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CTATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien,—ss. Probate Court for said County.
At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office, in the village of Berrien Springs, on Monday the twenty-first day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.
Present, DAYID E. HINMAN, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of George G. Rough, an incompetent person. Peter Womer, Guardian of said estate, comes into Court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such Guardian.
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that he is now prepared to render his final account as such Guardian.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Wednesday, the 21st day of December text, at ten o'clock in the forencon, be assigned for the examining and allowing such account, 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 said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said Guardian give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereot, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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There are notes that flood our hearts with the Like the wood-thrush, in early spring.

They watt us the breath of the jessamine white

There are notes that mingle with stranges Wringing sick souls with pain intense, that stays when they're gone. Our hearts

There are notes or suffering, want, and of woe Wails telling of mis'ry indeed, But e'en in the depths, God's pitying touch

ing rain, The echo we catch in our hearts, A glad psalm of perfect parts.

angels wings. A requiem fragrant as flowers; They touch us, and teach us sweet songs ou

And measure life's measureless hours. As valleys refreshed from the bright mounta With verdure and flowers and rife, Thus are notes welling up from our hearts

With pleasure the chalice of life. We carry these notes through the world, and they give To others, sweet musical light;

They sweeten our dying, they teach us to liv And banish all sorrow from sight. -Warerly Magazine.

A GOOD MATCH.

BY EMILY LENNOX.

"Mr. Ainsley Arbuthnot" was the name beautifully engraved on the elegant visiting card which a servant presented to Evelvn Ogden, as she stood before a tall pier-glass, admiring the sweep of her white satin train, and the wave of her glossy black hair. "You are ready, I suppose, Sybil?" she asked, with a disdainful glance at her shy young cousin, whose modest toilet of wine colored cashmere hardly

"Oh, yes," Sybil answered promptly. "I have been ready for some time." around your neck?" Evelyn asked. critically. "You look so-oh, so plain!" She was going to say, "countryfied". but repented of that and amended her

"I haven't any lace," Sybil said, frankly. "I'll lend you my fichu," said Evelyn, less in spirit of generosity then in a wish to have Sybil look semi-respecta-

would rather not borrow any fine feathers, Evelyn, dear. Don't mind me. I couldn't look anything but plain if I tried, and it will suit me better to creep into a quiet corner where no one will see me. I can enjoy your triumphs, cousin, for I am sure you will have them. You look beautiful "Do you think so?" said Evelyn,

with a conscious glance toward the mirror. "I am glad this dress is so becoming. Mr. Arbuthnot just adores white." "I almost wish I hadn't said I would go," observed Sybil, looking down at

her own plain dress. "I am afraid I shall disgrace you, Evelyn. I don't even know how to behave, for I never heard of a progressive angling party before." "Oh, it's simple enough!" said Eve-

lyn, buttoning her long gloves. "There will be a lot of tubs, or punch-bowls, probably, and we will all have gilt fishing rods and lines, with hooks on them. The fish are hollow and have prizes inside. We all fish for them, and nobody knows what he is going to get till the fish are opened. There will be a gold ring in one, they say. It will be like wedding cake. But you needn't worry, Sybil; I'll tell you what

get a position as a teacher, and Evelyn did not fancy taking her out into society; but Mr. Ogden had a tender feeling for his sister's child, and commanded his daughter to show her all the honors due to a distinguished guest.

not," said Evelyn, presenting Sybil to the gentleman who awaited them in

satin gown, with a mental observation: "Overdressed." They rested now upon the slender little figure in the soft, rich colored cashmere, and they lighted with genuine idmiration.

"I am pleased to make your acquain-tance, Miss Weir." he said, with that quiet yet impressive manner which is such a valuable gift. Sybil murmured something, but her

How handsome he was, and perfectly self-possessed! It was no wonder that Evelyn was always talking about Amsly Arbuthnot. He was rich, too, they said, though Sybil thought very little about wealth, save as some faraway thing which she would probably never possess in all her lifetime.

The "progressive angling" went on at Mrs. Bayard's house, where Sybil felt she was in fairy-land, among flowers and fragrance, and parti-colored lights, that shown on a crowd of elegantly dressed men and women, who moved about in a scene of rare beauty and splendor.

ously, as she looked shyly at the su-perb, cut-glass bowls, in which artificial gold fish were swimming in perfumed water. "I would rather not." "Don't be afraid," said Arbuthnot, very kindly. "They all make botches

"Aren't you going to fish, Arbuth- ation that there came just at that monot?" called out an exquisite youth. | ment a ring at the bell, which brought who wore a primrose and an eveglass. "Its no end of a lark, 'pon houor! It's such fun to see those little tin things "I have followed y wirgle!"
"Is it, really," said Arbnthnot, with

imperturbable grayity, while the speaker began to dangle his absurd little

for a lishing-rod, a stick with a worm at one end and a fool at the other." Sybil broke out in a merry laugh, which made Evelyn turn around to see what the fun was.

buthnot. There are not very many people at the table."
"Yes," said Evelyn, sweetly; "let us try now by all means. Do you know, Mr. Arbuthnot, there is to be a german after the fishing, and we ladies

"Won't you try now?" said Mr. Ar-

have to fish our partners out of yonder bowl?" "How momentus!" Arbuthnot exclaimed. "I hope Heaven may be kind to me.

Evelyn smiled at him, and Sybil having a sense of being in the way moved toward the table. "Come. ladies," cried the youth with the eye-glass. "There are as good fish

in the sea as ever were caught."
"Allow me!" said Dick Travers, a
brother of the hostess, to whom Sybil had been presented, and she found herself in possession of one of the gilded willow rods, which were gayly adorned with bows of ribbon, She cast in her line and almost im-

mediately the others were cast alongside.
"I am fishing for you, Miss Weir,"
said Dick, boldly. "I want a good
partner, and you look as if you danced

"I am very fond or it," Svbil said. modestly, "but I don't known much about the german. I think I should be almost afraid to try." Evelyn frowned and bit her lips. What a fool the girl was!
"Why, Sybil." she said, pettishly.

"You are fishing on my side, I want that little fat fish. I'm sure he has got something nice in him." 'You are welcome to him, I'm sure,' said Sybil. abandoning her game pleasantly. "I'd rather have that slim little fellow. Perhaps he hasn't anything in him, and then I shall be allowed to

"Aha!" cried Dick, whose skilled hand had hooked up the first fish. "What have we got here? Number seventeen. Amy, what is number seventeen—gentleman's prize?"
"You dance with Miss Irwin," said

Mrs. Bayard, putting a box into her Dick groaned. "Never mind," said Arbuthnot, laughing. "We are only going to have six

figures. Let us see what you have "Dick produced a very pretty leather pocket-book, which they were all admiring, when Miss Evelyn's cry of triumph riveted attention on herself. "I'v e got him!" she exclaimed, lifting the fat fish out of the water.

But great was her chagrin when she found that it contained no prize at all, and the name of somebody she did "I'm afraid I shall not catch any-

body," said Sybil, who found it quite "You don't go at it right," said Dick. "Drop your hook down deep, and bring it up slowly—this way. Try the little fellow over there. That's right. Gently now. There-aha! What did I tell you? That was well done, wasn't it, Ainsley?" "Excellent," said Ainsley. "Open

him-do. I am consumed with curios-Sybil opened it, laughingly, expecting nothing,
"By Jove," Dick cried, "She's hooked the gold ring."

Sure enough, inside the slim little

fish lay the shining band which everyone coveted. "It is like the Arabian Nights," she said, in astonishment. "How pretty it is! And see this French motto inside- 'Mariau femme, l'anne por-

her shy little flushed face.
"I don't think that's likely," Sybil said. "But I never dreamed of geting the ring. I wonder how I ever happened to.

"There is no great mystery as I can see," said Evelyn, with a disagreeable laugh. "A brother of Mrs. Bayard's ought to be able to prompt one effect-

where the ring was?" "Oh, of course not," was the sarcastic rejoiner. "Ah, Capt. Clyde, is this you? The music is playing. I suppose we may as well go into the ball

D.ck Clyde smothered an exclamation as he turned to Ainsley with a curious look. "You have not fished yet," he said. "There is plent; time yet," Arbuth-

"You always have your own way, Ainsley." Dick said, resentfully, and went off to find his partner. Sybil and Mr. Arbuthnot were left alone by the table.

"Aren't you going to fish?" she asked. "No. I am going to lead the german, and it is my privelege to choose a partner. Will you dance with me, Miss

you." "I will run the risk," he said, off ring his arm, which she took shvly.

"How pretty that ring looks on your hand? desire to put it on with a wish?" Sybil, blushing faintly. hand and put the ring on it. "It will come true in a year, if it comes true at all," he said. "Now,

come! The german begins at ten, and I must tell you what I have chosen." Everybody wants to know who that Dick Travers brought a friend to call He found Evelyn alone in her glory.

the primrose. "Do you think she much on most things, but the fellows say I am the very deuce in geography.' A month slipped by, and Sybil went home disappointed. It was the wrong time of year, they said. She might get a place in the rall, but there was none vacant now.

"I'm afraid I'm not much account. Aunt Hannah," she said, disappointedly, as she sat by the little study lamp, thinking it ail over. "I might as wel have stayed at home, and not spent money going to town, "Indeed," she said, with a sigh, "it would have been a great deal better."

"I have followed you," he said, hold-ing the hand she gave him. "I found that I could not be happy away from you, and I came to ask, Sybil, whether I might not stay with you always?"

her. "I like this best. Sybil, you know what I came for. I love you. Will you marry me?" She was a natural girl, without any art or coquetry, and she answe ed him

out of her heart: "Yes." "Then my wish will come true," he said, lifting her hand and kissing it where the gold ring spanned her pretty finger. "Do you know what I wished. darling? The ring said the ve ir would bring you a husband, and I wished

that it might be me." It is needless to say that Sybil did not look for any further position.
"She ought to be satisfied," said
Evelyn Ogden, when she heard of the engagement. It is astonishing what good fortune some of those plain girls have. Mr. Arbuthnot is the best catch of the season."—Waverly Magazine.

One Issue Only in Dixie.

It is generally conceded by republicans and democrats alike that there are only four states in the Union which are really claimed as politically doubtful, viz.: New York, New Jersey, Indiana and Connecticut. These are all northern states. Every southern state, every state that took up arms against the general government and fought four years to take its life, is a democratic state, made so by rolitical methods familiar to all readers. Every state that proved its loyalty to the Union and fought to maintain its integrity is republican, except the four states classed as "doubtful."

It is well for the young voters of the north, born since the close of the war, to ask themselves why this is so. It is well also for their fathers to put the same question to themselves. Why is the south solidly democratic and the north so nearly solidly republican? The answer is plain. It is because the south was disloyal and the north was loyal. It is because the south still holds that its cause was right and the north still holds that rebellion was wrong. Is the south right, or is the north right? No other issue under the sun divides the north and south to lay. It is kept alive by the south and torced upon us now with more bitterness and defiance than ever. In view of this is it not difficult to understand how there can be even one doubtful northern state?

What should the loyal northern states do? Concede that the south was right by giving her control of the government? This is practically what was done in 1884. Not a single issue has been raised in any southern state in any presidential campaign since the war except the "war issue." Every democratic victory in the south has been won on that issue—by appealing to the southern people to stand by the memory of the past, by their sacrifices and by the principles they fought for. And the south still stands by them. even to denying the right of a free balbot to those who would vote against them. We ask any democrat to show us where any other issue has been raised in a single fouthern state since the war. He can't point to one. What impertinence, then, for any man to charge the north with waving the bloody shirt when these things, true as the existence of a south itself, are

referred to. It is an absolute fact that the south is today, and has been for over twenty years, waving more square yards of bloody shirt than the entire north has ever waved inches. And now, more than ever, the south boasts of its solidi ty for democracy, spits in the face of the loval north her sectional venom and glorifies her BENEDICT ARNOLDS to the skies. It will be the same issue in 1888. The south will have no other.—Detroit

Tribune.

A Cure For Stuttering. The "professor" of the school for stuttering is a jolly fellow, of fine physique and great personal magnet ism, with the voice and laugh of a lion, if a lion can be imagined as laughing. In training his class he commences, in the most natural way in the world, to talk of all sorts of interesting subjects, and soon an infec-tion of good feeling seizes all present. He roars out his words with such force and fluency from the depths of his immense lungs that talking seems the easiest thing in the world. Occasionally a remark is addressed to some member of the class in a conversational sort of way, and before they know it everybody seems to be able to talk. Occasionally he goes the rounds of the class with various vocal exercises for the development of certain muscles. Here are a few of the exercises. Some ministers and actors would do well to practice them: "Amos Ames, the amiable aeronaut, aided in an aerial enterprise at the age of eighty-eight. Obtain all opportunities of obliterations obnoxious ostentations." "Henry Hingham has hung his harp on the hook where he hitherto hung his hopes." What a nut for a cockney to crack! "I like white yinegar with veal very well." "She sells sea shells. Shall he sell sea shells?" "Quixote

dred or so similar ones, fluently, they

Quixite quizzed a queerish quidbox.

Where is the queerish quidbox Quixote

Quixite quizzed?" When the pupils

can recite these sentences and a hun-

The industry upon which some women plume themselves is worse than complete idleness; for it is well to lie fallow sometimes. Hearing a woman highly praised by her asso ciates for her industry, that qualification being the hinge upon which their praises hung, I asked in what line of work she was occupied. "Fancy work." Fancy work is beautiful, is it not? That is, when it is well done, but when one has filled one's house and given away enough to furnish another, what, has one gained? And has the outlay of expensive material brought in its proportionate rate of interest? "I do not know," said one woman to another, who was reading a standard work of fiction, "what I should do if I had to sit with my hands idle," and the woman to whom she addressed her remarks, looked up from her book at the cheese-cloth dusters, which her companion was hemming and ornamenting with many-hued embroidery silks, and felt that she would drift into a state of idiocy were she compelled to pass her time in such a manner. Which was the wiser of the two?

Martin Brooks brought to our office last week a small, white-handle pocket knife which was purchased in South Carolina by the great grandfather of Mr. Brooks in 1734. It has been kept in the family, and handed down from was given by her grandmother. The knife has only one small blade and is considerably worn from use. In oldentimes steel pens were not known and "Old Mother Goose" furnished the only

The Peppermint Crop Abundant. Wayne County, N. Y. is noted for its great growth of peppermint, and this year the crop is very large, it being estimated by a c rrespondent of the Graphic that it will yield over 200,000 pounds of oil. The size of the crop is a detriment to the growers. because the oil is lower than it has been for thirty years past. The usual price is \$2 a pound, but the present quotation is \$180. Aside from the product in this one county in the State of New York, three counties in Michigan yield a small product. The crops in these two States comprise nearly all of the peppermint that is grown in the world. Germany produces some, but more is sent from this country to Germany than is brought this way. Nearly all that is furnished to England,

clover, with a cradle, raked into cocks, when it is allowed to wilt a little before it is taken to the distillery. The process in distillation continues until the last of October. The plant is brought from the fields in large wagons and tightly packed in steam-tight vats. The steam is let into the bottom of the vat, and the oil from the plants thus volatilized. The oily vapor and steam pass through a condensing worm into a receiver, where the oil. being lighter than water, is dipped off, and is then put up in tin cans holding twenty pounds and taken to the re-finery, where it is refined and put into twenty-one ounce bottles, eighteen bottles to a case, labeled, and shipped to all parts of the civilized world.

Why Men Fail.

Few men come up to their highest measure of success. Some fail through timidity, or lack of nerve. They are unwilling to take the risks incident to life, and fail through fear in venturing on ordinary duties. They lack pluck, Others fail through imprudence, lack of discretion, care of sound judgment. They overestimate the future, and build air castles, and venture beyond their depth, and fail and fall. Others, again, fail through lack of application and perseverance. They begin with good resolves, but soon get tired of that, and want a change, thinking they can do much better at something else. Thus they fritter life away, and succeed at nothing. Others waste time and money, and fail for want of economy. Many fail through ruinous habits; tobacco, whisky, and beer spoil them for business, drive their best customers from them, and scatter their prospects of success. Some fail for want of brains, education, and fitness for their calling; they lack a knowledge of human nature and of the motives that actuate men. They have not qualified themselves for their occupation by practical education.-School Supplement.

We are all familiar with the man who looked at everything from a money point of view, and are not surprised at anything we may learn about them. General Skobeleff, according to the story, was working one evening in pond, when a Turkish bomb dropped at the threshold of his tent. The general had just time to see the sentry outside stoop down and throw the shell into the water. Skobeleff approached the soldier and said: "Do you have saved my life?" "1 have done my best, general," was the reply. "Very well. Which would you hesitated a moment and then said: "What is the value of the St. George's Cross, my general?" "What do you mean? The cross itself is of no value; it may be worth five roubles, perhaps but it is an honor to possess it." "Well my general," said the soldier, "if it is

The Secretary of State is in receipt of a note from the Chinese minister here, returning, by direction of his government, a portion of the Rock Springs indemnity, lately appropriated by Congress, which represents the amount of six claims, which, in the final distribution of the appropriation, have been ascertained to be duplications. Mr. Bayard has appropriately acknowledged this honorable action of the Chinese government, and the amount so refunded will be covered into the Treasury.

Correct book keeping must be at a discount at the Treasury department in Washington, if the above example of duplicate payments is a fair specimen of official abilities. - Scientific American.

An Aged Rail Maker.

dren, to say nothing of the three that are dead. He is a rail maker, like unto Mr. Lincoln, and two years ago walked two miles from home one day, cut a year for forty years. But his days cates an early departure for "the undiscovered country from whose bourne no traveler returns." Mr. Sewall has not taken a drink for half a century, but far nearly thirty years of his early life he "hit'ur purty heavy." Otherwise than the cancer his health is "fair to

vance prices." Fruit can baron-"Yes, it is neces-

"The crops were good enough, weren't they?"
"Yes, crops were fair." "Been no advance in the price of tin,

has there?" "No, tin is cheap." "How's solder?" "Unchanged. "Then what under the canopy are

A Watch for the Blind. The Swiss watch-makers have invented a watch for the blind. A small peg is set in the centre of each figure. When the hour hand is approaching a her face to face in the doorway with Ainsley Arbuthnot.

"I have followed you," he said, holding the hand she gave him. "I found in a the hand she gave him. "I found in a the hand she gave him. "I found in the hand she gave him." I found in the hand she gave him. "I found in the hand she gave him." I found in the hand she gave him. "I found in the hand she gave him." I found in the hand she gave him. "I found in the hand she gave him." I found in the hand she gave him. "I found in the hand she gave him." I found in the hand she gave him. "I found in the hand she gave him." I found in the hand she gave hi He can thus tell the time within a few minutes, and by practice he can become so expert as to tell the time

An Antigo (Wis.) prisoner has whit-tled out 7,000 tooth-picks with a jack

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"Joe" Jones, of Georgia, a brother of

A silver haired patron of the Fifth Avenue hotel, New York, who has

their husbands," replied the lady.

True love is eternal, infinite, and al-

young in the heart. were 178,975 of the black soldiers enrolled in the volunteer army of the United States, and of this number 36,-

847 died in the sevice of their country. An Australian edition of Scribner's

that state has issued a warrant for the arrest of a man for committing an as sault with a deadly weapon, "to wit, a certain vicious and large bulldog. Marshal P. Wilder's latest hit is the toast which the modest Trishman drank to the Englishman: "Here's to you as

are as bad as I am." A two-headed calf was born in Duluth recently. The heads are perfectly distinct and of ordinary size, and are connected at the ears. It has two ears, four eyes and two mouths, and takes nourishment in both mouths. respect and healthy, but not strong enough in the neck to support two

was found a fine specimen of petrifica tion-viz., an orange completely petrified, and taken from over forty feet which had thorns on it, but the man who dug it out broke the thorns off

A short time ago, in a well dug on

the farm of Andrew Sisson, a mile and

a half south of Swan creek, Illinois,

thoughtlessly. "Mr. Smith, is it your firm purpose to make this pleasant lady your wife until you meet one more pleasant?"

"Miss Jones, have you made up your mind to be the wife of Mr. Smith until you lose your temper and tire of him?

A passenger on a Georgia railroad with a ticket to Waters station found that the train would not stop there. After appealing in vain to the conductor he went to the front platform of the rear coach, drew out the couplingpin, set the break, and when the car slackened its speed, jumped off into

Three small boys, one manipulating a long stick of molasses candy by inserting it into his oesophagus and

bringing it into view. Second small boy-"Say, Johnny, give me a piece?" "Naw, I won't, coz you axed me."

"Well, I seed you didn't want any." The congressional library at Washington will cover 111,000 square feet, more than two and a half acres. Mr. Smithmeyer, to whom the library has been intrusted, has carried on, says the American Architect, the elaborate tests of the resisting power of the soil on which it will stand. A loaded car was brought to bear on the earth of the excavated trenches in such a way as to prove that the resistance was equal to thirteen and a half ton to the square foot. As the estimated weight of the building is between two and three tons to the square foot, the chances of subsidence of walls and consequent disaster are reduced to a minimum. The German parliament

British museum 97,000. One Albany Voter.

house covers 110,000 square feet, the

Royal library at Munich 99,000, the

One of the "unterrified" made a little mistake on election day. He had been "seen" and "fixed." not to acquire h:s vote, but to retain it. He then march ed up to the polls and handed in his tickets, and with them two little printed slips, each bearing the legend, "Pay the bearer \$1."—Albany Journal.

The Cigarette.

The unusually large number of young men who have been committed to the State insane asylum of Michigan in the last year and a half has led to the discovery that almost all of them smoked cigarettes to excess. In many cases it is said to be absolutely certain that cigarette smoking was the cause of the insanity. It is also reported that a prominent society young man in Detroit has been made deaf by cigarette smoking.—New York Sun.

"Why, where have you been?"... "The girl that waited upon me almost

Lord knows, and so patient, you know. But she couldn't fool me. I know wall enough she was mad enough inside, the deceitful creature! I wonder why Lutestring has such people in his store."—Boston Transcript:

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Deted Oct 3, 1887.

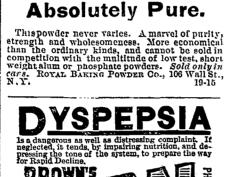
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And make our hearts gladly to sing. There are notes that come with a quickening Half pleasure, and half of sweet pain; But if they should die, with a fait'ring hand We'd woo their sweet music again.

find no word, Or note, to drive it thence.

Bearing love's rythm, a wondrous reed. There are notes that drip, drop, like the fall-

Fill they form a sweet anthem, a happy strain There are notes that sway round us like

suited Miss Evelyn's elaborate taste. "Why don't you put some white lace

"Thanks," was the gentle reply, "But

Svbil was not worrying. She was perfectly quiet-in fact, so much so, that Evelyn fancied her brilliant escort would not be at all pleased with this unexpected addition to their party. Sybil had come to the city to try and

"My cousin, Mise Weir, Mr. Arbuth-Ainsley Arbuthnot's keen eyes had swept in an instant over the white

eyelids fell before that magnetic glance.

"Must I fish, too?" Sybil asked. nerv-

line in the water.

"Do you know what that makes me think of?" he continued, in a low tone, which Sybil only heard. "It reminds me of a definition I once heard given "This will do," he said, detaining the state of the water of the parlor, where only the firelight instrument for writing and this knife was purchased and used principally for trimming goosequills for writing pens.—Butler, Ga., Herald.

"That means you are to be married in a year," said Arbuthnot, smiling at

ually." -"Miss Ogden," said Dick, quickly, "I hope you do not think that I knew

not replied. "There is Miss Irwin, Dick. She looks appealing."

"Oh Mr. A buthnot, I shall dis grace Do you know I have a strong "Well, I haven't any objection," said So Ainsley took her small white

quiet little thing was who danced with Ainsley Arbuthnot; and the next day "Miss Weir has gone out to hunt a place," she said viciously. "She wants to teach school, I believe." "Ah, you don't say?" said Dick's companion, who was the youth with would take me for a pupil? I am not

It was an odd answer to her observ-

are graduated. Useless Industry.

The Goosequill Knife.

France, Russia, and Austria is furnished by the United States.

The harvest begins usually in the last of August. The plant is cut, like

his tent near the Danube, or near a rather have, the St. George's Cross or one hundred roubles?" The sentinel like that, give me ninety-five roubles

and the Cross of St. George!"

The Heathen Chinec.

Turner Sewall lives at the mouth of Drowning Creek, on Kentucky river, near Richmond, Ky. He has always lived in that locality. He is now 87 years old and has fourteen living chil-125 rails, and returned two hours before sundown. He has averaged 4,000 are fast drawing to a close. He is suffering from a deadly cancer that indi-

Vigilance the Price of Big Profits Omaha man-"See here, I understand the fruit-canning trust proposes to ad-

you going to advance prices for?" "We are afraid the job printers' strike in Chicago will increase the cost of next year's labels."—Omaha World.

almost exactly.

knife since his arrest.

Fueilleton. 'Sam" Jones, has made his debut as an 'evangelist," and is described as the liveliest one yet seen. lived there for twenty-five years, claims that in that time his lodgings and meals have cost him \$700,000. "Why is it," said a husband to his wife, "that married women, as a rule, are such terrible gossips?" "Because they find such attentive listeners in

Truth is the object of our understanding, as good is of our will; and the understanding can no more be delighted with a lie than the will can chose an apparent evil.

ways like itself; it is equal and pure, without violent demonstration; it is seen with white hairs, and is always Col. Williams in his history of the negro troops of the rebellion says there

Magazine has been arranged for by the publishers, and the magazine will be issued simultaneously in Melbourne, Sidney, London and New York. Under a recent decision of the North Carolina Supreme court a judge in

good as you are, and here's to me as bad as I am; but as good as you are and as bad as I am, I'm as good as you

below the surface of the ground; with it was also found a small twig of brush,

"Yes. "Then I pronounce you man and wife-until some court shall part you."— Minneapolis Journal.

the darkness. It was not until the train reached Sylvania, some_distance beyond, that the loss of the car was

Third small boy-"Say, Johnny, I didn't ax ve."

The Saucy Thing! "Oh. I'm almost tired to death!":

set me wild. She was polite enough,

publican, says Herr Most, who claims

the gallows is to the Anarchists what

the cross is to Christians; ought to-

sing: in ful in the Shall those four bear the gallows alone,
And all the rest go free;
No, there's a gallows for every one,
And there's a gallows for me.

It has just been discovered that by the sharp work of a member of the State Senate in getting a bill through both branches of the legislature and passed by the governor, giving women the power to vote in all matters pertaining to schools, Wisconsin has women's suffrage in nearly all questions. This is in the strength of the word "pertaining" as the school laws of the State are such that nearly all of the officers are in some way connected with school matters.

A well-known and prominent Coldwater Democrat, while engaged in a little political chat, made this frank confession: "I believe that the best sentiment of the country is contained in the Republican party, and that that organization is the real reform party of the country; but I want the Democrats to hold power for eight or ten years, when the Republicans will become aroused to the necessities of the occasion, and will bring about the reforms the country is suffering for." This man is a philisopher after the prohibitionist school. Their plan is to first kill the Republican party, then get everybody raving drunk and then keep them so until they become so disgusted with the condition that they all become prohibitionists, and a jolly time we shall have.

Florida votes to exclude Dakota from Statehood. Florida cast last year 57,000 votes for members of Congress; at the same rate Dakota would be entitled to four Representatives in Congress. Louisiana votes to rob the people of Dakota of their share in the National Government. Louisiana cast last year about \$5,000 votes for members of Congress; at the same rate the people of Dakota would be entitled to seven Representatives. Georgia votes to rob Dakota, and to keep the inhabitants of that Territory in a dependent condition; in the State of Georgia 27,430 votes were cast for members of Congress last year, and at the same rate the people of Dakota would be entitled to thirty-eight Representatives. Mississippi and South Carolina vote to shut out Dakota; those two States cast in all 85,000 votes for members of Congress, and at the same rate Dakota would be entitled to seventeen members.—New York Tribune.

Could there be a clearer demonstra-tion of the total lack of equity in the treatment received by Dakota from a Democratic Congress? Southern States addicted to the old practice of suppressing the colored vote now propose to suppress the great free white vote of this vast Territory by denying it Statehood, and so rendering its vote virtually nugatory.—Inter Ocean.

Sectional. While waiting to be served at the dinner table in the hall. Thanksgiving day, I was asked by a minister if I attended the union services that morning. I replied, "I did not. We had services at our church and I attended there." On hearing this he said: "Are you not rather sectional in your worship?" Knowing there are others that look upon it in the same light as our brother we wish to give a public answer to his questioning reproof. No. it was not "sectional" for us as a church to hold Thanksgiving services as we did. It was right. We thanked the same God for his blessings as you. Our gift for the poor will be as cheerfully and thankfully received as yours and our blessing from God will be the same for our gifts. For many years as Thanksgiving day drew nigh it has been the custom among the churches to appoint a committee or otherwise arrange a program for a union meeting on that day, in which these churches and their respective pastors largely participated and enjoyed. But in none of these union gatherings, during all these long years in which that day has been thus observed, have we as a church ever been invited to join. Neither has our pastor, who has long been a citizen among you, ever been solicited to participate with the rest of the clergy in those exercises. And now my kind friends we are charged with sectarianism if we meet together under our own vine and fig tree and there thank God for his goodness and mercy unto us during the year that is past and gone. "Sectarian," my good brother I most cordially despise the principle that word contains. If I did not I should not be here to partake of the dinner your church has so bountifully prepared for the public. Yet while 1 sit here I can but observe from the people gathered your union of churches ceased at the church door, making a vast difference with the crowd as to J. Estella Kimmel, Plankinton, Dakowho furnished the dinner and receives

the proceeds therefrom. Religious sectionality. What will it not do? It has robbed humanity of his freedom. It has blasted christian hopes. It has bound them to the burning stake. That sectional religion which esteems ourselves better than others (not as Christ taught, esteeming others better than ourselves) sent Luther a prisoner to the castle of Watbury. It imprisoned John Bunyan for his religious belief. It sent John the Revelator to the sea girt isle of Patmos. with nothing to cheer him there in his lonely solitude save his God and the ocean waves as they dashed against the rocky walls of his prison home ringing a mournful refrain to his lonely soiltude. It set the Roman faggot ablaze. It set affoat all the paraphernalia of the inquisition that men and friends could invent. It placed the crown of thorns on the brow of the Son of God and nailed him to the cross. It has ever been the simoom of Christianity. But I hear you ask, what is Christianity? It is not to fold our robes about us and exclaim, "I thank God I am not as other men are." It is not to see which can build the most costly church buildings and then for years after arrange for a hair-pin social, a clothes- folks, and we doubt if the old gentlepin party, a necktie festival, fish ponds or auction stands upon which we can place our fair daughters, selling them for the evening to the highest bidder, be he a libertine or be he filled with the fumes of liquor, it matters not so that the desired amount be raised | deep and not very gasy either.

to pay off the church debt. It is not to live in such a loose manner as to be impossible for one to tell whether we belong to a church or the world. It is not to associate with the Devil six days in the week courting his patronage, smiles and support, and then on the seventh enter God's house and softly preach him to hell for his wickedness. It is not to believe in the trinity or in a thousand and one articles of faith. But "oure religion and undefiled before God (not men) and the Father is this To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction and to keep himself unspotted from the world," James 1, 27. Now, my good brother, if this religious coat fits you, happy are you, as also will be the widows and the fatnerless.

L. S. Bronson.

THREE OARS ITEMS.

Nov. 30, 1887. The Kickapoo tribe lett our place last week to inflict a punishment upon the New Buffalo people, who have, under the circumstances, our heartfelt sympathy. We trust that they may survive the trying ordeal through which they are called to pass. The tribe left our town without healing the wounded hand of our esteemed friend, Prof. Sherwood. The Professor still carries a hand, which is not yet in a condition to donate to any of our fair young ladies and, under the circumstances, he does not receive the sympathy from that class of our people that he would if he showed any signs of conjugal affection when in a sound

A strenuous effort of our business men has been made with the Rail Read Co. to induce them to retain their present agent, Mr. Baum, for this place, and up to this writing the company have not accepted his resignation. It is hard to say what will be the final

Mr. Nicodemus who has been quite sick for a month or more, is slowly recovering and will soon be out again.

We see many children at work in our factories which, in our opinion, should be attending our school. Would it not be well for the proper authorities to investigate and ascertain whether or not the provisions of act 39, Session Laws of 1885 and act 152 of Session Laws of 1887 are observed.

HILL'S CORNERS. Nov. 29, 1887.

Typhoid fever has been prevailing of late in this locality.

Meetings at the deciple church have closed with a few additions to the Simon Boyce and his brother George

started west yesterday, the former to his home in Missouri and the latter to Colorado. Our Drain Commissioner is on dress parade wearing a brace of pistols

while the clerk keeps out of sight during the day time and it is reported that the supervisor has gone west. The Grange located at this place is growing fast there being some less chan forty initiated into the rights of

the order a few days since. A good run of sleighing is being looked for as there will be plenty of teaming from near here to Galien, the coming winter.

FROM NEW TROY.

George Howard, aged twenty-six, who lived two miles south of this viltage, died on the 23d inst. of consump-

George Boyce, Jr., and Wm. Curran started for California on the 23d.

Prof. Jakways, after a severe illness, has recovered sufficiently, as he thinks. to be able to commence teaching school next Monday morning.

Mr. Sherman Penwell and Miss Eva L. English were married, by H. B. Tirrell, Esq. on the 17th of this month.

Golden Wedding. We doubt if a more pleasant event has occured in this city in many years than the Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Alf. W. Johnson, which took place yesterday. Fifty years ago these two joined hearts and hands for life. and for half a century they have shared its trials and its blessings together. Alfred W. Johnson, and Dezire Howe. ldest daughter of the late Frederick Howe, were married Nov. 23, 1837, in a log house on the present farm of Chas. F. Howe, in Bertrand township, the Rev. Mr. Selkirk berforming the ceremony. At the time of their marriage Mr. Johnson had his present residence, on Hickory street, built and ready for occupancy. To this home he brought his bride, and for fifty years they have dwelt beneath its sheltering roof, and where they have reared a large family of children, and one of the happiest reflections of the golden wedding was that death has never invaded the family circle and all the household treasures were present to bless father and mother on their tiftieth anniversary of connubia happiness. The following are the names of the children and their residences: John F., Richard M., Frank M., and George F., all of Chicago; Mrs ta; Mrs. Orson McKay, of South Bend; Mrs. Capt. John A. Montague, and Chas. A. Johnson, of this city, the latter Cashier of the First National Bank. An elegant dinner was given by the parents at the residence of Chas. A. Johnson, but the real social features. of the day occurred at the old home. and the event coming as it did on the eve of Thanksgiving, seemed to invest it with an interest to the children even more precious than the flight of years gave it. In addition to the unbroken family, there were present Ambrose Ames, Syracuse, New York; Mrs. Sarah Budd, Watkins, New York; Mrs. A. Bliss, New York City; Delos Bliss,

Jersey City, New Jersey; Dr. Hopkins, Marshall, Mich.; D. C. Bullard, Grand Ledge, Mich.: James Reynolds and wife, Terre Coupe. Ind.; Chas. F. Howe and wife, Bertrand township; H. J. Howe and wife, Berrien Springs; Mrs. H. G. Samson and daughter, Buchanan: Capt. R. A. DeMont and wife, Howard Ewalt and wife, James B. Madison and wife, South Bend; Harry, Fred, and May Howe, Buchanan; Mrs. Major Kimmel, Niles; Mrs. Ella Danforth and Horace Howe, Buchanan; Mr. and Mrs. S. French, Bertrand; Mesdames Frank and Geo. Johnson, Chicago; Capt. J. A. Montague, of this city, and Orson McKay, of South Bend, all of whom owe allegiance to the Johnson

family, save Mr. D. C. Bullard, either by lineal descent or by marriage. Mr. Johnson and his good wife were generously remembered in the way of presents by their children and kinsman has seen a happier day since he led his blushing bride to the altar. The bridegroom of the golden wedding is 77 and the bride 72.-Niles Republican,

Nov. 24, 1887. Jackson gas well about 2,500 feet ROOF GARDEN IN NEW YORK.

One Woman Prefers to Stay in Town and Enjoy the Luxuries of Her Own Home. There is a woman who ranks among the half dozen richest of her sex in New York, good looking, liked by society men and women alike, measurably youngnot very far on either side of the boundary line of 30, that is-who puzzles in summer everybody who knows her. She never goes out of town. She has a cottage at Newport, but has not opened it in five years; she has a house at Lenox, but visits it only in the early spring, when the first flowers are peeping from under the snowdrifts, or in the late autumn, when the leaves are turning. She is widow, but it has never been supposed that the vestiges of a grief which does not keep her from dancing in winter would shut her up within brick walls in July.

"What keeps you here in this weather?" a reporter asked her, as the sun beat against the closed blinds two or three mornings ago. "I stay simply because I like it," she "New York is summer resort enough for me. Everybody passes through

the city from east, west, north or south on their way somewhere in course of the summer, and I meet more friends than I could in any other way. I have a fancy for being comfortable, too, and summer is no time to try to be comfortable in the country. When it is hot there, of all times, one wants the conveniences of one's own home " "But don't you pine for a sight of

something green?" "For the matter of that I have greenery enough here. Come to my garden,

At mention of a garden the writer's eyes opened wide, for the house, like many another in the city, covers every inch of ground belonging to it that the building laws allow. But my hostess led the way, not out, but up. Her garden was on the roof, and an elevator jogged lazily skyward with us. A roof garden is a New York whimsy, and this roof was most elaborate. A light rail inclosed the elevated promenade, and this was completely hidden from view by the rank growth of scarlet bean, nasturtiums, morning glories and other climbers that ran over it. Pots of palms, tree ferns and every known plant that will stand the fervors of a New York roof summer were disposed here and there, and boxes of mignonette and vivid scarlet geraniums flourished partly protected by the shade. There were sweet peas in blossom, a tiny fountain played with animation and a hammock was swung in a corner under an awning.

"You see, I am monarch of all I survey," and the hostess waived her hand over a torrid city. "It's not a midday resort exactly, but in the morning or at twilight not the Catskills themselves have a better breeze. And then you know"and the matter assumed an aspect not many city women think of—"I can send two or three dozen fresh air children out for a fortnight's holiday for less money than I have often spent in two or three days' outing myself."

The roof garden has its strong points indeed.—New York Mail and Express.

An Easy Cure for Sleeplessness. I had frequently noticed that when engaged in deep thought, particularly at night, there seemed to be something like compression of the eyelids, the upper one especially, and the eyes themselves were apparently turned upwards, as if looking in that direction. This invariably occurred; and the moment that, by an effort, I arrested the course of thought and freed the mind from the subject with which it was engaged, the eyes resumed their natural position and the

compression of the lids ceased. Now, it occurred to me one night that I would not allow the eyes to turn upwards, but kent them the opposite position, as if looking down: and, having done so for a short time, I found that the mind did not revert to the thoughts with which it had been occupied, and I soon fell asleep. I tried the plan again with the same result; and after an experience of two years, I can truly say that, unless when something specially annoying or worrying occurred. I have always been able to go to sleep very shortly after retiring to rest. There may occasionally be some difficulty in keeping the eyes in the position described, but a determined effort to do so is all that is required, and I am certain that if kept in the down looking position, it will be found that composure and sleep will be the result.-Chambers' Journal.

Our Swift Paced Lives.

The feverish activity of this generation, the race for place and wealth, the impatience with delay, the readiness to sacrifice health maxims, in order to take a short cut to success, make a prophecy that these swift paced individuals reach old age an exceedingly venturesome pre-diction. Probably, if young men about deciding on a calling should consult a doctor for advice as to the vocation most conducive to longevity, their graves would not open so early, but what about their work? No doubt if any of the men and women over 80 now living in New England were asked their recipe for attaining old age their answer would be, in part: "Work as hard as you can, and think as little as possible about breaking down."-Boston Advertiser.

Dr. Doremus says that the lightest tissues can be rendered uninflammable by dipping them in a solution of phosphate of ammonia in water. It will be found impossible to set the fabric so

treated on fire. Women Employed in England. The number of women employed in definite occupations in England and Wales was at the census of 1881 3,403, 918. Of these 1,599,789 were employed in various industries, constituting a little over one-fourth of the industrial population; 64,840 were engaged in agriculture and 1,545,302 were domestic servants. "A Woman" writing on this subject in The Pall Mall Gazette says: "Domestic service is a perfectly womanly occupation, because it implies that complete surrender of liberty and that subordination to another's will which are the brighest jewels of the female crown, but even here woman's inferiority is duly marked by lower wages, the butler being more highly paid than the housekeeper, the valet than the lady's maid, the chef than the-why the word has not even a feminine-we are obliged to say the female cook. The remaining women who are paid for their work are employed in teaching, nursing, laundry and other minor occupations. Outside these are 4,458,908 women who are 'unoccupied' -that is, unpaid-and of whom the census report says that they are mostly married and employed in domestic and other work. As these do not render service for pecuniary remuneration we are not here concerned with them, save to note that the women who gain their own livelihood number but 1,000,000 less than their so called 'more fortunate sisters.' ' -Philadelphia Times.

Test for Drinking Water.

When you go out of town to a summer hotel take in your dressing bag an ounce vial of saturated solution of permanganate of potash, which any druggist will prepare for a few cents, and put half a dozen drops into a tumbler of the drinking water that is supplied. If it turns brown in an hour it is, broadly speaking, unfit to drink; if not, it is not especially harmful. If a country hotel's sewerage system is confined to cessnools within 100 feet of the house, and near the water supply, take next train to a point further on .- American Magazine.

"Baby Life Insurance" Companies. It is said that there are over 300,000 children, between 1 and 12 years of age, who are insured in four "baby life insurance" companies in the United States. They are mostly the children of workingmen, and the insurance is usually carried to defray funeral expenses in case of death. A baby cannot be insured until it attains the age of at least 1 year. The premium is paid, as a rule, weekly, and is five cents a week in all cases.—Frank

The toboggan business is run in Battle Creek for the profit there is in it. Forty rides cost \$1.

Over 500 marriage licenses have been issued in Wayne county, since the new law come into effect.

Three express companies with thirteen regular teams and twenty-seven men, also extra hands, are rushed by celery shipments at Kalamazoo.

PHACTS AND PHYSIC.

the pugilist, as he landed his fist on his

"That one struck scenter," remarked

opponent's nose. Girls and Mothers Read This! I wish to tell you of the case of a girl sixteen years old, who had been ick with suppression two years. Her father had paid over \$300 for doctors' bills, still she was failing. She had the worst countenance that I have ever seen, a kind of greenish rellow she was emaciated, had constant bowe trouble, and had to take morphine every night in order to sleep at all. All who saw her thought she would lie. Her parents said they had done all they could. I repeatedly urged them to try Zoa-Phora, but they were strongly prejudiced against "nostrums." Finally the mother said, "We must do something, and this is as likely to help her as anything." She and I persuaded the father to let the girl try it. As a result in four months her functions were established and regular, and in six months she was the picture of health-a living wonder to all who

know her. I could describe twenty other cases not as wonderful as this, but still very remarkable cures.

MRS. MARY C. CHANDLER. Battle Creek, Mich. God has placed the genius of women in their hearts; because the works of

this genius are always works of love.

Learned Professors Say. The most serious diseases of the neart, says Prof. Da Costa, may occur without any symptoms. Prof. Troussean, of Paris, states that death from neart disease is usually caused by congestion of the lungs, liver, stomach or kidneys, from imperfect circulation of the blood. Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart is the latest and most relia ble remedy for this little understood but grave disease. It has cured thousands of cases. Don't fail to try it. Ask for testimonials. Sold at W. H. Keeler's Drug Store.

A Kentucky jury has acquitted a man named Pendulum of murder, and so he won't have to swing.

The most delicate constitution can safely use Dr. J. H. McLean's Tar Wine Lung Balm. It is a sure cure for coughs, loss of voice, and all throat and lung diseases. When a man tries to do the work of

three the work of two generally remains undone

A Narrow Escape.

Mrs. Lickerell, of Middlebury, Ind., had a very narrow escape from the insane asylum. For years she was subject to headache, palpitation, spinal pain, sleeplssness and nervous prostration. For three years she had convulsions, often as many as fifty a night. Able physicians failed to help her. At last after taking that wonderful remedy, Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. for six weeks she was entirely cured. It is a recent discovery by one of the greatest living physicians, and is working wonders. Trial bottle fre at W. H. Keeler's Drug Store. What smells most in a chemist shop?

The nose.

You can get a quart bot le of Johnsons' Sarsaparilla for one dollar, at W. F. Runner's. 44y1 When is a lady's cheek not a cheek?

When is a little pale (pail).

What a Pity that so many otherwise attractive, polite and particular people afflict their friends by the foul and disagreeable odor of their breath; it is mainly caused by disordered digestion, and can be corrected by removing the cause, by using that pure medicine, Sulphur Bitters.—Health Magazine.

If a poker, shovel and tongs cost a dillar, what will a ton of Lehigh coa come to? Ashes.

Marshall Hali's ready method in drowning, as to what to do and how to do it, will be found in Dr. Kaufmann's Medical Work; fine colored plates from life. Send three 2cent stamps, to pay postage, to A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass., and receive a copy free.

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THERE has been sleighing in Berrien Springs. Pretty gritty, however. A daughter has been at the home of

Wm. P. Miller since Friday. ELDER J. H. PATON will preach in

the Old Advent Church next Sunday. If you have any friends who are

seeking a location invite him to come REV. W. I. COGSHALL will preach in

the M. E. church on Tuesday night, Dec. 6, at seven o'clock. Lowest temperature during the

week, 7; highest, 59. At seven this ROLLA ROE, Miss Wilma Roe and

Guy Osborn, from Chicago, were at home for Thanksgiving. MISS GEORGIA EMERY, who is teach-

ing in Michigan City, was at home for THE next meeting of the Young

People's Alliance of the M. E. church will be held in this place in March. NILES CITY tax sales had to be ad-

vertised twice, on account of a mistake of one figure.

NILES must be on a rather unstable foundation. The 180 feet of the new gas-well is quicksand.

JOHN M. ROUCH has bought the George H. Rough property, on Day's avenue, and will move to town.

Pensions were granted, Nov. 23, to

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A JOINT meeting of the school inspectors of Oronoko and Buchanan townships will be held at Henry Howe's office, next Tuesday.-B.S.

THE time in which you may procure a copy of the new Atlas of Berrien county is becoming short. Send your rien Springs.

AUBURN, INDIANA, gas fever has reached Niles as well as South Bend. It is too bad to have so many expensive holes in the ground and neither

St. Jo Republican is offering \$5 reward for the fellow who will write the best article booming St. Joseph as a summer resort.

A SILK handkerchief and a blanket have been left at this office for owners. If not called for soon they will be confiscated in the name of the king and

returned to the finders. CLIPPER Hose Co. will give an Oyster supper in S. O. V. Hall, Satur-

day evening. Oysters on tap from 5 to 10 o'clock. It will be pleasant to be there.

THE Thanksgiving sermon of Rev. Moore was left here for publication but as it would require about seven columns to hold it, we defer the publication until next year.

GALIEN and Berrien Springs have the privilege to legally prohibit the sale of liquors within their limits, Galien does so. All of the rest of the county may do likewise. Will it?

FRED SMITH, who went to California a few weeks since, returned Friday fully as well pleased with Buchanan as when he went away. He thinks there will be well beaten paths along out having found them.

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ELDER L. L. CARPENTER, Evangelist, will commence a series of meetings at the Christian Church next Saturday evening. Preaching every evening next week. All are are invited to come and hear this gifted preacher.

ONCE more has our railroad been heard from. To be built in 1888. No failure. Four miles west of Berrien Springs. Change of County Seat sure to follow. The scrabble for it will be the most interesting had in Berrien county in many a day.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Dec. 1: Miss Minnie Alexander, Mr. J. D Beldon, Mr. James Lockwood, W

J. L. RICHARDS, P. M.

LAND TRADE.—The Helmick Brothers. Eli and Burns, have traded their farms near Mt. Tabor, 240 acres, with S. A. Earl for his farm of seventy acres near Bridgman and a farm in

THERE is a new proprietary medicine firm in town. Properly handled, there are but few businesses that yield better income than certain kinds of medicines, the chief cost being in the advertising, which must be done with a liberal yet judicious hand to succeed.

REV. MR. HAMILTON and family are enjoying a visit from their son, Mr. E. A. Hamilton, who has resigned his position with the Grand Rapids and Indiana Rail Road, and will shortly go to California seeking, on account of catarrhal trouble, a milder climate.

Is Berrien county to make an attempt to vote upon the local option question? Wonder where these prohibitionists are who were so enthusiastic during the last few campaigns. Now that there is an opportunity to make their hobby of value to suffering humanity they do not peep.

WE would be very thankful if the person who borrowed our book entitled highly on account of the tragic manner | that on the fourth day of January, A. of its origin, it having been written by | D. 1888, at a meeting of the board of Thomas Paine a number of years after

tem of lighting. The Edison electric system is the most popular and best for domestic use. Can a plant not be secured here? They are being made profitable in other towns of no greater wealth or business. The mill-wheel has finished its work of grinding wheat, but it could make electric light very

THE services at the M. E. church next Sunday will be of unusual interest. Rev. Dr. J. H. Potts, of Detroit, the Editor of the Michigan Christian Advocate, will preach. He is an able preacher, and though utterly deaf, his voice is as perfectly modulated as though his hearing were accute. The church has been tastily papered and presents a neat appearance.

a very pleasant gathering and they township of Niles, county of Berrien Reuben H. Rice, Niles, Harry Smith, have the hearty good wishes of their numerous friends, both present and absent, for their continued happiness through life.

FROCK DAVIS had his examination for assault upon Frank Merson Tuesday, and was bound over for trial before the Circuit Court next January. He will try to entertain the boys in jail until that time. He can have a better time there than in Buchanan. subscription to W. W. Graves at Ber- | get his feed free, play cards, dance to their patting, and enjoy himself as if it were warm weather. As there are thirteen in jail now, he will not need for company.

THE treatment which the publishers of this county receive at the hands of the board of Supervisors will be a very proper subject to come up before the next meeting of the Berrien county press club.-St. Jo. Republican.

No one is to blame for it but the publishers themselves. They started the idea of working for the county for nothing and the practice has been carried so far the Supervisors have concluded that they must do so.

THE Michigan State Sunday School Association will hold its next annual Convention in the city of Kalamazoo, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 13, 14 and 15, commencing Tuesday evening. Mr. B. F. Jacobs, of Chicago, is expected to be present during the entire Convention, and other noted. Sunday School workers are upon the program. Berrien county must be well represented in this Convention. Every Sabbath School in the county is invited to be presented by delegates in this Convention.

THE bonds of Wm. Burke and Byron Smith with S. W. Redden and E. W. Sanders as sureties, was presented to the Common Council for approval and after discussion was laid upon the table. It is the intention of the gentlemen to commence the saloon business in White Redden's building just vacated by Boyle & Baker. There are a good many people in Buchanan who the several railroads next spring, are satisfied that one saloon is enough made by those who have gone there to | for a small town, the size of this, and seek fortunes and are returning with. | there are more who think that one too

MISS ANNA MEFFERT, who has been in Chicago the past summer, was called here last week by the death of her sis- | The Buchanan Manufacturing Comter, Mrs. Henry Kormann, which occurred in Niles Saturday.

WE find the following telegram in a

Detroit paper: ST. JOSEPH, Nov. 24.—The badly decomposed remains of a man about 85 or 40 years old were found on the beach here this morning. The large hip bones were crushed and the abdoman was badly macerated. The scalp was gone. There appeared to have been a reddish or sandy beard on side of the face. The muscles were largely developed, with remarkably small hands and feet. The body was that of a person about 5 feet 8 inches in hight weighing about 160 or 175 pounds. The teeth are moderately large and irregular. The body had on no clothing except part of a blue cotton shirt.

THE regular meeting of the Business Men's Association was held in Y. M C. A. hall, Monday evening, and was well attended. Several projects for the advancement of Buchanan interests recieved free discussion. Among other things a dam in the river at this point, and a committee of five was appointed to enquire as to the feasibility power to be derived, probable cost, and such other items of interest per taining thereto as might suggest themselves. A committee was also appointed to look to the starting of the celery interest in the neighborhood. The interest shown at these meetings indicate a genuine intention to do what can be done to give Buchanan a boost that will be appreciated. There is but one way to make a town or anything else move, and that is to move it and this appears to be pretty well understood by the association.

THE Buchanan Manufacturing Company, after having a boom of about six months, since they put the Queen folding bed upon the market, find that their fast increasing business demands more capital, and have made application to the Secretary of the State to have the capital stock increased from \$40,000 to \$100,000. This stock will then be offered for sale, and it stands every business man in hand to do all he can to help by buying stock, \$100, if he cannot stand more. More, if possible. The stock will not be a dead investment by any manner of means The company has full control of the best fo'ding bed in this or any other market, can sell every one they can make at a good live profit. It is the wish of the directors to put up a new brick building to accommodate the finishing work, now being done in the rooms of the Wagon Works, and requiring a large amount of hauling, and thus make expenses lighter. With this addition of room an addition of 100 or more hands will be made, and it is here that the business men will reap their benefit.

PUBLIC NOTICE. We, the subscribers, freeholders of 'Philosophy of Creation' would return | the townships of Niles and Buchanan the same. We prize the book very as indicated below, hereby give notice, supervisors of the county of Berrien, in the State of Michigan, to be held on said day, in the Supervisors' room in BUCHANAN needs some different sys- the court house of the county of Berrien, in the village of Berrien Springs, in said county of Berrien, we, said subscribers, and other freeholders of said townships of Niles and Buchanan. will present an application to said board of supervisors, praying said board to alter the boundary line between the township of Niles and the

township of Buchanan in said county as follows to-wit: By detaching all the lands in the said township of Niles lying west of the west boundary line of sections five, eight, seventeen, twenty, twenty-nine and thirty-two, and attaching the same to said township of Buchanan, so that the west boundary line of the township of Niles and the east boundary line of the township of Buchanan, shall be the section line running north and south between sections five and MARRIED, at the residence of the six, seven and eight, seventeen and bride's parents in Niles township, Nov. | eighteen, nineteen and twenty, twenty-23, by Rev. A. P. Moore, Melvin O. nine and thirty, and thirty-one and Burditt and Miss Ona May Weaver, | thirty-two, in town seven south, range daughter of Liberty Weaver. It was seventeen west, that is to say, in the

township or Talles,	•
and state of Michigan.	
FREEHOLDERS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NILES.	FREEHOLDERS OF TH TP. OF BUCHANAN.
WM, BLAKE,	WM. BURRUS,
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JOHN M. PLATTS.	A. Broceus.
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GEO. SWINK,	Jos. W. FULLER
ED. E. CALVIN,	WM. CONRADT,
A. J. CAROTHERS,	GEORGE SEARL
JOHN PEARS,	E. A. BECKWITH
BURTON JARVIS.	Wм. Broceus.

List of Jurors.

The following is the jury list for the

January term: Orson O. Bronson, Niles township. David Toll, Niles city, 1st and 4th

James Eden, Niles city, 2d and 3rd wards.

David Heim, Oronoko. William Burton, Pipestone. Geo. B. Williams, Royalton. J.D. N. Osborn, St. Joseph. Joseph Fisher, Sodus. A. W. Davis, Three Oaks. Jacob Koof, Watervliet. Thomas Roberts, Weesaw. Louis Eelinger, New Buffalo. Robert Halliday, Lincoln. Chas. Stahelin, Lake. Curtis Williams, Hagar. William H. Beach, Galien. Rodney Hadley, Chikaming, J. Glover, Buchanan. William Long, Bertrand. Benjamin H. Rutter, Berrien. Pat Yore, Benton. N. P. Markyes, Bainbridge. Chas. F. Sinclair, Niles township. R. K. Fairchild, Niles city, 1st and

4th wards. David Brown, Niles city, 2d and 3rd wards. Wm. C. Calderwood, Oronoko. Wm. Collins, Pipestone. L. J. Miller, Royalton. Chas. Wilkinson, St. Joe. Joseph Strome, Sodus. Niles Republican. The estate of the late David Gitchell has been appraised at \$89,786.57. During his lifetime Mr. Gitchell has

given to each of his six children an im-

proved farm valued at about \$5,000

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pany's Successful "Hit".

A BRIGHT FUTURE.

One doesn't have to see the books of the Buchanan Manufacturing Company to know that they are doing a much larger business than ever before. Every man in town knows it, while hundreds of families are benefited thereby. If any one doubts this increase of business or wishes to know how some of the leading wholesale furniture dealers of the country regard this Company's goods, let him step into their office. They will find that some of the largest houses in Chciago, Boston, and New York say that the Buchanan Manufacturing Company's goods are, in every respect, the best

that comes into their stores. The Queen Folding Bed is the specialty of this Company. Wholesale men have asked for the exclusive right to sell these goods in their territory, providing they can have their orders filled when they want them. Orders have been received for car-load lots of the folding beds alone. The Company has been for some time trying to meet their demands with their present facilities, but to little purpose. In order to get their beds before the trade, they have been compelled to put large orders off only partly filled. Unless the Company is soon able to meet there increased demands, dealers will soon trade elsewhere, where they can get their orders filled.

This being the condition of affairs, the stock-holders met recently and voted to increase their capital stock from \$40,009 to \$100,000. The stockholders themselves agree to increase their own stock 50 per cent.

Now, if the people, who are interested in the success of a good thing and the prosperity of Buchanan will subscribe the remaining \$40,000, the Company will be able to build larger buildings, and thus increase their capacity so that they will employ 250 or 300 men. This means an increase of 400 or 500 inhabitants. It would be a safe and wise investment for any man who has the money.....

Mr. Elliot, of Elliot & Cougle, the New York house that handles the Company's goods, was here recently and subscribed \$1,000-\$500 to be drawn at sight and \$500 in 30 days. Chicago parties have also subscribed quite an amount. Mr. Clem Studebaker, one of the most successful manufacturers of the country to-day, drove over here recently and purchased two of the Company's folding beds and quite a bill of other goods. When asked what he thought of the folding bed, he replied; "In my opinion, it is the best thing in the United States to-day to make money on."

These are the simple facts about the Company's prospects, expressions of confidence, to-day, and the opinions of a ew competent judges. What will the people of Buchanan and vicinity do? While our citizens generally are making a vigorous effort to boom the town. will it not be the part of wisdom and good judgment to subscribe some of this capital stock, thus helping the Buchanan Manufacturing Company and at the same time making a paying financial investment? We think so.

Marriage L.censes.

Gammern Stoots, N. Manchester, Ind. Irena Boyer, Royalton.

David A. Best, Bertrand. Catherine A. Griner, Shamokin Dam, Pa. John S. Tait, Glen Lord. Cora VanDusen, "

Lewis J. Smith, Bentou Harbor, Minnie May Miller, Niles.

75 Arthur E. Kollenborn, Chicago. Minnie F. Koontz, Benton Harbo

76 Melvin O. Burditte, Niles township Andrew P. Valentine, Coloma. Fannie M. Cady, Three Oaks.

79 Albert F. Grahl, St. Joseph Arnetic Steimley, Rayalton.

Willard Williams, Sodus. Edward DeMorrow, Sodus. May Long; Sodus.

84 | James Daily, Benton township.

Oscar Pratt, Hagar. Susie E. Elston, Hagar. 86 William L. Dingham, Rockton, Ill. Lois W. Turner, Lakeside, Mich. 87 | George Hewitt, Benton Harbor.

California Excursion. The Michigan Central, in connection with Western lines, has made arrangements for a series of weekly excursions over different routes and at greatly reduced rates to San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego, and other California points embracing the most delightful portions of the Pacific Coast. For information relative to sleeping car accomodations, rates, routes, etc., consult the nearest Michigan Central ticket agent or write to D. W. Johnston, Michigan Passenger Agent. Grand Rapids, Mich.

Berrien Springs Era.

From four acres of grapes, near Ben ton Harbor, during the past seven years, \$3,355.58 worth of grapes have been sold....A Republican pole is standing at Ingolsby corners, in Sodus, has been there since the campaign of 1868....John Wallace has purchased the dock property at St. Joseph, between his lumber yard and the railroad bridge, of James F. Joy, for \$7,500 A joint meeting of the school inspectors of Oronoko and Buchanan townships will be held in Henry Howe's office, to consider the application of Henry Ingleright to be transferred from District No. 4, Oronoko to District No. 6,

Primary School Fund. The apportionment of the county is Bainbridge. 470 \$230.30 Benton. 1,468

Berrien...... 436 Bertrand. Buchanan......... 849 416.01 Chikaming.... 197.96 Lake...... 416 624.26 Oronoko............ 509 Pipestone. 575 281.75 Royalton.... 327 160.23 St. Joseph..... 1.128 552.72 178.36 Sodus..... 364 Three Oaks..... 527 258.23 Watervliet 579 283 71 Weesaw..... 371 181.79

Total.\$12,112 \$5,934.88

—Berrien Springs Era.

J. F. Taylor, of Berrien Springs, passed through here Monday A. M. on his way to Dowagiac to which place he has removed his goods ... E. M. Plimpton, Benton Harbor, is in the city making preparations to move with his family to California. He leaves next week Tuesday.

Locals.

Taxes.—I will be at the Farmers and Manufacturers' Bank, Buchanan, on the 13th, 17th, 20th, 24th, 27th and 31st days of December; at the Citizen's National Bank, in Niles, on the 8th, 15th 22d and 29th days of December: at Dayton, on the 21st and 28th days of December, for the collection of taxes of Bertrand township. CHAS. H. WELLS, Treas.

LADIES. Call at Mrs. Crofoot's, on Main street, for good Goods at low prices.

I will sell goods cheaper than any man in Berrien county, for the cash.

JOHN GRAHAM. Now we are located in our New

A fine lot of Hanging Lamps, at Store and we will make it an object for all of our old customers to call and My Comforts will keep you warm see us. Look for sign. for 75c., \$1, \$1.25, \$1.40, \$1.50 and BOYLE & BAKER. \$1.75. Cheaper than to make, at 44

Fine line of Hanging Lamps at BISHOP & KENT'S. MILLINERY NOTICE. MRS. P. B. DUNNING & Co. will sell

goods at reduced rates for thirty days or more. Trimmed Hats and Pattern goods a speciality. Come early in order to secure a choice in goods. 'You will be surprised at low figures. Dry Goods are now Booming and

High & Duncan is the place to buy. You will find us as low as the lowest. 5 Oh, you must see how nice we look in our New Store. BOYLE & BAKER.

New York Buckwheat at BISHOP & KENT'S. Remember that High & Duncan's Fine Shirts leads them all, at 50 cents.

DRESS MAKING. Miss Elmira Burrus is prepared to do dress-making in the latest styles and give good work. Call at her home on Day's Avenue, near the depot. Elson has bought a carload of the

best cutters ever brought to Buchanan. Don't buy a Cutter until you see ELson's, and price them. MRS. CROFOOT has put in a stock of ladies' and children's Cloaks and

the old American house, on Main Don't forget the great cut on prices continues just the same at our New BOYLE & BAKER.

Shawls and fancy Dress Goods, in

When in need of Dry Goods don't fail to call on us as we will not be HIGH & DUNCAN.

JOHN E. BARMORE wants to ex-

change his lot of ten acres in the bend of the river, about one mile from town, ceived at for a house and lot in town. FOR SALE.—Lot 14 Ross & Alexander's second addition, village of Bu-

chanan. Toys! Toys! Toys! Toys! J. G. HOLMES. Toys! Toys! Toys! Toys! Toys! 100 Bushels Corn to sell. Enquire of Frank Fox at the Big Mill.

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Remember the Columbus Watch. We can all be thankful over tur-J. HARVEY ROE. key this year, as the bird of thanks Everything usually kept in will only cost nine cents a pound, at Grocery Store you will find at
J. BLAKE'S CROXON'S.

Furniture of all kinds at ns go to タゾ BOYLE & BAKER'S. For Bargains go to MEACH & HUNT'S. Prices tell the story. Come and see MRS H. F. SMITH has some furnished us and save money. rooms to rent.

HIGH & DUNCAN. FOR SALE.—A Pony Team, Spring My stock of Julius King's Spectacles Wagon and Sleigh. now complete. J. HARVEY ROE.

For new Dress Goods go to 37 BOYLE & BAKER'S. To know what low prices we are making you must come and see. Always at your command, Every thing usually kept in a first-class gro-45 yards more of our elegant Silk cery. Cheap for Cash. CHARLEY HIGH.

E. MORGAN & CO/ Fine Oil Paintings at half prices at, Look for the Big Boot. That is Goods must be sold and we are Ladies, we have Misses all-wool making Prices that sell them. Look at Red Underwear for 35c, 40c and 50c. BOYLE & BAKER'S. / Look.

> Go to High & Duncan's for Canton New! New! New! New! New! Goods! Goods! Goods! S FAIR.

you ever saw for the money. 42 BOYLE & BAKER.

Fine line Gents' Furnishing Goods, Ladies, come and see our Plush day Goods. Cups and Saucers, Mugs Cloaks.

Silk Velvets in all the latest shades cheap at P. D. DUNNING & CO. FRESH BREAD will be kept at fore buying. Oh, my! they are nice. 3

Plenty of Honey, at BLAKE'S. (

Furnishing Goods, MRS. DUNNING & Co. have just replenished their millinery stock with HATS & GAPS, I have a nice line of ladies' and gents' Hosiery, and the knife has been put in GRAHAM. 17

Go to the LITTLE DRUG STORE BOOTS, BOOTS, AROUND THE CORNER for Fine Per-

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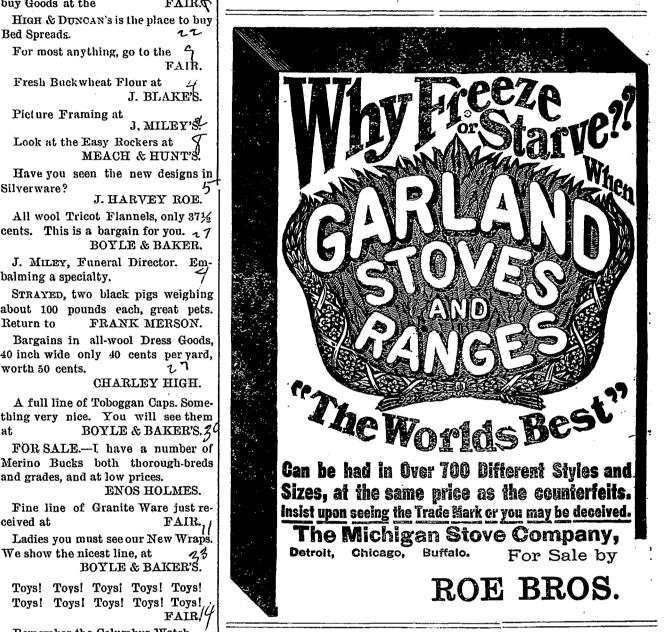
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School Books and School Supplies,

In addition to a new stock of Books and School Supplies which I shall sell cheap as the cheapest, I have secured from New York and Chicago some real bargains in shelf-worn books, good as new. Also, second hand Books in good condition, at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. These goods will go fast, and it is important that you call

early to secure the best bargains. W. F. RUNNER.



BUCHANAN, MICH.

Portrait and Sketch of Eugene Clemon ceau, Who Strove for Grevy's Resignation-Don Carlos Claims the French

The civilized world is just now watching with interest for the next developments in France. Grevy has practically resigned, after asking Ribot to form a ministry. There are fears of an uprising, which the French mil-itary authorities are taking steps to suppress promptly if it comes, and Clemenceau's name is on every one's lip.



Why? Because it was virtually the refusal of Clemenceau to form a ministry that finally drove Grevy to his latest action. Eugene Clemenceau was born at Mouilleron en Pareds in September, 1841, and was graduated as a physician in Paris in 1869. He was chosen to the national assembly two years later, but resigned because of com-plications between the government and the commune. He was made president of the Paris municipal council in 1875 and in 1877 was again sent to the national assembly, where he was accorded the position of one of the leaders of the Republicans. He has been prominent in French politics ever since. His career has been full exciting episode, not the least of which was a duel in 1871 with M. le Commandant de Poussargues, in which the commandant was wounded in the leg. It is claimed that he already bitterly regrets his recent action toward M. Grevy, as it is said that he inadvertently acted as the tool of the Royalists. What will happen next no one can foretell. The congress which meets to elect a successor to Grevy may abolish the office. Then either the Anarchists or the

Royalists will take the reins. Don Carlos Maria de los Dolores Juan Isidoro Josef Francesco Quivino Antonio Miguel, etc. (the rest of his name will be found in the encyclopedia), who is called Duke of Madrid, and calls himself "Charles XII, legitimate king of Spain," has now put in a claim to be considered de jure king of France, as successor of the Comte de Chambord or "Henry X" And what has Don Carlos, etc., done to deserve these high among? Well, he consented to be born, to be a Bourbon, the descendant through one line of the great Henry of Navarre and through the other numerous monarchs of Spain, including the great Charles V and the latter's noted grandparents, Ferdinand and Isabella. The issue involves the old Salic law in France and its abrogation in Spain; the question of an ancestor's right to renounce the inheritance of his children, and the much more important question as to whether a people has a right to choose its rulers.

His father, Don Juan, a Bourbon, died in exile at Brighton, Eng., Nov. 18. He had, in 1868, abdicated in favor of his son—that is, surrendered his unexecuted claim to the Spanish throne to Don Carlos. At that time the Comte de Chambord claimed to be "Henry V of France" by legitimate descent, and there was in France a large party in favor of restoring the old and nal line of Bourbon kings. In French politics those are called Legitimists. They Comte de Chambord, as there are several claimants of nearly equal kin; but now Don Carlos puts in his claim, and if Spanish rights are not barred, it appears that he is really and truly the head of all the Bourbons.

To begin at the beginning, when the Franks came down upon the old Roman province of Gaul and laid the foundation of the present France, they had serious trouble in regard to "woman's rights." So the Salic ("seaside") Franks enacted a law that no woman should ever reign; their party prevailed, and so no woman has ever been ruling queen of France. If a monarch left daughters only, the crown went to his brother or nephew or remote relations in their order. Thus, in 1589, Henry of Navarre, son of the Count of Bourbon, became king of France and founded the noted Bourbon dynasties. His grandson, Louis XIV, outlived all his children, and one of his grandchildren, Philip of Anjou, by descent on the other side, acquired a sort of title to the Spanish crown. Charles II, lunatic king of Spain and the last of the Spanish Haps burgs, died in 1700, and all the other lunatics fell to cutting each other's throats about the "balance of power" that is, to prevent the union of France and Spain. They fought thirteen years, but Philip of Anjou gained the throne of Spain. He gave up, however, all claims to the French throne for himself and heirs—a cession now in bar against Don Carlos. There is already a party of Legitimists in France known as the "Blanes d'Espagne," who favor Don Carlos as nearest after "Henry V" or the Comte de Chambord. The other claimants belong to the Alfonsist branch of the Spanish royal family and the descendants of the princes of Naples and Parma. Now France expelled her Bourbons in 1788-93 and again in 1830, so it is not likely she will trouble herself much about Don Carlos. The Italians struggled desperately against their Bourbons in

1848 and finally got rid of them. Philip of Anjou, the first French and Bourbon king of Spain, outlived the talents of his race, for licentiousness soon sapped the original vigor and intellect of the Bourbons. His son, too weak mir

Ferdinand VI, was to reign, and his half brother, Charles III, took the kingdom. His son, Charles IV, ruled and ruined till 1808, when he abdicated in favor of his son, Ferdinand VII; then revoked his abdication and appealed DON CARLOS. to Napoleon, Bonaparte, which led to the awful civil war in

Spain and the loss of nearly all Spanish America. Ferdinand was restored, but insurrections continued. Then, in 1830, Ferdinand abolished the old Salic law of the Bourbons, and declared that his daughter Isabella should reign after him instead of his brother, Don Carlos. This was the beginning of a schism, and in some form it has continued ever since. Isabella (born Oct. 10, 1830) was a notorious queen and was finally driven to France, but we should speak charitably of her since she forbade the execution of the American private soldiers captured with the Lopez expedition and finally pardoned them at the intercession of the American minister. As soon as her father, Ferdinand died (Sept. 29, 1833) Don Carlos called his adherents to arms and a civil war raged with horrible fury for six years, when Don Carlo was driven to France. He appealed to his Italian relatives, who sustained his cause, and between them on one side and the Com-munists or Radicals on the other Spain was kept in constant uproar for many years. Isabella, then grown to maturity, married her cousin, Don Francisco de Asis, and there was peace for awhile. The late King Al-

fonso was their son. Don Carlos died, but his son, Don Carlos, count of Montemalin, succeeded his claims, and his supporters in Spain made three desperate insurrections—in 1848, in 1855 and in 1860—but were put down with merciless rigor, the whole kingdom being declared in a state or siege. The count of Montemalin, who called himself "Charles XI of Spain," died called himself "Charles XI of Spain," died childless Jan. 13, 1861, and his rights, or claims rather, at once passed to his brother, Don Juan, etc., Carlos. He maried Maria Theresa, archduchess of Austria and princess of Modena, which strengthened his claims a little; and the present Don Carlos is their son— born March 30, 1848. The old man, if we may a real Bourbon, did not seem inclined to torment the Spaniards any longer, and would probably have let his claim lapse if his relatives and expectant friends had allowed. In 1868 he resigned all his claims to his son, and thereafter lived as quietly as they would let him, dying on the 18th, of heart disease, at

Don Carlos the son began his fight early. At the age of 19 he married Margaret de Bourbon, Princess of Parms, and thus

"brought in," as it were, another claim to royal honors. As soon as his father retired Don Carlos began, organizing another ex-pedition for Spain, and the war began early in 1872. But there had been a revolution, Queen Isabella had gone into exile and the short lived republic was established. Don Carlos, therefore, entered Spain July, 1873, and issued a high sounding proclamation that he had come to save the country from anarchy and ruin. In 1875 Alfonso, son of Isabella, became king, and Don Carlos addressed him a curiously haughty opistle, directing him to cease his cruel and rebellious conduct and allow the legitimate monarch to bless Spain. If not there were extensive particulars of annihila-tion in store for him and his supporters. After another year of hard fighting in the Carlist provinces their last stronghold was captured and Don Carlos fled to France. In 1881 he was expelled from that country for an estentations alliance with the Comte de mbord's supporters. He took a flying trip to Mexico and excited much curiosity, but did not find them in the humor for a king. Since then he has been emphatically a king out of business. Now, the count of Chambord being dead, he proudly proclaims himself legitimate king of France as well as of Spain. It would be a rare comedy if such claims had not so often led to bloody tragedy.

The Rev. John C. Kimball, of Hartford Conn., has recently attracted considerable ion by preaching a sermon from the text "Crucify him" wherein he compared the execu-

tion of the four Anarchists in Chicago to the cruci-fixion of the Sav-Mr. Kimball is a Unitarian, an advanced radical hinker, and an advocate of the theory of evolution. He

within his REV. J. C. KIMBALL. flock some who hold similar views, being Socialists; but another party in the congregation are as bitterly opposed to both the reverend thinker and his creeds. Since he assumed the charge his church has become a house divided against itself. Two years ago he commenced the strife by inviting the Salvation army to hold their services in his church. The trustees decided to overrule the pastor's permission and locked both the army and its advocate out. Mr. Kimball has also excited opposition from his course with respect to the woman suffrage question and the labor movement. Efforts have several times been made by those of the congregation opposed to him to secure his removal, but have never been successful.

George L. Rives. President Cleveland has appointed Mr.

George L. Rives first assistant secretary of state. Mr. Rives was born in New York in 1849, and was graduated second in his class at Columbia college in 1868. From Columbia he went to Trinity college at Cambridge. graduated fifth wrangler in 1872. received the university prize for say. Returning home he entered

the Columbian law school, and on com-GEORGE L. RIVES. pleting his course took the second prize. For fourteen years he has practiced law in New York. He is a trusteo of Columbia college and of the Astor library. He is an active Democrat and was especiously zealous in Mr. Cleveland's election. Mr. Rives comes of a distinguished Virginia family, his grandfather having been United States senator from Virginia and twice American minister to Paris.

A Western Landlord's Lavatory. "Have you a bawth room in the house?" isked a Boston guest of a western landlord. "A bawth room, a-a-layatory,"

"He wants to clean up," said a bystander, better versed in polite language.
"Aw, that's it!" said the landlord. "You'd ort to of said so at first; come along with And he led the man from Boston out into

Blamed if I know what you're driving

the back yard, where there was a rusty tin pan and a pail of "roily" water on the stump of a butternut tree.
"There ye air," he said proudly; "splash
away all yer a mind to. I'll send the towel out soon as them folks up stairs is done with it. Pitch in; there ain't no extry charge fer the lavyatory, as you call it; and there's a bucket of soft soap on that bench. Use all yer a mind to of it."-Detroit Free Press.

PRINCE WILLIAM.

The Young Man Who Will Soon Be Emperor of Germany.

Prince William, of Prussia, is now a figure of great interest in Europe, for his grandfather, the emperor, is 90 years old, and the physicians have at last announced that his father, the crown prince, cannot live. One physician thinks he may live some years, others limit his chances to a few months; but that he can never succeed his father as emperor of Germany is a certainty, and so the mind of Europe is directed to his son



PRINCE WILLIAM. who will reign in his stead. And it must be admitted that the outlook is a gloomy one for all Europe and most of all for the Germans, for the young prince has shown none of the qualities of a great ruler. He seems to have no capacity for anything but war is reported licentious, and is an ardent believer in the extreme militarism of Bis-marck, and plainly intimates that his policy would add to the already heavy burdens of

the people.
Prince William was born January 27, 1859, and is, therefore, 23 years old. His mother is the oldest child of Queen Victoria, married to the grown prince January 25, 1858. They had eight children, of whom two are dead. The oldest, Prince William, is also married and the father of still another Prince William, a boy of 7 years. In the present state of affairs the people regard this as almost a misfortune, as otherwise they might hope that some day Prince Henry, second son of the crown prince, would succeed to the

PHŒNIX BARNUM.

ome Account of the Fires He Has Suf-Everybody has by this time read of the big fire in Bridgeport, Conn., the other night,



THE BRIDGEPORT FIRE of Rarnum's menagerie were burned to death. The particulars of the encounter between the lion and the lady, in which the lion was routed, have also become common property. This is the fifth time the great showman has been almost ruined by fire; and when we add that in 1854-5 he was stripped of every cent he had and left many thousands in debt by the failure of the Jerome Clock company, it will be seen that he has certainly had his

share of the ups and downs of the world. Yet he is undismayed, and has given abund ant and most amusing evidence that with him the ruling passion is stalwart in old age, for the dailies have been full of interviews with him in which he has seemed to regard the recent fire with a sort of gleo, as one of the biggest advertisements he has ever had and this man is only one year younger than the present century.

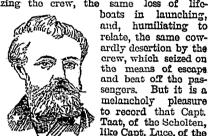


The first great fire he suffered came Dec. 18, 1857, while he was still a bankrupt, and destroyed his noted residence called "Iranistan," on the sale of which he relied to clear him of debt. The loss was \$200,000, of which but \$25,000 was covered by insurance. The second was that of the Great American mu-seum, on the site of the present Herald building, on Broadway, New York, July 13, 1865. The loss was \$400,000; but it seemed at tha time that the public's loss could never be re-paired, as Mr. Barnum had collected there the rarest curiosities from every part of the world. That fire was made one of the great sensations of the day by the vivid word painting of the reporters of the New York press. An imaginary description of the scenes in the interior when the animals got loose-professedly witnessed from the window of an opposite building-published in The Tribune, was copied in every English reading country, and millions of readers be-lieved it a truthful account. Barnum's next misfortune was the burning of the Chinese building on Broadway, March 8, 1868, the loss \$366,000. The weather was extremely cold, and when the fire had destroyed all the wooden interior, the front was almost cased in ice, as the water from the engines froze as it ran down. Immense crowds visited the spot for many days after to see the curious sight. His fourth fire was the destruction of the Hippotheatron, on Fourteenth street, New York, Dec. 24, 1871—loss \$300,000, with but \$90,000 insurance. Thus the great showman has lost by fire, beyond his insurance, about \$1,250,000, and over \$500,000 by the Jerome failure. Yet he is a wealthy man, still in good health and with scarcely diminished energy.

SOME SEA DISASTERS.

TEN WENT DOWN.

The recent loss of the Dutch steamer W. A. Scholten in the Straits of Dover, and but a few miles from that city, adds one more to the long list of shipwrecks and disasters at sea. The Scholten was the twenty-sixth vessel sunk in the English channel since the beginning of 1870. The record is indeed appalling. All the scenes and incidents of the Scholten's loss were remarkably lee those in the noted Arctic wreck in 1853—the wreck so celebrated by the pathetic and eloquent funeral sermons delivered by Henry Ward Beecher. There was in both cases the same happy confidence of scores of passengers rudely interrupted by the fatal crash into another vessel (in this case the Rosa Mary, of Dover; in that of the Arctic, the French vessel Vesta); there was the same mad rush of frightened passengers demornlizing the crew, the same loss of life-

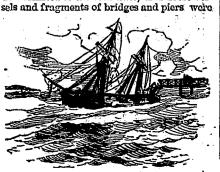




CAPT. TAAT AND THE SCHOLTEN.

gether, in not quite eighteen years, there have been twenty-six such disasters in that channel, with a loss of 1,818 lives!

The recent storm on the Mersey estuary, England, shows the added dangers from crowded shipping. The causes of this calam-ity were unusual. The wind had blown all night from the east, causing a tremendous outward swell; suddenly the wind turned nearly to the west just as the tide began to set in. The two forces met in the mouth of the estuary; the result was a worse agitation than had over been witnessed, and much destruction at Liverpool and Birkenhead. The sea rose over the dock walls at the latter place, and many vessels broke their anchor cables and drifted helplessly with the water. The bark Egeria, of St. John, N.B., crushed the landing stage of the main ferry; two schooners were dashed upon the pier of another ferry; the Wild Hunter, a schooner of Youghal, was lifted so high by the waves as to lodge upon a pier, causing great destruc-tion, and an iron vessel, the Greenore, crashed into a pier bridge and sunk, the five men on board being drowned. At midday the tide turned, and almost immediately the wind shifted to the southeast, and loose ves-



RESULTS OF THE MERSEY STORM.

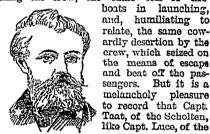
formatory school ship Akbar, with 200 boys | echelon-that is, fore and art, on different on board, went adrift, but fortunately caped destruction. The scene is reported to have been wild beyond the power of description; but few lives were lost, though much damage was done. Dried Blackberry Interest. No doubt few people outside of North Caro-lina are aware of the extent of the dried

northern markets, where they are held in high estimation. The picking and drying of the fruit furnishes occupation and remuneration to a large class of persons in moderate circumstances.—Exchange with stryc) line. IRELAND'S CAUSE. O'Erien's Arrest-J. J. Breslin.

already known. AFTER THE FIRE OF 1868.

HOW THE STEAMER W. A. SCHOL-

Cut of the Lost Steamer and Her Captain-Important Disasters of the Past. The Recent Gale on the Mersey, Eng-





Arctic, stood at his post to the last minute, showed a sublime heroism and went down with his ship. Out of all those on the Schol-ton but eighty were saved, while at least as many more found watery graves. Yet help was soon at hand. The officers of the sinking vessel sent up rockets, signals for help, and the British steamer Ebro was soon on the scene of the wreck; all her boats and life lines were out and many articles were set floating, so that all who were still above water were saved. Two causes contributed to the great mortality: Most of the passengers were too badly frightened to put on life preservers, of which there was an abundance. and the water was so cold that none could keep afloat many minutes without them. It is important to note that almost every one who put on a life preserver was saved; the few exceptions were those chilled to death or helplessness by the cold. One peculiarly touching case is recorded: A mother had secured the cork jacket about herself and two children, but the three were found dead in the water, clinging to each other.

The survivors of the Scholten insist that

the Rosa Mary was steaming ahead in the dense fog without proper signals. The offi-cers of the latter declare they were at anchor, with lights to indicate that fact: that the Scholten tried to pass too near the Rosa Mary's bows, and that the disaster resulted from the former's officers making no allowance for the ebb tide and misjudging their distance. Here is a serious conflict of testimony which the inquest must settle. This fact alone is certain: At 10 o'clock on the night of Nov. 19, in a dense fog, the Scholten was struck on the port how and cut to the water line, sinking in twenty minutes, The record of the English channel for such

disasters is a black one, especially since 1870. In March of that year the Normandy was struck in a fog and sunk, thirty lives being lost. The next year the Madagascar went down, but all on board escaped. The same year the Costa Rica went down with seventeen of her crew. In July, 1873, occurred the awful loss of the emigrant ship Northfleet, with 327 drowned and but eighty-five sayed. A Spanish steamer cut her to the water line and steamed away without offering assistance. But the greatest calamity of all was on May 81, 1878, when the German ironclad Konig Wilhelm ran into the Grosser Kurfurst and sank her with 400 persons. Alto-

again swept outward. With others the re-

blackberry interest in the Piedment section of the state. One day recently one firm in Greensboro shipped 18,000 pounds to the

Russian physicians have successfully treated various forms of alcoholic poisoning

Picture of the Struggle Attending Mr. With this is given a cut of the struggle at tending the arrest of William O'Brien, editor of United Ireland, from an English illustrated journal. The story of his arrest and the circumstances attendant upon the attempt to force him to wear prison garb are



The Irish cause in America has sustained a severe loss in the death of John J. Breslin. which occurred recently in New York. Mr. Breslin was connected with two disferent attempts during his life at liberating Fenians imprisoned by the British government, either of which would serve for the groundwork on which to found a thrilling

In 1865, the year of the attempted Fenian uprising, Breslin was hospital superintendent of the government prison in Dublin, in which James Stevens, a prominent Fenian, was confined, and Dan Byrne, now a New York policeman, was night watchman. They determined to liberate Stevens. In order to facilitate matters Stevens pleaded weak eyes, and was placed in a cell adjoining Breslin's department. Breslin and Byrne then made false keys from wax molds, and on the night of Nov. 24, 1865, which, fortunately for the plot, proved dark. Stevens was released about 1 o'clock a. m. He was led to the prison yard, helped over the fence to friends n waiting and escaped. Breslin went back to his room and Byrne continued his patrol as night watchman until morning, when he rushed excitedly into the office of the deputy governor and announced that the Fenian chief had escaped. Stevens, after being concealed for a long while in the house of a poor

woman who resisted all temptation to betray the prisoner for the large reward offered, escaped to France, Byrne was arrested on suspicion, but there being no proof, was discharged. Breslin was no suspected, and both afterward came to America. Breslin's next attempt was the lib-Fenians, imprisonfor life in J. J. BRESLIN.

Australia. On April 29, 1875, the bark Catalpa, which had been fitted out as a whaler by the Clan-na-Gael society, sailed from New Bedford, Mass., under command of Capt. Anthony. Breslin proceeded over-land to San Francisco. Two assistants, King and Desmond, there joined him. Another, Duggan, was aboard the Catalpa, and another, Brennan, followed later. The Catalpa reached Freemantle, Australia, on Nov. 16. There the rescue party passed themselves off as miners and mechanics, Breslin playing the role of one in search of a business opening, and made themselves known to the prisoners through a ticket of leave man who had the run of the prison. On April 17, 1876, the prisoners being employed outside the walls nade their way to a whale boat sent ashore from the Catalpa, and were rowed out to the ship. Before reaching her she was overhauled by a British cruiser. They saw the Catalpa boarded and the cruiser withdraw. These, twenty-eight hours after their escape, were taken on board. The Catalpa stood at once to sea. She was overhauled by the cruiser. but Capt. Anthony ran up the stars and stripes, and the Britisher did not think it best to int refere. The prisoners arrived at New York, Aug. 19, 1876, and received an ovation.

Mr. Breslin's wife, his three brothers and

King, Brennan and Byrne, who participated in his rescues, were with him when he died. The Late Gen. Marcy. Gen. Randolph B. Marcy, who died recently at his home in Orange, N. J., was 76 years old and had been considered near death's door even before the decease of his son-inlaw, Gen. George B. McClellan. Gen. Marcy was a native of Massachussetts, entered the West Point Military academy in 1828, was

graduated in 1832 and brevetted second lieutenant. He did frontier duty in the Black Hawk war, was located after that at Fort Howard, Wis.; Fort Winnebago, Wis., and left the latter as first lieutenant to go recruiting. He continued as a recruiting officer till 1845, and then entered the Mexican war as captain

of the Fifth infantry, participating GEN. R. B. MARCY. in the battles of Palo Alto and Resaca de la Palma. Then he did frontier duty till 1857, when he participated in the Semino war. In 1853 he made a long and dangerous march from Florida to New Mexico with a small escort, then acted as inspector general in Utah and, later, was ordered to special duty in New York. preparing "The Prairie Traveler," a hand book for overland expeditions. He was pay-master of the northwest from 1859 to 1861, then he was made chief of staff for McClellan. In 1863 he went on inspection duty and in 1866 he published "Thirty Years of Army

own request in 1881. Queer Uses of Electricity. One of Bridgeport's letter carriers, whose duties require him to distribute the mail over his route after dark, has adopted the novel practice of wearing an electric scarf pin. When desirous of looking at the address of an envelope in the dark, he holds it up before his face and switches on the elec-tricity concealed in his pocket. His scarf pin flashes out a one candle power electric light.—Hartford Times.

Life on the Border." He was retired at his

A man was instantly killed near Lowell, Mass., recently while walking on a railroad track upon returning from a cemetery, where he had gone to arrange for his wife's

AN ARMORED WAR SHIP

TO BE BUILT IMMEDIATELY AT THE BROOKLYN NAVY YARD.

The First Naval Vessel to be Built by the United States on the New Plans-Something About the Discussions These Plans Have Brought Out-Plans Described. Reduced copies of the drawings and the:

main specifications of the armored war ship which the secretary of the navy has just or dered to be built at the Brooklyn navy yard, are here presented. Our readers may be sure of hearing a great deal about it before the winter is over, as this is the first naval vessel to be built by the United States on the new plans, about which there has been so much discus-sion, and over which there is almost certain to be a political fight. As the drawings are sectional only, the reader must imagine how the completed ironclad will look upon the water; but he can easily make out the two important points—that the engines and steering apparatus are thoroughly protected and that the two revolving turrets are in

sides of the vessel, so that both can fire to rear or front as well as to either side, instead of being amidships and central. One of the points discussed with much heat among naval experts is as to whether this arrangement gains as much in one direction as it loses in others. The reader will also get a closer idea of the discussions by bearing in mind that this design is but slightly changed from that of the celebrated Brazilian warships Riachuelo and Aquidbeni, but that the naval authorities claim that they have secured more strength without loung anything in activity, a claim disputed, of course, by the opposition. The length of the new cruiser will be 510 feet; breadth, 57 feet; draught, 21 1-2 feet; displacement (with 400 tons of coal aboard), 6,648 tons; horse power, 8,500; speed, 17 knots per hour; thickness of belt armor, 1114 inches, and thickness of turret, 11 inches. The main battery will consist of four 10-inch and six 6-inch breech loading guns, the former being in the turrets, two in each. For each gun in the turrets two loading positions are provided. The 6-inch guns are placed. two forward and two aft, on the main deck and two on the central superstructure deck: all are on central pivot mounts, with segmental steel shields two inches in thickness. The secondary battery consists of twenty-five machine guns, including four Gatlings, all arranged to secure a heavy bow and stern fire. The vessel is also fitted with seven torpedo tubes for the discharge of fish torpo-does, and carries two 60-foot steam torpedo boats, with a speed of 18 knots.

Some other points may be gleaned from the history of the department. It is a well known fact that the late civil war completely revolutionized naval warfare, but it is not so well known that a much greater revolution was effected in the ensuing fifteen years, during which the United States did practically nothing, and that the constructions of that era are now so far out of date that the nation must begin anew the construc

have been many experiments with and much study of fast cruisers, armored battle ships, coast defenso vessels and torpedo crafts, so that the United States now has experienced in well equipped shipyards and homo foundries, and the secretary is confident that taking the best model vessel made abroad, American skill will make a better one. But experts differ so radically as to what is the best that only time and trial can determine it. And it is also urged that cortain American designers have devoted so much spe-

tion of a navy. In

these fifteen years,

however, there

(O) 100 cial study to armored ships that they laid before the secretary original designs better DECK PLAII. than any model he could select. The act of congress authorizing two sea going, double bottomed, armored vessels of at least 6,000 tons displacement, was passed Aug. 8, 1886. It required that they should have a speed of at least sixteen knots, with engines having all appliances for working under a forced draught, and costing,

including engines and excluding armament. not more than \$2,500,000. Secretary Whitney invited naval constructors throughout the world to submit designs, and held himself free to have the work done wherever it should seem to him best. All the plans and proposals were submitted to the naval advisory board, with request that they select the best. After long and careful considera-tion the board decided that none was exactly suitable for the proposed vessel, but recommended the construction of an armored batquite aside from the two first in tended, after plans submitted by the Barrow Shipbuilding company. Secretary Whitney acted on that recommendation, and the hattle ship is to be built at the Norfolk navy yard. At the same time he went on with the original plan, and with the aid of the chiefs of the bureaus of construction and repair, of equipment and of steam engineering and ordnance determined to construct the vessel of which we present drawings. It is, as aforesaid, of the general plan of the Brazilian Ric-chuelo, but will have, as claimed, greater power, both offensive and defensive. The



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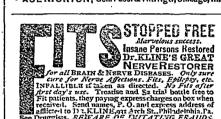
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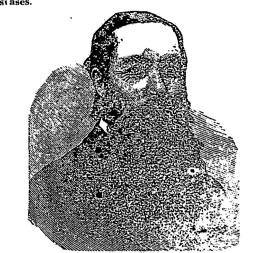
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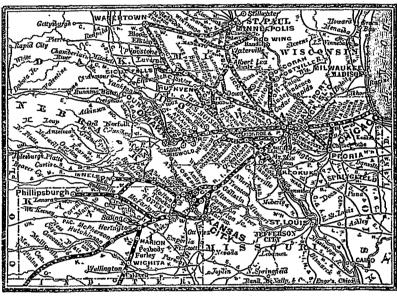


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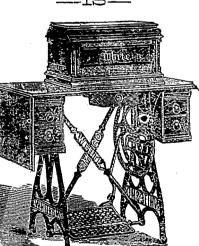
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Present, David E. Hinman, Judge of Probate
In the matter of the estate of Lucena L. Baker, deceased.
On reading and filling the petition, duly verified of Esther M. Near, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Sanford Smith as Administrator with the will annexed, or to some other suitable person.

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