brown publish the true verdict? Answer for yourself. Wherein do you find the substance of the false verdict as given by J. R. Brown? No man could so falsify the truth

and put it before the public only through a spirit of malice and envy. May God pity the old man and forgive him for his course during this trouble. In order that the people understand the true verdict it will be necessary to give a word of explanation. It reads as though Mrs. Johnson was the one charged and being tried. The prosecutor having no evidence to sustain the charge, J. R. Brown, author of the false verdict, being Judge, ruled that the prisoner would have to prove himself innocent or he would have to fall so we set about so to do, not by our that it has reached the sea serpent own testimony only, but by written point. No summer resort is perfect, in | certificates sworn to and sealed. We fact they cannot be said to amount to | furnished such evidence that the com-

mittee did not sustain the charge. Will verdict cannot furnish the testimony of one witness that would sustain the charge.

I excuse those outside of the Church for their indignation, because there are and seemed to be looking at me. Of but few who know what I was tried course I was scared and a little excited for

The following is the true verdict: "We your committee in the case of Rev. A. G. Johnson, in view of the facts set before us in the testimony, submit the following report: We do not find sufficient evidence against Mrs. Johnson of adultery, yet it is in er. It ducked its head and slid off | evidence before us that during their straight ahead, diving and coming up | whole married life that there has been a spirit of inharmony and that he treatment toward her husband has had much to do in giving rise to serious dissatisfaction and separation. In view of this separation and the interest of the cause of Christ, we decide that Bro. Johnson hold his peace until the sitting of the Annual Conference.

REV. F. THOMAS, REV. J. F. BARTMESS, Com. REV. J. H. SIMONS, To the public. Respectfully, A. G. Johnson.

THREE OAKS ITEMS. -A lady stockholder to Featherbone industry. She is too young to take an active, part as yet, and until several summers have flown will reside with E. K. Warren.

Jo. Burkhart, a well known German of this place, dropped lifeless and without a moment's warning, last Tuesday morning. He was buried the same evening from the Roman Catholic church. Apoplexy.

Friends of Miss Jennie Conner will be pained to learn of her recent death, at her brother's home in Aurora, Ill. The hop given to aid Mr. Hibner, who suffered such a loss by lightning, resulted in a cash balance of \$50. The proper thing in the proper place. Do it again.

Whip machinery is being put in place, and we hope to hear something crack before long. Miss Johnson, of Springfield, Ohio, is a guest of Mrs. E. G. Eby.

LAPSUS CALAMI,

NEW TROY ITEMS.

July 27, 1885. Mrs. Thomas Lord, of Buchanan, is here visiting with her sister, Mrs. A.

A. Morley. Mrs. A. Willits, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Chicago and vicinity, returned home last week. The market seems to be well supplied with various fruits, including green apples. No cholera. Yum! Yum! The young men and ladies of New Troy and vicinity met last Saturday evening for a social party upon the lawn of Mr. Alva Preston, and after partaking of various retreshments, they spent the remainder of the even-

ing in having a jolly good time. The choir, last Sunday evening, rather took the cake, for good looks at

The Rev. Mr. Carter has been delivering a course of lectures on "The Past, Present and Future of Mortal Life" to the citizens of New Troy.

With all due respect to my contemporary of the Independent, I would say that his correspondence regarding school matters here, is so written as to convey the impression that the school board has been scattering the hard-earned dollars of this District's taxes in a most reckless manner, and I take this opportunity of denouncing such implications as false in every respect. If there were any objectionable items in the bill of incidental expenses, he should have let his voice been heard at the annual meeting, and not let the effervescence of an unsatisfied ambition appear to the delusion of himself and his coadjutors of the labor of a tranquil mind. SAWDUST.

Willie Bruce, age 11 years, lives at Niles. He is totally blind, but has already acquired an extensive education in the higher branches and has devel oped a musical skill almost as remarkable as that of Blind Tom. After hearing the most difficult composition Willie can reproduce it upon the piano and he shows a wonderful aptitude for composition. The lad has been a stu-Niles. Mrs. Mathews is appointed dent at the Brantford, Ont., asylum for six years.—Detroit Journal.

Seventh Annual Reunion Of the Soldiers and Sailors of Southwest ern Michigan, August 18, 19, 20 and 21

at Benton Harbor, Mich. The time is near at hand when thousands of those who survived the perils of the war will again meet to exchange greetings, and live over, in memory, the incidents of life at the front. The officers of the association will strive to make the reunion of 1885 the equal of those which have been so enjoyable, and attracted such wide attention in the past. The publication of the reg ister of those in attendance last year has been the means of bringing together many old comrades. This feature will be continued and improved, and every soldier and sailor in attendance is urgently requested to see to it that his name, company, regiment, rank and post-office address is correctly register

Gen. Geo. T. Shaffer, who commanded the camp so successfully at Diamond lake, will be in command this year The camp will be located where all will have the advantage and comfort of shade and free from the annoyance of dust. No teams will be required to transport baggage, as the C. & W. M. and the Wabash roads pass on either side of the grounds. Benton Harbor presents many at-

tractions, and her people are manifesting commendable zeal in their determination to give "the boys" a glorious welcome.

The soldiers and sailors need no word

to remind them that the ranks are being thinned with alarming rapidity, and to many the reunion this year will possibly be the last. Let us then gather while we may and make the annual reunions of the association occasions of great interest and enjoyment to those whose bond of affection was "welded in the fire of battle." The people of Benton Harbor have pledged to provide rations of meat, potatoes, coffee, sugar, bread, butter,

beans, salt, pepper, etc., ready for table use, but the soldiers will be expected to furnish their own dishes, draw their rations from the Commissary, and look to their own table accommodations. Ample table room will be furnished. Soldiers not bolonging to any organization, are requested, if possible, to attach themselves to one temporarily for convenience in drawing rations.

each soldier and sailor must carry with him his own blankets, dishes, and such other necessaries as judgment will dictate, for a few days' enjoyment in camp. Post Commanders and all others having charge of companies are earnestly requested to urge these requirements upon the attention of all. The reunons are growing so large that it is beyoud the power of any community to meet fall the wants of the soldiers. Comrades, we must be less dependent and help ourselves as far as possible. The nearer we approach absolute independence the more enjoyable our gatherings will become. Trusting that there may be no diminution in interest and that the re-union of 1885 may afford abundant opportunity for reviving old friendships, and that the camp-fires may be kept brightly burning, we extend a cordial invitation to every old soldier and sailor to meet with the association at Benton Harbor.

For the Executive Committee. COL. D. BACON. Niles, Secretary. R. L. WARREN, Albion, Chairman.

Ninth Annual Meeting Of the Young People's Picnic Association of Berrien County.

[Official Notice.] The ninth annual meeting of the Young People's Picnic Association of Berrien County will he held at Barnard Grove, Berrien Springs, on Wed-Hon. A. N. Woodruff of Watervliet. Prof. O. E. Aleshire of Buchanan, and Thomas O'Hara of Berrien Springs.

ciation. 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.

will be present and address the Asso-

By order of Business Committee. FREMONT D. NICHOLS, Pres.

WALTER KEPHART, Sec. HENRY AND JOHN KING of Sodus accompanied by two small girls, went out on a fishing expedition on Thursday afternoon last. Towards evening they noticed that a thunder storm was coming up and started home. On the road all of them were struck by lightning, the shock felled them to the ground, and it was some time before they returned to consciousness. Henry, when he was struck, had a torch in his hand, which had a lead tube, and the tube was completed melted off by the lightning. All of them were confined to their beds two or three days by the shock, and for a time it was thought they would die, but at last accounts we learn they are getting well. Henry was able to come to town Thursday It is lucky they escaped with their

lives.—Benton Harbor Wedge. [Berrien Springs Journal.] Jacob Louer's barn, about six miles southwest of this place, was consumed by fire Wednesday afternoon. The fire was discovered about two o'clock and originated in the hay. No cause can be conjectured. Everything it contained was burned, making a loss of about \$1,000, with \$500 insurance. Mr. Louer had the assistance of about 15 neighbors, but all worked to no avail.

|St. Joseph Traveler-Herald.] So many people are summering at St. Joseph, or arranging to summer here this season that talk of another hotel, to be built in regular summer rest style on the Morrison lot, over looking Lake Michigan, is again in dulged in . . . The owners of the steamer Belle have inaugurated this week a series of excursions on the Lake, leav ing Benton Harbor at 8:30 and St. Joseph at 9, returning about 11. Dancing and other sports comprise the programme. The Benton Harbor band furnishes the music. Fare, round trip, 25 cents.

| Niles Democrat. | Niles Council No. 628, Royal Arca num, of which the late Samuel Bacon was a member, paid last week \$3,000. the amount for which the deceased was insured....On Wednesday evening Albert Brown was handling a revolver when the weapon unexpectedly "went off," the ball passing through the center of the palm of his left hand. He didn't know it was loaded Henry Jordan and Will and Carl Miller made a voyage down the river to St. Joseph in twelve hours last Sunday. The disance is fifty miles ... A few miles south of Edwardsburg, on Monday, a large barn belonging to David Vancer was struck by lightning and burned t the ground with all its contents, except a buggy and a drill. A dwelling house in the same neighborhood was also struck during the same storm and considerably damaged.

Locals.

It looks to me the firm is hard up that advertises to sell for two weeks. Prints at 3 cents per yard, and runs out in a few days. Perhaps it will win, but the people say not. Iam selling good Prints for 5 and 6 cents, and | John C. Dick and pay for the same and all other goods as low as they can be sold legitimately. Call and see. GRAHAM.

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All persons who in the last few years have taken concrete brick from the foot of Niles hill, are notified to call on save cost. The reason no action has been taken sooner is because the title to the brick has been in controversy, but it has lately been decided that they. belong to me. I want and will have

pay for the brick. 22w4 ANDREW C. DAY, Bargains in all Summer Goods now on sale at HIGH'S, 72

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the last three, months. THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to Suilou's Con-

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BUCHANAN RECORD.

The most cooling drink, if one will wait for five minutes for the effect, is said to be hot tea.

The most eccentric belle at White Sulphur Springs decks her pony with

roses from mane to tail. A Georgia man tried to cut the cords in the feet of his daughter, so that she could not imperil her soul by dancing.

An election for a champion liar is to be held at Giles, Arizona, and the successful candidate is to get a medal and a serenade.

In Arkansas no saloon can be built within 640 rods of a church. Hence the natives build the saloon first; then they erect the church right across the road The deep, dark plot of a Baltimore

girl was to mix some chemical with the rouge used by a rival, so that it would turn her cheeks black indelibly instead of pink. A 19-year-old western girl has just

married her fourth husband. She intends living a married life until she dies, if the stock of husbands only holds out. Little girls in India wear gold rings in their noses. One advantage in this

fashion consists in the fact that the ring wearer does not have to take off her gloves to show her jewelly. Chinamen in Chicago have stolen a number of pug dogs for roasting pur-

poses. The pets of the belles are declared to be very like the breed commonly eaten in China. Fencing is the new craze among

young ladies. Well, if they will occupy the fence occasionally it will give the gate a rest, and the whole business will wear out together. "Uncle John," said Annabelle, "you

must congratulate me. I am graduat-"H'm!" grunted Uncle John; so is our old thermometer out in the barn, but what is it good for?"

The sale of American petroleum in the Old World has been greatly lessened by the product of Russian oil wells, and now the discovery of oil in Galicia threatens to kill what is left of it.

A girl with three arms is an attraction in a Louisiana side-show. She can play the piano with two of them and turn the music with the other, thus saving the expense of a young man. This season's fatalities to venture-

some tourists in the Alps are fully as numerous as usual. The body of one climber has not been identified, though his clothes indicate that he was rich. The foremost belle at a California summer resort is not beautiful, and

her wardrobe is not commandingly

fine: but she drives a four in-hand of

zebras, and that fixes her in the public A man in Manitoba found cool and easy sleep in a hammock swung from the limb of a tree thirty feet from the ground; and one night a wind storm blew him out, breaking all his legs

and arms. Nilsson is about to make her first professional tour in her native Sweden since she became a great singer. She was born in a woodchopper's hut, in the forest of Wexio, forty-two years

Sister Anne-"Now, Ethel, be sure and pray God to make you a good girl. Ethel (praying)-"Dear Dod, pleath try and make me a dood ittle dirl, and if at firtht you don't thuctheed, why, twy, twy again.—Life.

The woman of nineteen, living at Bacon, Ind., who is the widow of four husbands, declares that she is desirous of entering a convent, being convinced by her diversified matrin mial experience that there is no man on earth worth wedding.

The last duel between Parisians was fought with pistols instead of foils; but the deadliness of the weapons was much modified by a distance of seventy-five feet, and a single exchange of harmless shots sufficed to satisfy the combatants

Buglar Martin, stationed now at Fort McHenry, is said to be the sole survivor of the Custer Massacre. At the time of the bloody battle he was a member of troop H of the Seventh Cavalry, and was detailed as Gen. Custer's orderly.

A balloon railroad is to be constructed in the Austrian Tyrol. The balloon will have grooved wheels on its car, and these will run on nearly perpendicular rails, the gas providing the lifting power. Gravitation will be utilized on the down trips.

The prohibitory liquor law of Kansas requires a statement by the pur-chaser and the druggist for every portion of rum sold, and this document must be filed with a county judge. The fee for his Honor is five cents in every instance, and some of the judges enjoy

handsome incomes from this source. A violent hater of tobacco is Dr. Hitchcock, the professor of athletics at Amherst College. He attributes to its immoderate use, especially by immature young men, all sorts of physical and mental ailments, and predicts that a quarter of a century more of excess will produce a generation of weaklings.

Among the remains of Indian mounds in the western suburbs of Grand Rapids, Mich., were recently found two nodules of nearly pure silver, weighing together upward of twelve pounds, together with a small piece of silver foil. Near them were a large copper axe, a sea shell, bone spears, and other prehistoric relics.

The poisonous properties of stockings dyed with the brilliant aniline dyes, it is said, may be rendered harmless by dipping the articles in a bath of rubber dissolved in naphtha or some other reagent. This having been done, subsequent evaporation has the effect -to cover each fiber with a thin film of rubber, and by this means the transfer of the coloring material from the goods to the skin is prevented.

Corks are now made impervious by simply soaking them for several hours in a solution of one-half ounce glue or gelatine in a mixture of three-fourths ounce of glycerine and one pint of water, treated to a temperature of about 50 Cent. Such corks may be made nearly proof against acids if dipped when very dry for ten or fifteen minutes into a melted mixture of four parts paraffine and one of vaseline.

Irreverent jokers put a gallon of whisky into the baptistry of an Indiana church, after the water had been fixed for the immersion of a reformed drunkard. But their trick was turned to serious account by the victim, who standing on the edge of the tank in his dripping robe, described the outrage to the congregation and delivered a ringing speech for total abstinence.

A clergyman and a professional gambler had a bicycle race in Arizona. The pastor's congregation brought a charge of unseemly conduct against him, and he has indignantly resigned. He says that it is folly to erect too high a standard of dignity in a border community; and, moreover, he doesn't believe that the brethern would have complained but for the unfortunate fact that he lost the race.

A witness discomfitted a lawyer by a rather unexpected reply. To the question, "What is your name?" "II. Bamberger," was the answer "What is face on the old man's shoulder. "I your Christian name?" asked the attorney. "I have no Christian name." said Mr. Bamberger.—"No Christian name?" "How is that?"—"For the name?" "How is that?"—"For the simple reason that I am a Jew.—My full name is Herman Bamberger." The lawyer gracefully acknowledged his say?"

"O, papa!" she exclaimed. Does in the exclaimed what does it say?"

"He wants \$20 to get home with."

A woman who would have been pretty but for a crooked nose was assured by a Galveston surgeon that he could operate improvingly on the faulty organ. She submitted to his treatment, which was painful and slow, and the upshot was a worse nose than before. She meditates a suit for damages. Dainty Dude-Melinda, how did you like my serenade last night?

Melinda - I didn't like your position "My position? My attitude, you "No, your position. You weren't far enough away for me not to hear you, and you weren't close enough for

me to scald you."

A deserted wife was hunting for her ausband in Iowa. He had eloped from Maine with a neighbor's spouse. There were only slight clues to aid the pursuer, and she was about to give up the chase when, in driving through a rural town, she saw a lawn lettered in flowers with the word "Rosalie." That was the name of the fugitive woman, and her partner was a skilful florist. wife did not wait to have the gait opened, but urged her horse right through it so excited and confident was she; and she made no mistake, for the guilty

couple were found there. Trained by their mothers to theft and murder from childhood, they are inured to all extremes of heat and cold. hunger and thirst. They are cunning as the red fox, insatiate as tigers, and so ingenious in preparing for surprises that they will envelop themselves in a gray blanket and sprinkle it carefully with earth, so as to resemble a granite boulder, to be passed within a few feet without suspicion. Again, they will cover themselves with fresh grass. and, lying motionless, appear as a natural portion of the field.

The bummer who wished to drink without money in a San Francisco saloon had once been a circus performer, and he thought that when somebody offered to pay for all the whisky he could swallow while standing on his head the task was easy. He inverted himself and gulped up a gless of spirits. The second was drunk with little difficulty. The third choked him terribly, brought on a hemorrhage of the lungs, and killed him.

All employes on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad are compelled to join a relief association, which was endowed by the company with \$1,000,000, and receives annually \$25,000 from that source. The men are assessed, according to their wages, from one to five dollars a month, and they receive in case of death or accident from fifty cents a day to \$2,000 cash down. There is also a saving and loan feature, under which members may acquire homes of

The cave out of which Israel Putnam dragged the wolf is seldom visited because it is in a stony, mountainous forest, in a remote corner of Connecticut. A picnic party recently made the tedious trip, which involved several miles of rough walking. There are pictures in primers of Putnam entering the cave erect, with a blazing torch held above his head. The hole is realy so small that it only can be explored on hands and knees, and an adult cannot turn around in it. The length is 300 feet, and tradition says that the hero followed the beast to the further end, shot him between the eyes by their own glow, and then was drawn out with him by means of a rope.

A French statistician calculates that two thousand five hundred and forty kings and emperors have reigned over sixty-four empires and nations. Three hundred, he records, were dethroned, and sixty-four, finding the misery of a throne unbearable, resigned the position. Twenty-four, tired of life as well became insane. A hundred were slain in battle, one hundred and twenty-three were made prisoners through the fortunes of war. Twenty-five perished as martyrs, a hundred and fifty-one were assassinated, and a hundred and eight were executed after a legal trial.

The Apaches have smoke signals by day and fire beacons at night, and systems of telegraphy understood only by themselves. The displacement and overturning of a few stones on a trail or a bent or broken twig, is a note of warning like the bugle call to disciplined troops. The many crosses dotting the roadsides of Arizona and New Mexico mark the graves of murdered men. "The country seems one vast graveyard," writes Susan E. Wallace, "if we may judge by the frequency of these rude memorials.'

"Young man," said a minister to a passenger who had just finished cursing the peanut boy for waking him up, "does it ever occur to you that we know not what a day may bring forththat we are here to-day and gone tomorrow?" "I should say so; I'm a Cincinnati

drummer.' "Do you know," went on the minis-

ter solemuly, "that in the midst of life we are in de-" "You're too late, old man," said the Cincinnatian briskly; "I've got \$10,000 in the Occident and Orient, and that's

all the insurance I can carry." They were discussing the marriage

service. They were men. If they had been women there would have been no "I tell you the marriage service

reads so," "I say it does not."

"I say it does." "I say it does not."

"Let's look it up." "All right. Walter have you a bible in the house?" "What's the good of looking in the bible. The marriage service is not in the bible."

"I bet you it is" "I bet you it isn't. It's in the apocraphy.'

Colley dogs have been trained at the Cape of Good Hope to the new service of herding ostriches, and do their work with great sagacity. Two men on horseback and one dog will drive a troop of 100 to 150 full-grown birds with as much ease as six or eight men on horseback. These birds are savage when breeding, and will attack any man or animal that interferes with them, but are wonderfully cowed in the presence of the dogs. They succumb at once, and, with drooping wings, cluster in a flock like sheep, and when traveling do not attempt to fight, and so get scattered, as when driven by men alone.

Lord Hampden, who presided at a recent dinner of the London Cabdrivers' Benevolent Association, commended to the members the following lines, which he said he had hung up in his own stable:

"Up hill—whip me not. Down hill—hurry me not. On level road-spare me not. Loose in stable—forget me not. Of hav and corn-rob me not. Of clean water-stint me not. With sponge and brush-neglect me

Of soft dry bed-deprive me not. Tired or hot—leave me not. Sick or cold-chill me not.

With bit and reins-oh, jerk me not When you are angry-strike me not." "My dear," said a father to his daughter, "how long ago was it that George Jackson went West to seek his

fortune?" "Just a year," the girl replied, with a

"Was there anything between you and George? I sometimes thought that he was fond of you." promised George when he went away that I would wait for him for years if necessary."

"I have a letter from him." "O, papa!" she exclaimed. "Does heer-has he-oh, tell me, what does he

The story is circumstantially told by the London Times that a certain baronet, watching to catch the thief who nightly stole eggs from his pantry, saw rats removing them by an ingenious process. One rat clasped an egg with all his legs, turned on his back, and was drawn off with his load by his companions, who held his tail between lheir teeth as a tug rope,

An insurance agent applied to a woman in Austin to induce her to get her ausband's life insured, "Will 1 be sure to get the money if he dies right off?" "Certainly, madam." "But will you give me any assurance that he will die right off?" "No madam, we cannot do "Well, then, what good will it be to me to get his life insured if he doesn't die? I knew there was some catch about this insurance business."

Prepare for the rural fairs. Trim evergreens about now. Hold on to good young sheep: Painting preserves shingle roofs. necessary evil-weeding onions. Work the corn—not "the corners." Be "boss" and lead your field force. No horses in Greenland or Lapland. Weed the flower gardens after rains. Boys, help the girls about gardening. Zig-zag rail fence steals from the soil "Changing pastures make fat calves." Good farm factors—dairies and dia-

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fruits. Corn fodder is an excellent thing to grow in abundance. Go slowly at midday when the mercury is in the nineties.

Forward early cabbages and cauliflowers by frequent hosing. Irrigation increases size of fruit at cost of color and quality. Keep the drive wheels of all your machines in good repair. Every farmer ought to help make his county fair creditable. Avoid wastes from carelessness in

harvesting and marketing. Don't neglect to keep the flower stalks cut from the rhubarb bed. Working teams should often be allowed brief rests in hot weather. Raw meat, if fed sparingly, is as good as cooked for laving hens.

It is estimated that a ten weeks' old chicken will cost ten cents. If a sow eats her pigs give her pork and turn her out on the ground. One or two more plantings of peas and sweet corn for late luxuries. Ducks hatched in June will make good stock birds for next season.—Am.

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Estate of Benj. Stevens, Deceased. First publication, July 23, 1885. TATE 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

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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 forencon, 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.]

Dayid E. Hinnan,

(A true copy.)

Judge of Probate.

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BILL FOR PARTITION. BILL ROR PARTITION.

THE Circuit Court for the County of Berrien.—
In chancery.
William B. Hong, 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. Hong, 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

forenoon of the

4th day of September, A. D. 1885,
at the front door of the Court House, in the village
of Berrien Springs, in said county of Berrien, the
following described real estate and property mentioned in said decree, namely: All those certain
pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of
Berrien, State of Michigan, bounded and described as follows: Commencing 30 61-100 rods cast of
corners of sections 25, 26, 35 and 26, in town 7
south, of range 18 west, thence north 17½ degrees
west, 25.80 rods to bank of mill pond; thence north
23½ degrees east, 28 rods; thence north 70 degrees
east, 24 rods; thence north 61½ degrees
east, 24 rods; thence north 61½ degrees
east, 24 rods; thence north 61½ degrees
east, 21 rods; thence north 61½ degrees
east, 125-100 rods to bank of McCoy's creek; thence
south 7121-100 rods to south line of section 25;
thence west to beginning. Also all land lying botween northwest line of above survey and descriptions and the top of the bank of McCoy's creek or
mill pond, commencing at a point on creek from
which a maple tree is north 8 degrees west, 37
links, and extending to 5th station—2½ acres.
Also commencing twelve rods east of above described corners of sections 25, 26, 35 and 36, thence
north to land formerly known as Ingalls' land;
thence along Ingalls' land in road running northeasterly to southwest corner of land formerly owned by D. A. Wagner; thence along road northeasterly to southeast corner of said Wagner land;
thence south to section line between sections 25
and 36; thence west to beginning. Said sale to be
on the terms following: One-third of the amount
bid to be paid in cash on the day of the execution
of the Commissioner's deed, and the remaining
two-thirds to be paid in two annual installments,
one-third in one year from the date of said deed,
and one-third in two years from date of the Commissioner's deed; said two-thirds of said bid to be
secured by first mortgage on premises so bid in
and sold, the amount so secured to draw seven per
cen 4th day of September, A. D. 1885,

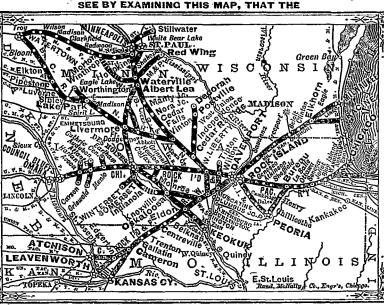
Estate of James W. Gray, Deceased. First publication July 16, 1885.

TATE 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 fifteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and eight wife. sent, DAVID E. HINMAN, Judge of Probate the matter of the estate of James W. Gray, In the matter of the estate of James W. Gray, deceased.

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 excentor named in sail will, or to some other suitable person.

Thereuponit is ordered that Tuesday, the eleventh day 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 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 Berrien Springs, in said county, and show cause it 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. hearing.
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DAVID E. HINMAN,
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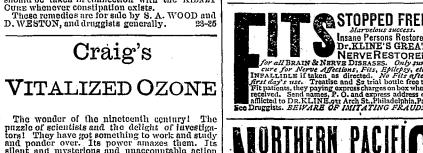
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GEYSERS IN ACTION.

Upper Basin-Provo Valley.

[Cor. Salt Lake Herald.]

phurous blue, and then surround it with

cones of vermillion, crimson, dun, prim-

rose, and deep yellow, on a white or

gray mound, and you have a correct image of it yourself, remembering also,

that they show all degrees of action, from perfect calm to a gentle

simmer, on to bubble and gurgle, and

finally to those which boil with passion

and vehemence indescribable. That

many of the springs should be named

after the spirit vulgarly called the devil

is natural. There are devil's wells.

caldrons, and punch-bowls; why no one

has thought to give him a kettle is a

of the upper basin, you hardly know which way to turn. Here are the fierce,

spasmodic Grotto, the powerful Giant, the massive Castle, and last, but by no

means least, majestic Old Faithful. We

had not pitched our tent before it was

time for that stand-by to give an exhibi-

tion, and, true to his reputation, it came to the minute; at first two or three pre-

liminary jets, as though he were trying

his strength, and then the waters shot

to a height of over 200 feet. It marks

a period in one's life, the witnessing of that grand display. During our stay the Ca tle indulged in an eruption

which lasted, with varying force, for

several hours. Old Faithful joined in

several times, his periods of action be-

ing fifty-five minutes apart; while those

two were playing, a third geyser fol-

lowed their example and sent a rocket-

like stream skyward. It was the Splen-

did, on the opposite side of the river; so the three played in sight at once.

On walking over the Blue Crested

spring, and viewing the Castle from that point, the outlines seemed familiar

to me. I certainly had seen then else-

where. I was in the Provo valley, of Utah, which undoubtedly at one time

was the theatre of exactly such per-

formances as are now taking place in

the Yellowstone. The big boiling pot

and attendant spring must have been in their youth-a counterpart of these two

valley bears a strong resemblance

to Fire Hole basin; a high coni-cal hill, a striking object in the valley, has its duplicate in the basin. The Provo

canyon also bears the same relative position as the canyon of the Madison.

Ages past, then, Provo valley was occu-

pied by thermal springs and geysers

subject to the same laws as those in the

park. Now, in their old age, their mounds are grass grown, and the tiller

of the soil runs his plow to their very

foot, and of their crumbling geyserine

builds a wall around his field. When

Provo valley was first discovered, other

denizens than these held possession; the

deadly rattlesnake, attracted by the

made there his home. Five hundred of

these reptiles were destroyed in a single

day by the invaders of their strange

Some of the geysers in the park are

lacking both cone and mound, and in a

state of rest, and can not be distin-

guished from the springs. The Foun-

tain is of this description. Endless are

the forms, material and texture of the

crater rims, polished, rough, flaky; some are named from their peculiarity

in this respect, as the Sponge; some are

surrounded with globes, hard as cannon

balls, and others are fritted as with

hoar frost; the basins of many are scal-

loped and embroidered with delicate

patterns; there are wedded and single

luxury of a solitary walk; it will repay

you. Don't take a guide took; never mind the names; try and forget they

have a name, and so experience some of the thrill of the first beholders. Such a

luxury was ours after sundown, and

many were the sights and marvels we

seemingly discovered. The strangest

of these was a round pool, tranquil at

first. Without warning, a mass of

water belehed up from the center, mak-

ing the whole pool in commotion. By the time it had subsided to quiet, an-

other ejection took place, and so continually. In the twilight threading between the f.ssures became a feat of

some difficulty. The scalding water

would spit viciously and the hot mud pots were a constant trap. Poth tent

Norway's Ice Industry.

Brookly I Et 1:1

large export trade in ice carried on in

Norway. It appears that a company

has purchased an extensive lake sur-

rounded by mountains in the neighbor-

hood of Droebak, on the gulf of Chris-

tiana, and to insure the perfect purity

of the water from sewage has even

bought all the houses that stand on its

shores. Each winter the ice, which

frequently attains a thickness of three or four feet, is cut by a kind of plough

into long strips and subsequently sawed

into blocks weighing from 100 to 200 pounds. In this form it is shipped for

export, and in properly constructed cel-lars can be preserved for so long a

period that a large portion of the ice

now sold in Paris actually arrived there

in 1881. Resides the regular ships be-

longing to the company many vessels accidently frozen up in the Norwegian

fjords leave in the spring with cargoes of ice. By far the largest trade is car-ried on with England, which, in 1883,

took 53,098 tons out of a total of 51,490

A Good Investment-

[Chicago Ledger.]

Some day when everything is figured

up and a balance struck, it will be found

that the man who minds his own busi-

The Current: Baron Nordenskjold

has advanced the theory that the Esquimaux have lived in the polar

country since the hot period before the

The longest legitimate word in the

English language is disproportionable-

Fear from Cholera.

[Exchange.]

nals, who saw cases of cholera in Paris

last year, says what struck him with most force was the great fear which seemed to lay hold of the patients, so

unlike anything met with in small-pox, typhus, diphtheria and the like; the sudden and extreme collapse, the com-

parative absence of real delirium, and

as the latter stages come on the shrunken

features, the shrunken eye-ball, dark

areola round orbit, and the shriveled, inclastic condition of the skin, so that

when pinched and raised up it showed

scarcely any elasticity or tendency to

Corsican Water-Carriers.

[Philadel his Press.]

by aqueducts. The women gather at the city fountains to fill their jars and

to gossip. Resting the jar upon one uplifted knee, and holding it by the ears,

they fill it from the plashing jets. When it is filled they raise it to their heads, square their shoulders, and march off

without spilling a drop. But the bearing of jars on the head has this com-

pensation: It gives the women an erect,

robust, majestic carriage. They walk superbly, as do their sisters, the peas-

ant women of Egypt, who also carry

Alcohol as a Food.

[Boston Transcript.]

The London Lancet contains an ac-

events, is a source of nourishment-i

burdens on their heads.

e., a food.

Water is brought into Corsican cities

retract itself in the normal manner.

A writer to one of the medical jour-

ness has a good investment.

region became ice-bound.

ness.

A Swedish newspaper describes the

and supper were welcome.

Take my advice and indulge in the

gevsers, and whole family group:

ing warmth in the old basins, had

before me. Moreover, Provo

Once fairly among the famous geysers

mystery to me.

Scalding Water and Hot Mud Pots of the An advertisement in The New York Gazette in 1750 offered for sale "a likely, stout Spanish negro fellow, about 26 or 27 years of age, and understands Soon we reach the first installment of these beautiful springs or wells,

the baking business well." This news which abound in such numbers that to was in the paper: count them would be a task. Nature Last week a quantity of fresh butter has apparently used the arrange-ment of the solar spectrum in obtain-ing her effect, which is startling in three-pound rolls was seized and sent to the poor-house for being nearly

half a pound in each roll too light. in its brilliancy. Imagine a deep, round pool, of vivid emerald, or sul-

Glimpses of Life in New York 134

Among other notices are the follow-A likely negro boy, about 14 years,

country born, can speak Dutch and English, to be sold. Inquire of the printer. Last week arrived here a company of comedians from Phyladelphia, who, we hear, have taken a convenient room for their purpose in one of the kuildings lately belonging to the Hon. Rip

Van Dam, Esq., deceased, in Nassau

street, where they intend to perform

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as long as the season lasts.

the theater in Nassau street, on Monday, the 5th day of March, next, will be presented the historical tragedy of "King Richard III.," wrote originally by Shakspeare, and altered by Colly Cibber, Esq.
Mr. Joseph Hildreth, the city schoolmaster, had some hard things said about him on the occasion of the burning of the city school-house in 1750. He published this card in the Gazette: I beg all those who have been so illnatured as to cast a blemish on my reputation, and thereby added to my affliction, if they can prove any of the gross immoralities wherewith they have charged me, to do it publicly and

speedily as they can; otherwise let

them take shame to themselves and

endeavor to repair the great loss I have sustained by means of their false aspersions Accompanying this is an affidavit by James Napier, who certifies "that he never saw or heard that the said Mr. Hildreth did game or was addicted to liquor, but, on the contrary, he believes him to be a very sober, diligent man." Among other items were these: As we have but little material intel ligence to present to our readers this week, we hope that it will not be disagreeable to inform them that we have been credibly assured that a valuable lead mine was lately discovered in Dutchess county in this province. Wanted, a good negro man that un-

derstands farming—to hire or to buy. Inquire of the printer. To be let on ground rent, for a term of years, four lots of land in the city of New York, fronting John street and William street, called the Horse and

Cart. This is to give notice that his mages ty's ship Hector, Capt. Samuel Maisterson, will sail from New York for Great Britain on the 15th day of May next. This is to give notice that on Thursday last was brought to Cornelius Vanhorne, Esq., a negro man who calls himself Bristow; was taken up at or about King's bridge, and says he belonges to Thomas Freeman of Whippany. The owner by applying may have him on demand, paying charges. A strong, active negro man, a new negro fellow, and five young girls to be sold. Enquire at Mrs. Elizabeth Carl-

hereof. John Brown hereby gives notice to his friends and well-wishers that, having tried in many different ways to support himself and family, though with the utmost honesty and care, yet not being attended with the desired success, has now, with the assistance of some merchants, opened a shop in Crown street.

ton in Broad street, or of the printer

This is to acquaint the public that there is lately arrived from London the wonder of the world, an honest Last week was very cold weather, which we hear has done very considerable damage up the North river to the

fruits of the earth. Female Duelists.

The most celebrated female duelist was the actress Maupin, one of the performers at the opera. Serane, the famous fencing master, was one of her lovers, and from him she received many valuable lessons. Being insulted one day by an actor by the name of Dumeny, she called him out; but, as he refused to give her satisfaction, she carried away his watch and his snuffbox as trophies of her victory. Another performer having presumed to offend her, on his declining a meeting, was obliged to kneel down before her and implore her forgiveness. One evening at a ball, having behaved in a very rude manner to a lady, she was requested to leave the room, which she did on the condition that those gentlemen who had so warmly espoused the offended lady's cause should accompany her. To this proposal they agreed; when, after a hard combat, she killed them all, and quietly returned to the ball-room Louis XIV. granted her a pardon, and she withdrew to Brussels, where she became the mistress of the Elector of Bavaria. However, she soon after returned to the Parisian Opera, and died in 1707, at the age of 37. Under the regency, a pistol meeting took place be-tween the Marquise de Nesle and the Countess Polignae for the possession of the Duc de Richelieu; and in more modern times, so late, indeed as 1827, a Mme. A-, at St. Rambert, received a challenge to fight with pistols; and

A Shower of Birds. Canton, Miss., dispatch: A terrific

wounded him.

about the same period, a lady of Cha-

teauroux, whose husband had received

a slap in the face without resenting

the insult, called out the offender, and

fighting him with swords severely

rain and wind storm swept over Central Mississippi on the night of the 2d inst. It came from a northwesterly direction and lasted hours, blowing in some places washed up corn and other seeds that had been recently were found lying, or sitting, on the crippled from being hurled against trees, houses and other obstacles. Again, others were found apparently able or indisposed to fly any considerable distance. Upwards of a hundred of these birds have been picked up, and, cality, the supposition is that they were caught up on the sea coast by the wind and wafted this way. They the size of the teal duck, have a head the crow. Their legs are short and web-footed; their wings are also short. The feathers on the neck and back are black and dark green, while those on The birds have no tails, and the live ones were found either sitting up or

A Breton Custom.
On Michaelmas day, says a correspondent of the San Francisco Alta, all

down trees, fences and outhouses, and planted. The next morning, at Canton and vacinity, a number of strange birds ground, some of them dead and others uninjured, although they seemed unas they are entire strangers to the loare certainly a species of sea foul, and resemble the penquin. They are about like the game chicken and a bill like the breast are a bright silvery gray. waddling, and made no effort to fly.

the young women in a district of Brittany who desire to enter the married state assemble on a particular bridge, tricked out in all their finery, and take their seats on the parapet. The eligible young men from Penze and the neighboring parishes presently make their appearance. They scan the features of the seated damsels, and when at count of some experiments to ascertain if alcohol is a food. The writer sums up by saying that "unless our results have been rendered fallacious by errors of practical manipulation, which I can haddly think packable our results that length a swain has fixed his choice on a particular nymph, he approaches and offers her his hand to help her to the ground. If she accepts his hand for this particular service she accepts hardly think probable, our experiments certainly indicate in the clearest manner that alcohol, in small does at all it for life. The parents are never very far off on these occasions, and if they raise no objections, the young couple shake hands and the wedding soon follows.

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