

Business Directory. SOCIETIES. O. O. R.—Buchanan Lodge No. 70 holds its regular meeting at Odd Fellows Hall, on each Tuesday evening.

PHYSICIAN. DR. S. DODD, M. D., Physician and Surgeon. Office in E. S. Dodd & Son's drug store. Hours from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

DRUGGIST. DR. S. DODD & SON, Practical Druggists. A large stock of pure and fresh Drugs, Chemicals, Perfumery and Toilet Articles. Prescriptions a Specialty.

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MISCELLANEOUS. BETH E. STALK, Largest Stock of Wall Paper and Ceiling Decorations ever brought in Berrien County. Selling Decorating and Papering specially. Redden's new block, foot of Day's block.

Buchanan Music School. (Redden's Block.) Piano, Organ, Guitar, Clarinet, Saxophone, Cornet, Violin, Viola and Double Bass.

BEST BUILDING BRICK, AND TILING. Having recently erected an Improved Brick and Tiling Kiln, I am now prepared to furnish the market at a low price.

GO TO "THE FAIR" BUCHANAN, FOR JOHN MORRIS, PROPRIETOR. Almost Everything.

BLACKSMITHING. Having purchased the Blacksmith shop lately occupied by Peter Shingler, I am prepared to do up all kinds of work in my line in a satisfactory manner and at reasonable prices.

JACOB F. HAHN, UNDERTAKER. Has recently refitted his establishment, and put in a fine stock of Caskets and Coffins.

A Fine Hearse. Always ready to attend funerals, and furnished on short notice. Being Village Sexton my time is at the disposal of those wishing to purchase lots in Oak Ridge Cemetery, and am all times ready to assist in any manner.

WORKING CLASS ATTENTION! We have just received a new stock of goods, consisting of all the latest styles in hats, coats, suits, and shoes, and are prepared to sell them at a low price.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER. Absolutely Pure. This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kind, and cannot be sold in competition with the low test, cheap weight brand of phosphate powders.

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MEMORY. I wish that I could remember our minister's Sunday text;— "Remember me unto the Lord, O ye that love him." That I might really read when asked about some sermon when I know was very fine, and remember it.

A Flash of Lightning. I am not a detective by profession; indeed, I should not care to be one. I am simply a reporter.

Preparing Killinick. The American Indians never smoke pipe tobacco. It is always three-quarters adulterated with the "Red Willow," common along the Western coast, a shrub about eight feet high, called Killinick.

A wealthy aunt living in Cleveland, from whom Brand had great expectations, died suddenly, without leaving him a penny, died, indeed, leaving him a large sum of money.

How to Become Rich. Artificial leather is being prepared in Germany, by combining with the ordinary leather a certain quantity of pieces of leather are washed, but boiled in alkaline lye, then, neutralized with hydrochloric acid, and washed once more, to remove the traces of alkali.

Grounds for Divorce in China. The Chinese have a firm belief in marriages being made in heaven. A certain deity, whom they call "The Old Man in the Moon," links with a silken cord, or "Red Thread," the hearts of two persons who are destined to be married.

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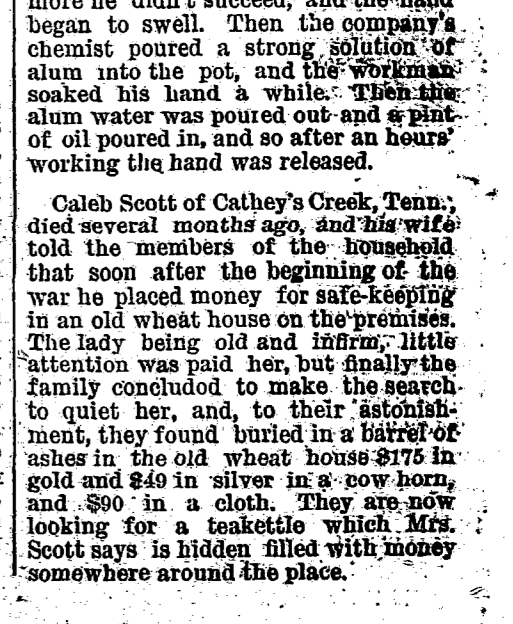
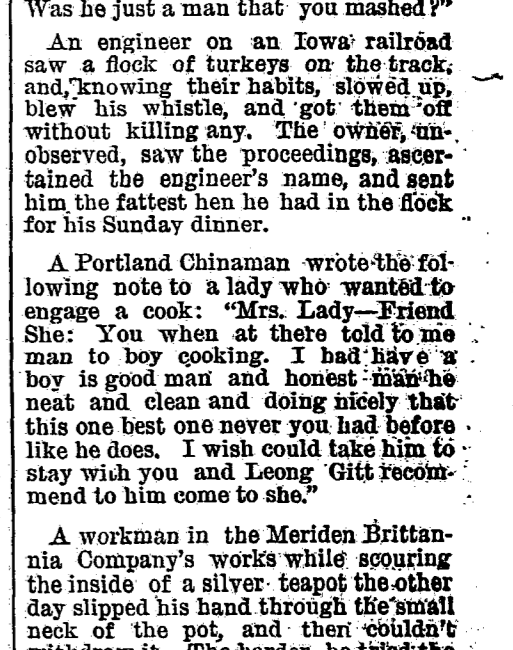
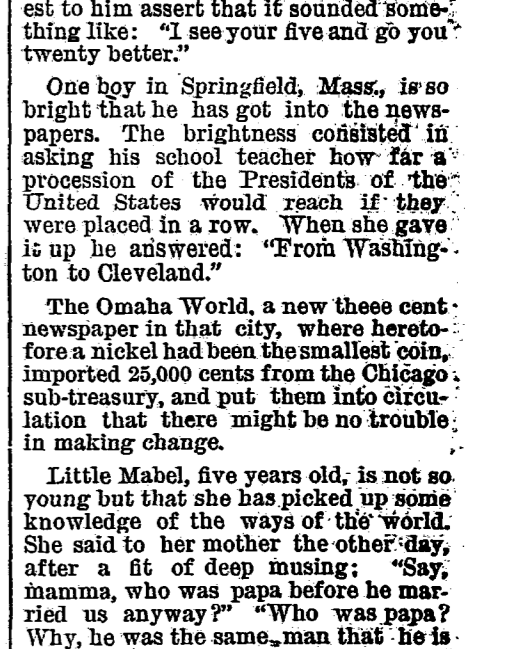
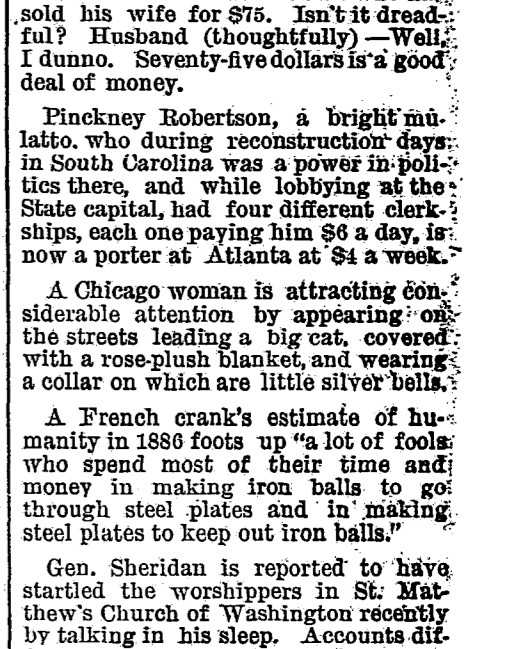
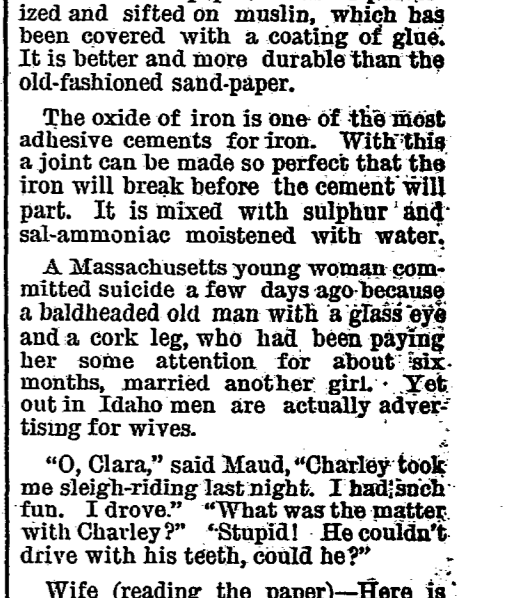
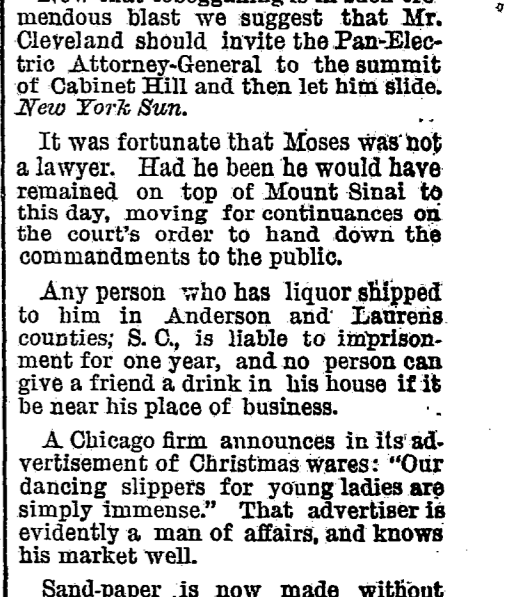
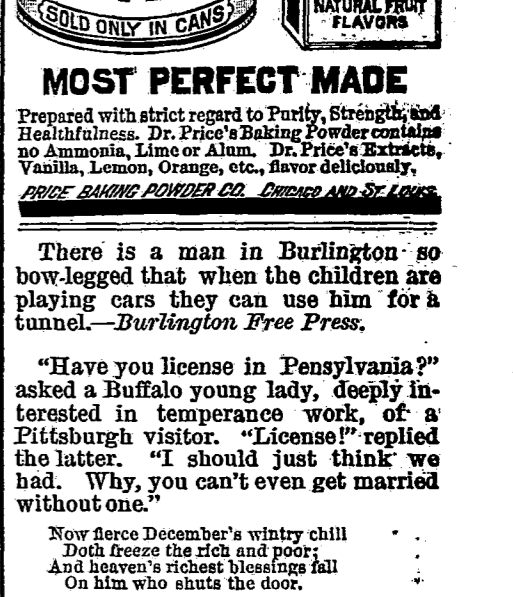
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A STRANGE MAN'S LIFE.

MISER JAMES HENRY PAINE AND HIS MILLIONS.

Grandson of One Who Signed the Declaration of Independence—Rich, Yet Living in Squalor and Careless of His Money.

What is here set down is the story of a human paradox—a man whose mental structure was of a most extraordinary sort. Read and see if it is not so.

James Henry Paine, who had been well known in Boston as a capitalist, a newspaper man and a man of affairs, generally was looked on as far as his friends and acquaintances were concerned, in 1834, by his own act.

Some time thereafter musical folk in New York began to get acquainted with a very tall, thin man of ripe years, who hung round "Dingwells," a place of refreshment, much affected by devotes of melody and harmony in the metropolis.

It was not long before the man who had been heard him open his eyes. So he gradually grew to be a favorite with artists, musicians and publishers in spite of his ways, which were silly and his behavior, which was being for something to eat, which he never stopped till he had eaten.

During all the time James Henry Paine was a frequenter of Dingwells' he was never known to spend any money in the place but once. There he had been given five cents on condition that he pay it out for something at once.

It was while he was lodging at Luer's that people in New York began to find out that the old man had money. He came to Luer's one morning to Luer that a roll of bills had been taken from a hair trunk, in which all of Paine's belongings were kept.

By and by Paine died in the squalid little room he rented at the Dupont Hotel. He fell on the ice in City Hall park and was taken to a hospital, where it was told that his arm was broken and that his hurts were so serious that he would not do and so the end came.

After his death there came an inquiry as to who were his friends, and a man named John H. Wardwell, who thought Paine had money, turned up. Wardwell claimed that Paine had made a will, leaving all his money to his "friend John H. Wardwell."

led during the later years of his life there is little doubt. Certainly his case is one of the strangest that has ever been recorded.

ST. PAUL ICE PALACE. One of the Sights at the Coming Winter Carnival.

The coming carnival or winter festival at St. Paul will include anything previously accomplished in that line; at least that is what the committee having charge of the arrangements claims.

The ice palace will be the great center of attraction as a matter of course. It will be 100 feet long by 30 feet wide, the ground plan being somewhat the shape of a cross.

EX-GOVERNOR PITKIN. A Prominent Man of Colorado Called Away by Death.

It has been said of Frederick W. Pitkin, the ex-governor of Colorado, whose death was chronicled in this paper, that he was "pure in life, pure in politics and pure in mind."

THE NEW WAR VESSELS. The Cruisers and Gunboats Recently Ordered.

War Ships that Are to Equal Anything Afloat in Speed—Plans Released from England—Speed Construction Required.

STEEL CRUISER CHARLESTON. The contract was recently awarded for five new war vessels authorized by congress. We present here careful engravings made from the official drawings.

6-inch breech loading rifles and the usual secondary battery of smaller guns.

1,700-TON GUNBOAT. One of the gunboats to be built by Cramp & Sons, the other by the Columbia Iron Works, Baltimore.

MARSHALL P. WILDER. The Late Famous Horticulturist and Agriculturist.

The recent sudden death, at the age of 88, of Marshall P. Wilder, closes the career of one of the greatest horticulturists and kindred subjects.

A DOMESTIC FAVORITE. HISTORY OF THE CAT FROM THE EARLIEST TIMES.

Origin of the Pet Names, "Tabby" and "Puss"—How the Ancients Worshipped Cats—Their Old Time Use as Retrievers—When They Were Not in Favor.

ERICSSON'S SOLAR ENGINE. The Monitor's Inventor Completes Another Great Work.

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HALL'S \$100 REWARD. \$100. The readers of the Beacon will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages.

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in 1836, and the following year President Lincoln appointed him an army chaplain.

FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT. S. H. Clark of the Missouri Pacific System.

S. H. Clark, who has been chosen to succeed the late Mr. Horst as first vice-president of the Missouri Pacific system, hails from Omaha.

THE GRANT MEMORIAL. One of the Designs Submitted for the New York Monument.

JOSEPH BORTHELET'S DESIGN FOR GRANT MONUMENT. Borthelot's design contemplates a structure to be about seventy-two feet high.

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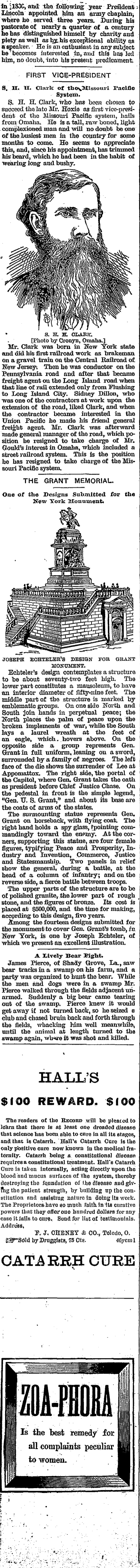
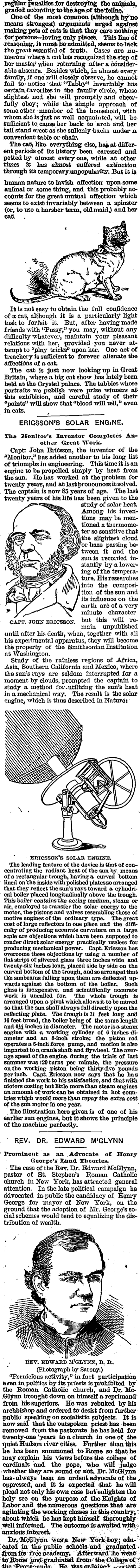
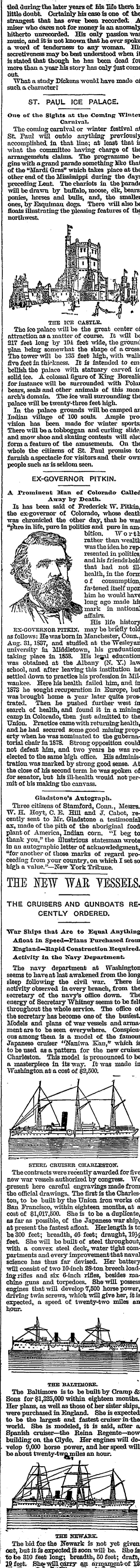
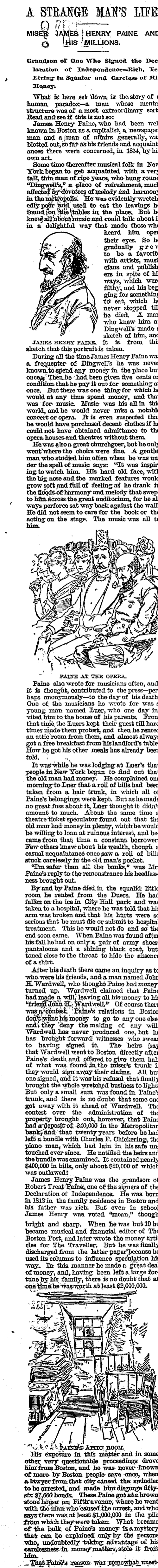
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