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BUCHANAN,

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain sum of money secured to be paid by a certain indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the twenty third day of January, in the year of our Lord one-thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, made and executed by Jeremish Matthews and Mary El Matthews, his wife of Niles Township, Barrion County, Michigan, to Thomas M. Fulton, also of said County, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Berrien County, Michigan, on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1873, in Liber 6 of Mortgages, on pages 319 and 350, which said Mortgage was duly assigned by the said Thomas M. Fulton to Alexander Pickens, of Kaho County, Illinois, on the twenty-third day of March, A. D. 1873, which said assignment was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Berrien County, on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1873, in Liber 9 of Mortgages, on page 148, on which said Mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice the sum of two thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight dollars and forty-five cents (2,923,45), and no suit at law, or proceedings in equity having been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said Mortgage and now become operative, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the land described in said Mortgage, to-wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, and known as the west half of the south-west quarter of section fourteen (14) in township seven (7) south, and range seventeen (17) west, being eighty (80) acres of land more or less, will be sold at public auction or vendue, at the front door of the Court House, in the village of Berrien Springs, in said County of Berrien, on Monday, the 19th day of January, A. D. 1874, at 11 octock in the forence on of said day, to satisfy the amount which shall then be due on said Mortgage, together with

MORTGAGE SALE.

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DEFAULT having been made in the payment of the sum of one hundred and thirty-six, dollars and interest on the same from the eleventh day, of September, A. D. 1871, at seven per-cent. per annum, which amount is now claimed to be one hundred and sixty-sight and sifty-one one-hundredth dollars (\$168,31), and which amount is now claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice, on a certain Mortgage bearing dats the eleventh day of September, A. D. 1871; executed by Leonard It. Warren, of the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, to Richard M. Goodwinn, of the Bearing dats the clovard It. Warren, of the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, on the national State of Michigan, on the inneteentil day of September, 1871, at one-and whalf o'clock P. M., in Liber No. two of Mortgages, on page 541; and no proceedings at law or otherwise having-been instituted to forecloss said Mortgage or collect salu-money or any partithereof. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that in pursuance, of a power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and of the statute in such case miadis-land provided, the premises described in and covered by said Mortgage, towlt: All that cortain piece or paged of land situated and being in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, is and described as follows: Commencing eleven (11) chains and sixty (80) links west of the north cast corner of section twenty-eight (23) town seven (7) south of range twenty (20) west, thence west-on section line ten (10) chains and sixty-six (50) links; thence south nine (9) chains and stry-six (60) links; thence north nine (9) chains and sixty-six (50) links; thence south nine (9) chains and seventy-five (75) links; thence south nine (9) chains and seventy-five (75) links; thence south nine end on seld of the afternoon of the fifteenth day of February, A. D. 1874, in the village of Rerrien Springs, in-said County of Berrien, by the Sheriff of said County, to the highest bidder, to satiafy the amount due and unpaid on said Mortgage, with intere

MORTGAGE SALE. MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of two hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-six cents, and interest on sixteen hundred dollars, from the twenty-sixth day of August, A. D. 1872, at eight per cent, per annum, which amount move helimed to be due is four hundred and two and eighty-four one-hundredths dollars, (402.84), and which amount is now claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this; notice, on a certain Mortgage bearing date the twenty-sixth day of August, A. D. 1872, executed by John G. Butcher and Truman C. Smith, of the Township of Chickaning, County of Berrien and State of Michigan; to Richard M. Goodwin, of add County and State, and recorded in the offlice of the Register of Deeds in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, on the tenth day of September, A. D. 1372, at one and a half o'clock P. M., in Liber No. 6 of Mortgages, on page 474, which Mortgage was given to secure the payment of sixteen hundred dollars, and no proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to foreclose said Mortgage or collect said money or any part thereof Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a power of sale countined in said Mortgage, and of the said Mortgage or collect said money or any part thereof Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and of the stature in such case made and provided, the premises described in and covered by said Mortgage, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, to-wit: Commencing at the south-west corner of the west half of the north-east quarter of section twenty-eight (26) in township seven (1) south of rance twenty (20) west; thence north twenty-nine (29) chains, with the west line of said west half of north-west quarter of section; twenty-eight (28) to the center of highway; thence north dighty-fix (56) degrees east, twenty-seven (27) chains and forty-eight (48) links along conter of highway to Warren's west line; thence south thirty-one (31) chains along. Warren's west line; thence west twenty-seven (27) chains and forty-eight (28) to the place of beginning, containing eighty-two and twenty one-hundredths (82 20-100) acres of lands more or less, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the hour of one o'clock in the laterinoon of the fifteenth day of February, A.D. 1374, in the rillings of Berrien Springs, at the front door, of the Berrien County Court House, by the Sheriff of said County; to satisfy the amount due and unpaid on said Mortgage, with interest and costs and expenses allowed by law, and, the Attorney fee of twenty-wee old law mention in said the Attorney fee of twenty-wee old law mention in said worther and content in the attention of the fitteenth day of February, A.D. 1374, in the cillings of the content door, of the Berrien County Court House, by the Sheriff of said county in the Attorney fee of twenty-five collars mentioned in said the Attorney fee of twenty-five collars mentioned in said worther and county in the content in the fitteenth of the fitteenth of the fitteenth of the collars mentioned in said worther and county in the content in the fitteenth of

with interest and costs and expenses allowed by law, and the Attorney fee of twenty-five dollars mentioned in said Mortgage. the Attorney lee of twenty-n'e dollars mentioned in say
Mortgage.

Dazed New Buffalo, November 18, 1873.

RICHARD M. GOODWIN Mortgages.

J. V. PRILLIPS, Att'y for Mortgages. DROBATE ORDER.—State of Michigan; County of Berrien, ss.—At a session of the Probate Courtfor the
County of Berrien, holden at the Probate Office; In the
village of Berrien Springs, on Tuesday, the 25th day of,
November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and
seventy-three.

Present, Daniel Chapman, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the Estate of John Juday, deceased.

leased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Harvey H. Haskins, praying for the probate of an instru-ment in writing purporting to be the last will and festa-ment of said deceased, and that election of said will and administration of said estate may be granted to Harvey. ment of said decessed, and that execution of said will and administration of said estate may be granted to Harry? III. Juday and himself.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 23d day of Juday and himself.

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DROBATE ORDER .- State of Michigan, County for

Berrien, sa.—At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Berrien, holden at the Probate Office, in the village of Berrien Springs, on Wednesday, the 12th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eventy three. Present, Daniel Chapman, Judge of Probates. In the matter of the Estate of Frank, H. Hulse,

In the matter of the Estate of Frank II. Hulse, minor.

On reading and filling the petition, duly verified, of Alexander Emory, guardian of said minor, praying for reasons threin set forth that he may be licensed and empowered to sell the real estate of said minor.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 22d day of December next, at II oclock in the foremoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next of kin of said minor, 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 petitionershould not be granted "And it is further ordered, that said settled be given to the persons interested in said settled." And set order to be published in the Berrien Govern Recomp, a newspaper printed and circulated in said Jounty of Berrien, for four successive weeks provious tosaid day of hearing.

[L. S.]

DANIEL CHAPMAN.

[A true copy.)

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Mortgage Sale. DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain sum of money secured to be paid by a certain indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the 6th day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, made and executed by "Sarah L. Hill, of Weesaw Township, in the County of Berrion and State of Michigan, to Thomas Mr. Fullon, also of said "County and State, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County and the sight day of Alarch 4. D. 1878 Michigan, to Thomas M. Fulton, also of said County and State, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, on the eighth day of March, A.D. 1873, at 1½ o'clock P. M., in Liber No. 8 of Mortgages, on page 448, on which said Mortgage, there is claimed to beldue, and unpaid at the date of this notice the sum of five hundred and fifty seven, dollars, and forty-three cents, (\$557.43) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof. Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said Mortgage and now become operative, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided; the lands described in said Mortgage, to wit: All that certain piece or parcial of land eituated in the County of Berrien; and State for Michigan, and known and described sathe, east half of the southeast quarter of seation number eight (8) in town number seven (7) south, and range number hindeferen (19) west, cointaining one hundred and sixty acres of land more or less, will be sold at public auction or yendue at the front door of the Court House, in the rillage of Berrien. Springs, in said County of Berrien, on the istath day of March, A.D. 1873, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to, satisfy the amount which shall then be due on said Mortgage, together with the coats and charges of such foreclosure; and sale, and an attorney fee therein provided for a said Mortgage.

J. J. VAN RIPKE, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Dated December 6th, A. D. 1873.

J. J. VAN RIPER, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Dated December 6th, A. D. 1873. 43w13 DROBATE ORDER .- State of Michigan, County of Ber I, rien, ss.—At.a session of the Probate Court for the County of Berrien; holden at the Probate Office, in the village of Berrien Springs; tou Tuesday; the 2d day of December, in the year on athous and sight hundred and

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Richard M. Goodwin. executor on said On reading and ming vaco possistic estate, praying Richard M. Goodwin, secentor, on said estate, praying that a time and place may be assigned for the examinathe left her to the solitude of the rown and slewence of the final, account of this admiss.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 12th day of January hext; at 11 clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition; and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court; then to be holden at the Probate Office in the rillage of Berriens Springs, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioners should not be granted:

And it is further rowdered; that said estate, of the pendency of said petitioners 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 Berrien County Record; a newspaper, printed and circulating in said County of Berrien; for three successively when Marcia was born weekly previous to said day of hearing.

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Poetry.

GAINESTON BAY. BY EDWARD C. FITTE.

[Galveston Bay was a favorite resort of the noted pirate Lafitte; and many traditions are obscribed by the inhabitants of Galveston Island, of his buried treasure. The Bay affords one of the finest harbors in the world, if the oar at its mouth is safely passed.]

Not a ripple, not a wave,
Disturbs the peace profound;
There is silence in the air,
Not the whisper of a sound, Nor vessel, large or small, Obstructs the narrow way That leads through dangerous channels To the pirate's chosen bay.

O'er Atlantic, o'er Pacific, Faster than the fleetest sail, Heeding naught of armed pursuers, Reckless of the threatening gale; Monarch of the glassy waters, Monarch of the Isles remote, Not a king—of power omniscent. Like the pirate, when affoat. Over North Sea, over South Sea,

Comes the heavy-freighted ship, Laden down with gold and silver, Guerdon of a prosperous trip. Shrieks of orphans, women's wailing, Sounding o'er the main,
Tell the oft repeated story,
Of the pirate's bloody fame. Past the Indies, through the channel. O'er the Gulf's expansive breast,

Sailing swift, and swifter, swifter,

To the well-known harbor's rest; Past the lighthouse, past the dredgers,
'Til the bar is dimly seen,
And across the bay—the island— Robed in nature's brightest sheen Not a ripple, not a wave Disturbs the peace profound;

There is silence over all, Not the whisper of a sound. But behind the pirate's vessel, Stretching far and near, Is a path of blood,—and curses Ever sound upon the ear.

Story.

For the Berrion County Record. MARCIA EVANS.

BY MARY F. AMES.

It was a plain little chamber in which Marcia Evans was seated. The walls were hung with cheap paper, the carpet faded and worn in places, the few articles of furniture cumbersome and old-fashioned, the windows small and dim, and the cheap mirror on the bureau cross-grained and distorting in its reflections. In fact, nothing but the half dozen objects of fancy her own hands had fashioned, redeemed the room from downright ugliness. An energetic rap on the door, and

without waiting to be bidden Mrs. Esther Barton, a large, unprepossing, but practical looking woman, entered her sister's apartment, and at once threw herself upon the calico covered lounge. garment on which she was working.

"I am glad you have come, Esther. Do you want these trowsers hemmed, or faced?" and she held up the boy's "O, never mind the work, you do quite too much of it. I have come to have a talk with you." "Well?"

"Have you made up your mind to accept Capt. Foster?" "Oh! Esther, I cannot! I have not

the least affection for him. His presence is hateful to me." "Now, Marcia Evans, stop just where you are. I do not want to hear

another word. When our mother died, as you know, she left you, little better than a baby, to my care, and bade me, with her dying breath, to be mother and sister both. This I have endeavored to do. As a sister I have looked carelessly on your flirtation with young Ormsby. But now, as a mother, I shall insist upon your giving an affirmative answer to Canctain Foster. Wealthy, respectable, gentlemanly and highly connected, what more can you want?" But I do not love him!"

"Nonsense! I am sick of that word, and wish, as now used, it could be expunged from every known tongue. A man 'loves' his horse, cigar, wine and wife; a woman her beauty, bonnet and baby; a girl her doll, canary or kitten; and a boy his hobby-horse, new boots, bread and jam, and ad infinitum. Yes, and more than this; not content with loving nouns in the abstract, they 'love' riding, singing, dancing, eating, playing, and everything that pleasantly feeds the senses. And yet you will sit there and tell me you cannot marry an honorable man

because you do not love him.' "What are you trying to prove, Es-

"Trying to prove that the word 'love,' as now used, is trash. If you marry Captain Foster, as you will, of course, and he is kind to you and considerate of your wishes; if he gives you an elegant establishment and a ife of ease and luxury, why should you not love him, as the term goes?" "Do not talk to me in this manner, please. You know it is the veriest sophistry, and that you would never have married Reuben if you had felt no other affection for him than such as you entertained for your canary."

"Humph! I hardly know what I should have done, or what my feelings were. I was but seventeen, and fancied it would be very nice to be married and have a home of my own. We suited each other, and for twenty years offer you. Think about it to night, night, and pleasant dreams," and the prevalent to the contrary. work-worn woman arose, and after

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by other members of the family. Genteel poverty had rendered her whole past a pain. Captain Foster, a widower, with no children, could take her to an elegant home; could furnish her all those luxuries her esthetic tastes had ever craved. And might not love be a fallacy? a child of the imagination? From down deep in her heart came the answer, No. But it were better not to heed the answer, she told herself. Then she went to her bureau and took from it a picture,

and thought how much it was needed

MICH., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18,

ages; then opening the case that contained the picture, she gazed fondly on the face it revealed. "Was it only a flirtation, as poor, tired Esther said? Is he fickle? If not, why did he leave me in that abrupt manner, merely saying, I am going away. Good by! Do not forget me!' As if I could. Still, he has never asked me to become his wife. Perhaps he never will. No, the way

some letters, and a daintily bound vol-

ume of Moore's poems. This last she

opened, and turning the leaves slowly

she read and re-read the marked pass-

She placed the book, letters and picture in a blank sheet, and after sealing it carefully, wrote the name, "William Ormsby." That was all.

seems marked out and I must walk in

it. But it is a hard way, neverthe-

In the morning she went to her sister and told her she had cohcluded to accept Captain Foster. "Like the good, sensible girl I thought you," was the exultant reply.

And then, in a kind of dull apathy, she waited for evening, the time when her final answer was to be given. Six, seven, eight, nine o'clock, and still he had not come. A reprieve, perhaps! and her heart bounded with delight at the thought. No, there was a ring, and a moment after she arose to

Ormsby. "You are not glad to see me, Miss Eyans," he said, ruefully, as he looked at her white, scared face. "Yes, but-but I was not expect-

meet, not Captain Foster, but Will

ing you.' He was still holding the hand she had offered him, and leading her to a seat, he took another near her. "Were you looking for Captain Fos-

She hesitated-had he the right to thus question her? He seemed to divine her thoughts, and said: "Pardon me if I have presumed too

far, but I shall add to my offence by

stili greater boldness. Do you love that man?" "No." "Thank God! I say it with all reverence. Not that he is unworthy a good woman's leve. But, poor fellow,

his wife, although an outcast, is still living.' "Still living! How? Where?"

"It is a long story, but I will tell it in as few words as possible: His wife, a young, frivolous thing, absconded with an unprincipled scoundrel, while he was in the army. And not long after he received papers containing an account of her death, as a suicide. He was terribly cut up about it, as I well know, for I was in his Company. There came a rumor-which he probably never heard—that the story of her death was a canard, manufactured and published by the guilty parties, to enable them, more effectually, to hide from the enraged husband. When he appeared as your suitor I determined to sift the matter for your sake. I have done so, and brought him incontrovertible proof; and he now knows that his attentions to you, after this, would be but insults. Had his wife been dead I should never have asked you to become mine, dear as you are to me. I have but a humble home to offer you, Marcia, darling! Will you

share it with me?" That she was foolish enough to say yes, may be gathered from the fact that Mrs. Esther called them "geese," "babes in the wood," "Mr. and Mrs. Micawber," and various other ridiculous names. But when she learned from Captain Foster himself, how near she had been, in her great zeal for her 'sister's prosperity, to marrying her to an inadvertent bigamist, she was silent in her thankfulness for the escape.

Salted Wood.

It is a curious fact, and one of great practical importance in structural science, that in the salt mines of Poland and Hungary the galleries are supported by wooden pillars, which are found to last unimpaired for ages, in consequence of being impregnated with salt, while pillars of brick and stone, used for the same purpose, crumble away in a short time by the decay of their mortar. It is also found that wooden piles, driven into the mud of salt flats and marshes, last for an unlimited time, and are used for the foundation of brick and stone edifices: and the practice of docking timber. by immersing it for some time in seawater, after it has been seasoned, is generally admitted to promote its durability. There are some experiments which appear to show that, after the dry rot has commenced, immersion in have been quite happy. Your chance salt water effectually checks its progis equally good if you will throw may- ress and preserves the remainder of kish sentiment and romance to the the timber. If care is taken to renew winds and take the gifts the good gods the coat of paint as often as it decays, wood on the outside of the buildings and say yes, to morrow, and you shall may be made to last for centuries; have a handsome wedding. Reuben paint, however, is no preservative is sure you cannot be so foolish as to against the internal or dry rot, notrefuse the best match in town. Good withstanding the opinion to generally

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Miscellaneous.

ST. PETER'S CARELESSNESS. COUNTRY EDITOR ON THE BIRTH OF HIS FIRST CHILD.

One night as old St. Peter slept, He left the door of Heaven ajar, When through a little angel crept, And came down with a falling star.

That summer, as the blessed beams Of morn approached, my blushing bride Awakened from some pleasing dream, And found the angel by her side:

God grant but this-I ask no more-That when he leaves this world of sin, He'll wing his way to that blessed shore And find the gate to Heaven again.

BY GEORGE D. PRENTICE. Full eighteen hundred years or more I've kept my doors securely tied; There has no "little angel" strayed,
Not one been missing from my

ST. PETER'S REPLY.

I did not sleep, as you supposed, Nor left the door of Heaven sjar-Nor has a "little angel" left, Nor gone down with a falling star. Go ask that blushing bride, and see

If she won't frankly own and say That when she found that angel babe, She found it in the good old way? God grant but this—I ask no more—
That should your numbers still enlarge, That you will not do as before, And lay it to old Peter's charge.

The Judge's Story.

From the Overland Monthly. "I don't see how I could have done more for him than I did; but still the man should not have been punished-

he should have been acquitted." With these words the Judge awoke to the consciousness that he had a fellow traveler; and then, as if some explanation of his remark would be in

order, he went on: "We had a very interesting trial in Austin last week. Tom Carberry— Irish Tom as he is called-was tried for murder. I defended him, and never struggled harder for a client in my life. For a week before, and through out the trial, I worked night and day to look up testimony, and to present the case to the jury in the best possible light. I consulted with the attorneys not engaged for the prosecution. We got him off with three years in the Penitentiary; but he ought not to have been punished—he should have been acquitted."

The fellow passenger queried as to the circumstances attending the alleged murder, and the Judge answered:

"They were very peculiar, and that s the reason why the trial was so very interesting. A woman up in Montana, who never saw Tom Carberry, thought that he had done her a great wrong; and so, when she was asked, as the phase is to 'take up with a new man,' she named her terms:

"Kill Tom Carberry of Austin, Nevada.'' "But I never saw or heard of the man," said the Montana aspirant."

"Nevertheless," said she, "kill Tom Carberry, "It is in the depth of winter," was objected, "and we are hundreds of miles from Austin. The journey cannot now be made.'' "Kill him in the spring," said the

unrelenting woman. "Yes," said he, and the compact became sealed.

"With the opening of travel in spring there arrived at Salt Lake City. by the Montana stage, an individual who freely announced that he was going to kill Carberry. Salt Lake City is a great way from Austin, but the friendships of border men span much greater distances. Tom was quickly advised of the approach of his visitor, but he took no steps either to get out of the way or to be specially prepared to see company. He was then employed at Keystone Mill, nine miles from town, and he staid there nearly a whole week after he knew the Montana chap was in Austin. You see, Tom is a peaceable man, and he didn't want any difficulty. Most men would

have come in at once, and got the affair off their hands." The listener entertained doubts at this point, but, saying nothing, the

Judge proceeded: "Saturday evening, just as usual with him, Tom came into the city, and after getting shaved and fixed up for his holiday, he went around to the saloons, where many of the people of the mining towns spent their leisure time. to meet his friends. It wasn't long till he encountered the Montana fellow, who began at once, in Tom's pres-

ence, to make insulting remarks.' Here the listener interrupted with -"Why did he make insulting remarks? If he had made a long journey solely for the purpose of killing Tom, why didn't he shoot him off-

hand?' "Because," said the Judge, "that would have been murder. The community is down on murder, and he would have been dangling from an awning-beam in fifteen minutes. Killing is a very different matter. When two men get into a fight, and all is fair between them, and one kills the other, the community don't ordinarily seem to feel much concern on the sub ject. Under such circumstances, the Tom to a quarrel, and lead up to a fight. But Tom wasn't disposed to gratify him-wouldn't take any notice to keep out of the way. Montana fol-the fugitive students. Late in the and friends, a lady for the world and lowed him up, until, at last, standing right before Tom, he jumped up about two feet from the floor, and came down stroking her sister's soft hair tenderly and across the french from didn't red dorf was the son of a wealthy landed tress of your house, your lady of apartine an instant, for the dead mother's sake an old woman in an English town drives he left her to the solitude of her own ring several asses. "Adieu, mother of face and wept! fact, sir, the tears action of his death he was, only nine, wil nurse you, your mistress will visit nally flowed, until his best friends thought he was an arrant coward; and when he got up and went away to his room to bed, there wasn't one of them

sisters, Esther being, already married her mother in law's family and she place, and no man had dared to ac when Marcia was born and did it with a keg of gunpowder plant cept the challenge.

She looked around her small room ed in the cellar may share a stand. The next morning Tom was stand-

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ing on the sidewalk, when Montana came along, and they met face to face.

Tom spoke to him in a very quiet, low tone, and said: "Stranger, you used me pretty kind o' rough last night, but I don't bear malice. Jest say that you'd been

drinkin' and didn't mean it, and we'll say no more about it". Montana answered: "no apologies in mine.''

"'Well,' said Tom, 'you needn't apologize; come into the saloon and

chink glasses with me, and we'll let the matter drop.' -"Then Montana said: "Tom Carberry, either you're generous, or else you're a coward. I don't think you're cowardly, an' if I'd known you at the start its most likely I wouldn't ha' waded in. But the matter can't be

let drop, for there's hundreds of peo-

and there who know that I came here to kill you; so there's but two waysyou must fight, or you must run. If you'll run it'll be jest as good to me as to fight.' "Tom's almost suppliant bearing disappeared on the instant, and he

said: 'Stranger, I ain't much in the habit o' runnin', an' if we're to fight we may as well have it out now as any time. Are you heeled?' "Tom asked this question, because

we have a law against carrying concealed weapons, which is regarded at such hours as people think they will have no use for their arms, and disregarded at all others. "The answer was, 'No; I left my

revolver with the barkeeper of the Exchange.' "Get it,' said Tom; 'I'll wait for you here.

"The Exchange was in a corner building across a street which came in at right angles to the sidewalk where they were standing. Montana went in at the front door, but came out at the side one, on the cross street, hoping to steal up and 'get the drop' on Tom, but this was not so easy. Tom was wide awake-he had crossed the street to guard against surprise; so, when Montana poked his pistol round the corner and followed it [with just enough of his head to take sight, Carberry was not in range. In a moment their eyes met and the shooting began. Tom curled down close to the roadbed, to present the smallest possible area as a mark, and because it is comparatively difficult to hit the object lying on the ground. Montana sheltered himself somewhat behind a low row of sacks of potatoes lying on the edge of the sidewalk, and partly behind a small awning post. This last was a fatal error, for with a tall post for a mark it is the easiest thing in

the world to make a line shot. "I am making a long story of the shooting, which in reality was very soon over. They fired three shots apiece in as many seconds. Tom's third ball passed through Montana's heart, and he was dead before his head rebounded on the brick pavement. Carberry surrendered himself at once and was kept in jail until his trial came off, although bail to any amount was offered."

After a pause, the Judge added "I don't see how I could have done more for him than I did; but the man should not have been punished-he should have been acquitted; and he would have been but for one circumstance, which prejudiced the court and jury against him."

"What was the circumstance so prejudicial?" questioned the listener. "The Montana chap was the fourth man Tom had killed in Austin," answered the Judge, innocently.

Playing for a Human Life.

A game of cards, in which a human ife was at stake, was played on the 9th of September, at the Ritter Hotel Heidelberg, by four young students, one of whom, Silfred Meyer, was an American from Chicago. . It appears that the four men had formerly been intimate friends, and they met, it seems, on the above day at the Swan Tavern, where they drank a good deal

and finally began to quarrel. One of them, Count Ottendorf, called Meyer a cowardly Jew, whereupon the latter promptly challenged him. Ottendorf accepted the challenge immediately. Meyer, in a tone of great excitement proposed that all tour should repair to the Ritter Hotel, and there play a game of "sixty-six," the loser to shoot himself with a pistol. This proposition was accepted, and the four students repaired to the hotel. They ordered wine and cards to be brought up to a private room, and Ludeken, one of the four, procured two loaded pistols from a neighboring armorer. The fourth student dealt the cards, and Ottendorf and Meyer seated themselves, a pistol lying by the side of each. The first few minutes the game remained almost even. But

then Meyer obtained a single advantage, and Ottendorf, seeing that he was lost, suddenly jumped up, and exclaiming: "Adieu, my friends," seized his pistol and shot himself through the right temple. He fell a corpse to the floor, while his companions stood only way for Montana was to provoke as if petrified for a moment, and then hurried from the room. When the proprietor of the hotel hastened into, a lady. You are loved by your wife, the room he found the dead Count ly- regarded by your mistress, and tolerdidn't seem to hear; but repeatedly ing on the floor. He gave an alarm left one saloon to go to another, just and the police started in pursuit of for yourself, a mistress for your house afternoon they succeeded in arresting society. Your wife will agree with Immich, who made the above state you, your mistress will rule you, your ment. Meyer and Ludeken escaped with a heavy jar, and said: "I'm across the French frontier. Otten- take care of your household, your mistime of his death he was only nine teen

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quantity of milk. From several sources we hear that buckwheat bran is a great milk prople in my section an' between here ducer, and it is now being used considerably among our Chester County dairymen, in about the same propor-

tion as the other. Thomas Gawthrop, near West Grove, Chester County, Pa., also, by repeated trials with his own cows, has fully satisfied himself that they do as well with corn and cob meal and bran as with pure corn meal and bran. The amount of nutriment in corn cobs is so small that this result will have to be explained on the supposition of the ground cob, acting to promote digestion by distending the stomach. The presence of bulky material being necessary to promote distension and fill up the stomach of ruminating animals before digestion can be accomplished. is frequently lost sight of. Hungarian grass is also found for milch cows to be rather superior to the ordinary run of hay.—Practical Farmer.

Street-Manners in Paris. When a pretty woman goes out

alone in the streets of Paris, the

chances are that she will be accosted by some gallant, especially if she loiters to look in at the shop-windows. There is exemption in a homely face and forbidding exterior; also age. To the pretty young American this is one of the greatest drawbacks to her enjoyment, accustomed as she is to out-of-door freedom, and to attack the rude sex rather than be attacked by it. Thus, that serpent, man, prevents our daughter of Eve from wandering through her Paradise. Freedom from the annoyance may be purchased at the price of green goggles and corkscrew ringlets; but the price of lib erty in such a case is exorbitant, and not to be thought of. An exasperated beauty the other day, said that "man is a hateful creature, anyhow, and it's a pity we cannot do without him," and all those who have been subjected to the same street attacks doubtless repeat the same thing in chorus. There is safety only in being convoyed; the pretty woman must put herself under the flag of the woman-ofwar, called the bonne, for this flag is recognized and respected by all the piratical cruisers about the streets lying in wait for booty. And as the American woman is superior to any other in personal attraction, she stands more in need of protection than any other. It would be well, therefore, when she comes to Paris, to recognize existing institutions, and procure a bonne of moral aspect, and of sufficient patience to wait by the hour. while her mistress goes through the Bon Marche and the Palais Royal.— Paris Cor. N. Y. Tribune.

One Journey.

When I was a young man, there lived in our neighborhood a farmer who was usually reported to be a very liberal man and uncommonly upright in his dealings. When he had any produce of his farm to dispose of, he made it an invariable rule to give good measure—rather more than could be required of him. One of his friends, observing him frequently doing so, questioned him why he did it -he told him he gave too mech, and said it would be to his disadvantage. Now mark the answer of this excellent man: "God Almighty has permitted me but one journey through the world, and when I am gone I cannot return to rectify mistakes." Think of this: but one journey

Take a piece of black silk, two or . three inches wide; sew it around the child's neck, let him wear it constantly changing when it becomes much worn and thin. Our little one who was always subject to the croup has never been troubled in that way since we used the silk. Although many a night he has gone to his crib so hoarse he could not speak. Try it mothers! It certainly will do no harm if it does no good, and if it will do good, you had better have your little ones encased in black silk than to see the suffering by that fell destroyer, croup

. Wife, Mistress and Lady. Who marries for love takes a wife.

who marries for fortune takes a mistress; who marries for position takes ated by your rady. You have a wife lady manage you. Your wife will your health. You take a walk with Do not despise little things; for your wife, a ride with your mistress,

Do not despise little things; for your wife, a ride with your mistress, and go to a party with your lady. Your wife will share your grief, your mankind.

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Dec. 11, 1873, by Rev. J. P. Bartmess, at his residence in Buchanan, Mr. GEORGE H. SCOTT, of Berrien County, Mich., and Miss RELEN CELLERS, of St. Joseph County, Ind.

Died. Oct. 29th, 1873, at his residence in Niles Town ship, DAYID G. BATOHRLOR, aged 42 years, 5-months and 27 days.

Here thy loss we deeply feel; But'tis God that hath bereft us-

To can all our sorrows heal,

But, again we hope to meet thee,

When the day of life is fled;

Wheat, white, per bushel.
Wheat, red, per bushel.
Flour, white, per barrel, selling.
Flour, red, per barrel, selling.
Glover Seed, per bushel.
Timothy Seed, per bushel.
Buckwheat, per bushel.
Octra, per bushel.
Oats, per bushel.
Bran, per ton, selling...
Pork, live, per hundred.
Pork, dressed, per hundred.
Pork, mess, per pound.

Pork, dressed, per hundred...

Pork, mess, per pound...

Corn Meal, boited, per hundred, selling...

Hay, tame, per ton...

Hay, marsh, por ton...

Salt, fine, per barrel, selling...

Balt, coarse, per barrel, selling...

Beans, per bushel...

Wood, 18 Inch, per cord...

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RSDAY MORNING, DEC. 18, 1873. TOR FERRY'S SOLUTION OF

HE FINANCIAL PROBLEM. plan proposed by Senator Fer-this State to solve the financial m looks to the establishment of Banking, the issuing of all cur-

e plan is worthy the careful conical, and would, unquestionably, t to the good of the great mass of people. At the same time the would be in opposition to the ints of the monied and gigantic polies of the day. The plan if antially carried out would do I for the laboring millions of the try, and would meet the approv-

the Great West. slow we give Senator Ferry's reson. offered in the Senate and red to the Committee on Finance. plan proposed is variously comted upon by the press of the counsome commending and some con-ning the same. We imagine, howthat the more the matter is disied and understood, the more pop-Mr. Ferry's plan will become: RESOLUTION OF SENATOR FERRY.

Resolved. That the Committee on ance be instructed to consider the ediency of providing for a Nationystem of banking and currency, in of the present one, which shall body the substantial features fol-, to-wit:

firstly. Banking to be open and e to all, individuals and associations, hout limitation of capital.

Secondly. The maximum currencirculation to be eight hundred llions of dollars, exclusive of fracnal, and to be issued and authentied solely by the Government. of iform character, with "United States rrency" imprinted on its face, made yful money and a legal tender for all blic and private dues, except duties imports and interest on the public

10 of 1 per cent. per annum, convert- wards by dragging them downward to le into currency on demand, and to hell." exempt from taxation by Federal, tate, municipal, and local authority. Fourthly. Substitution of United tates currency for National currenhe Government, without diminishing he volume of current circulation, and he bonds held for the security of the Vational currency to be adjusted with he banks by purchase or surrender. substitution of United States curreny for other existing forms in bringng about uniformity of currency, to ikewise be done without lessening the

surrent circulation. Fifthly. For immediate relief to orty-four million Treasury reserve to be issued without delay, in the purhase of Government bonds bearing the higher rates of interest, and, as fast as practicable, additional purchases of like bonds to be made with United States currency, until the maximum circulation be reached.

Sixthly. Preparatory to withdrawal of the fractional currency, the Secretary of the Treasury required to make public designation of a period after which to begin the redemption, in silver, of denominations of twentyfive cents and under; also a second period designated at which to commence like redemption of the remaining fractional currency then in circulation, and all, when so redeemed, to be destroyed.

And that the committee report at a prayer to damn them. How foolish as early a day as practicable by bill and awfully wicked! Swearers say,

From the Detroit Free Press.

The Local Paper. Enterprising men have followed the ax and the hammer of the pioneer in the West so closely and so rapidly that there is scarcely a village worthy of the name which does not possess its own local paper; and, as is a proverbial trait of human nature, the great benefits which are conferred upon a locality by this almost indispensable attendant, are in a measure lost sight of, or taken as a matter of course. And yet when, as many have done in the West, a village has sprung up in an incredibly short time is without a paper, no person seeming willing to make the venture, how quickly steps are taken by the energetic, enterprising men of the place to secure the establishment of an institution which will chronicle the occurrences of the neighborhood and disseminate information of value. Then the necessity of a newspaper is apparent; but, we are

Tto say, in many cases the pubis given only a half-hearted supto make his venture a success is not as it should be. People ld stand by the local paper-Ild see that it is given encouragement-should show an appreciation of its efforts to advance the interests of the section in which it is established. not by word alone, for while this will gladden the heart, it will not feed and clothe or repair the wastes which use occasions. Let a man, who has in his composition an ounce of public spirit, or even of ambition, reflect for news which cannot be as fully or as | voke the wrath of Almighty space to devote columns, almost, der with a voice like him? Can you where a paper at a distance can afford run upon the bosses of his buckler only lines. It is the best medium of without bringing certain and swift deinformation on all topics of a local struction upon yourself? Cowper interest—on the finances of the vil- writes:

improvement in short, in. which is most intimately immediate and local d county the local county the local "Because of swearing the land use of the franking privilege, paid to Sentent." It is the mourneth." (Job. xxiii: x.) "Above ators, Representatives and delegates in the

means of attracting immigration, of building up a town, of helping to secure manufacturing establishments, of fostering a local pride, of making its readers informed on all questions of a local nature; and it does all these in addition to its work as a newsgatherer and news chronicler. Surey this work demands some return, and the best-the only-return is to build it up. Subscribe for the local gin-without delay. Break off from paper; sustain it; do not permit it to sin, and turn unto God, who for drag along a feeble existence—its manager struggling hard to obtain a by the United States; the lim- livelihood and having his heart almost the currency to \$800,000,000; taken out of his work by the failure batitution of U.S. currency for of encouragement—but help him and nal currency; the immediate is-of the \$44,000 Treasury reserve, prove and to labor earnestly. Thus ie withdrawal of fractional curren- much for the local paper; after that it is time for those who are able—and there are few who are not-to take a ition of Congress. Many of its | State paper, which, with the local pares are to our mind evidently per, will make their knowledge of local, State and national affairs complete and satisfactory.

Why Do You Swear?

MESSRS. EDITORS :--Will you allow me a space in the RECORD to ask those who are addicted to profanity, WHY DO YOU SWEAR?

Does it do you any good? Are you

wiser, more brave, more of a gentle-man, more to be believed or trusted, or are you more of a man because you swear? Does it show that a railroad conductor, brakesman, engineer, or fireman is more attentive to his duties. or better fitted for his place when he swears? Do the hands on the road, men in the employ, or stockholders of a company feel that all things will go well because the superintendentswears? When colonels, captains, and other military officers pour out oaths with every order does it qualify them better to command, or add dignity to their station? Will soldiers who swear at every little thing have the confidence of their officers in the day of battle? Do boys in the streets, day laborers, wagoners, stage drivers, mechanics, in their shops and at home, gain anything by swearing? Do merchants on 'change, in counting rooms, at auction, in bank, at a trade, in conversation-sailors, captains, congressmen, men in public offices, in general, state, and city governments, from the highest to the lowest-judges, lawyers, clerks, sheriffs, constables, police officers, gain anything or do their duty better by swearing? A man may bt, and convertible on demand into steal to gratify his hunger, a liar may by by by deceiving another, a 65-100 of 1 per cent. per annum in glutton or drunkard gratifies his appetite, but what profit or gratification Thirdly. The Government to issue | can there be to any man in swearing? inds stamped "Currency bonds;" of An old writer said, "Most sinners mominations of \$100 and multiples, serve the devil for pay, but swearers saring interest at the rate of 3 65- serve the devil gratis, whom he re-

The swearer calls upon God to damn his soul, or damn the soul of a neighbor or an enemy, or any one who has | red appropriating \$4,0\$0,000 for extraordone the slightest thing displeasing to dinary expenses of the navy, to the comy, to be done at the convenience of him; or he will call on God to damn mittee of the whole. The salary question his child. If God were to do what he calls for, it would be to cast him, or taken. his neighbor, or enemy, or child into hell. Would it not be an awful thing if God should hear such a prayer? Perhaps it is the only prayer which the swearer ever offers. A swearing father wont ask God to damn his child, and then ask him to save it. Swearing brings a man directly in connection with God, and he is the last being existing monetary stringency, the in the universe that he would like to see. When he swears he says, I will defy God my Maker; I will insult him to his face; I will trample on his name. And he calls God to witness that he does it. God says, "Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord to the sea-board have authority to hold thy God in vain; for the Lord will sessions during the holiday recess, at such

name in vain." (Exodus xx: 7.) matter; he can only take our life, but God can cast soul and body into hell. (Matt. x: 28.) In him we have our being, and he may in a moment, as we hear he has often done, strike the profane swearer dead, with the oath upon his lips. To contend with God is to be destroyed; to call upon him and insult him by profane oaths, as is mostly done by swearers, is to ask him in when reproved, that they don't mean anything by it; that it is a habit which they have acquired, and that they do it without thinking. Will God permit a man to plead as an excuse for the insult and the sin, that he has got into such a habit of insulting him and dishonoring his name that he now does it without thinking? Will the thief or murderer plead as an excuse that he has got into such a habit of stealing and killing that he stole and murdered without a thought? Instead of lessening the crimes, this greatly aggravates it, and shows that the insult and sin is not from excitement; but from custom or training—that the man has trained himself, educated himself, familiarized himself to insult and dishonor God.

swearers profane God's name in the hearing of others; thus they destroy respect and reverence for God's name. They teach others, their children, and the young and ignorant, that it is a small matter to take God's name in vain. This sin opens the door to and | River; instructing the Committee on is the promoter of other sins. A swearer is one who seems anxious to method of electing a President, and proserve the devil in his efforts to dishonor God. His tongue is set on fire of | contested questions therewith; directing hell. There is no swearing in heaven. It is not the language of heaven; it is the language of devils. It is only on earth and in hell that there is swearing. The tongue which to-day swears and insults God, to-morrow may be crying out in hell for a drop of of public lands to the education of the water to quench the raging thirst and cool it from the tormenting flame of God's wrath. A swearer is a fool one moment of what his local paper here, and a companion with devils does for him. It gives him news of hereafter. To swear is to trifle with the goings and comings in his locality— the name, insult the majesty, and in- S. Bocock, E. J. Hawley and Daniel satisfactorily communicated in any What folly, what wickedness! Have other way, for the local sheet has you an arm like God? Can you thun-

It dishonors God publicly. Most

town or county-on the projects | "It chills my blood to hear the blest Supreme, Rudely appealed to on each trifling theme;
To swear is neither brave, polite nor wise:
You would not swear upon the bed of Death.
Reflect! your Maker nowcould stop your breath!

all things swear not." (James v: 12.) When there is no profit, no honor, no comfort, no use for any man to swear, why will you swear? Whon you know that swearing is an insult to God your Maker, and a sin which calls on God to punish you, why will you swear? God puts swearers in company with liars, thieves, murderers, and adulterers. Would you like their doom? Bo-Christ's sake will have mercy upon you. David said, "I will take heed unto my ways, that I sin not with my tongue." (Ps. xxxix: 1.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE, Dec. 9.—A bill was present ed to provide for the resumption of specie payment and free banking. Resolutions passed instructing the Secretary of the Treasury to communicate to the Senate the amount paid surveyors, naval officers, collectors of customs, and detectives, for the collection of fines, forfeitures, etc., for the 10 years ending June, 1872; directing the Committee on Public Lands to inquire into the expediency of so amending the act to encourage the growth of timber on Western prairies as to require the applicant for benefits to break and cultivate a requisite number of acres and to have the same planted with trees under proper cultivation three years from the date of entry. A bill was introduced for the transmission of correspondence by telegraph. The bill to provide free banking was briefly dis-

HOUSE, Dec. 9 .- A resolution was adopted authorizing the employment of clerks by the committees employing clerks during the last Congress. A bill passed for the redemption of the loan of 1858. The bill for the repeal of the increase of salary law was discussed at length with-

SENATE, Dec. 10.—A petition was presented and referred from the business men of Chicago, asking the establishment of a branch mint in that city. A bill was reported favorably to authorize the organization of National banks without circulalation. A resolution was made the special order for Monday, declaring that it is the duty of Congress the present session, to adopt measures to strengthen public credit, and directing said committee to report a bill providing for the issue of currency at all times redeemable in gold or its equiva lent. A bill was introduced for the free transportation of newspapers through the mails. The House bill, amendatory of the act to provide for the better security of life on vessels propelled by steam passed. The act does not affect passenger vessels. A resolution was agreed to directing the Committee on Postoffices and Postroads to consider the expediency of providing a new article of stationery adapted for a letter, circular and newspaper wrapper.
HOUSE, Dec. 10.—A resolution was

referred recognizing Cuban independence. A resolution was referred for printing 255,000 copies of each of the annual agricultural reports of 1872-73. A bili was referred to authorize the organization of National banks without circulation. A ed authorizing the present number of enlisted men of the navy to be increased from \$,500 to 10,000. A bill was referwas discussed at some length-no action

SENATE, Dec. 11.-Vice President Wilson being absent, Matthew H. Carpenter was elected President pro tem of the Senate. The bill removing the political disabilities of Thos. S. Boook, of Virginia, John H. Reagan, of Texas, and others, was passed. A number of petitions asking for the appointment of a commission to regulate the traffic in alcoholic liquors were presented and referred. A bill was introduced and referred to repeal the section of the bill of March S, 1873, forbid ding the free transmission of periodicals. magazines and newspapers through the United States mails, and restoring that privilege. A resolution passed that the select committee on transportation routes not hold him guiltless that taketh his | places as they may select. The following resolution on the abolition of the franking To insult our fellow man is a small | privilege was submitted: Whereas. The abolition of the franking privilege was intended to economize the expenditures of the Government; and Whereas, Its abolition prevents a general distribution to the people of an improved field of knowledge, thus defeating in a measure the benefits which otherwise would accrue to the agriculture of the country from the establishment of an agricultural bureau, and also discourage a distribution of public documents which afford important information, and are educators of the people and Whereas, To compensate the people for these losses there should be an important reduction of expenditures in the postal service of the Government; therefore, Resolved, That the Postmaster General be requested to report for the information of the Senate, 1. The amount of expense. if any, that has been saved to the Government by the abolition of the franking privilege. 2. How many employes in the mail service, it any, have been discharged, and how much less, if anything, is charged against railroads and other carriers of the mail since the abolishing of the franking privilege. 3. How much less appropriation will be required for the postal service by reason of the abolition of said privilege. Bills were introduced authorizing, from and after April 1, 1874, the payment of custom duties one half in legal tender notes and one half in gold; for the appointment by the President, with the consent of the Senate, of five commissioners to investigate the alcohol and liquor traffic in its various aspects. The Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned till Monday.

HOUSE, Dec. 11.—Resolutions were adopted providing for a survey to ascertain the practicability of a ship canal connecting Lake Michigan with the Wabash Elections to examine and report the best viding a tribunal to adjust and decide all the Postmaster General to report how many employes of all grades it will require to carry on postal savings institu-tions, and that he furnish like information as to the postal telegraph system. A bill was reported to establish an educational fund and to apply the proceeds of the sale people, and discussed at length without

SENATE, Dec. 12.—Senate not in HOUSE, Dec. 12 .- The bill passed removing the political disabilities from Thos. Trigg, of Virginia, and John Reagan, of Texas. A petition was referred for the repeal of the bankrupt law. A resolution passed in regard to the alleged Howard defalcation. Consideration of the salary question was resumed, and a proposition adopted that the select committee report a bill repealing the whole salary act, so far as the same can be done under the Constitution, except as concerns Judges of the Supreme Court, and to ascertain the average amount of mileage and other allowances, exclusive of any estimate for the

Forty-first Congress; to report a bill determining the compensation of Senators, Representatives and delegates heretofore, in amount as near as possible thus ascertained, with the necessary traveling expenses, and restoring all other salaries as they were before the passage of that act. It was then re-committed to the special committee. The bill appropriating \$4,000-900, for extraordinary expedses of the naval service, was discussed at length and then passed. The House then adjourned till Monday.

State Items.

-A man at Frankfort tendered \$10 National Bank bill at a store in that place a few days ago, in payment for some groceries which he had purchased, but the worthy merchant had him promptly arrested as a robber. Certainly that amount of money in the possession of one man looks suspicious. -Manistee Standard.

—A young lady in this village has the initials, Y. M. C. A., engraved on one corner of her visiting cards, which she hands to certain gentlemen visitors. At first they suppose she be-longs to the Young Men's Christian Association, but it is not long before they rightly construe the letters to mean "You May Come Again." - Cassopolis Vigilant.

-An old man of 73, named Pompev, living near Covert, married a Hoosier girl of 22. Both are happy .-Hartford Day Spring.

-On the 13th inst., a nine year old son of James McKenney was the victim of a fatal accident. He fell down one flight of stairs, striking on the back of his head, and received severe injuries, which resulted fatally on the afternoon of the 19th inst.-Tecumseh Herald.

-The chair factory which has been running on short time and reduced force, resumed work with a full set of hands and full time, on Monday, the 8th inst. Good enough .- A mortgage of \$25,000,000 given by the L. S. & M. S. R. R. Co. to the Union Trust Company, of New York, was recorded in the Register's office in this county, on Wednesday. The mortgage is to be paid in the year 1903.-Hillsdale Democrat, Dec. 13.

-The snow is reported to be a foot and a half and two feet deep in many places in this State.—Sleighing is now good in this vicinity, and it is being generally improved.—Manistes Standard, Nov. 15th.

-A heavy snow storm yesterday afternoon, continuing until late in the night. The snow this morning is perhaps a foot deep .- Frankfort Enterprise, Nov. 8.

-Quite a youthful marriage took nlace at Lawton a few days since. Mr. E. Waldron, aged 17, to Miss Belle Campbell, aged 15, being the parties to "the suit." Their parents are astonished somewhat.—Kalamazoo Tel-

-Mr. Clisbee, father of Hon. C. W. Clisbee, is lying very low, and but little hopes are entertained of him regaining his strength, as he is very old, and has been quite feeble for some time, - Cassopolis Vigilant, Nov. 29.

-Lewis Miller's School tax amounts to the neat little sum of \$144. Uncle Miller pays the highest tax in town.—Hartford Day Spring.

-It is sleighing. - Frankfort Express, Nov. 26.

-The new dwelling of Lyman C. Moore, of Stanton was burned on the morning of the 14th inst. Loss \$1,-200. No insurance.—Greenville Dem-

-On Thursday evening a child of Mr. Place, of Carlton while playing with cherry pits put one in each ear, and was unable to get one of them out. Medical assistance was called for on Friday, but the physician called upon was unable to attend, and nothing more was heard of the case until Monday, when the parents of the child had til the inflammation subsides before any relief can be had .- Hastings Home Journal, Nov. 20.

-The total amount of taxes to be levied and collected in this city this year for State, County, School and City purposes, is \$47,648.98.—Hills-

dale Democrat. -We learn with satisfaction the election to the position of Post Master of the House of Representatives of the U: S., of Mr. Henry Sherwood. of Breedsville, in this County. Mr. Sherwood was one of Michigan's brave soldiers, having served during the war in the 4th Mich. Calvary and losing a limb at the Battle of Kencshaw Mountain.—Paw Paw Courier.

-From the Paw Paw Courier we learn that quite a fire took place in the business part of Lawton on the 6th. Mr. Nick Martin was seriously injured by being struck by a falling sign.

-Long Rapids is the name of a new post office in this county, just established, with John Louden as Postmaster.—Alpena Argus.

-George W. Thompson, of this city has been admitted to practice in the U. S. Courts .- Hillsdale Demo-

-It is claimed that Cassopolis has not a saloon within its limits. The little towns of Marcellus can also claim the same honor.—Lawton Trib-

-The Michigan Central Railroad Company has made a general reduction of ten per cent. on the wages of its employes .- Paw Paw True Northerner.

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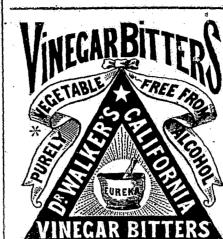
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Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 19th day of January next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the helf-sattaw of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear a taxession of said Court then to be bolden at the Probate Office, in the village of Berrion 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 pen dency of said polition, and the hearing, thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Berrion County Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Berrien, for four successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Thun, With the use of them you can work a rawnecked horse. "ery day, and cure the worst cases in from six to ton days, at has been done in many caves during the last season. six to ton days, a. has been done in many cases during the last season.

FOURTH. It is the most durable Pad ever made.

We deem it unnecessary to add other advantages, or even to add the nunerous testimonials we have received during the short use of our Line Pad, and only ask that it may have a fair trial, feeling full confidence in the success of the goods.

The Zine Pad must be protected from the sun by being covered over the top with either cloth or leather, in extreme, but days, as it will, in such days, become heated in the sun, but will always expressed. days, become neated in the sun, out out also skeep cool.

IN FRE SUADE. The

We are satisfied from the sales already made, that it
will be to the advantage of all Saddlory Hardware and
Harners establishments to assist us in opening up a trade
for a so long needed article. ZINC COLLAR PAD CO. GEORGE IL. RICHARDS, Sup't.

Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of a creating indenture of Mortrage, bearing date the fift day of Mortage, in the rear of oni-lord one thousand sight hundred and seventy-three, made and executed by Sarak L. Hill, of Weesaw Township, in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, to Thomas M. Fulton, also of said County and State, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, and the edited of the Register of Deeds of said County, and State, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, on the eighth day of March, A. D. 1873, at 112 o'clock P. M., in Liber No. 8 of Mortgages, on page 448, on which said Mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice the sum of five hundred and filly seven dollars and forty-three cents, (\$557.43) and no suit or proceedings at haw or in equily laring been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof. Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said Mortgage and now become operative, and in pursuance of the strintein such case made and provided, the lands described in said Mortgage, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land sinated in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, and known and described as the east half of the south-west quarter, and the west half of the south east quarter of section number eight (\$) in town number seven (7) south, and range number mineteen (12) west, containing one hundred and sixty, acres of land more or less, will be sold at public anction or rendue at the front door of the County of Berrien, on the sixth day of March, A. D. 1874, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to satisfy the amount which thalf then be due on said Mortgage, together with the costs and charges of such foreclaure and sait, and an attorney for the therein provided for.

THOMAS M. FULTON, Mortgagee. Mortgage Sale.

J. J. Van Riper, Altorney for Mortgagee. Dated December 6th, A. D. 1873. Farm for Sale. HE subscriberoffers for sale the tarm of 151 acres situated in Green Bush, Chikaming Township, on ake show. The location is a very desirable one; and is nke shore. The focation is a very desirable one; and is one of the best fruit farms in the County. There are over 1,000 fruit trees now, ou the place; about 30 acres improved; cook bouss and go do the buildings on the premises. Will sell the whole place, or a part, to suit purchasers. The premises are only 1% miles from a Depot on the C. A. M. L. S. R. R. Prices and terms reasonable. For full particulars called the premises or address the subscriber at Sawyer. P. O. Berrien Co., Mich. Also have for any Chapter.— good timbered lot.

For Sale. A RARE CHANCE for the right man. The underSigned will sell one half or the abole of the Dayton
Flouring Mill, three stories high, three run of Rurris all
in good condition. It is one of the best-locations in Berrieu County, not over ten rods from the Mich. Central
R. R. A good partner proterred. For terms inquire of
the proprietor,

Z. P. REDDIAG,

Bayton; Berrien Co., Mich.

Call and see samples, at the

Ayer's Sarsaparilla



as one of the most effectual remedies ever discovered for cleansing the system and purifying the blood. It has stood the test of years, with a conutation, based on its intrinsic virtues, and sustained by its re-

beneficial to children, and vet so searching as to effectually purge out the great corruptions of the blood, such as the scrolulous and syphilitic contamination. Impurities or diseases that have lurked in the system for years, soon yield to this powerful antidote, and disappear. Hence its wonderful cures, many of which are publicly known, of Scrofula, and all scrofulous diseases. Ulcers, Eruptions, and cruptive disorders of the skin, Tumors, Blotches, Boils, Pimples, Pustules, Sores, St. Anthony's Fire, Rose or Erysipe-las, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Ringworm, and internal Ulcerations of the Uterus, Stomach, and Liver. It also cures other complaints, to which it would not seem especially adapted, such as Dropsy, Dyspep-sia, Fits, Neuralgia, Heart Disease Female Weakness, Debility, 3d Leucorrhea, when they are manifesta-tions of the scrofilous poisons. tions of the scrofulous poisons.

It is an excellent restorer of health and strength in the pring. By renewing the appetite and vigor of the digestive organ, it dissipates the depression and listless land guor of the season. Even where no disorder appears, people feel better, and live longer. for cleansing the blood. The system moves

on with renewed vigor and a new lease of life. PREPARED BY Dr. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass., Practical and Analytical Chemists. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.



Every year increases the popularity of this valuable Hair Preparation; which is due to merit alone. We can assure our old patrons that it is kept fully up to its high standard; and it is the only reliable and perfected preparation for restoring GRAY OR FADED HAIR to its youthful color, making it soft, lustrous, and silken. The scalp, by its use, becomes white and clean. It removes all eruptions and dandruff, and, by its tonic properties, prevents the hair from falling out, as it stimulates and nourishes the hair-glands. By its use, the hair grows thicker and stronger. In baldness, it restores the capillary glands to their normal vigor, and will create a new growth, except in extreme old age. It is the most economical HAR DRESSING ever used, as it requires fewer applications, and gives the hair a splendid, glossy appearance. A. A. Hayes, M.D., State Assayer of Massachusetts, says, "The constituents are pure, and carefully selected for excellent quality; and I consider it the Best Prera-RATION for its intended purposes," Sold by all Druggists, and Dealers in Medioines.
Price One Dollar.

Buckingham's Dye. FOR THE WHISKERS. As our Renewer in many cases requires too long a time, and too much care, to restore gray or faded much care, to restore gray or faded Whiskers, we have prepared this dye, in one preparation; which will quickly and effectually accomplish this result. It is easily applied, and produces a color which will neither rub nor wash off. Sold by

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AGENOY, Buchanan, Michigan. D. A. WAGNER EPRESENTS the following reliable and First C. b. Fire Insurance Companies, and is prepared to

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Will be opened for the

FALL TRADE

The largest stock of

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of found in Berrien County. Many years' parience in this line of goods has given littles for buying and selling these goods, has to price and quality, not possessed any other concern in this vicinity. A

Colored hite and

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ltty, Glass, Varnishes,

everything in the line. Also, a com plete stock of

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Remember the Place:

the Old Stand, South 1760 of Front Street.

Berrien County Record

PICIAL PAPÈR E THE COUNTY. URSDAY MORNING," DEC 18, 1873.

To Advertisers. "Record" is the best Advertising ium in South western Michigan, have double the circulation of any other rin this part of the State.

Agents. e.P. Rowell & Co., 41 Park Row, N. Y., M. Pettingill, 37 Park Row, N. Y., are hiporized agents to contract for advertis-

HE WI lowest rates, for the columns of the

Taine of Advertising. Vithout advertising I should be a poor man advertised my productions and made ey."—Nicholas Longworth. Advertising has furnished me with a comnce."—Amos Laurence.
A man who is liberal in advertising is libin trade, and such a man succeeds, while heighbor, with just as good goods, falls and sout of market."—Horace Greeley.

The who invests one dollar in business,

ld invest one dollar in advertising."—A forstant and persistent advertising is a sure under wealth."—Stephen Girard.
T. Barnum, the noted exhibitor, ascribes success in accumulating a million of dol-in ten years to the unlimited use of print-

To Tax Payers. e is hereby given that the Tax Ro

say, that the Ætna, of Hart PANIC and war clouds are now blown Old North America, of Phil-The Underwriters' Agency fork and the Imperial of Lonte all come out of the Boston mphant, and fully able and to pay the last dollar of their

is they did in the Chicago fire. Companies offer reliable indemall who desire to insure their A. WAGNER, Agt., Buchanan.

GRANGES. Certificates of Memberin Farmers' Granges on hand gotten up for \$1.50 per hundred he RECORD office. Send in your ers. In less quantities than a dred, 25 cents per dozen. Sent mail to any Post Office at above

FACTS for Grangers or any one quantities of groceries for cash: solow as any wholesale or

in anywhere. H. H. KINYON.

MNESTY.—The Iron removed, general granted, and the with our union solcal disabilities have

> lowing themselves Indersigned are

Great Reduction.—Wm! II. Fox. Probate Order.—Estate of John Boyce. "True to Nature."—L. A. Godey. Takes on Sight.—J. B. Ford & Co. Agents.—Northwestern Bible and Pub. Co. \$5 to \$20 per Day.—G. Stinson & Co. Horrible!—Rev. T. J. Mead.
Employment at Home.—H. A. Green. \$10 to \$100.—Valentine Tumbridge & Co. Postponement.—Thos. E. Bramlette. 2 Local Notices.—H. H. Kinyon. Local Notice.—Cotten & Fox. 2 Local Notices.—Smith & Sons. Local Notice.—Henry Johnson. Local Notice.—J. P. Finns.
Local Notice.—J. H. Roe.
Local Notice.—Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son.
Local Notice.—H. J. Howe.
6 Local Notices.—J. C. Welch. 5 Local Notices.—Auction Store. Local Notice.—Thos. E. Bramlette. Local Notice.—Gideon Rouse.

RELIGIOUS .- Elder Miles Grant. of Boston, assisted by Elder Matthewson, will commence a series of meetings this (Thursday) evening in the Advent-Christian Chapel on Oak street.

Anonymous communications receive no attention. They go into the waste basket. If you don't want your name published, sign some other name, but give your true name in a note or on some other part of the communication, otherwise your time, labor and postage are all lost.

Lost.—The subscriber lost a large pocket book containing a note against Willet Smith, of New Troy, for some \$35, together with other papers. The finder will greatly oblige and be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at the RECORD office.

GIDEON ROUSE.

SELLING GOODS at panic prices, way down, down, for cash, at H. J. Howe's.

at the RECORD office. Notice.—Township Treasurers can get tax receipts printed at this office on short notice. Send in your orders.

SHIPPING TAGS, a new supply, cheap

Before buying syrup look at the nicest you ever saw, at Kinyon's.

THERE is money in the country. It is being hoarded. And those who have it will not pay it out unless they get the worth of it. If you want to know who are offering the best bar-gains in Buchanan read the advertisements in the RECORD.

THE WATCHT >- "Johnnie's Holi lay stock.'

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induced to "reoff at the present

BUCHANAN Dancing Club give a public dance Christmas evening, Dec.

REDDEN & GRAHAM have just filled up their store with Goods bought at Panic Prices, and are bound to close them out by the first of January regardless of cost.

ACCIDENT.—Fred. Bailey, of this village, conductor of a freight train on the Michigan Central, slipped and fell to the ground from the top of his train, near New Buffalo, last Monday night, striking on his neck and shoulders. He was considerably injured. The wonder is that he was not more seriously hurt, as the train was under good speed at the time, running at the rate of twenty miles an hour.

DEATH must press heavily on that head who, living in this community, dies in ignorance of the bargains offered by Welch for these Holidays.

PERSONAL .- Mr. Jonah Threadkell has moved with his family to our vil-

CAUTION .- Our exchanges give numerous accounts of accidents by venturing on the ice when it is thin and treacherous. We trust we shall have nothing of the kind to record in this vicinity. Act wisely and be careful.

For the largest assortment of toilet goods go to H. H. Kinyon's-new stock just received.

WHOOPING COUGH is prevalent, and every body should know that Dodd's German Cough Balsam is the best medall diseases of the

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That Johnnie's new stock might intervene. lice plated ware and jewelry he offers

to-day That pleases the eye and picks the "green" (backs.)

Our merchants have prepared for an extensive holiday trade. We hope their fullest expectations will be real-

WE would like to receive twentyfive bushels of corn on subscription.

FULL LINE of Holiday Goods at Smith & Sons; also, large stock of table cutlery, cheap and warranted.

THE undersigned has three good log chains which he will sell at reasonable HENRY JOHNSON, Buchanan, Mich.

In Luck.—H. G. Holliday was the fortunate man in the distribution of gifts at Collins & Weaver's Hall last week, having drawn the principal late war is now on prize, a lady's gold watch.

WANTED-One hundred bushels of dried apples by H. J. Howe.

WE see several accounts where the Grangers have ordered goods from to call and settle- Chicago, but in no instance where they before the first have been satisfied with the goods sent, and in many cases refusing to-SMITH & SONS. take them from the Express Office.

THEFT.—The custom mill of Fulton Kingery was broken into on Wednesday night of last week. Nothing was missing except some small change which was left in the money drawer, and something over 100 printed letter heads. This is the second time the mill has been broken into lately, it is thought by the same parties.

County

RUBBER GOODS of all kinds, or anything in the shoe line, at Noble's, cheap for cash.

Brown is selling Furniture at

Granger's prices. WILL we have sleighing Christmas? This is the leading question at present. We will give an answer in our

Dog License. Town Clerks can get blank Dog License books at the RECORD OFFICE.

H. J. Howe is closing out his stock of furs at cost.

NEW BUILDING .- Our village Marshal, Mr. John Fancher, is putting up a building on his lot, in rear of the Bank building, on Main street. It is to be a wooden building, and when finished will resemble that of Dr. J. M. Wilson's, adjoining it on the north. Messrs. Holliday & Rogers have taken the contract of putting up the build-

I was astonished! My hair stood on end, and my voice lingered in my throat at Johnnie's low prices!

Our yearly advertisements expire the 25th of this month. We expect to have the same settled for as soon after that date as possible.

POSTAL CARDS can now be sent to Germany by affixing a one cent

OYSTERS.—Fresh oysters at J. P. Binns' dished up to suit customers.

TAXES -A great many of our citizens complain on account of the amount of village taxes they are called upon to pay. We give below.a condensation of a report published in the Michigan City Enterprise showing who are the heavy tax payers in that place and what it costs to "run that city:" The R. R. Companies pay \$970.05 towards defraying the city expenses. One firm paid \$883.28; another \$915.46; three individuals and firms paid over \$300 taxes; three paid over \$200; eight paid over \$150, and twenty-one-paid-over \$100.

ANY BODY that wants to buy an overcoat, suit of clothes, or cassimeres | can do so. Consult tion Store.

THE Lansing Republican says J. N. Foster, assistant superintendent of the State Reform School, has returned to that city with his bride. Mr. Foster formerly lived in this county and is well known to many of our readers.

SMALL Pox.-A few cases of this disease has lately appeared at Chicago and also at Jackson, in this State.

For sale at a bargain, a nice line of black silk dress patterns at the Auction Store.

MAL PRACTICE.—When a physician, by his ignorance or bull-headedness. so treats a case that permanent injury results therefrom, it is right that he should be made to suffer severely therefore. Human life and limbs are

too precious to trifle with. PRAY is it yours? Involving the truth. I bought it at Johnnie's.

A GROCERYMAN in this town says it is \$1.25 fine for a customer to ask for potatoes.

"CHRISTMAS IS COMING," only one week from to-day.

POST MASTER.-Mr. N. H. Merrill informs us that he has received notification of his re-appointment as Post Master, at Buchanan.

WE hear of School Districts failing to get school money on account of the School Inspectors failing to make the necessary annual report. In such cases the amount can be collected from the Inspectors.

A NUMBER of the factories in the East that suspended work a short time ago have again commenced running. Every thing is firmer and has an encouraging look.

THE LOCAL PAPER. - Don't fail to read the article in this issue from the Detroit Free Press, headed "The Local Paper." We especially commend it, at this time, to the serious consideration of a few of the citizens of Buchanan and vicinity. The Free Press, though a city newspaper, is nevertheless willing to do justice to the local press, a thing which some citizens in every locality, who are greatly benefitted by the local newspaper and the sacrifices of its publishers, refuse to do when opportunity

You can buy at the Auction Store good prints @ 8 cents; crash @ 8 cents; good brown and bleached 4-4 sheeting for 10 cents.

MASONIC Social and Supper on Saturday evening of next week. The widows of deceased Masons are cordially invited to be present. Provisions have been made to pay their expenses out of the funds of the Lodge. Let all come and enjoy a good time.

THERE are a few happy men in town-those who have their taxes

THE ground has become thoroughly wet. No time during the past two years has the ground been wet to the depth it is at present.

POND'S EXTRACT. - For wounds, bruises, burns, pains, aches, swellings, bathe the part with the Extract.

Buchanan.

Look Micha! Holiday Goods! J. H. Roe is ready for the Holiday trade, and has on hands a large stock of the latest styles of Jewelry, Ladies Watches and Chains, Gold Fiets, Vascs, Toys, Games, Albums, Work Boxes, Writing Desks, a fine Lot of Books, just right for presents, Toy Books for children, &c., &c. If you want to purchase a present of any description for the holidays, remember that you can be suited at J. Ff. Roe's.

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SENTENCED .-- The trial of Dr. James Donnelly for biga'my, came off at La-Porte on Saturday, Dec. 6th, and resulted in his conviction and sentence to States Prison for two years. It will be remembered that Donnelly went from Three Oaks, in this county, to Valparaiso about two years ago, and after a short residence there, ran away with the daughter of Aaron Rogers, Esq., of that city, and married her against the wishes of her parents, at LaPorte. She soon repented of the step she had taken and sued for a divorce. It was afterwards found out that Donnelly had previously lived with a woman as his wife at Three Oaks and other places in Michigan, and was therefore arrested on the charge of bigamy, with the result as above stated. Great interest was taken in the affair which increased until the close of the trial. Mayor Calkins took the lead in the prosecution, and the defense was ably conducted by Messrs. Bradley & Cole. A motion has been made for a new trial which was to have been argued on Monday last, the 15th.

KINYON is selling best salt that has never been exposed to the weather an hour, at only \$2.20 per barrel.

THE CONCERT.—Remember the Quartette Home Concert to come off at Collins & Weaver's Hall to morrow. Friday, evening. The Programme is out, and gives an excellent selection of the best music in the country, both old and new, serious and comic. Messrs. Roe, Martindale, Moulton & White have been preparing for this entertainment since July last, and we hesitate not to say that they are fully prepared to give an excellent Concert. The Hall ought to be filled on the occasion, and thus encourage home talent as it justly deserves, and at the same time receive full pay for time and money in real genuine enjoyment. Admission only 25 cents, children 15 cents. Come and bring your family and friend along.

Dr. V. Clar-The simple fact risits regularence Price has man ly for the past four ears affords pretty streng cyide. his success. flicted with If any one can help Dr. Price Chronic diseases, we -u his next for suitings, can find them at the Auc- visit, at Niles, Reading House, Saturday and Sunday the 20th and 21st of December.

> OYSTERS at Kinyon's, from 25 to 40 cents per can, warranted.

THE Town Clerk of Portland has commenced suit against every owner of a dog in his township who failed to take out license as required by the new law.

There are at present 191 pupils in the State institution for the deaf, dumb and blind, at the city of Flint.

CLOTHING and gents furnishing goods of every description at Cotten & Fox's, at bottom prices. Also full ine of rubber goods.

THE ceremonies of laying the corner stone of the new Capitol cost over

This is good weather for colds and lung fever. Great care should be taken to keep the feet warm and dry.

HATS, caps and furs at the Auction

Taxes.—Remember that you can save three per cent. by paying your taxes this month. The Township Treasurer now has one per cent. for collecting taxes. On and after the first of January next he is allowed four per cent.

SATURDAY .- Our village was unusually quiet last Saturday. Nothing interesting or exciting occurred except a dog fight that speedily brought together the few people who were on the streets.

SALT! SALT!-Buy your salt of Smith & Sons. Large quantities constantly on hand for the wholesale and retail trade. \$2.20 per barrel.

ROADS.—To say that the roads in this vicinity, especially those leading north and west of this village, have been bad the past few days, conveys no adequate idea as to their condition. They are almost impassable, and are not traveled only by those whose necessities absolutely require it.

AGRICULTURE.—The Agricultural Report for November and December is at hand. The per cent. of products of the State of Michigan for the year ending Nov. 1st, as compared with that of last year is as follows: Corn. 83; potatoes, 100; sweet potatoes, 86; hay, 87; beans, 96; peas, 99; buckwheat, 89; sorghum, 74; grapes, 96; apples, 76; pears, 82.

CORRECTION.—The report that G. F. Penwell had made an assignment of his property, as published in last week's paper, is false. We are care-ful about publishing such matters, but this was reported to us by responsible | Firnam Smith, parties who claimed to know the facts. We are sorry if the item referred to has done Mr. Penwell any injury, and hasten to make corrections with all due apologies.

IRISH POPLINS at the Auction Store. By the papers in different parts of

the State we learn that great damage to property was done by the recent wind storm. GREAT RUSH

BINNS & ROSE'S Holiday Goods.

Michigan, Great Special Sale!

Thursday.

Twenty thousand dollars worth of dry goods! A. Egbert, Niles, Mich. now offers a special sale of his entire stock of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, at prices that will enable him to close out the whole stock in the next sixty days. My stock has been largely replenished since the late panic, and is full in every department. Great bargains will be offered in closing out this stock preparatory to new arrangements for the coming year. Now is the time for Grangers to get goods at less than ten per cent. profit to merchants. All reduction sales made for cash. Gents' suits and overcoats gotten up to order, cheaper and better than ready-made ones. Also agent for the "Bazar" glove-fitting patterns.

A. EGBERT Niles, Dec. 1873.

THE Dexter Leader, Howell Democrat, Lansing Republican, Hastings Banner and other State papers are in favor of a State Convention of newspaper men "to take measures to secure from Congress a repeal of the present law levying postage on papers within the county where published." ANNIVERSARY.—Tuesday last was

great event at Boston when the tea was thrown overboard into the sea. It has been customary to celebrate the event by holding tea parties. The one held at Boston this year was addressed by Hon. Wendell Phillips. SEVERAL STATES have decided that a half-and-half sheet is not a legal or-

gan in which to publish any legal advertisement. This is a question that ought not to remain unsettled in any State as it is one of great importance. THE State of Michigan now has 70

PRODUCE of every kind brings a good price in our market at present.

regularly organized counties.

THREE members were united to the M. E. Church of this village by letter on last Sabbath morning.

ACCORDING to the census of 1870 Michigan contained 404,164 inhabitants engaged in the different occupations, of whom 187,211, or nearly onehalf, were farmers.

AN EXCHANGE says that "we are soon to have a new building built of brick one hundred and forty feet long.' Those are lengthy bricks.

HON. CHAS. S. MAY has been se-

cured to deliver lectures on Commer-

cial law to the students of the Kalamazoo Business College. ST. PAUL Church, Detroit, boasts of an organ that cost \$12,000.

SEVERAL weddings expected durng the holidays, so report says.

OUR neighboring city, South Bond, has just had a census taken and contains a population of 10,499. Subscribe for the Record for 1874.

You may do much more foolish things before the year closes.

FROM BERRIEN SPRINGS. EDITORS RECORD :- The writer of the article in the RECORD dated Nov. 29th, attempts "in his usual happy style" to throw discredit upon my statement of Nov. 20. No one knows better than the writer and the ten or dozen of his "kindred spirits," whether it was a "misrepresentation" or a "vicious slander." man's cause must be a poor one when he is obliged to resort to abuse as an argument to cover his wrong doings; such is the downward course one wrong step when not properly retraced leads steadily on. It is true that the subject of this controversy is unfortunate in his magnified ideas of his own abilities. If common report be correct, the writer of that article has much to answer for, instead of flattering and inflating his vanity, had he given him proper and judicious advice, he would now have the consciousness of a duty well performed, certainly the "crosseyed," "goggled-eyed," "seedy" epi-thets do not properly apply to that in-dividual, but "befogged" he is, as was the writer, for such an incoherent, rambling, muddled production could only have emanated from the brain of a person who must have received their last impressions before writing, from

the brand, XXX on the head of an ale keg. While I do earnestly desire, and need the "prayers of all good christians," may heaven defend me from the prayers of those to whom religion

is only a cloak. Yours, VIRTUTIS AMORE.

SCHOOL REPORT. DEC. 8th, 1873, Report of fractional School District No. 5, Royalton, for the first month

ending Dec. 5th, '73. Number of scholars enrolled at the beginning of the month, 29; whole number at the close of the month, 37; average daily attendance, 28; number of visitors, 3, including one by the

Director. The School has exhibited commendable interest this month both in attendance and in their studies. The following are the names of those scholars who were present promptly at school time in the morning, this month:

A. Williams, - Daniel Williams, Ora Williams, Alice Bender, James Bender. Aniel Bender, Luden Spaulding, Labold Bender. Maze Spaulding, Peter Winchell, Edwin Williams, Henry Smith, Irwin Stemm. Frank Smith. Willie Bender, We hope to be able to report a large

mendation for good deportment and close application to their studies; having made good progress in all the branches pursued by them:

Alice Robinson, Watson Guerin,

The following are deserving of com-

er number next month.

Martha Wagance, We earnestly desire to increase this Superintendents, called to meet at part of our report at the close of next Mead's Hall, in Lansing on Tuesday,

progress before the close of the term. We invite all interested in the advancement of education to give us a call this winter and encourage us in some

December

way, as you will find us attentive to anything which will advance us in any part of education. We extend an invitation to our Supt and hope he will not forget the Buckhorn School in his rounds this winter.

A very cordial invitation is extended to everybody, and we especially desire the parents in the district to come and see how your children are doing. Respectfully Yours,

PROM BERRIEN SPRINGS.

WARREN McDaniel, Teacher.

Dec. 9th, 1873. EDITORS RECORD: - The Union School of this place will hold a Public Exhibition and, Concert on Friday Evening, Dec. 19th, 1873. Those who attend will be amply repaid for their time and trouble. Music, Tableaux and Plays will be the programme. We hope to have a full attendance. Yours Respectfully,
PUPIL.

FROM NEW TROY.

EDITORS RECORD :- Never before. the centennial anniversary of the since my residence in this town, has there been such close times for laborers and business men. Many of our saw mills have stopped running because of the inability to obtain cash on lumber. This has thrown out of employment many men who, however, are showing their determination to live by working at any and everything which they can find to do. Last Thursday morning the water broke through the banks of the race, so our flouring mill has stopped running also. It will take several days to repair damages, but probably not over a week, as the work is being pushed forward as fast as circumstances will per-

mit. Notwithstanding these discour-

aging circumstances we are not disheartened, and though we may be obliged to live on short rations, yet we are bound to be jolly. Who would allow his inordinate desire to feast continually, take from his lips the convivial bowl, or rob him of the pleasure of "tripping the light fantastic toe."-Our town boasts of a new hall, which is already rented for one night each week to the Club Dance Association .- Our Methodist friends have at last shaken off that sleepy condition in which they have so long existed, and have gone to work. They are making an energetic effort to repair their house of worship and to remove the liabilities that are upon it. They purpose dedicating their house Dec. 18th, when they expect to receive abligations to to meet all their itions .- Our young outstanding people and cians are making active prep s for a concert and s to be given Tuesexhibition:

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The County Press.

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THE NILES Republican says: . We regret to learn that there is liftle hope of the recovery of John Bacon, son of the late Judge Bacon .-Capt. Jewett and father have gone to Washington-probably on business not altogether disconnected with postal affairs.—Burglars are around again. A clock was stolen from the school house in the Gephart neighborhood, on Tuesday night. The publisher of the Michigan Teacher has established another school journal, called the Northern Indiana Teacher, issued from South Bend. The former magazine will continue publication here.—Isaac Burdine, of Ypsilanti, formerly teacher of the colored school here, was elected Most Worthy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Colored Masons in Battle Creek. J. E. Williams, of this place, was chosen Grand Tyler.

THE ST. JOSEPH Traveler says: We omitted to mention the good fortune of our young friend, Henry Sherwood of Breedsville, and late assistant doorkeeper of the house of Representatives at Washington, in being elected, at the opening of Congress, to the position of Postmaster of that honorable body .- The Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges have united for the purpose of giving a grand joint party on the 26th inst. These societies are not in the habit of doing anything by halves, but the closeness of the times this season has seemed to advise this course. Tickets of invitation will be issued in a few days. We bespeak for them a large attendance ing out, and new hairs grow from the same

and a pleasant time. THE BENTON HARBOR Palladium says: Hind quarters of beef sold for four and four and three-quarter cents per pound last week, in the wagons. It is probable it will still be lower before Christmas, as it does not yet come in as large quantities as it soon will .--We were informed the other day that seats in the M. E. Church were rented, so far, this year, only to the amount of a little over eight hundred dollars. -Taxes this year are lighter throughout this township than last year, except where school taxes are heavierwhich is notably the case in this District and in the Sorter's Corner District-where a new school house has been built the past season. - Maj. L.

W. Pearl showed us the other day a issued Oct. 1, 1773 by the Common-size for 75 cts. wealth of Pennsylvania. It calls for | yl the payment of "two shillings and sixpence," or half a crown, and in its appearance very much resembles the Old Continental currency.

THE ST. JOSEPH Herald says:

Luella Parce, Almedia Williams, Eve.—A circular has been received by our Superintendent of the Poor, to at-

charity; to trace the cause of pauperism and unite in an effort for the abolition of those causes. We learn that Superintendent A. E. Perkins, of this place intends going, and probably Silas Ireland and Wm. Chamberlain will also attend.

1873.

THE NILES Democrat says: Our post-master is now in Washington city looking after green fields with silvery streams.

Wanted to be Heard From.

If anybody has ever used the thorough

and scientific course of treatment recom-

mended by the proprietor of D. Sage's Catarrh Remedy for the cure of Catarrh and has not been perfectly cured, the proprietor, Dr. R. V. Pierce, would like to hear from that person, and by addressing him at the World's Dispensary, Buffalo, N. Y., such person, if there be one, will hear of something to his or her advantage, as the Dr. is in earnest when he offers \$500 reward for a case of Oatarrh which he cannot cure, and is perfectly able to pay if he fails in a single case, as any one may ascertain upon inquiry. The thorough course of treatment referred to and recommended by Dr. Pierce consists in the use of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy with Dr. Pierce's Nasal Douche which is the only means by which the fluid can be carried high up and applied to all parts of the nasal passages and the chambers connected therewith in which ulcers exist and from which the discharge proceeds. In addition to this thorough application of the Remedy, which should always be used warm, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery should be taken earnestly as constitutional treatment, without which few cases can be cured as the disease is always constitutional and must be treated accordingly. This treatment has no unpleasant features connected with it, and has the advantage of never driving the disease to the Jungs as there is danger of doing by the use of strong, irritating snuffs or poisonous solutions.

PLAIN FACTS.

FRANKFORT, Mich., Sept. 13th, 1373. A year ago I had a bad cough from the Catarrh which had got in my throat. I tried a good many things but got nothing to do me any good until I used your Golden Medical Discovery and Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. They cured me in three months for which I am very thankful. AMOS FISHER.

POSTPONEMENT. - Fourth Gift Concert of Public Library of Kentucky.—A Card to The Public. - The Trustees of the Public Library of Kentucky and the management of the Gift Concert announce the postponement of the Fourth Gift Concert until Tuesday, the 31st of March next. The public will readily understand the

causes which have made this postponement The financial panic, which has for the last two months paralyzed the business of every section of this country and Europe, has prevented thousands from investing in tickets. The epidemic pervading almost the entire South has cut off a large and available market. And, too, the public judging from the effect of these causes have expected a postponement and have declined to invest without a more positive assurance of the drawing taking place on a fixed day.

All interested desire a full drawing but for the reasons just stated this could not be had on the 3d of December, but the short postponement now announced will

cedented success. The sales of tickets, the proceeds of which have already been received, amount to over a MILLION DOLLARS. with agencies in this country yet to hear from, and all those in Europe. Thus a drawing (scaling the gifts onehalf) could be had now, but the manage ment deem it best to have a postponement

The management have met with unpre-

and a full drawing This postponement assures the sale of the tickets and a FULL DRAWING. That this is the determination will meet with the approbation of nearly every one interested is made apparent by the very numerous letters received from every section of this country and the Canadas asking for a postponement.

This action of the management will work no detriment to any one but will be for the good of all. By it the fortunate ticket holders will receive their gifts in full while it will not affect those who do not draw gifts. In making this announcement the management emphatically state that there will

be no further postponement and to this end

all agents will be imperatively required to

close up and transmit their accounts to this office by the 21st of March. THOS E. BRAMLETTE,

Agent Public Library, Ky.

The question has often been asked by those interested, "Can I have my gray hair restored to its natural color, without coloring the skin? And can my thin locks be thickened up?" We answer, "It can;" and would advise you to read a treatise on the hair, which is published by R P. Hall & Co., Nashna, N. H., who send it free. upon application. They are the proprietors of Hall's Vegetable Silician Hair Renewer. We learn from it, the hair, in a perfect state of health, is constantly falltubes; but, in cases of any disease of the scatp, or by the use of any alcoholic preparations, the hair tube becomes contracted at its month, and prevents the new feilicle from reaching the surface. Their preparation will create a perfectly healthy condition of the scalp, and, by its tonic properties, will preserve and strengthen

the roots of the hair. Statesman, Des Moines, Iowa.

Cut this Out. It May Save your Life. There is no person living but what suffers more or less with Lung Diseases, Coughs, Golds or Consumption, yet some would die rather than pay 75 cents for a bottle of medicine that would cure them. Dr. A. Boschee's German Syrup has lately been introduced in this country from Germany, and its wondrous cures astonish everyone that try it. If you doubt what we say in print, cut this out and take it to your Druggist, James Smith, and get a "shin plaster" one hundred years old, sample bottle free of charge, or a regular G. G. GREEN, Woodbury, N. J.

> Beyond the Mississippil Thousands have already gone, and thousands

more are turning their eyes towards new homes

in the fertile West. To those going to Missouri, Kanens, Nebraska, Colorado, Utah, Wyoming, Nevada, Oregon or California, we recommend a cheap, safe, quick and direct route, via St. Louis, over the Missouri Pacific Railroad, We understand there are a few cases of whooping cough in town.—Instead which runs its fine Day Coaches and Pullman Sleepers from St. Louis to principal points in of having a Christmas tree as heretofore, we learn that the Methodist and the West, without change. We believe that the Congregational societies are talking of Missouri Pacific Railroad has the best track giving a Union Concert and Supper and the finest and safest equipment of any line at one of the churches on Christmas | with roads further West are prompt and reliable. The Texas connection of this road is now completed, and passengers are offered a first class, all-rail route from St. Louis to Texas, either over the Missouri, Kansas & Texas R. R., via Sedalia, or over the Atlantic & Pacific R. R., tend a State Convention of County via Vinita. For maps, time tables, information as to rates, routes, &c., we refer our readers to I. G. Wheeler, Northern Passenger Agent, 72 Lloyd St., Buffalo, N. Y., or E. A. Ford, General Passenger Agent, St. Louis, Mo. Questions will be cheerfully and promptly anelested. New Advertisements.

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POSTPONEMENT! Fourth Grand Gift Concert PUBLIC LIDRARY OF KENTUCKY

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A FULL DRAWING CERTAIN! On Tuesday, 31st of March Next. In order to meet the general wish and expectation of public and the ticker holders for the full payment of the magnificent gifts announced for the full payment of the magnificent gifts announced for the Fourth Grand Gift Concert of the Public Library of Kentucky, the management have determined to postpone the Concert and Drawing until

Tuesday, March 31, 1874. They have already realized OVER A MILLION DOLLARS,

and have a great mapy agents yet to hear from.

No doubt is entertained of the sale of every ticket before the drawing; but, whether all are sold or not, the Concert and Drawing will positively and unequinocally take place on the day now fixed, and if any remain unsold they will be cancelled, and the prizes will be reduced in proportion to the unsold tickets.

Only 60,000 tickets have been issued, and 2.000 CASH CIFTS \$1,500,0

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The Nourth Gift Concert will be conducted in all respects like the three which have already been given, and fall particulars may be learned from circulars, which will be sent free from this office to all who upply for them.

Orders for tickets and applications for agencies will be altended to in the order they are received, and it is hoped they will be sent in promptly, that there may be no disappointment or delay in filling all. Liberal terms given to those who buy to sell again. All agents are peremptorially required to settle up their accounts and return all upsold tickets by the 20th day of March.

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A certain Sunday-school teacher was in the habit of making a collection in his juvenile class for missionary purposes. He was not a little surprised, however, one day, to find a bank note among the weight of copper. LEE was not long in finding it out to be to factoroken bank; and on asking the todays who put it there, the donor was radass who put it there, the donor was applied out to him by one who had seen him depositit. "Didn't you know that this note was good for nothing?" said the teacher. "Yes," answered the boy. "Then what did you put it, in the box for?" The boy coolly replied, "I didn't s'pose the little heathens would know the difference, and I thought it would be just as good for them."

An amusing scene was witnessed at the Meridan, Conn., depot, a few days ago. A lady of about sixty summers was just married and was traveling with her spouse. She was traveling with her spouse. She was so delighted that she wanted the people to rejoice with her. So, meeting a friend there, she said in a loud tone, evidently intending to be hear all over the room, "I'm married, takin' my weddin' tower, and are my weddin' clothes, and husband a-comin';" and the low seemed as delighted as

There is a story of how a man lost a wager in Peublo, Colorado. Going into a liquor shop he offered to bet ten to one that he could, blindfolded, tell the name of any wines or liquor in the house, or any mixture of liquors, by the taste and smell. All went well with him, at first. He named all the with him, at first. He named all the celebrated brands correctly. Then he was handed a glass of water. He tasted, he smelt, he squinted, he 'squint,' he tasted and smelt again, and at last, completely nonplussed, he gave it up so:—"Well, boys, you have got me. It seems queer to me. Some years ago, I struck something of that kind in the States, but it was so long ago I had entirely forgotten it."

The following is going the rounds of the pret the issue of the author, and is and to be lost: "The drummer wolves on this lid. the lowa ly frosted, their noses a Their weather-peeled bugles hone in the town, they gobbles mey and salted it down; then to he we we or lers mey and

and lit out of here, their heads full of business and skins full of beer. The little boy who in his com-

position recommended a few drops of paregoric on a lump of sugar for a baby's stomach, and in a former examination in spelling, defined chicanery as "a place to raise chickens," had no t strength given him this time to spell "pioneer," but he "knowed well as could be it meant them fellers as play on the pianner."

A boy who was told he should always try to cheer the aged, tried "three cheers and a tiger," on his old grandmother, the other morning, and

the old lady was so startled that she spilled a box of snuff on him. He looks on the beauties of nature with his left Dean Ramsey tells a story of a Scotch beadle who had taken a fan-

cy to the manse housemaid. At a loss yfor an opportunity to declare himself, one day-a Sunday-when his duties ended, he looked sheepish and said, "Mary, wad ye take a turn, Mary?" He led her to the church-yard, and pointing with his finger, got out, "My fowk lie there, Mary; wad ye like to lie there?" This grave hint was tak-en, and she became his wife, but does

not yet lie there. "Now, young people," said a professor of natural history to his class, "now then as to hens. A henhas the capacity of laying just 600 eggs, and no more, and she finishes

the job in just five years. Now, what is to be done with her after that?" and clean. 16 ther head off and sell her for a and dandruff, and, by ten!" exclaimed an urchin erties, prevents the hair from it in poultry.

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A man at Princetown Colleg pelieves in "having a place for every thing and everything in its place.

He nails his slippers on the wall, four feet up, and then all he has to do of an evening is to whirl up his easy. chair in front of them. A peculiar way of discharging

printers exists in the Dayton, Ogot fices. Each compositor has a mail to hang his coat on, and when the foreman concludes to dispense with the services of one of the hands, he takes a hammer and drives the nail in to the

A Frenchman thinks the En-

glish language is very tough. Dare is 'look out,'.". he says which is to put out your head and see 3 and look out' which is to haul in your head not for to see—just contrairie.

explain to a young hopeful and day about fighting and After telling the livest devil was, and hopeful and the state of the cessfully resist, hev said: "Mamma, No the

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H. H. KINYON TO THE Sunday Reading.

WHO AREOUR FRIENDS: Who are our friends? We'll try the test, The proof of which will tell us best. When Fortune smiles and all is well, It's somewhat difficult to tell; It's somewhat difficult to tell;
But change the scale, let Fortune frown,
Let dear ones die and health go down,
Then let our fortune leave us too,
Ah! then indeed we'll know who's true:
If, in that day of dark despair,
You find one friend who'll for you care, Whose home and hearth are free to you, Just count that one as tried and true.
When loved ones die and health departs,
And we are left with breaking hearts,
The fickle goddess Fortune fails,
And all Earth's woes our life assails, 'Tis then we need a friend sincere, Our weary, hapless life to cheer. In this, Earth's darkest, saddest hour, Oh! how we prize true Friendship's power,— The blessed power that dries our tears, That soothes our doubts and calms our fears, That blots our hopes revive again,
And gives us joy in place of pain.
Oh! when the way is dark as night,
Without one cheering ray of light,
You stand amid the deep'ning gloom,
And wish that you were in the tomb;
Helpless, alone, and sore—distressed,
With seried illy room life conversed. With varied ills your life oppressed;

Then, if one takes you by the hand, And by your side doth firmly stand, And is a brother unto you, You know that one is tried and true. Who are our friends? In times of woe, When waves of trouble o'er us flow, When, in our anguish and distress, We feel there's none our life to bless, And hope goes out in dark despair, Who are our friends? and where, O where? Those are our friends both tried and true, Who in our trouble help us through, Who give us love and tender care, And oftremember us in prayer. Oh! may each weary sufferer here, Whose life is crushed with pain and fear, Be blessed at least with one true friend, To cheer him till this life shall end.

CHICAGO, NOV. 9, 1873.

The Blessings of the Bible. What an illustrious book is the Bi-

ble! It rises like a stream in the desert land-its source in the skies, and its fountain in the valleys of the earth. It has rolled on, century after century, enriching every land with verdure and beauty, reflecting all the glowing sky above it, diffusing "whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are of good report," around it. It shines into the casement of the widow like the light of the marning are and like the light of the morning sun, and makes her heart sing with joy, and enables her orphan to lift her eye to the wide shore of the eternal sea, and to say: Immensity is my home; eternity is my lifetime; the mighty God that built the universe is my father, my portion, my friend. It plants in man's heart the hope of joy, the halo of glory and of immortality. It erects in man's conscience the rule of right and wrong. It is emphatically the standard of Christianity. Wherever that standard is unrolled, there freedom finds its noblest footing.

Heaven. How charming is that worl Heaven-where no tear will ever for no groan be heard, no sorrow be see no sin will mar the perfect death bring it to an end, heart, the re is rest for J id heart, there is joy for 1 urdened heart, there is full parnd holiness for you. Do sick-

ind pain make life a burden to Sickness and pain never enter there. Do sinners vex you? None but holy are there. Do you wish perfect holiness and perfect bliss? You will find them there. Blessed Jesus, in thy name, relying on thy merits, I humbly hope for heaven. That which thou hast bought with thy blood shall be my eternal possession. Redeemed, purified, saved, I will there praise thee

Weekly Offering.

God is more wise than we in ordering the affairs of his Church, and when he reveals his will it is not in our power to improve upon his appointments. Those who hold the perpetuity of the scriptures as a rule of faith and practice, must regard what was proper and obligatory upon the Church in the days of the Apostles, as proper and obligatory now. The superior efficiency of the gospel method of weekly contributions has been proved by experiment, and it certainly has the advantage of adaptation to all classes—the poor as well as the rich, and thus is better calculated for the culture of grace in the Church. Besides it is the only method by which the Church can illustrate the doctrine of giving as a part of the regular, instituted worship of God.

Clouds and Sunshine. Ah, this beautiful world! I know not what to think of it. Sometimes it is all sunshine and gladness and heaven itself lies not far off, and then sorrows, which the world knows not,

Lord, I have viewed this world over in which thou hast set me, I have expecting, when my little time is over, to be taken up into thine own eternity.

—Arthur H. Hallam.

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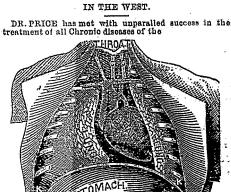
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