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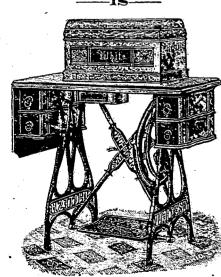
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More Fun On The Farm.

The gamesomeness of the human an-

imal-the desire for rest, and recrea-

tion, of intellectual man-both call

vigorously for satisfaction, and things

are not rightly disposed on our farms

where these fundamental facts are not

remembered. Time spent in play by

workingmen is not lost. Let this truth

sink into the minds of our "practical"

One continual "demnition grind" is

what drives the young man from the

farm, and scares the man of thought

away from agricultural pursuits. We

have reason to thank God for farm ma-

chinery; more, even than our wives

for the sewing machine, but neither man nor wife is acting wisely who

takes no advantage of such great bless-

ings, by using a part of the saved time

and money in recreation for themselves

Our bodies and minds are worn out,

our lives are made sad and shortened by too much hard work. The word

"racreation" is rightly used to denote

the playful sports that do recreate

both mind and body. We believe in running the farm for all it is worth

and all the year round. Make farming

a business, by all means, but for the

very sake of the best profit, do not

make it drudgery without relief, to

any one.
The workman is worthy of his hire;

and he is also worthy of his sport. Ev-

ery farming neighborhood ought to

tistics showing more insanity on the

farm than elsewhere. Life, without

social enjoyment and sport, tends to

Almost Made Good.

Not long ago a woman came into

the counting room of a certain news-paper and drew a long face at the same

noment that she drew a handsome

pocketbook from the depths of her

"I want an advertisement put in the

newspaper," said the woman to one of the clerk's at the counter.

"Yes; what kind of an advertise-

The woman fidgeted a little and

"I'll tell you how it is," she said.

"Six months ago I—I stole this pocket-book in a store. Since that time I've experienced religion, and I want to

make my conscience easy, you see. So

I want you to put in an advertisement

that for ten dollars in cash I'll return

the pocketbook!"—Boston Transcript.

A Healthy Turtle.

A remarkable story is told by the Beatrice (Neb.) Democrat of the kill-

ing of 80 pigs by a turtle. F. M. Peth-

oud, who resides some four miles north

of Beatrice, on Indian creek, missed

day. Thorough search threw no light

on their mysterious disappearance un-

til one day the hired hand saw the hogs

considerably disturbed by something,

and hearing a young pg squeal, he rushed down to the edge of the creek and there saw a large turtle with a

young pig in its mouth. The turtle had killed the pig aud was eating it. The man killed the turtle, and it meas-

ured nearly two feet across the back

and had a head as large as his two

The Deadly Cigarette.

An analysis of a dozen brands of ci-

garettes has been made in Chicago, and

the results are such that cigarette-

smokers cannot regard them with com-

placency. Almost every brand was found to have been "doctored" to a

greater or less degree. While the in-

jurious ingredients (apart from the to-

bacco itself) vary somewhat, there is enough in each variety to induce smok-ers who value their health to give up

cigarettes altogether. Of all the forms

in which tobacco is used, this is doubt-

less the most harmful, especially as the

cigarette habit has such a firm and

growing hold on boys and young men.

make the face perfectly smooth re-

quires not only the removal of the hair,

but also a portion of the cuticle, and a

close shove means the removal of a

layer of skin all round. The blood-

vessels thus exposed are not visible to

the eye, but under the microscope each

little quivering mouth holding a mi-

nute blood drop protests against such

cruel treatment.—San Francisco Ech-

Live Men.

Some men never seem to grow old.

Always active in thought, always

ready to adopt new ideas, they are

never chargeable with fogyism. Satis-

fied yet ever dissatisfied, settled yet ever unsettled, they always enjoy the

best of what is and are the first to

find the best of what will be .-- Phila-

Going With the Times.

"Professor, what are your views con-

cerning the schools of medicine and theology?" Professor: "That depends

upon circumstances. When I am

slightly ill, I am a homeopathist and a

Unitarian; but when I am very sick, I

The Tallest Chimney in America.

The tallest chimney in America has

just been put into service at the Kear-

ney mills of the Clark thread company.

It is 335 feet high, and its bore nar-

rows from 15 feet at the bottom to 11

feet at the top. The chimney devel-

oped such a roaring draft that a man

could not stand upright in the 6½ foot flues leading to it.—Chicago Herald.

The American ship Bohemia and the

British ship Carnaryonshire both ar-

rived at San Francisco the evening of

Dec. 22, after a passage of 134 days from Cardiff, Wales. A peculiar feat-

ure of the voyage was that the Car-naryonshire sailed from Cardiff just

passage.

am an allopathist and a Calvinist."

delphia Inquirer.

-New York Tribune.

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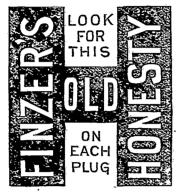
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I'm growing old. I have outlived The brightness of the fading past; The sunn / days of youth are fled, Their memories only last.

I sit and dream of good old times In the years so long gone by, Swiftly the pictures come and go As my knitting-needles fly.

I seem to see a generous hearth

With fire-dogs bright as gold, Bids defiance to the cold. O staunch old friend! Back-lor of oak! Giving thy life to make ours bright,

With hiss and and blaze and cheery flan

Turning all darkness into light. I'm near thee, in the corner now, Thou foor-foot log of olden time, Gazing above to where the stars Seemed listening to our jests and rhyme

The dear old saints of long ago Who smiled serenely on our play, Watching the roasting apples glow, Or nuts that in the embers lay,-Have gone. The chairs are empty now, Hid in the attic side by side,

Are scattered o'er the country wide: While I, who loved the very stones That make the household hearth so dea Can feel the blaze and see the glow Only as memory brings it near. -Good Houseking.

And children of that olden time

### The Stained Opal.

It lay on a bed of white velvet in a tiny morocco case—a strangely beautiful stone of moonlight gray, set in a gold ring of antique workmanship. But instead of the sunlit gleams which are characteristic of opals there was a vivid dash of scarlet in its heart like a stain of fresh blood. Ethel Lynn turned the case round

and round in her white fingers. "I never saw anything so beautiful!" she murmured, her golden hazel reflecting the sparkle of the jewel. "It is quite the lovliest ring I ever saw in my life, I wonder if it would fit me." She slipped it out of the case and over her finger. As she did so a yellow slip of paper flutered down and lay untouched at her feet.

"I wonder why Aunt Ellen never showed it to me," she mused, as she admired her new ornament. "And whose could it have been? Perhaps the name is inside.' She tried to draw the ring from her finger, but it refused to come. Ethel "How easy it went on! And I sup-

pose I shall have to use soap and water to get it off again."

But the ring resisted even the influence of soap and water. Pretty Ethel gazed at it in comic dismay.
"This is fixed!" she said, aloud.

"What, my dear?" said a quiet voice from behind. And Aunt Ellen who entered unobserved, came to her niece's side and gave utterance to an exclamation of horror at sight of Ethel's hand, on which shone the opal ring dripping

"Ethel! The cursed opal! How came it on your finger, child?" "Cursed!" repeated [Ethel. "This beautiful ring? Oh, Aunt Ellen!" "Yes, my dear-cursed! Take it off

"But, auntie, it won't come off," said the girl, despairingly. "I've been trying, soap and water won't budge it

Miss Lynn turned pale.

"Oh, Ethel!" she groaned. "What evil genius prompted you to slip the fated thing on your finger? Did you run such a risk after reading the prophecy?" Stooping, she picked up the faded, time-stained slip of paper and held it toward her with shaking hand.

"Read it again, my dear," she said.
"Why, I never saw it before," answered Ethel, wonderingly, as she unfolded the slip and read the contents

"Life for life for Morton's sin Such shall be the doom of Lyn n Till a maiden of the race Pure of heart and fair of face, From the hungry, seething flood Saves the last of Delmaine's blood Then the race of Lynn shall cease. And Zorah's soul repose in peace." "What doggerel!" laughed Ethel

"What is that all about, Aunt Ellen? Who was this Zorah? And was this "I never meant you to hear the sto-ry," said Miss Lynn, regretfully; "but since you know so much, you might as

Zorah Delmaine was a gypsy girlvery beautiful in her wild, picturesque style. So, at least, thought Morton Lynn, your great-great-grandfather. He paid her a great deal of attention—won her love, in fact—and might have married her eventually had not sweet Amy Lee appeared on the scene and ensnared him with her sea-blue eyes and yellow hair.

The consequences were he forsook black-eyed queenly Zorah and married Amy in three months' time. Zorah Delmaine met the bridal par-

ty at the church door after the ceremony and pronounced a curse upon the house of Lynn, to the effect that each of that name should perish by drowning—Morton first, then his descendants in their turn. She threw her opal ring given her by her false lover at the feet of the pale young bride, saying:
'My heart's blood stained that stone. Take it, and with it my curse!'

The bride was carried to her room in a deadly faint; but Morton laughed at the whole affair. Nevertheless, he was a little startled on picking up the ring to find that dash of blood on the stone. A year later he was drowned in at-tempting to ford the Platte river when the current was swift. He left one son, who grew up, married, and met the same fate. His son, your grandfather, was swept overboard in a storm on the pacific ocean. Ethel, how did your father die?"

"He was drowned, answered the girl, in low, hushed tones. "He fell from the bridge and the current carried him under." "True," said Miss Lynn, "You and I are the sole survivors of our race, and

you are a 'maiden young and fair'. What inference do you draw?" "Don't ask me," said Ethel, shudder-ing. "It is to horrible. But I do not— I will not believe in the curse What

became of Zorah, Aunt Ellen?"
"She disappeared, Hark, Ethel! What

A dull, rumbling sound shook the earth and air. Ethel sprang to the window. Half a mile distant the Platte river flowed darkly, sullenly between its shady banks. Like a wild beast it roared and washed against the

bridge until the giant structure trem-Ethel watched it with fascinated eyes: Suddenly there came a crash and the central props gave way and were carried down stream by the angry current. The trestlework fell with them, and from the middle of the bridge to the great water tank on the village side the bridge was open, with

only a narrow plank on either side connecting the broken fragments. Ethel glanced up at the clock. Halfnast five already, and the "flyer" due at the little station at six sharp. her aunt.

is no one else near enough.' "Ethel, you shall not!" gasped Miss Lynn, starting forward as her niece caught up a shawl and fled toward the "Remember the curse of Lynn!

Ethel! Ethel!" But Ethel was already on the railroad track, hurrying toward the river, and gave no heed to her aunt's voice of distress.

Onward she flew with breathless haste, unheeding the sharp stones which cut and bruised her feet at every step, pausing not until she reached the bridge and the great brown water-tank loomed up before her. Clinging dizzily to the iron railing she felt her way across the narrow

plank not daring to glance down at

the whirling flood beneath lest she should lose her balance and fall. As she reached the other side, faint and giddy, the whistle of the incoming train broke upon the roar of the angry

With the sound, new life entered Ethel's veins. Snatching the shawl from her head she ran along the bridge waving it frantically, as the fast express swept around the curve. She saw her signal was observed.

The speed of the train was slackened, and with a sourd as of roaring waters in her ears she fell senseless across the track. "And to think," said pretty Mrs. Dacre, some six months later, that you should prove to be the 'last of Del-

maine's blood', Royce, dear, and in saving you that awful day, I lifted the curse from Lynn. How little I knew I should meet my fate in one of the passengers on that train I signaled! Was't it strange?"
"Very strange," assented Royce Da-cre, regarding his beautiful wife, quizzically. "When I picked you up as you lay in a dead faint across the ties I

knew I had met my fate. But, Ethel, darling, I have no faith in the curse of Lvnn. It is moonshine, my dear. It is not in the power of any mortal to produce a lasting curse. God only can do that, and his mercy is infinite. Banish the though, my little wife." Ethel's fair face grew thoughtful. "Yet how well it all fits in," she said reflectively. "The opal ring was gone from my finger when I came back to

consciousness, and no trace of it has been found. It must have been dropped into the river. Then Aunt Ellen marrying that dear old Major Carrington, your best friend, and my marriage with you, brought the fulfillment of the prophecy. For the race of Lynn virtually ceased, or is at least merged in that of Carrington and Dacre." "Mere coincidence, Ethel."

"Well," said his wife, with the very prettiest pout in the world, if it was only a coincidence, you provoking old skeptic, you must admit it was a very

### A Baffied Beauty.

Mrs. Netherby sat down in despair after she had shown her friend out of the parlor, and she felt that a good cry would make her feel much better. Ada had just informed her in the most disinteresed way that her brother Burt, for whom she had formed so many ambitious schemes for marriage was even now in love with a shop girl Ada informed her further that the store where this person worked was opposite her brother's club, and that Burt was always seen waiting in the neighborhood until the shop girl finish-ed her work, when she joined him outside.

This news was a terrible shock to Kate Netherby, who thought that no woman in the world was quite good enough for her brother. When he came home that night and they had sat down to dinner, she lost no time in berating him for his conduct in no measured terms. He waited calmly until she had finished her accusation, and replied with some degree of dignity:

"I will not deny, as you seem to think I will, that the story with which some meddling busy body has filled your ears is true. It is, every word of it.
Two months ago, by the merest accident, I saw and fell in love with the loveliest girl I ever set my eyes upon.
That she was honorably working for the maintenance only made her polyler. her maintenance only made her nobler in my estimation. I procured an introduction not without difficulty. As you have heard, I did go to the store often—I may say, frequently, and several times I insisted, when the weather was stormy, upon seeing her home. Kate, it never entered my mind that you had any of that low-bred pride that would deem it derogatory to a person to be obliged to earn her living. You complain that I have deceived you. It was not deceit, but reticence, for until I learned my fate I did not care to speak to you about it. And so probably you would never have heard anything about it had it not been for your informant, for my fate has

been learned—to my cost." The conclusion of his sentence brought Kate to her feet.
"To your cost? Burt, what do you

mean?" "Simply," he replied, "that your brother has had his self-esteem pretty effectually crushed out of existence The girl I love cares not the least for me, save," bitterly, "as a friend."
With the last words Burt's head

sank into his hands. Kate looked at him aghast. Never before had she seen a shadow upon her idolized brother's frank merry face, and now it was no more clouds but a tempest of suffering that convulsed his features. She went to him and put her arms about his neck, anger and pride completely routed. "My poor brother, is it so bad as this? Forgive, oh, forgive me, if I have wounded you. I never will

agsin.' And so they are reconciled, and for a time everything goes on as before. Then something happens that has the finger of fate impressed on it. Burt, who has always justly prided himself upon his horsemanship, while riding in the park, is thrown.

The Netherby household is a sad one that night, for in his darkened room Burt lies, now delirous and now laps ing into unconsciousness. In his fall his head had come in contact with a sharp stone, and a grave injury had been the result. One morning a small, richly dressed

lady enters Mr. Hensel's music store, although her figure is far from stately, there is in her bearing that unmistak able something that tells of social importance and refinement. "May I speak to Miss Leonard a few moments in private?" she asks, cour-

teously. Her wish is granted, and a little later Kate finds herself alone in the young lady she had come to see. As her eyes rest upon the pure, no-ble face, with its soulful eyes and sensitive mouth, Kate's wonder at what she had hitherto termed in her mind

Leonard's hand, she abruptly plunges at once into the object of her visit. "I am Mrs. Netherby, Burt's sister," she turned a horrified look upon her aunt.

She says. "He has told me of his love for you, and of your refusal. I have come to satisfy myself as to why that refusal was given—if it could possibly

husky voice, "and it goes like the wind. | be that where my brother loved Auntie, I must give the signal; there | he was not cared for in return or if there were not some other underlying cause. He is very ill-perhaps dying, Miss Leonard—and upon your reply his fate may rest."
"Mr. Netherby dying! Oh, do not

"Have you not then heard of the accident—of his being thrown from his

"No. Oh! unsay four words; he may be very ill, but no!—not hopeless-

"Time alone can tell that, but your agitation convinces me of something that I have felt must be so. It was not because you did not love my brother that you refused him." A wave of crimson swept over the

lovely face, and as she raises her eyes, Kate sees that they are full of tears.
"You are right," she answers softly.
"It was not lack of love, but my stubborn pride. I had heard of his wealth and high social position. I was poor, working for my daily bread. It might be said that I married for mercenary

reasons; so I hid my heart and said, No" "But you will unsay it—you will come with me and save him! Oh, listen to me, for what I ask is not so much for my own sake as for Burt's, for, like him, I have fallen in love with you at first sight. Sister, will you not

What gentle woman's heart could resist such pleading? have its organized sports, to lighten labor, to promote good fellowship, to enliven existence, to perfect and adorn social life. It is not good to see sta-Burt lives: whether it is the sight of Faith Leonard's lovely face that cured him or not, it is certain that from the moment he felt the clasp of her soft, warm fingers, and heard her sweet voice recall the decined words of their parting he grew not better but well. The doctors may prescribe for the body but there is only one physician, whose name is Love, that can heal that most deadly of all ills-heartsick-

"You did me a good service, after all Ada," Mrs. Netherby said, mischiev-ously; "for if you hadn't told me when you did Burt would have kept his disappointment to himself, and I should never have known my sweet sisterthat-is-to-be."

### Sapient Paragraphs.

Law without justice is a wound without a cure.

Forced love must soon become moral hatred. Riches have benefitted tens and ruined thousands.

Punctuality strengthens confidence and secures respect.

Rather be pierced by a dart than the

tongue of a wife.

Scolding wives, like bed clocks, are

The harsh language of an angry man is the mere scum of his soul. Rum intoxicates the toper; love, the ambition, and prosperity the fool. As a crowded stomach retards digesprosperity retard charity. Whatever has been the fault of one

Most fashionable ladies are as diamonds, because they are more costly than useful. The tongue of the slanderer is a deadly poison, and the voice of the scold gloomy. The obedience of a wife to her hus-

person may be the fault of another.

mission to God. It is far better to die a porter in the fear of the Lord than a courtier in the fear of the devil. An Eastern Bashaw once complain-ed that he had no shoes, but when he

band is loyalty to a sovereign and sub-

saw a man without legs he was concontent. Marriage is the comfort of the considerate and prudent, but the torment of the inconsiderate and self-willed. If most married women possessed as much prudence as they do vanity,

we should find many thousands far happier.
There is thunder in the voice of the scold, but the music of "Apollo's lute" is the language of the. amiable spouse; the former wounds, but the latter

The difference between the humble minister of Jesus and the fashionable, popular preacher, is this: The former studies the pasturage of his flock; the

### latter, the transferability of their wool. Bit or Stung?

"Keep away from that!" said a res-An Arithmetical Problem. taurant-keeper to an Irishman who If you have a spare hour the Portland was standing in front of a newly ar-Advertiser suggests that you consider rived box of trutles, holding his finger in evident pain. "What are you doing there, anyhow?" "I wor investigata problem in simple muliplication, for the performance of which a Maine ing." "Investigating what?" I wor trying to see which was the head and newspaper not long ago offered a prize of \$50. Take the number 15. Multiply it by itself and you have 225. Now which was the tail ov the baste over multiply 225 by itself. Then multiply there in the corner ov the box." "What that product by itself and so on until do you want to know that for?" "I've 15 products have been multiplied by a curiosity to know whether I've been bit or stung."—Merchant Traveler. themselves in turn. This question involves more labor than would appear at first sight. Some of the "boys" have been considering the problem and the What a "Close Shave" Means. chances of obtaining the reward. They Do you know what a close shave finally submitted it to Hon. Josiah H. means? I never did until I looked at Drummond, a well known member of a face the other day through the microthe Cumberland bar, who has a wide scope which had been treated to this luxurious process. Why, the entire skin resembles a piece of raw beef. To

ported that the final product called for, contains 38,539 figures (the first of which are 1412). Allowing three figures to an inch, the answer would be over 1070 feet long. To perform the operation would require about five hundred millions of figures. If they can be made at the rate of 100 a minute, a person working 10 hours a day for 300 days in each year would be 28 years about it. If, in multiplying, he should make a row of ciphers, as he does with other figures, the number of figures used would be more than 523,-939,228. That would be the precise number of figures used, if the product of the left hand figure in each multiplicand by each figure of the multiplier was always a single figure; but as it is most frequently, and yet not always, two figures, the method employed to obtain the foregoing result cannot be accurately applied. Assuming that the cipher is used on an average once in 10 times, 475,000,000 of figures is a pretty close approximation to the actual number.

reputation as a mathematician as well

After some time Mr. Drummend re-

as a lawyer.

### Why She Asked.

"George, dear," said Mabel, as they sat together in the cosy parlor. "you have been coming to see me every Sunday the past six months." "Yes, Mabel." "Now there is one thing that I would

like to ask you."

"What is it?"

"Do you think that you could ever learn to love another?" "Never, while the stars shine and the sun casts its beams upon the earth." "Are you sure?"
"As sure as I am that I now live.

"I was in hopes of some prospects of your giving me a rest." Not a Democrat.

Why do you ask such a question?

Johnnie-Mamma, is God sitting on "Burt's infatuation" dies. Taking Miss His throne up in Heaven? Mamma—Yes, my child, Johnnie—And does He stay there always, mamma?

Mamma-Always, my son. Johnnie, thoughtfully—Mamma, God ain't a Democrat, is He?

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She had married a handsome man. She was warned against him. All her young lady friends told her he was a firt, and gave her a full account of what he had said to them, and how they had wanted, but they would not think of confiding the happiness of their lives to such a flirt. She was perverse and they were wedded. A few months elapsed, and she came to

"Are you happy?" the friend asked. "No, I'm not." "Well, dear, I'm sure I warned you;

"Now, don't be foolish. Men are always a little inconstant, you know, and the best husband will go off and

"Explain! Go off and leave his wife! wish he would. He's so devoted that he won't go out of my sight long enough for me to burn my old love letters."—San Francisco Chronicle.

The Eissel Tower in Paris had at in the world.

No one has ever yet been able to explain why a kiss is such a pleasant thing, but the subject is being constant-

the first boy at school. Two Cincinnati men so far demeaned themselves in making an election wager that one is now called upon to eat a dog. A St. Barnard pup will be

scum of the earth?" "But, Harry, they move in the very highest circles." "Well, isn't scum always found at the

'compasses" 'shearses." George Vanderbilt has just bought

odiousness of comparisons. It says: "Stanley, according to reports, was all right in August. That's nothing. So was Grover Cleveland."

Michael Carney, the oldest man in The statistics of New England prove

that seven out of every ten women left widows under the age of 35 marry again within two years. They are probably obliged to or starve. A goose with her wings tied was

and floated away alive, and the man who did the deed is still expecting to see the country tip up on its side. Geo. Smith, a colored man in Cairo, put a billiard ball in his mouth to show that it could be done, but the

Under the terms of a will left by an Iowa man, the same gold watch was left to thirteen different persons. He was not friendly with any of them, and he probably did it hoping they would fight each other, which they are doing in a lively manner.

owy that the background, subjected to a longer exposure, can be seen through An observant boy.—"Hold on, sis." exclaimed one of the little Rambo boys as he paused at the door. "Don't go into the house. The minister is mak-

day voice on." Carpenter—You say you want a bu-reau made on a new plan? Citizen— Yes, sir. I want it made with legs so under it. Carpenter-Of course, I will my curiosity as to why you want a bureau made in that way. Citizen—Well, I want to be able to find my collar but-

A widower married a second time and his choice was a wealthy lady about 50 years of age. When the bride and bride-groom returned home from the wedding the husband, introducing his wife to his children, said: "My dear children, kiss this lady's hand. She is the new mother I promised to bring you." After taking a square look at the new mother, little Charlie said: "Pa, you have been fooled. She isn't new at all."—Texas Siftings.

"Some months ago," says the Congregationalist, "we stated that a church in a thriving manufacturing place needed a pastor. No large salary could be paid, but the field was one where the right man could make his efforts tell. We had a considerable number of responses, but one was specially noticeable. The applicant had been 'looking six months for just such a field. And he proved to be the last pastor of that very vacant church."

in America last year by three of the trade was nearly 20,000,000, and this was not more than half the actual product of the country. One peculiar featue of the business is that the hours es which do the most extensive export trade are obliged to prepare teeth of different colors for different countries. In Canada, for instance, the demand

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## Where the Shoe Pinched.

visit one of her prophet friends one

but I do hope you won't get a divorce.
"Well, I don't know. If this goes

leave his wife occasionally and not ex-

Fueilleton. last accounts reached a hight of 600 feet, and is by far the highest erection

English furriers excel in dyeing sealskins but Americans lead the world in cutting and shaping the skin into handsome, well-fitting garments.

President Patton of Princeton College says that "man constitutes the apez of animated nature." Prof. Darwin remarked long ago that he was the ex-ape. -- Terra Haute Express. "Oh, you have come first at last; you were always behind before," was the queer greeting a school master gave to

ly investigated.—Somerville Journal.

"That Campbell family are the very

A pair of compasses consists of only two pieces, the same as a pair of shears, and yet the encyclopedia says and refuses to say

3,000 acres of valuable land near Ashville, N. C., and it is conjectured he proposes to establish a woman's fcol-The Chicago Times doesn't heed the

New Haven, Conn., died Wednesday at the age of 105. He was born in Cork, Ireland, and had lived in Elmira New York, for a great many years. Three years ago he moved to New Haven.

sent over Niagara Falls the other day

dentist had to remove some of his teeth to prove that it was a foolish act.

One of the latest wrinkles in photography is the ghost picture, in which a person's likeness is taken by an instantaneous exposure, with a result so shad-

ing a call." "How do you know?" inquired his little sister. "Can't you hear ma talking? She's got her Sunthat I can get my head and shoulders fill your order, but you might satisfy

ton when I want it without moving the bureau.

The number of artificial teeth made

one hour before the Bohemia, and ar- is for molars as white as snow, while rived just one hour ahead of her in in South America no such teeth could port, both having taken 134 days on | be sold. There they require teeth that the voyage. The vessels spoke each are almost yellow, and the trade from other only twice during the entire China, which is a lucrative one, is for nothing but black teeth.

JOHN G. HOLMES, Editor.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1889.

Republican County Convention. A Republican County Convention will be held at the Court House in Berrien-Springs, on Wednesday, Feb. 13, 1889, at 11 o'clock, a. m., to elect 21 delegates to the Republican State Convention, to be held in Detroit on the 21st of February, and for the transacproperly come before the convention. The several Townships and Wards

tion of such other business as may of the city of Niles will be entitled to representation in such convention, based on the Presidential vote of 1888,

FIRST DISTRICT.		
Townships.	Vote.	No Delegates
Bainbridge Benton	369	
Benton	1320	
Berrien Hagar Lincoln	418	
Hagar	107	
Oronoko	402	12
Dinastana	909	10
Paraltan	971	7
Sodns	275	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
St. Joseph	935	26
Pipestone Royalton Sodns St. Joseph Wateryliet	578	
SECO	ND DISTR	ICT.
Niles township Niles City, 1st Ward	478	11
Niles City, 1st Ward	384	
oa	211	6
Chikaming	240	6

L. A. DUNCAN, Chairman. T. L. WILKINSON, Secretary.

Three Oaks.....

Democratic State convention Grand Rapids, February 28.

Annexation is having such a effect in Canada that local elections are being held there with that question as

Republican State convention to nominate candidates for Regents of the University, and Justice of the Supreme court, will be held in Detroit, Feb. 21.

The government authorities have discovered that Chinamen are being smuggled into this country from British America, by dressing them up to resemble squaws.

The first bill to get through both branches of the legislature, was on changing date of meeting of the State Electoral college, to the second Tuesday in January next following the general election.

The American Navy besides capturing the American steamer it went after, has caught the yellow fever, that contagion having broken out on board the steamer Yantic, while in Port Au Prince.

Pasadena, Cal., Jan. 11. - Owen Brown, son of John Brown of Ossawatomie, and last survivor of the Harper's Ferry affair, is dead. The dead man had for a number of years passed the life of a hermit on a remote summit of the Sierra Madre mountains known as Brown's peak. He was 74 years old at | matism, but is slowly recovering. the time of his death.

Representative Aleshire has a bill for incorporating Building and Loan associations, and relieving them from taxation on their mortgages. There is a resolution before the house to so change the election laws that a voter must live six months in the State and thirty days in the township, before being competent to vote, instead of three months in the State and ten days in the township, as at present.

The country through Pennsylvania and New York was the scene of destructive cyclones last Thursday, that were more destructive of life than any similar storms in a number of years. Reading and Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, were the victims of the worst disaster, over 200 persons being killed or injured. One corner of the storm swinging around into the neighborhood of Niagara Falls and the new suspension bridge, 1300 feet in length was blown into the river.

Detroit Journal has an idea that the Republican party must let the liquor traffic alone in this State or lose the German vote, and states that it was because these people voted for Harrison and Burt, that Mr. Luce lacked 6000 of having as many votes as Harrison. The Republican party has promised to enact a law curtailing that traffic, and is going to do it. In the last election, the entire saloon element and the ultra prohibitionists were united against the republican party and did their best to defeat it. That party is not now under such obligations to these elements as to deter it from fulfilling its promises in that direction.

### The County Grange.

The Berrien County Grange held its annual meeting at Berrien Centre, on Tuesday and Wednesday. There was an unusually full attendance, every Grange in the county sending delegations more or less large according to its size and proximity to place of meet-

ing.
About three hundred patrons sat down to the well-spread table of the entertaining Grange. An increase of membership in the county was shown by the reports from the subordinate Granges. Officers were elected as follows:

Master J. J. Murphy, of Berrien Overseer, G. N. Parketon, Oronoko. Lecturer, G. F. Cunningham, Benton

Steward, Alvin Morley, Hill's Cor-

Assistant Steward, Roy Clark, Prpe-

Chaplain, Mrs. U. B. Webster, Ben-Treasurer, Mrs. C. F. Howe, Bu-

Secretary, R. M. Hogue, Sodus. Gate Keeper, Wm. J. Jones, Berrien Pomona, Miss Emily Snow, Berrien

Centre.

Flora, Mrs. W. N. Seitz, Pipestone.

L. A. S., Mrs. Roy Clark.
The reports of the retiring officers were well-prepared papers containing many practical suggestions and recommendations: The following extracts mittee are of general interest to the

3d. Your committee takes pleasure in noting the favorable indications that agriculture is to be honored by a representative in the President's cabinet, and we earnestly urge and confidently hope that the present Congress of the United States hurry the final passage of the act elevating the Commissioner of Agriculture to cabinet position.

ommend that each subordinate Grange n the county have a copy of the Legislative Journal for perusal and that the bills pending before the Legislature of interest to farmers be thoroughly discussed at the Grange, and the results of their deliberations forwarded to the Senator and Representative- representing our district in the

State Legislature. 5th. We further recommend that Berrien County Pomona Grange indorse the action of the prosecuting attorney and circuit judge in calling the grand jury and bringing the open violatiors of the law to answer for their enormous crimes, at the bar of justice.

A. N. WOODRUFF, Ex. Com. WM. J. JONES, MRS. THOS. MARS, Perhaps it is needless to say that the recommendations were heartily con-

curred in by the Grange. One feature of several recent meetings of the County Grange has been the increasing attendance of young people. This was particularly noticaole at this meeting and indicates that there is a very healthy infusion of strong young blood, which is making itself felt in the Grange.

Excellent music and various exer-

cises of a literary nature were interspersed through the routine business Papers were read by Mrs. Doane, of Pipestone: Mrs. Hollenbeck and G. N. Parketon, of Mt. Tabor Grange.

The session closed at about three o'clock of Wednesday, but as several members from Bainbridge, Lake, Pearl, Sodus and Benton Harbor Granges were obliged to wait for the evening train, they remained at the hall and enjoyed a very pleasant "supplement" to the more formal sessions. Songs, recitations, solos, readings and choruses followed esch other till almost train time, when we finally left the Berrien Centre Grange hall in a raging storm, but with warm and cheery hearts, full of pleasant recollections of the annual meeting of 1889.—T. in Palladium.

FROM GALIEN.

Mr. E. A. Blakeslee returned to his class in the University, Ann Arbor,

Miss Clara Wilson made a short visiting tour on Saturday to Buchanan returning on Monday.

Mrs. S. B. Smith who was a guest of Mr. Blakeslee's, returned to Norwalk Ohio, last week. Mr. John Gogle and wife, of Dayton,

Mich., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Brewer, of this place. Mr. Cyrus Thurston moved back on farm about one a half miles from

Many of our worthy citizens received a pressing invitation to attend court at Berrien Springs and appear before the Grand Jury to try their veracity. Result of these testimonies, so the story goes is that a fine of \$180 was imposed on the proprietor of an apothecary shop.

An epidemic in the form of a cold seems to have struck our town and kicked a good many hoarse. Mr. W. C. Hicks was admitted to the Bar this week to practice law in any court in this State. So Galien can

boast of having a convert of "Blackstone" once more. Mr. Timothy Smith who has been on the sick list is improving somewhat. Miss Lydia Martin who has been teaching in the Noggle District has

PROGRAM of the Farmers' Institute Association of Berrien county to be held at Berrien Springs, Thursday, Jan. 31, and Friday and Saturday, Feb.

been seriously indisposed with Rheu-

THURSDAY MORNING-10 O'CLOCK.

Address of Welcome-Herbert L. Potter. Response-Albert L. Drew, Pres. of

Association. Paper, "Farming for Profit with Hinderance to Success"-W. J. Jones. THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Paper, "Township Schools," with sugestions to Legislature on any changes n the present school laws -C. B. Groat. Paper, "Farm Labor"—Hon. Wm. Chamberlain.

THURSDAY EVENING. Resolutions. Discussions on questions from query

Paper, "Amendments Needed to the Present Liquor Law"—Lerov Brocson. Poem, "Pioneer Times" — Erastus

Murphy. Paper, "Tax Legislation"-R. V.

Music. FRIDAY AFTERNOON. Music,

Paper, "Chemistry in Agriculture"-Recitation,

Paper, "Sheep as an Element in Farm Economy"—Enos Holmes.

FRIDAY EVENING. Resolutions and Discussions.

SATURDAY MORNING. Paper, "Horticulture"-W. A. Smith. Paper, "Our District Schools"-Mary

Music. SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

Music. Paper, "The Effect of the Liquor Traffic on Farmers"—A. II. Carleton.

Paper, "The Demand of our Public Schools"—Prof. G. J. Edgcumbe, of the Benton-Harbor Collegiate Institute. Adjournment.

Circuit Court.

G. W. Platt vs E. Broderick. Dismissed without costs. People vs Eli Shearer, bastardy. Bond estreated.

Fred Kettler admitted to citizenship. People vs Wm. Frick, violating li-quor law. Plead guilty, fined \$30.60. People vs Elizabeth Melshimer, violating liquor law. Fined. Owen Churchill vs Conradt Walters et al. Judgt for plaintiff for \$1041.28. People vs George D. Caldwell and

Hiram Forbes, violating liquor law Plead guilty, fined \$36.60. Morgan L. Wells vs Martha Wilson Dismissed without costs. People vs George Herman, violating liquor law. Gave bond to appear next

term for sentence. People vs Burwell Hinchman. Con-Sarah A. Byers vs Tobias Byers, replevin. Continued.

Warren D. Shaw vs Sarah Hill Ejectment. Tried by jury. Verdict for plaintiff. People vs Wm. Holland, people vs Thos Johnson, and people vs Louis Shouday, added to calendar.

People vs Geo. K. Forler, violating liquor law, on three indictments. Plead guilty, fined \$200. Inited States hurry the final passage
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People vs Elizabetli Vanderhoof.

J. W. Niles, survivor, etc., vs W. H Thayer. Judgment for plaintiff for People vs Lehman, violating liquor law. Fine remitted and prisoner dis-

charged.

William C. Hicks admitted to the Martha R. Richmond vs Frank Gilbert et al. Cotinued.—Berrien Springs

ARDREW LEWIS HINCHMAN, of Taylorville, Plumas county, California, died December 12, 1888, aged 52 years. Mr. Hinchman was a brother of Mrs. Wm. Burk, of Silver Creek, and went to California in 1850. The fore part of his life was spent in Berrien county .-Dowayiac Times.

ADAM MILLER, a German, who worked as a farm hand for Robert Foster, fell from a hay stack at the farm last evening and struck on a fork, which penetrated his body. Miller died almost instantly. Coroner Win-burn held an inquest this morning-The yictim had only been in this country three years, and was 22 years old. -Star, Thursday.

Morristown, Tenn., July 4, 1888-The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.: Gentlemen—Five years ago I was so unfortunate as to contract an extremely bad
case of blood poison. My bones ached and
my muscles began to swell and contract. I
was under treatment of the physician from
the inception of the disease until I found
that he could do me no good. Then,
through the advice of a friend I began taking S. S. S. Your medicine seemed to have ing S. S. S. Your medicine seemed to have an immediate effect. I took six bottles, and to-day am sound and well. That was two or three years ago, but I have seen no evidence of the return of the disease, and I take this opportunity to thank you for what it has done for me. It saved my life. You can referany one to me.

R. M. WALL.

FARMERSVILLE, TEX., June 22, 1838. The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.: Gentlemen-The mother of a member of our firm was afflicted with a cancerous sore on her face for about twenty years.
During the past few years it troubled her very much by continued pain and itching.
She used your S. S. S., and the sore has disappeared and is apparently well. Should it break out again, will advise you.

Very truly,

PENDLETON, YEARLY & RILEY,

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Three books mailed free on application. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

PHACTS AND PHYSIC. "Country houses"-Earle's, the Cos mopolitan, etc.

The Population of Buchanan Is about 3,000, and we would say at least one-half are troubled with some affection on the Throat and Lungs, as those complaints are, according to statistics, more numerous than others. We would advise all our readers not to neglect the opportunity to call on their druggist and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the throat and Lungs. Trial size free. Large Bottle 50c and \$1. Sold by all druggists. 43y1 Sometimes the lawyer's "hardest

case"—The office boy. A Bit of Valuable Advice. My wife has been troubled with Catarrh, for about twenty-five years, having suffered severely indeed for six years before she began to use your Papillon (Clarke's extract of flax) Cain a critical condition, unable to breath except through the mouth. Tried many advertised remedies without relief, and became discouraged, when Dr. Streetor advised her to try your Catarrh Cure; it gave her relief, almost immediately and she has used it until she feels confident she is entirely cured. Her health has not been so good in many years." Edward Silvey, Chicago. All reliable druggists sell it, \$1.00, sent

prepaid on receipt of price. gold at W. F. Runner's Drug Store. Things that pan out well.-Buck-

Papillon (Clarke's extract of flax) Sk in Cure Did It.

"Last winter I was afflicted with carbuncle on the back of my neck. I tried your remedies and by keeping the inflamed parts saturated with the Skin Cure. I was entirely cured. The relief obtained from the soreness and inflammation was immediate and effectual." Signed; Wallace L. Dewolf. All reliable druggists sell it at \$1.00 per bottle, or send post paid on receipt

of price. Sold at W. F. Runner's Drug Store, Continually going up and bursting.

A New Discovery.--6 You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience past how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is. that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it, and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any Thrat, Lung or chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial bottles free, at W. F.

New York is a nice, quiet city. Only 1,799 persons were arrested last week

How loving they are; this is always a sure sign. After the first year sometimes it don't hold good. When Charles comes home to you grouty and cross, snapping and snarling, unable to relish the nice dinner you have cooked, and feels as if there were a ton of iron in his stomach, he is troubled with dyspepsia, and Sulphur Bitters is the only medicine that will cure him.

Georgia is to have a watermelon

The Homeliest Man in Bachanan as well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on any druggist and get free a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to relieve and cure all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Large bottles 50 cents and \$1. Mrs. Cleveland, says the New York

World, is engaged in translating a French novel into English. Cure Yourself Don't pay large doctor's bills. The best medicine book published, 100 pages, elegent colored plates, will be

sent on receipt of three 2-cent stamps to pay postage. Address, A. P. Ord-way & Co., Boston, Mass. Governor Ames, of Massachusetts, calls in his message, for a good truant school in every county.

Consumption Surely Cured. TO THE EDITOR-Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy free to any of your readers who will send me their express and post office address. Respectfully, T. A. Slocum, M. C., 161 Pearl st., N. Y. 44y1 Senator Reagan, of Texas, cannot think on public questions unless he is chewing paper.

Itch, Mange and Scratches on human or animals cured in 30 minutes by Wollford's Sanitary Lotion. This never fails. Sold by W. F. Runner, Druggist, Buchanan, Mich. 40m6

Would use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. It is curing more cases of Coughs, Colds and Asthma, Bronchitis Croup and all Throat and Lung Troubles, than any other medi-The propietor has authorized any druggist to give you a Sample Bottle Free to convince you of the merit of this great remedy. Large Bottles

They call it "a duck of a bonnet" because there is so much bill to it.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 15 cents per box. For sale by W. F. Runner, Druggist. 24y1 The population of Texas, in round numbers, is 2,025,000.

A Sound Legal Opinion.—6 E. Bainbridge Munday, Esq., County Atty., Clay Co., Tex., says: "Have used Electric Bitters with most happy results. My brother also was very low with Malarial Fever and Jaundice, but was cured by timely use of this medicine. Am satisfied Electric Bitters saved his life." Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave,

He positively believes he would have died, had it not been for Electric Bitters. This good remedy will ward off, as well as cure all Malarial Diseases, and for all Kidney, Liver and Stomach Disorders stands unequaled. Price 50c and \$1, at W. F. Runner's

Ky., adds a like testimony, saying:

Men who are always hunting for the dark side of the world cannot expect much sunshine to come into their lives.

Some Foolish People Allow a cough to run until it gets be youd the reach of medicine. They of ten say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial size free. At all

Mrs. Grundy avers "that great riches and bad grammar are nowadays very closely associated in social life.'

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria, When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became Miss, she clang to Castoria When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

Of the 200 goldbeaters in New York not one is a woman, while of the 900

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gold cutters not one is a man.

Mutual Fire Insurance Association of Berrien Co., Mich., for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1888. 

598,637 Amount of risks Dec. 31, 1888... RECEIPTS. ...\$2,494,087 loan to pay losses since last assess-

EXPENDITURES. ses that occurred in 1887. " in 1888

Total expenditures..... The following have been the losses during th rear ISS: Inn. 1. Andrew Millard, damage by fire to dwelling. 

ald, loss of dwelling and contents by fire
March 3. Sabin Morley, damage to dwelling
and contents by fire.

June 13. Cornelius Wood, cow killed by
lightning.

June 13. John Mosler, damage to dwell
ing by lightning.
June 24. Chas. Danbner, bull killed by
lightning.

Aug. 3. B. H. Smith, horse killed by lightning.

Aug. 31. Juan M. Guy, loss of barn and
contents by fire.

Aug. 31. Juan M. Guy, loss of barn and
contents by fire.

Sept. 1. John Murry, cow killed by lightning.

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lightning.

Sept. 1. Thomas Roberts, sheep killed
by lightning.

Sept. 10. Wm. Williams, stock killed by
lightning.

Sept. 10. Wm. Williams, stock killed by
lightning.

Sept. 15. Johann Kluth, loss of barn and
contents by fire.

Sept. 18. John Susain, loss of house and

by fire.... Oct. 18. Rebecca Walper, loss of house 

be taken at all times during the stay of said threshers.

A new by-law was added to govern the use of gasoline and oil stoves, to read as follows:

Sec. 15. This Association will allow the use of oil and gasoline stoves under the following, restrictions, viz.: the reservoir to be filled by dayinght only and when the stove is not in use, and the insured agrees that no artificial light will be used in the room while the reservoir is being filled. No gasoline except that contained in said reservoir shall be kept within the building, and not more than five gallons in a tight and securely closed metalic can, free from leak, on the premises adjacent thereto.

WM. BURRUS, President.

FREEMAN FRANKLIN, Secretary.

Estate of John W. Brown, First publication Jan. 10, 1889. TATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien.—ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate Office, in the Village Berrien Springs, on the 7th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-

Present, DAVID E. HINMAN, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John W. Brown, deceased
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Lorana Brown, 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 the petitioner, the Executrix named in said will, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 4th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of soil deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the Village of Berrien Springs, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; And it is Fyrther Ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspapor printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

Last Publication, Jan. 31, 1889.

Estate of Fenner F. Clark.

TATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss.—
At a session of the Probate Court for said county, held at the Probate office, in the Village of Serrien Springs, on the 31st day of December, in the rear one thousand eight hundred and eighty-Present, DAVID E. HIMMAN, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Fenner F. Clark,

leceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Celinda Clark, 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 said Celinda Clark, the executrix named in said will, or to some other suitable person.

the executrix named in said will, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 29th lay of January next, at ten o'clock in the foremon, se assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required a appear at a session of said Court, then to be solden in the Probate office, in the Village of Berrien Springs, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of raid petition, and sae hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of a saring.

DAVID E. HINMAN, Judge of Probate (A true copy.) Last publication January 24, 1889.

MORTGAGE SALE.

The sum of nine hundred and thirty-four dollars and eighty-five cents is claimed to be due at the date of this notice on a mortgage made by Eliza Jane Conant to David E. Hinman, executor of the last will and testament of Truman Hinman, deceased, dated december 18, 1886, and recorded January 4, 1887, in Liber thirty-elght of Mortgages, on 2age 553, in the office of Register of Deeds of Berrien County, Michigan. Pursuant, therefore, to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, the premises therein described, to-wit.: All that part of the west hall of the south-west quarter of section four (4), town eight (8) south, range eighteen (18) west, lying south of the Michigan Central railroad, as now located, and being in Berrien County, Michigan, will be sold at public anction at the front door of the Court House in the Village of Berrien Springs, in said county, on Friday, the twenty-ninth day of March, 1889, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with the attorney fee and costs allowed by law.

January 3, 1889.

DAVID E. HINMAN, Executor as aforesaid. MORTGAGE SALE.

DAVID E. HINMAN, Executor as aforess ROSCOE D. DIX, Attorney for Mortgages.

Estate of Anna Gleigner. First publication, Jan. 17, 1889. At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office, in the village of Berrien Springs, on the 11th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

Present, David E. Hinnan, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Anna Gleisner, deceased.

In the matter of the estate of Anna Gleisner, deceased,
On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Michael Gleisner, 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 the petitioner, the executor named in said will, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 12th day of. Febuary next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of 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, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) DAVID E. HINMAN, [SEAL.]

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well done at moderate prices.

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J. HARVEY ROE.

Notice for Hearing Claims. Notice for Hearing Claims.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien—ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Berrien, made on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1888, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of George G. Rough, late of said County, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate office, in the Village of Berrien Springs, for examination and allowance, on or before the seventh day of May next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on Thursday, the fourteenth day of May next, at ten o'clock in the foreuoon of each of those days.

Dated, December 26, A. D. 1888.

DAVID E. HINMAN,
Judge of Probate

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The undersigned having come in possession of the manufac-tured stock of the Buchanan Manufacturing Co. now offer

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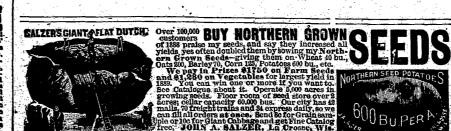
at prices lower than ever before heard of. Call at the sales. room in the Redden Block, foot of Day's Avenue, and examine the goods and learn prices. We also offer for sale at a bargain all the OFFICE FIXTURES of the Buchanan Manufacturing Co., and all

the LUMBER in the yards. L. L. REDDEN. S. A. EARL.

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School Books, Tablets, Pens, Ink, Paper and School Supplies,

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Stock Larger That Ever!

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GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

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On January 1, we shall close our books, and all trade after that date

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We Can Sell Better Goods

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tem, and have determined to do so.

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### W. TRENBETH.

**Merchant Tailor** Has constantly in stock the largest

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For Gentlemen's Wear,

to be found in Berrien county at the lowest living prices for good work.

### all and Winter Stock

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Buchanan Markets. Tay—\$6 @ \$14 per ton. Butter-20c. Eggs—14c.

ard-10c. Potatoes,—85c. Salt, retail—\$1.00

Flour-\$4.00 @ \$6.00 per bbl., retail. Honey-16. Live poultry-6 @ Sc. Wheat-98c. Oats -25c.

Corn-New, 35c. Beans-1.50@2.00. Buckwheat flour-\$8.00. Dressed pork-\$6.00 per cwt. Live Hogs—4其@4%c.

### Wedding Present.

So long as this notice appears in this place, the publisher of the RECORD will make a wedding present of THE BUCHANAN RECORD one year to any couple who marry and settle in Berrien county, the only requirement being that they apply for it within three months after their marriage. The same will be extended to those who are married within this county and go elsewhere to live, but such will be required to subscribe for one year, upon making application. That is, by paying the price of one year they will be given credit for two years and receive the RECORD that time.

CHICKEN thieves epidemic in Sodus.

W. A. PALMER has been appointed Under Sheriff by Sheriff Sterns.

E. F. MEACH has been under the doctor's care, at his home.

Now, Niles is in arms. A. J. Fox's bull pup has been poisoned, and A. J. will give \$50 to know who did it.

WILL HAGAR, former operator of the laundry in this place, is now located in Marion, Ind.

A THREE months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Stackman, living on Portage street, died last Friday, of cold.

HIGHEST temperature during the weck, 52. Lowest 10. At seven this

Looks as though the state encampment, S. O. V., might be held at St. Joseph in June.—Era.

AARON PONTIUS of Berrien Springs, and Wm. B. Harger of Niles, have been granted pensions.

HARRY FRANCIS has sold the Michigan City Dispatch to T. H. Harrison of the Lebannon, Id., Pioneer.

THE young folks of this place have formed a club and are having an occasional quiet dancing party in S. O. V.

MR. SETH SMITH carried a life insurance of \$2,000 in the Masonic mutual company at Grand Rapids, payable to his wife.

TICKETS for the lecture of Matilda Fletcher in Rough's opera house next Tuesday evening are on sale at J. H. jewelry store.

hE Michigan Central company furhed a special train to convey the heral party, with the remains of P. Beckwith, to Battle Creek.

ELDER J. F. BARTMESS has been elected to the Genesee Conference of the United Brethren church, to meet in Reading, Pa., May 9, 1889.

IF all of the hotel schemes in St. Joseph and Benton Harbor bear fruit there will be a hotel for each family in the neck of the woods.

CAPT. J. J. HUGHSON, Well known here, has bought out his partner Mr. Pixley, and is once more alone in the will interest you. They have taken

photograph work in St. Joseph. THE good crop of marriage licenses with which the new year opens leads to the notion that leap year was too

short. ABOUT the "loudest" smelling place in town is Joe Covell's skunk skinning establishment, near Front street.

It is "loud" enough to be "heard" all

over the business part of town. JEFF. DALRYMPLE, who went to ral society is about to give up the gan Wilson, and family, accompanied by Isaac Gray and family, came and settled here, and built a log cabin in himself of catarrhal trouble, has returned, finding the change did not have the expected effect.

ZAN HAYES is in limbo in Niles. He was flourishing a knife and promising to carve some one into mince meat when the marshal appeared and took him in. He was tried before the Recorder of that wicked city and sent to part of this township. It was a jolly board with Bent. Sterns for the next

ouse and lot on Front street to John Conradt, who expects to move his family to town in the near future, and will improve the property. Price was \$460.

Our statement last week that Wm. Burrus was elected Director of Farmer's Mutual Insurance Company to fill a vacancy was an error, as his election is for a full term.

EX-SHERIFF James R. Clarke, of St. Joseph, and Senator Babcock, of Niles, are on the track for appointment as United States Marshal for the western district of Michigan.

"JACK" DONNELLY, of Dayton, who has been with his two brothers in Aspen, Colorado, the past few years, is at home for a few weeks visit with his

MR. JOSEPH VOORHEES had the misfortune last Thursday to lose a valuable cow. He had her tied by a long rope in which she became entangled and succeeded in breaking her neck.

BURGLARS ransacked a house on Day's avenue last week, but found nothing they wanted. The money of the house was not left lying around loose and was not found.

A HALF-DOZEN or more girls went out of St. Joseph knitting works, one day last week, on a strike. Girls are too plenty for such a strike to succeed, and it was but a short time before their places were filled by others.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Jan. 15, '89: Elmer Weaver, C. E. Miller, R. M.

Wells, Miss H. A. Elliott, J. G. MANSFIELD, P. M.

THE tin roof was blown off from the Lake View hotel, in St. Joseph, during the gale that raged last week, and other damages were done. A windwill and smoke stack were blown down in Benton Harbor.

REV. S. L. HAMILTON who was to have preached on "Amusements" last Sunday night, deferred the sermon on account of the death and funeral of ready been noticed, to free printing Mr. Seth Smith. He will preach on the subject next Sunday night.

MICHIGAN PRESS ASSOCIATION is arranging for an excursion to Yellowstone park at the time of the next meeting which is to be held in Grand Rapids in July. Shall we go? Per-

P. D. BECKWITH of Round Oak Stove fame, ex-mayor of Dowagiac, died in that city Friday. He was mayor of the city four years and had the credit of doing more for the place than all of the rest of the inhabitants.

ATTENTION of the readers is called to the new advertisement of Benton Harbor Collegiate Institute which appears in this paper. This new institu! tion for Berrien county has been built up to prosperity and succuss.

A. L. Drew was in town Tuesday night and yesterday. He is laying low for the fellow who poisoned his cattle, and if Mr. Drew catches him he will think he has been caught out in a dynamite cyclone.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has appointed Frank G. Rice to be postmaster at Benton Harbor, in place of Mrs. Riford whose term of office expired. Mrs. Riford has held the office four years and her husband four years.

Surr has been commenced by John Montague and George Fedore, against Clyde Baker for drain taxes paid to him as Treasurer of Buchanan township, which means suit against the township. The taxes were paid under verbal protest.

THE fines already collected by the Grand Jury, amount to more than the "inquisition," and a whole string of cases yet to attend to. On the whole the prosecuting attorney nor the people have anything to regret in the calling of the Grand Jury.

MR. N. JOHNSON, has closed his school in Fractional District No. 20, Bertrand and Buchanan, on account of diphtheria in the families of Charles Kremble, Enos Holmes, Wm. Burrus and Mrs. Allen. While there are several cases they are all in a mild form.

NOTWITHSTANDING the rainy weather Tuesday evening, over 100 persons attended the chicken-pie social at Mr. Samuel French's, and made the proceeds of the social net over \$24. This is something of an indication of the sentiment of this community on chicken-

MR. DARLING, editor of the Sunday News Item of Laporte, made this place a visit yesterday. He was contemplating opening an office in Three Oaks, but discovering that it was the intention of Mr. Hill to move his plant to that place soon, withdraws from the field.

ATTENTION of the readers of the RECORD is called to the new advertisement of George Wyman & Co., of South Bend, on this page. If you will keep watch of that you will find matter that the contract to edit that portion of the RECORD during the year.

Monday afternoon Misses Maud Welch and Mattie Straw undertook to have some fun on the race near Mr. Field's shop, but the ice proved too thin for them and the result was each received a ducking. There was considerabling screaming and scrambling

before assistance came to their rescue. THE Niles Star says: Our agricultuhave been offered, and it may not have been well managed otherwise for success. The stockholders, it is hoped, will do something yet to resurrect it.

TUESDAY about thirty-five of the friends of Eld. W. P. Birdsall, cut and put up a fine lot of stove wood, furnished by Mr. Nutt, at his farm in the North chopping bee, made more jolly by the excellent dinner prepared by the ladies. I month.

opera house are repaired, there will be but little use for any one to try to lecture in the room, in case there should be a little breeze on the outside. For any lecturer to try to talk against the rattle of those windows is considerably like bumping against fate. Unprofitable business.

In the notices of bills to be introduced in the house at Lansing, Tuesday, was one by Mr. Aleshire, to relieve certain townships in Berrien county from railroad bonds, and one by Mr. Baker, to incorporate Benton Harbor as a city. Benton Harbor is bound to be a city, and if St. Joseph will not join in and help make up a good one, she can stay out.

TWENTY-ONE years ago Sunday, Jan 13, B. D. Harper commenced work in the RECORD office for D. A. Wagner, as foreman of the office, taking the place of David Sherwood, and has held the position continuously ever since. The longest vacation he has had during the entire time, was when he took ten weeks off beginning in January, 1887, for a little frolic with the rheumatism. He has come to be invoiced as one of the office fixtures and goes with the office in all cases of sale.

REDDEN & EARL have commenced work on the unfinished stock they procured in the purchase of the Buchanan Manufacturing Company's property, in the wagon factory, and will work up a share of the lumber in the yard. If when this is done they find themselves satisfied with the furniture business, they will most likely continue the work. This is likely to be the starting of a new manufacturing enterprise for Buchanan that should be made perma-

Some of the opinions on the bill Mr. Aleshire proposes to work through the legislature to free building and loan associations from taxation, as published in the Enterprise this week, are somewhat amusing, when it is remembered that the persons quoted are all strongly opposed to all class legislation. If this bill would not properly come under that head it might be hard to find one, unless it be one that has aloffices from execution.

CARD OF THANKS .-- We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our many kind and sympathizing friends, to the Masonic Fraternity, and to all who so kindly assisted us in our sad bereavement and all through the sickness and death of our dear husband and father. MRS. S. J. SMITH.

MRS. M. M. KNIGHT. MISS MATTIE SMITH.

TUESDAY EVENING, at an early hour, Fred Andrews heard a noise about his house, and going out he found one of our village toughs up in one there to roost. Fred knows the chap and he will be heard from in another way. He also gives due notice to others who have an idea of visiting his place, that he has a shot-gun, and is in full practice in its use.

THE Cleveland and Thurman pole that gave our Democratic friends so much trouble during the campaign, was taken down and drawn to Myron Mead's saw mill when it was sawn into plank for use on the brick yard. The old-time trouble continued, when the saw ran into a 20-penny steel nail. The saw was somewhat the worse for the wear. Not being an eye witness, the writer could not state whether Mr. Mead's christianity was in anyway affected by the accident or not. We have an idea of how millmen usu. ally talk on such occasions.

Marriage L.censes.

James S. Scott, Benton Harbor Lulu Wiscox, St. Joseph.

Geo. H. Miller, Nebraska. Lizzie A. Shroff, Oronoko, 478 Geo. E. Lemon, Oronoko.

Ida Wetzel, Lake. Anson Howard, Weesaw. Jane Patty, Weesaw.

Paul P. Malone, Niles. Jennie V. Bunbury, Niles.

Wm. Russell, Benton Harbor. Lena Jacobs, Allen B. Lambert, Benton Harbor. Jennie Eastman.

Wm. Schmuhl, Hagar. Bertha Kasischke, St. Joseph.

C. L. S. C .- The next meeting of the Alphas will be held at Rev. S. L. Hamilton's, Monday evening, Jan. 21, at 7 o'clock, with the following program: Roll Call-First half of the list give

preference among Greek authors with reason for the preference.
Greek course to Chapt. IX, with the questions on the same from Jan. Chauaugua, the exercise to be conducted by Mrs. Geo. Blowers.

Paper, Character of Socrates, Mr. Alex. Emery. Required reading to page 43 of "Character of Jesus", conducted as a class cxercise, Miss Eda Beardsley. Report of Critic, Miss Louise Schray.

THE BUCHANAN RECORD says that a Niles edtior had to be shown a jail door before he would talk freely on the witness stand, at Berrien Springs the other day. This seems very strange. Nearly all the editors we have ever known could talk the handle off-from a cast iron pump and have 379 links of talk left.—Dowagiac Times.

And if any Michigan editor can outtalk Jimmy Heddon, he should be voted a bronze medal, set with a leather diamond. This was not a case of that sort, however.

BUCHANAN is said to be the most thoroughly dead town in Michigan. every important factory being in a state of bankruptcy or rest.-Niles

If you had ever been in Buchanan in your life you might know more about it. Perhaps not.

My mother, with her father, Mor-October, 1829. There were but three log cabins when they came, occupied by the Wallings, Justices and Greens, the last one without a family. The Lacey's were here, but lived down where the brick mill now stands.—
Col. F. Bond, in Niles Republican.

Berrien Springs Journal. Major Geo. H. Murdoch has been sick the past week with pneumona.... The farmers institute will hold their annual session in this place next The Leader in Low Prices. Look at these prices and

judge for yourselves.

~‱5 CENTS‱

Long Handle Dippers, splendidly made. Fancy Basket. To see it is to bay it. Wood Spoon. Every house wants one. Screw Driver, enameled handle. Coat Rack, 4 hook, worth double. Harmonica, 10 key, very pretty. Toilet Soap, large "Jumbo" cake. Pot Cover, with Ring Top, large size. Zinc Oiler, patent spring bottom. Curry Comb, 8 bar, wood handle. Pocket Knife, spring back, boy's size. Glass Milk Pitcher, pure as crystal. Long Rubber Comb, best quality. Large Turkoy Red Handkerchiefs. Large Glass Mug, flint glass. Stove Paste Polish, the best in the world. Large Tin Pan, first quality. Tin Wash Basin, splendid shape. Bird Cage Hook, swinging, bronze. Tack Hamuers, wood handles. Three Papers of Tacks, re-tinned. Match Safe, a beauty. Wire Broiler, or Togster, best goods. Match Safe, a beauty. Wire Broiler, or Toaster, best goods.

EITHER OF THESE ITEMS FOR } ~ \$ 10 CENTS WILL BUY EITHER OF THESE

20 Different Brands of Plug Tobacco.

### JOHN MORRIS. Proprietor.

MR. SETH SMITH died at Saginaw City, Mich,, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Dr. Knight, on Friday morning, Jan. 11, 1889. He had been in poor health for many months, and hadsuffered greatly from a complica- | year. tion of diseases, which the autopsy revealed to be fatty degeneration of the heart, tubercular deposits in the liver, stomach, and cystic degeneration of the right kidney.

Eight days before his death he went grew rapidly worse. His wife and daughter were summoned to his bedside, and were with him when death

by his influence, and faith, and prayer,

and godly example, he still lives, for

Mr. Smith was born Oct. 27, 1827, at usual profits made by merchants in Canboro, Ontario. At the age of six- our line of goods. teen years he united with the M. E. church, remaining a consistent and de- will sell as low as the lowest. See voted member until his death. He hand bills. had held nearly, all the official positions in church connection it was possible for a lay member to fill, at the time of his death being class leader, steward and trustee, besides being member of and secretary of the board of district trustees. In the civil list he had held the office of clerk of the county court in his native land, and had been a member of the school board and treasurer of this township. He became a member of Buchanan Lodge No. 68, F & A. M., in 1869, occupying with at marked ability several of the offices in the Lodge, being a Past Master of the same at the time of his death. He was married to Sarah Jane Morrison,

at Canboro, Ont., Nov. 2, 1847, at which place they lived until May 28, 1868, when they came to Buchanan. prices. He leaves to cherish his memory, amid their sympathing friends, his wife and

ters. Four children, two sons and two daughters, were unable to be present on account of great distance.

PLE OF BUCHANAN.—I take pleasure in announcing that I have succeeded in arranging with that celebrated artist, Irish comedian and vocalist, Mr. Charles E. Verner and company, for their great production of "Shamus O'Brien," at Niles, Mich., Opera House, on Monday evening, January 28, 1889 Your attendance is respectfully solici ted, well knowing that the high char-

sale at Harris' Drug Store. C. V. MURPHY, Manager Opera House, Niles, Mich.

for its return, J. F. HAHN. For SALE.—The Conant property on Main street. For particulars call at the premises.

complete our stock of Stationery is. POST OFFICE N. D. 9 Our stock of Dry Goods must be reduced before taking invoice. Come and see what a bargain we have for

20 Different Brands of Smoking Tobacco,

In Memoriam.

JONH F. REYNOLDS, Cashier.

fibrous tubercular ulceration of the Buchanan. to Saginaw with his daughter, hoping All persons knowing themselves to be the change would be beneficial, but he indebted to me please call and settle.

came to relieve him of his sufferings. The remains were brought to Bu-disolved partnership. All bills due chanan on Saturday, and the funeral occurred at the Methodist Episcopal Strehle. All bills payable will be paid church, Sunday afternoon, under the by Henry L. Hess. auspices of the Masonic Order, and was largely attended, both by the Masons and the general community, the and see us. Our prices are as low as

house being crowded to its utmost capacity, many standing up. The music was furnished by the choir of the church, and was tender and appropriate. Rev. H. V. Warren offered prayer. The sermon was by Mr. Smith's pastor, Rev. S. L. Hamilton, who spoke from Our earnest prayer is that the good | Heb. x1. 4: "And by it, he being dead, Lord may stretch forth His loving | yet speaketh", his subject being, "Not hand to all our friends as he has to us. | dead or, The Influence of a Good Life". He called attention to the casket, the silent form within, the closed eyes, the sealed lips, the folded hands—lips that an on or about Jan. 14, 1889, on his first bade the speaker welcome, and regular quarterly trip for plano and hands that shook his the first, when he organ tuning and repairing. Orders came to Buchanan-and said he, "Is it may be left at Mrs. Sawyer's restaudeath? You call it death, I say, no; rant or addressed by mail. he lives; the good never die." He of his shade trees near the house then spoke of the tribute which men after some chichens that had gone of all classes had paid to the probity, honesty, integrity and worth of the With many thanks for the past, we deceased, the uprightness of his character, his faithfulness to all public trusts, civil and religious, his careful

accounting of all funds placed in his hands, his careful keeping of all records which his official positions imposed and, above all, his faith in God -of the power of faith in moulding life and character; of his splendid abilties as a class leader, and special gifts profits on all goods with their customin prayer; of his great sufferings, and | ers, and it pays them as their trade of his most triumphant death, and that has been more than doubled in consewe speak of him as dead because of quence. the poverty of our language; he had simply entered into life eternal, and

"By it, he being dead, yet speaketh." Mr. Hamilton read an obituary notice prepared by Mr. LeRoy Dodd, from which we gather the following

six children, two sons and four daugh-

Locals. TO THE AMUSEMENT LOVING PEOacter of both the star and company, guarantee a rare treat seldom enjoyed by Buchanan audiences. Seats for

Losr.—The silver plated cap off the hub of one of the wheels of my hearse, on Sunday last. A reward will be paid

You would be surprised to fine how

30 Different Brands of Cigars.

There will be a meeting of stockholders of the First National Bank of Buchanan, at their office, on Saturday, the 9th day of February, 1889, for the election of officers for the ensuing

FARM FOR SALE, within two miles of J. G. HOLMES. TAKE NOTICE.-All of my un-

THREE OAKS, Jan. 1, 1889. NOTICE.-By mutual consent, the firm of STREHLE & HESS have this day the firm will be collected by Peter

PETER STREHLE. HENRY L. HESS. Now, if you want a bargain come

HIGH & DUNCAN HENRY L. HESS will be pleased to see all of his friends at the old stand of Strehle & Hess, where he will con reduced from \$1.50, at

Shoes, Groceries, &c. Remnant sales next week at

BOYLE & BAKERS. WILL U. MARTIN will be in Buchan

To all those indebted to us will please call and settle their recounts, as we must balance our books of 1888. are truly yours.

Do not ask for credit at BISHOP & KENTS. The firm of W. L. HOGUE & Co., do just as they advertise to do, divide

SLIPPERS! SLIPPERS! for everybody, cheap for cash, at

On the first day of January 1889, I will commence to sell for cash. Do not ask for credit. J. BLAKE.

selling all goods at less than half the We are in the market to stay and

The trade of W. L. HOGUE & Co., has doubled in the last two weeks. Why? Because they are selling at prices that beats them all.

You can save from three to five dollars on an overcoat by buying it at 4 0 this time of year. We have decided

W. L. HOGUE & CO. | wool Serge, that was imported to sell 200 clothes bars cheaper than you at 50 cents per yard, for 25 cents.

can make them.

I am closing out my Crockery and

WALLACE RILEY.

A bargain for you. All wool trecot flannel, 54 inches wide, only 50 cents at

White, before buying. When visiting Niles call at the City Restaurant for a good meal. IRA EMMONS.

Look at our line of Cloaks before

ou buy is all we ask.

It is no mistake, we show the best ine of Dress Goods in town. BOYLE & BAKER. Look at the New Goods at Don't buy, don't buy your Dry Goods | said, I'll give you \$50 for him."

BOYLE & BAKER.'

and Millinery until you price them at BOYLE & BAKER'S. To come down, but the hoss is yours. Go to HIGH & DUNCAN for Bargains. I HAVE two Mason & Hamlin Organs for sale on the easiest possible terms. Also one Mason & Hamlin Piano, new, and one second-hand square Piano for sale cheap.

DRESS-MAKING. Miss Elmira Burrus is prepared to do dress-making in the latest styles and a bargain we have for give good work. Call at her home on HIGH & DUNCAN; South Bend, Ind.

C. A. SIMONDS & CO.,

New and Second-Hand.

At greatly reduced prices, to

make room for new stock,

\_\_\_\_AT\_\_\_\_

DRUG STORE.

Dry goods are very cheap with us

without so much talk, and Oil Paint-

ngs given with them. Best stock at

When in town call at the Strictly

When you want new goods look at

CHARLIE HIGH'S. You know his stock

TWO THINGS TO REMEMBER!

FIRST, We will not be undersold.

SECOND, The best Goods and full

Ladies, all wool red underwear, \$1.00,

FOR SALE.—The residence proper-

ty at the corner of Portage and Fifth

streets. The house is suitable for

two large families, and rents for \$9.00

a month. Price \$650. Payments rea-

As I expect to leave Buchanan at

W. O. HAMILTON will sell good

GEO. WYMAN & CO

We sometimes get to thinking we

are very smart, and about that time

discover that we don't know much of

One lot yard-wide Cashmere, cotton

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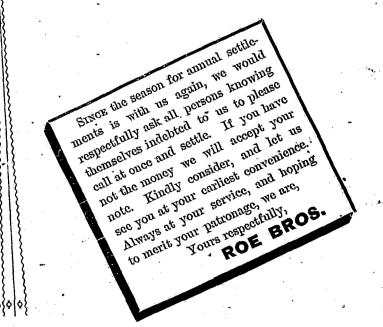
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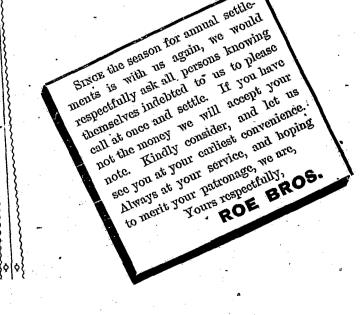
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The Debris Takes Fire and Adds More Terror to the Scene-Searching for the Victims - The Storm Blows Down Building at Pittsburg and Sixty-Seven People Are Killed or Injured-Terrible Effects of the Storm in Other Localities READING, Pa., Jan. 10.-A cyclone struck this city shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, demolishing a number of buildings, including Grimshaw Brothers' silkmill. In the latter were upward of 200 operatives, who were buried in the ruins. Many have been killed.

When the cyclone struck Roading the Philadelphia & Reading Railway company's paint shop was unroofed, and in less than ten minutes the entire structure was enveloped in flames. Several gas chambers underneath the passenger cars exploded, and four persons were killed and several others badly injured. The killed are: George Schaffer, Sh ridan Jones, Albert Laydonberger and John Kohler.

The storm then continued eastward, dealing out destruction in its path. Nine dwellings on North Eighth and Marion streets were unroofed and otherwise badly damaged. The cyclone cut a swath of about 250 feet, and everything in its way was either leveled to the ground or very badly wrecked. The next building in its track was the immense silk mill of Grimshaw Bros., located at One Hundred and Twentieth and Marion streets. This building was filled with operatives, and not a single soul escaped uninjured. The structure, which was four stories high and 200 by 70 feet, is a mass of ruins. Not a single brick remains of the beautiful building except the stock and engine-room. The fire department was called out, and 10,000 men, women, and children quickly assembled about the wrecked mill. The cries of the wounded and dying and their friends were heartrending. Willing bands, however, quickly set to work, and at 9:45 o'clock some seventy persons had been taken out. Twelve of these were dead and many fatally injured, those who were less seriously hurt were taken to their homes, while those who received more serious injuries were taken to the hos-

pitals.

Probably seventy-five to 100 escaped or These were dragged out by their friends. These victims worked on the upper floors and were thrown near the top of the debris. At some places the bricks were piled twenty feet desp, and underneath were lying human bodies by the score.

While the townspeople, firemen and police were hard at work rescuing the victims of the terrible calamity night fell, but in spite of the darkness and the driving storm the rescuers kept on. In a few minutes a por-tion of the wreck of the mill took fire, illuminating the ghastly and awful scene. The work of clearing away the debris at the wrecked silk mill was continued throughout the night without interruption. Thursday morning a large addition was made to the working force and some twelve additional bodies were removed.

READING, Pa., Jan. 12 .- No more bodies have been found since Thursday afternoon. The wreck has been thoroughly explored and all bodies have been removed. The official list of the killed furnished by the firm Fri-day morning is eighteen, as follows: Sallie C. Bickel, 18 years old; Amelia Christman 17 years; Henry S. Crocker, 23 years (his body will be taken to Connecticut for burial); Sallie Faust, 16 years; Mary Fitzpatrick, 13 years; Tillie Grow, 16 years; Sallie Harner, 14 years; Laura Kershner, 17 years; Eva Leeds, 17 years; Emma Nester, 22 years; John Reber, 22 years (leaves a wife and two children); Ella Reightnauer, 15 years; Lillie E. Schaffer, 14 years; Sallie Schaffer, sister of Lillie (died Thursday afternoon from the effects of her injuries); Barbara A. Seilheimer, 15 years; Sarah Shade, 17 years (taken out alive, but died after being removed to her home); William Snyder, 23 years (leaves a wife and one child); Sophia F. Winkelman, 22 years.

The number of killed was greatly exaggerated, owing to the confusion and failure of those who escaped to report the fact. Messrs. Grimshaw are positive no others were killed. Many of the injured, however, are in a critical condition, and it is likely some will die.

CATASTROPHE AT PITTSBURG.

Twelve Men Killed and Many Injured by a Falling Building.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 9.-There was an awful catastrophe at 12:30 Wednesday afternoon. The high wind that struck the city at that hour completely demolished the large brick building in process of construction in Diamond alley, immediately in the rear of Weldon & Co.'s store. The building was as far up as the seventh story, and the building is a complete wreck. As it went down it crushed in its fall the barber shop immediately next. The force of the crush ing building was thrown against Weldon & Co.'s store, and pushed out the front into Wood street. The whole street in front R. Weldon & Co.'s of debris. At least

five men were killed and ten to fifteen injured. There were twenty men working on the new building. The rear of all the stores on Wood street as far up as the hat store of Paulson Bros. were wrecked. Six men were in the barber shop; two have been removed alive, two dead and two are still under the debris. There were fifteen printers in the rear of Weldons & Co. on the second floor and many of them were badly injured. As fast as the injured could be dug out they were carried on stretchers to the various hospitals. One man on the top of the new building fell into the basement. His skull was fractured and both legs broken.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 12 - The list of dead at the Weldin store disaster is nearly complete, and it numbers now fifteen, the last one dug out being Michael Carroll, a laborer. It is expected that more bodies will yet be recovered. There are 100 men and fifty teams at work day and night. Four of the injured will undoubtedly die and the remainder will recover. Dr. Reed's body was found vesterday morning. The damage to property is now estimated at \$125,000.

The Storm in the West. CHICAGO, Jan. 10.-Winter began in the northwest yesterday, and lumbermen were made happy in Wisconsin by three feet of The railway people are not so happy, rever, as trains are badly delayed. The lizzard visited Michigan, Illinois and Indiana, and was pretty general all over the

WILLIAMSPORT AND CARLISLE.

Heavy Damages at Both Places and Several Lives Probably Lest. WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Jan. 10.-A terrible storm of wind, accompanied by torrents of rain, swept down the West Branch valley yesterday afternoon. Considerable damage was done in all directions, the particulars of which are meager by reason of telegraph and telephone communication being interrupted. In this city the damage was particularly severe. About a dozen houses were demolished, the Mankey Decorative works unroofed and the buildings of the Demorest Sewing Machine company demolished. The damage sustained by the Mankey people will amount to \$50,000 and that of the Demorest works \$5,00). The brick walls of the founstory in height, 200 feet long and 50 wide, were razed to the foundation. Several persons are reported as having been injured or killed, but this is not confirmed. Much damage has been done to other property in surrounding towns. From Sunbury comes that the stack of the nail works mill was blown down, ten men buried in the

ruins and one or two killed. Niagara Suspension Foot Bridge Gone. NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Jan. 11.—The storm raged here Wednsday night witngreat fury. The suspension foot bridge spanning the Niagara river below the falls was torn from its cables at 8 o'clock in the morning and a portion of it lies on either bank, while the center portion of it is at the bottom of the river. The structure was cut clean from to tower. At Brundage's elevator on perican side of the whirl-pool rapids a ory building was blown into the rapids ept away. At Buttery's elevator, on erican side. Detterick's photograph was swept into the whirl-pool. A Manning's elavator, on the Ameri-

can shie was swept away and the lower par tin roof of the International hotel was torn off. Several buildings on the reservation have been blown down, and many trees de-

Blew Hard in Ohio. CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 11.—Reports from many towns in northern Ohio say that the windstorm of Wednesday did considerable damage to property. At Ravanna, a small feed only was wrecked. At Madison, chimneys and trees were blown down and windows were broken by the force of the wind. The temperature has faller steadily. Thus far no loss of life is re ported. In Cleveland hundreds of telephone and telegraph wires were blown down and canvas covered delivery wagons overturned Trees were knocked to earth, insecure roofs and chimneys were demolished but there was no oss of life.

FUNERAL OF EUGENE WETHERELL. The Husband of the Noted Singer Laid to GLOUCESTER, Mass., Jan. 12.—Emma Abbott accompanied the body of her husband, Eugene Wetherell, to its last resting place-at his old home here Thursday. There

was an unusual scene at the station, A great crowd of women and men blockaded the the platform, beside which stood two black hearses. Two bodies were expected on the train. One was that of an old lady. The other was the husband of the singer.

Miss Abbott was in

the rear car. She was the first to get off. EMMA ABBOTT. and under the direction of the master of ar rangements, proceeded quickly to the carriage in waiting. She wore a black dress, over which was a long wrap and her face was completely hidden by a beavy veil. Her maid and private secretary followed, ac-companied by M. L. Wetherell, brother of the deceased, and Mrs. Wetherell, his mother, who met the party at Boston. The burial took place Frida

INCOME OF THE FARMS.

What the Wheat, Corn, and Oats in 1888 Was Worth-An Increase Over 1887. WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 14.—The December report of the department of agricul-ture, which publishes in detail estimates of some of the more important crops, makes the product of corn 1,987,790,000 bushels, grown on 75,672,763 acres, valued on the farm at \$677,561,580, or 34.1 cents per bushel, against 44.4 for the crop of 1887. a decrease of 23 per cent, the product of 1887 being 27 per cent. less in volume than that of 1888. The average yield of the commercial belt, or seven corn surplus states, averages 33 2 bushels per acre. The wheat aggregate is 414,868,000 bushels grown on 37,336, 138 acres, valued at \$384,-248,030. The average yield, therefore, is 11.1 bushels per acre. The average farm value is 92.6 cents per bushel, against 63.1 cents for

the previous crop, a difference due more to foreign than to domestic scarcity. The aggregate for oats is 701,737,000 bushels, grown on 26,998,282 acres, and valued at \$195,424,240. This is 27.8 cents per bushel, against 30 cents for the crop of 1887. A comparison of aggregate values shows that the present corn crop is worth \$31,000,

000 more than the previous one; wheat, \$74, 000,000 more; oats, \$5,000,000 less. Central Inter-State Base Ballists. PEORIA, Ills., Jan. 14.—The permanent organization of the Central Inter-State league

was effected Saturday night by the selection of the following officers: President, Hender son Ridgley, of Springfield; secretary and treasurer, A. M. Brown, of Pecria; executive committee, Fred Wahl, of Quincy; Walter Viele, of Evansville; John S. Lee, of Peoria: E. A. Schaal, of Terre Haute, and Henderson Ridgley, of Springfield. Davenport had no representatives present, and the committeemen will be selected bereafter. The salary limit was placed at \$1,200, with a legame quarantee. A forfeit of S600 is to be furnished by each club as an evidence of good faith in remaining to the end of the

Death of Mrs. Jay Gould. NEW YORK, Jan. 14-Mrs. Jay Gould died at her home on Fifth avenue at \$:50 o'clock last night. The entire family waited about the bedside for the end to come. Dr. Baldwin said any attempt to prolong life would be not only useless, but even almost cruel. There was nothing to do but watch and wait. Mrs. Gould was too feeble to converse and answered the anxious inquiries of the loved ones about her with a simple "ves" or "no."

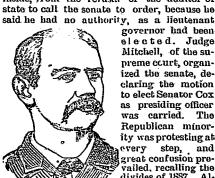
The Tennessee Senatorial Contest. NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 12.—The Damo. cratic members of the legislature held a caucus Friday night to nominate a smatoria candidate. One ballot was taken, standing: Isham G. Harris, 52; J. D. C. Atkins, 28, John H. Savage, 9; necessary to a choice, 42.

Robertson Denied Admission to the Indiana Senate.

GREAT CONFUSION ON THE FLOOR.

The Senate Organized by Judge Mitchell, of the Supreme Court-Contest for the North Carolina Senatorship-The Situation in West Virginia-Senator Collum Renominated-Political Items.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 12.—Lieutenant Governor Robertson stood at the door of the senate Thursday vainly seeking admission inside, from the refusal of the auditor of state to call the senate to order, because he said he had no authority, as a lieutenant governor had been



as presiding officer was carried. The Republican minority was protesting at at overy step, and great confusion prevailed, recalling the divides of 1887. Alonzo Green Smith was elected clerk, and the caucus nominees were all elected. Resolution by Johnson to admit Robertson

was ignored by the chair, but was put by Johnson and declared by him carried. The senate then adjourned to Friday.

The house quietly was organized by the secretary of state. Caucus nominees were A motion to not recognize Cox as presiding officer of the senate was rejected. The scone around the senate chamber when the legislature met at 10 o'clock Friday morning, was a mild repetition of Thursday. Col. Robertson, accompanied by Senator DeMotte, of Valparaiso, again made an attempt to enter the chamber, but was stopped by the doorkeeper. Robertson later made another attempt, but was informed by the doorkeeper that his orders were to keep him out. The lieutenant governor remained near the entrance nearly the entire morning. The session was de voted to trivial matters, such as drawing for seats. President Pro Tem. Cox presided without protest from the Republican members. At I o'clock the senate adjourned to meet the house in joint session at 2 o'clock and receive the governor's mes-

WAITING FOR THE COURTS.

West Virginia Statesmen Doing Nothing Until the Fight on Returns is Settled. CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 12.—Thesenate net yesterday at 2:30 and was called to order by President Price. It was proposed to take a vote for president of the body, but as each member in casting his vote delivered an explanatory speech which gave rise to informal discussion extending to almost every member, it was 4 o'clock when the first ballot was concluded without any election, and the senate adjourned until 2:30 Monday afternoon. The house had a half hour session, at which no business was transacted, and adjourned until Monday morning at 10 o'clock. The motion to dismiss the writ of prohibition preventing Judge Guthrie from proceeding with a writ of mandamus against Secretary of State Walker, compelling him to report Kanawha county's vote on governor, was argued before the supreme court yesterday, but the court adjourned without rendering a decision. When this question is settled the Republicans will proceed to organize the senate and the returns will be opened in joint session and the result declared. The Democrats have no hope of organizing the body, and it is believed that Senator Carr, the Union Labor member, will have a walk-over when the time arrives. Gen. Goff reached here yesterday from Washington.

FIGHT FOR A' SENATOR. Much Excitement in North Carolina Ove

the Matter. RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 12.—There is abatement in the excitement manifested in the election of a senator. The lardest work ever known here is being done, and the various candidates - Matt Ranson, S. B. Alexander, T. J. Jarvis, 海底 and A. M. Waddellare all on the ground. The Democratic sonatorial caucus will be held next Tuesday night. Ranson's friends assort that he has 65 votes pledged MATT RANSOM.

to him, 60 being necessary to nominate. is said that not only is A. S. Merriman candidate, but that Charles M. Steadman and Governor-elect Daniel C. Fowle are not averse to the senatorial prize falling their way. Mention is also made of Governor A. M. Scales as a possible candidate.

Refuse to Surrender the Offices. CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 12.-The office holders of Beaufort county refuse to surrender their offices to their successors who were recently elected. At the election there were two county tickets in the field-both Republican. The Democrats joined in the suppor of what is known as the Fusion ticket, and the candidates on that ticket were elected, but the old incumbents refuse to vacate. The circuit court has issued a mandamus ordering a surrender of the offices to the newly elected officials. The men now in office,

however, say they will not obey this order, and it is likely that some of them will be committed to jail for contempt. No Cabinet Members Selec ed. NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The Times corres pondent says that o an old friend who called upon him Thursday Gen. Harrison stated emphatically that he has not yet determined upon a single member of his cabinet; that be will not be forced into making any man a member of his cabinet; and that the names selected will not be known until they are

Prohibition for New Hampshire. CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 12.—The constitu tional convention Thursday afternoor adopted by a vote of 166 to 131 an amend ment prohibiting the manufacture and sale of all intoxicating liquors "except cider." A special committee was appointed to consider the woman suffrage amendment.

Governor Merriam Inaugurated. ST. PAUL, Jan. 9.—In joint convention Wednesday morring the legislature heard the final and inaugural message of the out going and incoming governors, and Governor W. R. Merriam was duly installed in office.

Senator Cullom Renominated. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 12.—As a caucus of Republicans Thursday night in the senate chamber Shelby M. Cullom was renominated to succeed himself as senator from H in is. THEY ARE AT IT AGAIN.

The National Lawmakers Resume Business at the Old Stand.
WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 9.—The senate esterday passed the house bill requiring the delivery of special delivery letters whether postage is prepaid or not. Sherman introduced a bill providing a complete sys-tem of government regulation of elections for congressmen. By it the president appoints five persons in each state a board of canvassers, and three in each district as electoral boards and they appoint the precinct officers and oversee the count of the votes. The tariff bill then came up. A proposed amendment to put bagging for cotton on the free list provoked a long discussion, but it was finally rejected, as were one on two other propositions. The house put an end to the dead-lock by adopting the plan of Monday night's caucus, the vote being 120 to 117 to recommit the resolution which was the bone of contention. A number of measures relating to house printing were passed, and then an attempt to get up the Smalls-Elliott contested election

minority, and the house adjourned. WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 10 .- As soon as the routine morning business was out of the way in the senate yesterday, the tariff bill was again taken up. Vance's amendment providing that no article in the pending schedule should be taxed at a rate exceeding 50 per cent ad valorem was rejected. The wool schedule was passed over inform ally. Aldrich, in answer to a remark of Vest, said the silk schedule had been pre pared at the treasury department, and increased the duty on silk wearing apparel from 35 per cent to 60 per cent. A motion to put bituminous coal on the free list was rejected, ten Democrats voting with the Republicans against it—Bite, Brown, Dan iel, Fau kner, Gorman, Payne, Pugh, Turpie, Voorhees, and Wilson of Maryland. An am ndment was a topted putting a duty on coal or culm such as will pass through a balfinch screen of 30 cents per ton. The duty on jewelry "not otherwise provided for" was in creased from 25 to 40 per cent. A few other slight changes were made, and at 5:20 the

that fillingtering was still the weapon

senate adjourned. The house wasted the day in filibustering again, lead by Weaver, who kept the house voting on dilatory motions until 3:10 p. m. before he would permit the journal to be Attempts to have days fixed for votes on the Oklahoma and Union Pacific funding bills failed, and at 3:30 the house adjourned WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 11.—The tariff bill again claimed the whole attention of the senate yesterday. The rate on cork or cork bark was raised to 3.) per cent, ad valorem instead of 25 per cent, and the duty on pearls was reduced to 10 per cent ad valorem. An attempt to increase the duty on precious stones, cut but not set, to 25 per cent, ad valorem instead of 10 was defeated by a tie vote. The opposition showed that diamonds could be too easily smuggled to make it practicable to collect a high duty Importers could obtain them at 7 per cent when the duty was 10. Precious stones, set were increased from 25 to 49 per cent, and the same was done as to gold watches and watch-cases. This brought the considera-tion of the bill down to the free list. Au amendment to take braids, plaits and laces for hat ornamentation off the free list and tax them 23 per cent, was rejected, on the ground that they could not be manufactured in this country.

Weaver again controlled the house, and

with dilatory motions (his purpose being to force the consideration of the Oklahoma bill) completely paralyzed business. When Springer tried to get unanimous consent to fix a day for a vote on that bill, that was objected to by Buchanan, who wanted to see whether one man could rule the house. A resolution to appoint a committee to wait on Weaver and see cn what terms he would allow business to proceed was ruled out of order. The house adjourned at 1:40 p. m. WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 12 -Fresh fish was the subject of talk in the senate yester day, but after a long debate, during which Plumb, speaking to his motion to admit fresh fish free, said it was a discrimination in favor of people living along the Canadian border to give the New Englanders their salt free and make the rest of the country pay duty thereon, the amendment was rejected and the fish subjected to 1/4 a cent per pound duty. Several paragraphs were passed over was made 10 per cent. ad valorem, and this ended the free list. The senate then adjourned until noon to-day, the attempt to begin at 11 a.m. yesterday having developed but six senators in their seats at that hour, In the house a disposition to shut off Weaver was manifested. That gentleman began his filibustering tactics by moving an adjournment before the journal had been read. A conference between the speaker and several prominent Democrats had been held at the speaker's desk, and the result was soon seen in rulings against Weaver which permitted some business to be trans acted, Weaver getting in all the obstruction he could. The conference reports on the bills for the erection of a public building at Milwaukee, and the one appropriating \$600. 000 for a site and to begin a public building at Omalia were agreed to. Upon another

that a recess was taken to 7:30 p. m., at which time Kilgore raised the point of no quorum and gave notice that in retaliation against Weaver no privite bill could be passed while the present state of affairs existed. The house then adjourned. WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 14.—In the senate Saturday Morgan gave notice of an amend-ment to the tariff bill repealing all laws by which goods in transit to or from Canada are permitted to cross American territory free of duty. The section relating to methy lated spirits was amended to include other substances for methylating besides wood naptha. The duty on wood pulp was made \$2.50, \$6 \$8 per for the three different qualities thereof. Gray offered an amendment admitting free lumber, timber, agricultural iron and machinery for construction and equipment of The Republicans objected to this, vessels especially as to machinery, though Frye in-timated that with machinery left out of the

amendment he would vote for it. The amend-

ment was pending when the senate went into

secret session, after which it adjourned. The

conference report. Weaver so blocked work

reading of the tariff bill was completed and amendments are now in order. "let up" his obstruction in the house, and after the receipt and disposition of several executive documents, a resolustrong with some people. tion to rescind the rule requiring the house to adjourn at 5 p. m. each day was offered by Randall, and referred to the rules committee, and Weaver said be would cease ob-

committee's report, was made. The pension bill was passed, and the conference report on the bill appropriatsilently faded away. ing \$500,000 for a site for a public building in San Francisco was agreed to. The consular and diplomatic appropriation bill was then considered and passed, and pending a decision on a point of order against the fortification bill that all the of the "needful." items except one for repairs of fortifications were outside the jurisdiction of the appropriations committee, the house adjourned.

Prince Bismarck's health is again reported TAMMANY DECLARES ITSELF.

structing the business until the rules

Protesting Against a Proposed Change in the Election Laws. New York, Jan. 12.-Tammany hall uttered a whoop against electoral reform Friday night. Bourke Cochran sounded the note and every statesman in the new general committee, which had just been organized, took it up. The resolution which Mr Cochran supported

perfect that has ever been devised, the Democracy of this city should be ever ready to co-operate in any effort to improve it; but we believe that any at-COCHRAN. tempt to alter it or to tamper with it should be carefully scrutinized and cautiously approached. We hold secreey to be an essential feature of the ballot, and we carnestly protest against the enactment of any law which would substitute for secrecy a mere promise of secrecy. We protest against the adoption of any system which will permit the ballot of the voter to be marked by any person or even touched for the sole purpose

"While we regard

the electoral system

of the state of New

York as the most

of depositing it in the ballot-box." THE GERMANS TO BLAME.

The East African Troubles Due to Teutonic Invasion-The Blacks Repulsed. LONDON, Jan. 12.—The English-African Missionary societies are unanimous in laying the blame of the troubles in East Africa upon the invasion of that territory by the Germans. The reverend Mr. Ashe, who has recently come from Uganda, says that he discovered no trouble whatever among the natives until, upon his return, he reached a point within 200 miles of the coast, where the influence of Germany was felt. From the opinion which prevailed there Mr. Ashe is inclined to believe that the trouble will spread inland and require a stronger force than has hitherto been brought to bear to suppress it. The whole course of the Germans, Mrs. Ashe asserts, has been aggressive, if not brutally oppressive, and he is unable to see anything to avert danger to all of the foreign missions laboring in the

ZANZIBAR, Jan. 14.—The insurgent tribes of the coast have attacked the German mission at Dar-Es-Salaam. A stout defense was made and the blacks repulsed. The losses in killed and wounded were heavy on both sides. There has been continuous fighting for several days at Lindihelwa between boats from the German squadron and the enemy on shore. The later are in such force that the boats can not effect a landing. The native villages have been shelled.

A BAD SHOWING.

Financial Affairs of Plymouth Church in a Strained Condition. NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The financial afcase from South Carolina developed the fact fairs of Plymouth church, Henry Ward Beecher's old church, it is said, are in a somewhat strained condition, and there are indications that there may be great difficulty during the year in meeting the current ex penses of the society and conducting its mission work. This was strongly brought out at the annual meeting Thursday evening. The income during last year was only a trifle over \$20,000, and the expenditures exceeded that amount by \$2,000. It was currently reported Friday that even in the face of this showing Dr. Abbott, who was paid \$6,500 last year, wants his salary raised to \$10,000 a year. For Plymouth church, which once raised \$65,000 from the sale of her pews and averaged \$40,000 for many years, the future does not look extremely prosperous in view of these facts.

ONE HUNDRED DROWNED.

Disastrous Shipwreck Off the Coast of Spain Only Thirty Are Saved. CORUNNA, Spain, Jan. 12.-A large teamer has been wrecked on the Lisargar isles, off the coast. She ran on the rocks in a storm and went to pieces. Of the people on board thirty succeeded in getting ashore. The others, 100 in all, were drowned. The name of the stoamer has not yet been ascer-

The initiatory st ps toward the formation o a law and order league at Wabesh, Ind., for the suppression of every kind of lawbreak n; were taken Thursday night.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

Joseph Hald, a prominent manufacturer and business man of Grand Rapids, is dead at the ago of 65 years. He had accumu-

lated \$25 (0) since coming to the state in 1852. A Carleton Center couple went to Lansing recently to see the sights, and began opera-

recovered sufficiently to real'ze the situation they hastily made tracks for home. A Jackson family of five persons were seriously poisoned by eating of a holiday turkey that had ! ecome some what too ancient to be pulatable. It required a doctor's bill large enough to have bought several healthy turkeys, to bring em out all right.

Frank McDonald, a Flint fellow who was caught in the act of helping himself to valuables in a store of that city, was suddenly convinced that twere better to desist when ı bullet crashed through the show case at which he was operating. Frank is a bastile

boarder, now. The Rockford doctor who tried a wrestling bout with "the boys" just for a little innocent sport, has since been nursing three broken ribs. When he gets well he'll attend to mending other people's bones, instead of breaking his own.

John Bell, a Kalamazoo county pedagogue, has engaged in teaching a district school on Grand Prairie, but isn't having altogether smooth sailing. Two or three weeks ago somebody tried to plant a bullet in his anatomy, and the other day the same scheme was repeated—both balls coming too close to their mark for comfort. As John has no known enemies, he's at a loss to account for the attempted assassination.

A Grand Rapids chap who has been a pub lic charge for some time past, has been found to have a nice wad of money stowed away in his shanty residence. It nearly broke his heart, but public assistance has stopped nevertheless.

the other night without locking his safe, and while he was filling his stomuch, another chap was lining his pockets with the mer chant's cash, to the tune of \$200. An Ishpeming chap caught on to the fact that a fellow workman had saved up \$150, with which to bring his parents over from Iroland, and getting his hands on the money, skipped.

A Saginaw dealer in second-hand relies, is the owner of a trunk that's been banged around for more'n 100 years. But the probabilities are that the modern railway gage smasher hasn't had many whacks at it, or its brow would have sadly wrinkled long

A Shelby man applied to the town authorities for a coffin for a dead relative, but was greatly offended because a high-priced ar-ticle with expensive trimmings wasn't fur-nished. Some folks are very particular about the presents they receive. The Kalamazoo postoffice now ranks third in the state in the amount of business transacted, and Celeryvilleites are bound to maintain their record, even if the

pelled to sit up nights to do it.

The addition of an English and Latin course to the programme of the Concord high school has drawn in some fifty outsde pupils, making about 200 in all. John Harris, an Edmore man, has asked the D., L & N. Railway company to pay him \$10,000 for injuries received while loading telegraph poles, nearly two years ago. The company is waiting to hear a jury's opinion of the claim before deciding on

what they'll do about it. A Fremont man, named Decker, tried to 53

end his life with an iron bar, but his wife got it away from him, whereupon the dejected husband went down to a neighboring spring and diving in drank to his death. The desire for the shadowy bence seems to be unusually

After the Grand Rapids postoffice had been closed for business the other night, the janitor shouldered his broom for a sweep, when a slick chap slid in and pocketed \$500 worth of stamps and a bundle of registered letters from the postmaster's private office, and then

While a Saginaw City undertaking firm was professionally engaged the other day, a chap imbued with a desire for some cash stopped in and helped himself to \$75 worth A Shelby fruitist claims to own a tree that

bears nice large apples one year, and nothing but crab apples the next. The same tree manifests other little freaks, such as blossoming in the fall of the year, putting out red leaves in late autumn, etc.
Robert Gregg, a "Soo" citizen, set up a target on an old building and blazed at it to test the accuracy of his aim. It proved to be good, for he not only laid out the target, but a tramp also, who happened to be hid

away on the inside of the building, at the A Mrs. Poly hurt herself on a Three Rivers sidewalk about \$3,500 worth. At least that's the sum 'twill take to make her real happy again.

Muskegon's three railways got away with the lives of five persons last year, while but three people were killed in her forty mills during the same period of time. The sawmill isn't the most dangerous institution in the world, after all. Frank McDonald, a Flint fellow, tried to

roba Mrs. Stewart of \$10.20 as she was returning home, but the plucky woman gave him a stunning blow in the face and then made her escape. Frank has since made the acquaintance of the calaboose. H. Kimmerer, a Richfield gentleman who mysteriously disappeared last summer and

has since been mourned as dead by his friends, now turns up smilingly as a busiiess man of Buffalo, N. Y. W. E. Waterman, a Thompson citizen, has taken unto himself a Lemon for life—Ida M. Lemon being the lady's full name. May no sourness invade their domestic hearth. The friends of Rev. L. Allen, a Leslie di vine who has been a parson for the past thirty-five years, got their heads together and gave him a \$100 donation.

Mrs. Hannah Green, a Grand Traverse lady who had lived in Michigan just half a century, celebrated the event and the 100th universary of her birth at the same time. During the past season the Mackinac wrecking steamor Leeviathan rescued twolve steamers and sail craft which, including cargoes, were valued at \$750,000.

A \$10,000 blaze wiped out several business houses at Adrian on the 5th. Joe Gramer, a fireman, was badly burt by an exploding A Tekonsha citizen, who was much given to the use of cuss words, was hauled up and fined \$1 therefor, and his friends allege that

he has since indulged in muffled swears. The small-pox scare at Cheboygan and Duncan City is said to have resulted in 2,000 sorely vaccinated arms. A Midland man made a holiday visit to friends and was so smitten with the charms of a handsome young lady whom he mot, that he wooed and won her affections, procured a matrimonial license and was married, all on the day he made her acquaintance. A matrimonial hustler be was; truly. John Truman, of Detroit, went down to Wyandotte to take care of his sister Mary

who was sick with diphtheria, but was him

self soon taken ill with the dread disease, and

passed to the spirit land just fifteen minutes in advance of his sister. Some time since, W. Decker, an Ottawa county farmer, lost \$2,500 by the burning of a large barn. This was replaced by a new one which has also been destroyed by fire, together with eight cows and a span of horses Another case where disasters came

not singly. A combination of poor firewater and the cold waters of Big lake, ended the career of a counle of Cadillacers on the 5th East Saginaw sales of the ardent have fallen off one-third since Jan. 1, but the

dealers are confident that New Years' resolves won't prove very durable. Judge Morse, of the supreme court, has been caned. Twas on the occasion of his 50th birthday, and was a gold-headed affair that didn't displease the able jurist a par

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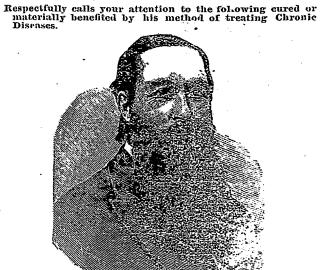
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