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TASTERN STAR DEGREE, Buchanan Lodge No. 13 hold regular meetings in Masonic Halt, first Wednesday of each month, at 75,2 P M Mrs. H. N. Mowner, President; Mr. avan Michael. Vice President; Mrs. H. F. Strong, ecretary.

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F. & A. M. The regular communications of Buchanar Lodge No. 68 are held at Masonic Hall in this village, on Friday evening on or before the ull of the moon in each month. S. ATWOOD, W. M.

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estate may be granted to Alonzo Sherwood or some other saitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 4th day of January next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and, all other persons interested in said cetate, 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 petitionor should not be granted: And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition; and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published: in the Berrien Court Recomp, a newspaper printed, and circulated in said County of Berrien, for three successive weeks provious to said day of bearing. It Fire Insurance Companies, and is prepared to issue policies therein:

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N. A. Hamilton, Atty for Mortgagee. Dated Sept. 80th, A. D. 1874.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Court House, in the Village of Berrien Springs, in said County of Berrien,

11 the 2d day of Jermany. A. D. 1875,

12 the 2d day of Jermany. A. D. 1875,

13 the O'clock in the foremoon of said day, to satisfy the amount which shall then be due on said Mortgage, also the costs and charges of said foreclosure and sale, and the attorney fee provided for in said Mortgage.

WM. B. HUAO, Mortgagee

D. E. HINMAN, Attorney for Mortgagee

Dated October 8th, 1874.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

to-wit: The South west fractional quarter of section airty (30), in township number seven (7), south of range anumber seventeen (17) west, containing one hundred and twelve and forty one hundredths (112 40-100) acres, more or less, lying and being in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan.

OLIVER DALBYNILE, Mortgagee.

E. M. PLINTFON. Attorney for Mortgagee.

ent, Daniel Chapman, Judge of Probate. ne matter of the estate of Alancon Hamilton

Commissioners' Notice.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for the county of Berrien, Commissioners on the Estate of Richard Peckham, decessed, late of the township of Chickaming, of said county, hereby give notice that we will meet at the office of George Weimer, Esq. in the village of Now. Buffalo, in said county, at 10 o'clock A. M., on Saturday, the 12th of December, 1874, on Saturday, the 9th of January, 1875, on Saturday, the 8th of Narch, 1875, on Saturday, the 18th of March, 1875, on Saturday, the 18th of Saturday, the

PROBATE ORDER.—State of Michigan, County of Probate Orner of the Probate Court for the County of Berrien, springs on Wednesday, the 25th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy four.

Present, Daniel Chapman, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of John W. Whipple, deceased.

deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of
Darwin H. Whipple, praying that administration on said
estate may be granted to Alonzo Sherwood or some other
saitable person.

CAUTION.—Whe eas, Nelly, my wife, has left my bed and board without any just cause or provocation, I hereby warn all persons not to trust or harbor her on my account, as I shall pay no dobts of her contracting after this date.

DANIEL CHAPMAN, 42w4 Judge of Probate.

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[A true copy.)

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GEORGE WEIMER, JOHN MURRAY. OHAS, DEUELL. New Buffalo, Nov. 14 A. D. 1874—10t4

DANIEL CHAPMAN, 4 Judge of Probate.

E. M. PIMPTON, Attorney for Mortgagoe. Dated, October 27, A. D. 1874.

MORTGAGE SALE.

BUCHANAN, MICH., THURSDAY, DECEMBER

Poetry.

LEARN IT TOO LATE. O the years I must pass, now sad and alone! Ah, I must weep and moan o'er a heart of stone;
The blackness of my bosom's night is shut in With lost love, and with "what might have

MORTGAGE SALE,

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage, whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative, made and executed by O. E. Mead, A. Plummer, Sylvia Mead, Helen J. James, Albert James and W. C. Hunter, to William E. Higman, which Mortgage bears date the twenty-sixth day of March A.D. 1874, and which was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Berrien, on the 30th day of March A.D. 1874, in Liber 13 of Mortgages, on page \$3, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of two thousands ix hundred and twenty-seven and 77-100 dollars (\$2,037.77) and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the whole of said sum so due, or any part thereof, notice is hereby given that said Mortgaged premises will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House, in the village of Berrien Springs, in the County of Berrien, on Tuesday, the 5th day of January, A.D. 1875 at 12 o'cleck noon, by the Sheriff of said County, to satisfy the amount due on said Mortgage at this date, with ten per cent. interest thereon, and costs of foreclosure, together with an attorney fee of fifty dollars coveranted for therein; said mortgaged premises being situated in the County of Berrien, State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point where the center of Fourth Street intersects the center of Main street, as shown by the recorded plat of the Village of Benton Harbor, in said Berrien County, tunning thence southerly along the center of said Fourth Street three hundred and forty feet, thence seat on a line parallel with said Fourth street to the center of Main street, thence westerly along the center of said Main street, thence westerly along the center of said Main street to the place of beginning, containing two acres more or less, together with all machinery, fixtures and appartenances of every kind and nature now on said premises and used by the said Alasi lives and wives are emburdened by To love where there's no love, and learn it

O, how vain to think I once was cherished Or to give one tear for hopes now perished! Ah! I'll crush the tears, and weep ne'er For lost love-or for what "might have Alas! lives and wives are emburdened by fate

To love where there's no love, and learn it Oh! for the years to pass quickly away, And leave my raven hair dappled with gray; And then, when my last sad hour shall begin, I'll weep no more for what might have been

Alas! lives and wives are emburdened by fate To love where there's no love, and learn is Ah! how many lives wrecked in the dark But thrice three score more wrecked by whisky; Life was sweet till rum sowed the seed of

Homeless, friendless, I think what might have Tippler, pause, for the drunkard's grave is thy fate; Ere long you will learn it, and learn it too late.

Story.

THE BEAUTIFUL SUICIDE.

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain indenture of Mortgage bearing date the 29th day of September, A. D. 1873, made and executed by Charles Olark and Fannie L. Clark, his wife, of Serrien County, State of Michigan, to William B. Hoag, of the same place, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County of Berrien, on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1873, at 7½ o'clock A. M., in Liber No. 10 of Mortgages, on page 236, on which said Mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid, at the date of this notice the sum of five hundred and eighty-lour dollars and six cents (3584.06) and no suit in law or proceedings in equity having been instituted to recover the said sum of money or sup part thereof.—Therefore, notice is heroby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and which has now become operative, and in pursuance of the Statute in such case made and provided, the land described in said Mortgage, towit: Commencing three (3) rods east of the north-cast corner of Block "A," in A. B. Clark's addition to the village of Buchanan, and running south twenty-six rods and twelve links, thence east nine-ty-two and 60-100 feet, thence north twenty-six rods and twelve links, thence west intety-two and 60-100 feet to the place of beginning Also, the undivided one-tenth of the following described lands, to-wit: Beginning at a stake in Section line, thirty-and sixty-four one-hundredths rods east of the corners of Sections twenty-five, twenty-six, thirty-five and lihity-six, in township seven, south of range eighteen west, thence north twenty-five, twenty-six one hundredths rods to bank of McCoy's creek, thence south seventy-five and eighty one hundredths rods to bank of McCoy's creek, thence south seventy-seven and twenty involving and eighty rome hundredths rods to bank of McCoy's creek, thence south seventy-five and eighty one hundredths rods to bank of McCoy's creek, thence south seventy-five and eighty one hundredths rods to bank of McCoy's creek, t The incidents herein related transpired mainly in a city which has gained a world-wide celebrity both on account of its peculiar good fortune and misfortune—a city whose stupendous enterprises, entered into with zest and carried to successful issue, have electrifled the commercial and business world, and have yet again lifted up their smitten heads out of the blackness of ashes still loftier than before. Notwithstanding the eminence which it has reached as a business metropolis, there is a certain superabundance of vice and crime without name, such as usually pertain to all great and popular marts. To this place, so well calculated to conceal a guilty one from a gaze not too critical, a young man had come from the home of his child

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certifulation of the virtual stake and Elizabeth Blake, his wife, of the virtual stake and Elizabeth Blake, his wife, of the virtual state of Michigan, to Oliver Dalrymple, of Bertrand, in and County and State, which said mortgage bears date be tenth day of April, A. D. 1873, to secure the payment of one thorsaud dollars, according to the conditions of one certain promissory note of even date with said mortgage, which note was made and executed by the said therlase Blake and specified in said mortgage, and which mortgage was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Bertron and tate of Michigan, on the eleventh day of April, A. D. 1873, at 1½ o'clock P. M. of said day in Liber seven of Mortgages, on page 158, as appears by the record thereof. A d whereas there is claimed to be due and owing upon said note and mortgage for principal and interest at the date of this notice the sum of one thousand one hundred and fifty-three dollars and sixty-one cents (\$1,536.1) And no auit at law or proceeding in equity having been commenced to recover the whole or any part thereof, therefore notice is hereby given that in pursance of a power of sale in said mortgage contained, that the premises set forth and described in said mortgage will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the village of Berrien Springs, in and County, to satisfy the amount due upon said note und mortgage, and coats of foreclosure, together with an Attorney fee of thirty dollars, covenanted for therein. The premises described in said mortgage are as Tollows, to-wit: The South west fractional quarter of section and be premised described in faid mortgage are as Tollows, to-wit: The South west fractional quarter of section and country (50), in township number seven (7), south of range and be proposed to the control of the count whith proposed to the control of the control of the control of the control of the co hood, with the mark upon him. He was one of those volatile fellows who are fond of hilarity and a good time generally, and had few scruples that would deter him from even a bolder course when opportunity offered. He had when hardly a young man acquired a smattering and superficial knowledge of a great number of things; had wandered a few steps into the mazes of theology, and was somewhat versed in the psychological disputations of the ancients. In short, he had pursued about the same course which the ordinary young man follows until about eighteen or nineteen years old, when, as he thinks, as the expression is, "he knows it all"; is somewhat noisy in discussion-especially on religious subjects-and assumes an air of pretended unconcern as to any hereafter.

These little morsels of knowledge which he had devoured had brought him into that fearful condition of doubting the power and will of his DROBATE ORDER.—State of Michigan, County of E Berrien, ss.—At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Berrien, bolden at the Probate office in the tillage of Berrien Springs, on Tuesday, the 17th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and exempts four maker. He had imbibed to the full the false philosophy of Sardanapalus, the royal Ninevite—"Eat, drink and love; the rest's not worth a flip." At In the matter of the estate of Alanen Hamilton, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Nathaniel Hamilton, praying for the probate of an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration on said estate may be granted to Alfred Hamilton and himself. Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 14th day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of saidCourt, 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 netitioner should not be granted: And it is turther ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Berrien County Record, a newspaperprinted and circulated in said County of Berrien, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[18.3] this period in his life he had commenced the study of medicine, the pursuit of which seemed to accord with his belief-or, rather, his lack of belief. A thorough skeptic, he had chosen a profession which has oftentimes recruited and strengthened the ranks of infidelity, and was exerting a baneful

influence over his as yet plastic mind. The summer interval of leisure had come to the students, and he sought the refreshing and invigorating breezes of the country hillsides, and botanized along the mountain brooklet and through the spongy meadows: In these walks he was often accompanied by a rather well-appearing young lady, who seemed to take more than a common-place interest in him. She was the daughter of the people with whom he was stopping, and although they had seen each other for the first time but a few weeks since, she was dazzled by the young man's seeming accomplishments and apparent studious nature. She could see naught but DANKRUPT SALE.—In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Michigan.

In Bankruptcy—In the matter of Jacob Brown, Furniture Dealer—ankrupt.

The under-dyned, B. E. Binns, Assignee of the estate of said bankrupt, hereby gives notice that on the 26th day of December, A. D. 1874 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the ware-room of Spencer & Willard, on Main street, in the village of Buchanan, Michigan, he will sell at public anction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, and interest of said Bankrupt, and of the undersigned as Assignee sforesaid in and to the following described property, situated and being in the village of Buchanan, in the county of Berrien, and State of Michigan, to-wit: Beginning at the south-west corner of lot number four (4) of John Hamilton's Plat of the village of Buchanan, running thence east one hundred and forty (140) feet to a line of property deeded by Ross & Fulton to A. Ransom; thence north six (8) rods, thence west seventy (70) feet, thence south, four (4) rods, thence west along the north line of said lot number four (4) thirty-eight and one-half (332) feet, thence south to the place of beginning, (valued at twenty-five hundred dollars), together with the buildings thereon; the building has been heretofore occupied and used as a shop and furniture room by said Jacob Brown. The said property will be sold subject to a mortgage on the same, and the taxes of 1874.

Pull particulars may be had on application to the undersigned.

At Binns & Rose's Store.

Dated this 3d day of December, 1874. a brilliant future for such as he, and was prone to listen with fondness to

his blandishments. The time wore on, and the day at last arrived when he must return to his class. To her it seemed as if a part of herself were being removed. —in so short a time do the tendrils of a woman's love twine around the object of her affection. By and by a letter came. It breathed ardent protestations and promises of enduring fidelity. The trusting girl instated it in the place of the absent one, for He had written it. Treasure it, dear girl, for it is the nearest to possessing him that you will ever attain. The fatal step has been taken; the thorny path must be trodden, even to its last bitter end.

What was passing in the young man's mind all this time? On his return to college, he was disposed to rejoice over his conquest, and even to boast of it idly. So will the demon touch of skepticism poison the moral But there comes a time—in the stillness of the night, it may be, or about one's daily calling, when the canker, the conscience, will gnaw, and twinge and will not be denied. Such moments soon overtook the thoughtless trifler, and he felt that he must find some other place in which to complete hisstudies. The cunning trick that he

to the thronging city, where he endeavored to dispel the phantoms that troubled him.

He entered himself at a medical institute in the hope of completing his prescribed course. Being of a convival turn of mind, in his leisure hours he gathered about him a chosen few. and was in the habit of frequenting a certain saloon on one of the most crowded thoroughfares in the city. One afternoon the party were seated about a table, cracking their glasses and jokes as usual, when the shadow of a woman slowly passing the open door fell upon the floor, and one of rest to some peculiarity of the form of her who had cast the shadow. The student looked, as well as the rest, and his cheek immediately blanched. He had known one with a like conformation. The others rallied him about the weakness he betrayed, and he soon gained the mastery for the time being. They shortly after dispersed; but one had not so light a head as when he entered the saloon.

He sought his room, and there gave

himself up to his emotions.
"O what am I?" he exclaimed, in agony. "For what end am I destined? Will this specter pursue me everywhere? I thought to drown recollection in a distant place, and amid unfamiliar scenes. Is there an avenging God? or why do I always see and hear one asking me to return to fulfill my word? I thought I had taught myself to dread nothing; that I might fill the cup of pleasure to the brim and quaff the foaming beaker without alloy. Have I erred? Will the past haunt me forever? No! I will rise triumphant over such air-drawn fancies, and tread them beneath my heel. Have I not marked out a certain course to pursue, and which, if I am as successful as I expect to be, will cause my name to be treasured as a light to physiological explorers in the future? Away with all foolishness! I will redouble my efforts, and ere long success will perch upon my standard.

How long such vain assurances will ivail to quiet an uneasy conscience

the sequel will demonstrate. In the prosecution of his pet project, and the accomplishment of which was to twine the bay about his brow. it became necessary that the aspiring student should have a female subject for dissection, as he hoped to discover something important in the female mechanism which had eluded the search of Hippocrates and all his disciples to the present day. For this purpose he hired two 'resurrectionists' to be on the watch for a subject, un-

der the incentive of a handsome reward. These two followers of that unhallowed occupation made it a point to frequent the morgue and keep a sharp lookout upon the bodies exposed for identification from time to time. One day one remarked to the other— "I say, Dick, that gal on the slab over yonder haint been claimed, and she's got to be planted to-day! I'm thinking she's just the checker for young

Paregoric.'. Keep your eye peeled. The form indicated was that of a beautiful young woman who had been picked out of the dock, where, it was supposed, she had drowned herself in despair. What confirmed the belief was a crumpled letter found upon her

person which read thus: "MY DEAR ALICE:- Keep up a good heart. All will be well. Your absence causes me many a pang, and long for the time when you will not be again separated from me. I shall pursue my course with greater energy, with the hope in view of calling you mine at an early day. Everything looks brightly in our prospects, and I know that you will wait patiently when it is I that asks. Never doubt me.

CHARLES. Your adoring • She was young and beautiful, though her countenance bore the unmistakable imprints of the deep-seated grief. Her face was fair and faultless, and her figure perfect, with the exception of a singular projection of the clavicle on the left side.

She was carried away that day, as the man had said, and they marked the spot where she was laid. At midnight they proceeded about their ghostly labors, and having removed the body and covered up all traces of their visit, they carried it to the place designated by the young aspirant. He received it and deposited it in an out of the way place until he should require it, and returned to finish his slumbers. His pulse beat high, and he dreamed dreams of the certain success which was so near at hand. He again saw himself crowned with honors. At a suitable time the next day, he went to the place where he was to try his experiment, and, stripping the sack from the body, he fell back with be unhappy were you to do otherwise a cry of anguish. It was she-Alice. She had come to him when he would not go to her. There she lay, the wreck of what, but for him, might have been to-day an ornament to the circle in which she moved. She had clung to the letter and wandered hither and thither under the vain delusion of finding her lost one and retrieving her misfortune. But alas! A woman's heart is flesh, and flesh is weak. Hope had expired, and in the agony of her soul she had severed the tie which bound her to her home.

From the moment that Charles Huntington looked upon the lifeless form of Alice Dunbar he was changed. -all the vain theories with which he only washes, but irons her dish-rag had been wont to comfort and console | And the neighbor men were heard to himself in a vicious career were dis- say: "What a steady fellow Msolved and scattered in the light of has got to be of late; he don't spend the eternity before, and he gave vent a dime where he used to spend dollars, to his heart-agony in accents humble and can never be kept from home half but firm: "Oh, God! I know now an hour when he is not at work. He that Thou art. But through what seems allmost to worship that wife of deeps hast Thou led me! Here: over his." had been playing was recoiling upon this clay, let me register my vow him, and yet he was so involved that henceforth to do Thy will, if I am the justice he should have done he felt spared! Endow me with the power durable, because they are regular; it was impossible for him to do, and for good in infinite proportion to the and all his life is calm and serene, behe fled far from the scenes of his mis. | evil I have wrought. So shall I hope | cause it is innocent.

deeds. This is what had brought him to requite a love which was so lavishly bestowed upon an unworthy one.

A man may often be seen in the attitude of supplication and prayer by a mound, trimmed with care, and adorned with the choicest plants, in a burial ground a few miles away. His hair is streaked with silver, but not that harbinger of age. Sorrow has left its traces on his brow; but over all there is a saintly serenity, a benignant look, and they tell of an earnest life. He is known to thousands, and the erring find in him an ever-ready listener to their trials, and a pillar upon which they may lean. "A broken the party called the attention of the and a contrite heart, O Lord, Thou wilt not despise."

A Story of Domestic Bliss.

After having been married some veeks, it come to the head of a young husband in a neighboring city, one Sunday when he had but little to occupy his mind, to suggest to his wife that they should plainly and honestly state the faults that each had discovered in the other since they had been man and wife. After some hesitation the wife agreed to the proposition, but stipulated that the rehersal should be made in all sincenity and with an honest view to the bettering of each other, as otherwise it would be of no use to speak of the faults to which merriage had opened their eyes. The husband was of the same mind, and his wife asked him to begin with her faults. He was somewhat reluctant, but his wife insisted that he was the first to propose the matter, and he was at the head of the house it was his place to take the lead. Thus urged he began the recital. He said:

"My dear, oue of the first faults I observed in you after we began keeping house was that you a good deal neglected the tinware. You did't keep it scoured as bright as it should My mother always took great pride in her tinware, and kept it life. as bright as a dollar."

"I am glad that you have mentioned it, dear, said the wife, blushing a little; hereafter you shall see no speck on cup or pan. Pray proceed,"

"I have often observed." said the husband, "that you used your dishrags a long time without washing them, and then finally throwing them away. Now, when at home, I remember that my mother always used to wash out her dish-rags when she was done using them, and then hang them up where they could dry, for the next time she would need them."

Blushing as before, the young wife promised to amend this fault. The husband continued with a most

formidable list of similar faults, many more than we have space to enumerate, when he decared he could think of nothing more that was worthy of "Now, my dear," said he, "you be-

gin and tell me all the faults you have observed in me since we have been married." The young housewife sat in silence;

her face flushed in the temples, and a great lump came in her throat which she seemed to be striving hard to swallow. "Proceed, my dear; tell me all the

faults you have observed in me, sparing none." Arising suddenly from her seat, the

little wife burst into tears, and throwing both her arms around her husband's neck, cried: "My dear husband, you have not a

fault in the world. If you have even one, my eyes have been so blinded by my love for you that as long as we have been married I have never once observed it. In my eyes you are perfect, and all that you do seems to me to be done in the best manner and just what should be done."

"But, my dear," said the husband. his face reddening and his voice growing husky with emotion, "just think, I have gone and found all manner of fault with you. Now do tell some of my faults; now I have many—ten times as many as you ever had or ever will have. Let me hear them.' "Indeed, husband, it is as I tell you; you have not a single fault that I can see. Whatever you do seems right in my eyes; and now that I know what a good-for-nothing little wretch I am, I shall at once begin the work of reform and try to make my-

self worthy of you.' Nonsense, my dear, you know sometimes I go away and leave you without wood cut; I stay up town when I ought to be at home; I spend my money for drinks and cigars when I ought to bring it home to you-

"No. you don't" cried his wife. 'you do nothing of the kind. I like to see you enjoy yourself; I should than just exactly as you do!"

"God bless you, little wife!" cried the now thoroughly subjugated husband; "from this moment you have not a fault in the world! Indeed, you never had a fault; I was but jokingdon't remember a word I have said !' and he kissed away the tears that still trembled in the little woman's eyes. Never again did the husband scrutinize the tinware nor examine the dish-rag-never so much as mention one of the faults he had enumerated; but soon after the neighbor women were wont to sav:

"It is wonderful how neat-Mrskeeps everything about her house.

The temperate man's pleasures are

Miscellaneous.

ANOTHER GIRL. Why couldn't it have been a girl, And not another boy?

— Josephine Pollard.

Perhaps you wish, dear Josephine, Your place to change with me; For in our household circle dear A baby girl have we.

Three girls we thought were quite enough;
We hailed the coming gladly
Of one we hoped would be a boy;
And so we all felt badly When we were told "another girl"

Was brought by angels tender; But what could I, its mother, do But true love to it render? wanted "boy in pantaloons"—

So many dainty dresses Are nice in verse, but girlish tucks (wanted "boy" on whose strong arm

To rest when faint and weary; But then I know that girlish hands Can make life's work less dreary. am content—for in my heart, When all my girls I cherish, Vain wishes for what I have not

Must in that strong love perish.

Weddings. As the semi-annual bridal season is at hand, it is the time to plead for a reform in weddings. Every year this most sacred of all occasions is turned more and more into a mere opportunity for display, and for replying to some fancied social obligation. Instead of the time when a few of the closest friends gathered to witness the solemnest compact human beings can frame, it is chosen as the moment for bringing together the larger part of a family's social circle, to show the bride in her bridal garments; to prove how many flowers and refreshments the family can afford; and, with shame be it said, to exhibit to criticism and light comment the precious tokens that should have come with tender regard to the maid, on the eve of her new

A wedding must not be uncheerful; but it must certainly be solemn to all who realize what it is. On the one side it is renouncing old ties, promis-ing to begin with faith and hope, and love a new and wholly untried existence. On the other, it is the acceptance of a sacred trust, the covenant to order life anew in such ways as shall make the happiness of two instead of one. Can such an occasion be fitting for revelry? Is it not wiser, more delicate, to bid only the nearest of friends to a marriage ceremony, and leave the feasting and frolic for a subsequent time? We are sure there are few girls who, if they reflect on the seriousness of the step they are about stincts point to the absolute simplicity and privacy of wedding services; people to attend the fulfillment of the be as much party making, rejoicing and pleasure-taking afterward as hearts desire; but let the solemn yows be made in the presence only of those

A Quaker Printer's Proverbs.

nearest and dearest.

Never send an article for publication without giving the editor thy name, for thy name oftentimes secures

publication to worthless articles. Thou shouldst not rap at the door of a printing office, for he that answer-

Never do thou loaf about, nor knock down the type, or the boys will love thee as they do the shade trees—when thou leavest. Thou shouldst never read the copy on the printer's case, or on the sharp and

hooked container thereof, or he may knock the down. Never inquire of the editor for news, for behold it is his business to give it to thee at the appointed time without

asking for it. It is not right that thou shouldst ask him who is the author of an article, for it is his duty to keep such things unto himself.

When thou dost enter his office, take look at what may concern thee not, for that is not meet in the sight of good breeding.

Neither examine thou the proofsheet, for it is not ready to meet thine eye, thou mayest understand. Prefer thine own town paper to any other, and subscribe for it immediate-

Pay for it in advance, and it shall be well for thee and thine.

Good Advice.

knows how to do but one thing. I have seen many such men. I gave ten dolhard winter he could not get a living. I knew another man who had preached him, and he used to go around looking very blue and sad, until people pitied him and got up donation paryour one sort gives out.

Patience is a flower that grows not in every one's garden.

The Berrien County Record TERMS OF ADVERTISING.

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Business Cards of five lines or less, \$5 per annum. Business Cards of five lines or less, \$5.per annum. Legal advertissments at statute rates.

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Farm and Household.

The Number of Eggs in a Hen.

A curious point of inquiry among zoologists has been, for a long time, how many eggs there are in the ovary of a hen. To determine this, a German naturalist, a short time since, instituted some careful investigations. the result of which showed the ovary of a hen to contain about 600 embryo eggs. He also found that some twentv of these are matured the first year, about 120 during the second year, 135 during the third, 114 during the fourth, and during the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth years, the number decreases by twenty annually, it consequently follows that, after the fourth, or at most the fifth year, hens are no

longer profitable as layers, unless it

may be in exceptional instances.

Some interesting experiments were also made, a short time since in Germany, to determine the comparative fecundity of ducks and hens-that is, from which of the two the larger number of eggs can be obtained in the same time: For this purpose, three hens and three ducks were selected. all hatched in February, and nourished with suitable food. The following Autumn the ducks had laid 225 eggs, while the hens laid none. In the next February, the laying season began again with the ducks, and continued uninteruptedly till August. They showed no inclination to set, but became very thin, although they afterward fattened up somewhat. The total number of eggs laid by the hens amounted to 257, or eighty-six eggs each; and 392, or 131 each, for the ducks. Although the eggs of the ducks were rather smaller than those of the hens, yet they proved to be decidedly superior in nutritive material. so that the superiority in productiveness was decidedly with the ducks.

In regard to the means or possibility of deciding the sex of eggs, much difference of opinion exists. But M. Genin in a communication to the French Academy of Sciences, on this subject, states that he is now able, after having investigated the matter carefully for several years, to state that all eggs containing the germ of males have wrinkles on their smaller ends, while female eggs are smooth at the extremities.

Give the Babies Cold Water. It is very doubtful if there is a single possible disease in which the patient should not have cold water ad libitum. and infinite is the torture inflicted in a hundred cases by a foolish disregard of this fact. Take the little ones, for instance; think of their suffering! A nursing baby is given, no matter how thirsty, nothing but milk. The little lips may be ever so dry and cracked, and the little tongue ever so parched—yet nothing but milk is given to assuage its cryings. Let any of our adult readers try the same liquid diet when in a raging fever, and we believe that ever thereafter they will give the babies, under similar circumstances, very different treatment-cold water instead of milk. The matter is of far more importance than many people, parents and physicians seem to imagine.

False Economy.

We do not believe that any of the Western Rural readers are guilty of the following practices; but we will enumerate a few that a "Farmer's Wife" in the New York Tribune complains of:

Stop putting lard into your butter; if we must eat hog's fat pray give it to us pure, and not mixed with rancid butter. Girl, stop dipping your fingers in the bucket of milk and wetting the

cow's teats; of all dirty habits this is the worst. Wives, stop setting your cream jar in the family living room to make the

cream sour. Husbands, stop hanging your socks on that same cream jar to dry over

Women, stop putting your butter in the back bedroom to stay till you are ready to go to market.

How to SET THE House on Fire. -First, rub your furniture with linseed oil, and preserve carefully the old, greasy rags used for this purpose in a paper box, in an out-of-the-way place. Second, If the fire stove does not burn well, pour benzine or kerosene on it from a well-filled gallon can. Third, When you light your cigar or the gas, throw the burning match-no matter where, and don't look after it, even if it gets into the waste-paper basket. Fourth, put a burning candle on the shelf of a closet and forget all about it. Fifth, always read in bed until you fall asleep, with a burning candle near you. Sixth, especially for builders: Put the ends of the wooden beams into the fine walls; and if you build hot-air furnaces be careful to use as much wood as possible in their construction. Seventh, always buy the cheapest kerosene you can get.—Industrial Monthly.

A NICE PUDDING SAUCE.—Mix one cup sugar, four teaspoonfuls of cornstarch, and just cold water enough to dissolve thoroughly, then pour on a cup of boiling water, and let it boil twenty minutes or half an hour. Then add two tablespoonfuls of good cream. Flavor with current, strawberry or raspberry juice. In making sauce, if the flour and sugar water boil a good A New Jersey clergyman says there while the sauce looks clearer and nicer; are about twenty different kinds of re-common white flour is just as good as corn starch. Use a little more water than the recipe, so as to allow for boiling away.

I am always sorry for a man who

lars to one who could speak and write five or six languages and translate beautifully; but in the middle of a in' fer, strung on de fence?' twenty-five years, till his throat failed ties for him, because he was good for nothing except to preach. I knew a lady who had taught school for twenty years, till she was a poor, nervous, elements of an unformed mind, and, On recovering from his spasm of grief Her tenware is always as bright as broken down woman, and didn't know his paper for two dollars a year, and alas, too often ruin an immortal soul. and remorse, he recalled all the past a new dollar; and I do believe she not how to make a dress for herself. Now, takes white beens and apple sass for boys and girls, every real man should | pay when he can get it, raises a large know how to do one thing right well. Every wise farmer has a principal crop; but he has always a little something else to live on. : Don't carry all your eggs in one basket. Don't put all your money in one pocket. If you want to get along right well, learn one sort of work to get along by, and all sorts of work to get a living with when

be laid out on one of the benches, to be viewed and remarked upon, according to the manner of their elders. Their teacher had laid himself out on one of the benches in the school-room pretending to be asleep; but was really enjoying the frolics of the children, when one lisping five-year-old discovered him, and straightway exclaimed to her mates, "O teacher ith dead!" They were all immediately interested, and began their remarks, which made him also feel anxious to hear the opinions of his several pupils. They passed around him, laying their little hands upon his forehead, shaking their pretty heads in all solemnity, each one mak-

Playing Dead.

of our schools; a short time since, the

little girls conceived the idea of play-

ing dead. One of them assumed the

role of a corpse, and suffered herself to

During a noontime play-spell at one

makes a pretty corpse;" "How his, mother must feel;" "Its a pity he died so young; "He looks natural;" &c. Then came little five-year-old, who, with earnest countenance and subdued voice, said, Yeth, he lookth natural, but he smellth bad." The fun had reached its climax: the teacher rolled off the bench in a fit of

ing her own little remark, as "He

The Text.

laughter, and the children ran away.

A young lady of wit and worth was spending the summer in Yonkers with her parents. She had made an impression on a young clergyman settled in in a neighboring town; and he managed to effect frequent exchanges with a Yonkers minister during that season, making his home at the hospitable mansion of the young lady's father. On a Saturday evening the young couple were seated in the parlor. "Well, I declare," said the minister, I have to preach to-morrow morning, and I have not even a text. Give me a text, Miss Jennie." "Will you preach from a text that I will give you?" asked the young lady. "I will," was the prompt reply. "Lovest thou me?"—John XXI." Next morning the minister announced his text: "Lovest thou me?" from which he preached a very acceptable sermon in the presence of a large congregation, including the young lady and family, during which the words of Peter, "Thou knowest I Miss Jennie married another man. Saving His Wealth.

One great cause of the poverty of the present day is the failure of our common people to appreciate small things. They do not realize how a to take, will not choose to make their | daily addition, be it ever so small, will vow merely within the loving limits of | soon make a large pile. If the young their home circle. All our best in- | men and young women of to-day will only begin, and begin now, to save a little from their earnings and plant only a perversion of delicacy could it in the soil of some good savings contemplate the asking of crowds of | bank, and weekly or monthly add half-sympathetic or wholly curious their mite, they will wear a happy smile of competence when they reach most solemn of contracts. Let there | middle life. Not only the desire but the ability to increase it will also Let the clerk and tradesman, labor-

er and artisan, make now and at once a beginning. Store up some of your youthful force and vigor for future contingency. Let parents teach their children to begin early to save. Begin at the fountain head to control the stream of extravagance—to choose between poverty and riches. Let our youth go on in habits of extravagance for fifty years to come as they have for fifty years past, and we shall have eth the rap sneereth in his sleeve and | a nation of beggars, with a moneyed aristocracy. Let a generation of such as save in small sums be reared, and we shall be free from all want. Do not be ambitious for extravagant for tunes, but do seek that which is the duty of every one to obtain, independence and a comfortable home. Wealth, and enough of it, is within reach of all. It is obtainable by one process, and by one only—saving.

A Ripple from Africa.

The new Supervisor of Fishkill, N. Y., has a darkey who, the other day, was attending to some duty on the lawn near the road, and six or eight friends of his own color were leaning heed unto thyself that thou dost not | on the fence, evidently to see that the thing was properly done. That witty contraband, Ike Delily, happened to pass at just this time, and meeting Dr. Mapes, enquired: "Dr, Mapes, who's dead at Masser Hustis?"

> 'No one, I think," replied the doctor. "O, yes," presisted Ike, "there must be somebody dead there, for sartin sure."

doctor, "for I should certainly have heard of it, if there had been a death in the family." "Then," axclaimed Ike, raising his voice, and pointing to the long lazy row of his sable brethren hanging on the pickets, "what's all dis yer mourn-

"Why, I am postive not," said the

A Definition of an Editor.

An editor is a mule being whose bizness iz to navigate a nuze paper. He writes editorials, grinds out poet-ry, inserts deaths and weddings, sorts out manuscripts, keeps a waste basket, blows up the "devel," steals matter, fites other peoples battles, sells family, works 19 hours out ov 24 he noze no Sunday, gits damed bi everybody, and once in a while whipt bi sumbody, lives poor, dies middleaged and leaves no money, is rewarded for a life ov toil with a short obituary puff in the nuze papers:

are about twenty different kinds of religion, but the man who won't wash; and shave, and put on clean shirts,

THE MESSAGE. We publish this week a portion of resident Grant's Message. The balnce of it will appear in our next is ue. It is regarded as the best writen and ablest message that the Presilent has ever issued. The subject reated of most at length is the finansial question, which is, without doubt, he most important matter now pressng upon Congress for their consideration and settlement. The President zives his views on this subject fully and precisely, and states his reasons for them clearly and forcibly. As will be seen, be favors a speedy return to specie payment, and recommends that a day be fixed when the government will resume specie payment. Other important subjects are mentioned and discussed in the Message, which will doubtless receive the attention of Congress the present ses sion, and our views in regard to them, will be expressed in proper time, when referring to the proceedings of Con gress. We advise each of our readers to give the Message a careful perusal, and to get the best information attainable in reference to the important subjects therein introduced.

THE UPPER PENINSULA.

That portion of Michigan, known as the Upper Peninsula, is peculiarly situated, geographically speaking, and on this account demands special consideration at the hands of our State Legislature this winter. There is a large tract of land in that region that might be made to contribute largely to the interests of the whole State, during the entire year. Sufficient importance has never been attached to this matter, we think, and hence the people of that part of the State have entered their complaints, and demand that they be set off as a new State by themselves. It has also been proposed that the territory comprising the Upper Peninsula be attached to Wisconsin. Neither of these will ever be done, with the consent of the people of this State. It is required, from necessity, that something be done to facilitate business communications between the upper and lower portions of the State, and directly in the interests of the Upper Peninsula by legislation. It should not be regarded as a foreign country, and all necessary means should be employed for its advancement. There is now no communication from this section with the interior of the State, except during the summer months, and no exchange of products that can be had at any reasonable expense. Among the many things demanded for the benefit of the eople of the Upper Peninsula, is the establishment of a United States Court in that district. The question is, what can and ought to be done to develop and improve the resources and condition of the Upper Peninsula? This is an important matter which will come up for investigation and settlement at the next session of the Legis-

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

To the Senate and House of Representatives:-Since the convening of Congress one year ago, the nation has undergone a prostration in business and industries such as has not been witnessed with us for many years. Speculation as to the causes for this prostration might be indulged in without profit, because as many theories would be advanced as there would be independent writers-those who expressed their own views. Without borrowing upon the subject, and without indulging in theories as to the cause of this prostration, therefore, I will call your attention only to the fact, and to some questions as to which it would seem there should be no disagreement. During this prostration two essential elements of prosperity have been most abundant: labor and capital. Both have been largely unemployed. Where security has been undoubted, capital has been attainable at very moderate rates; where labor has been wanted, it has been found in abundance at cheap rates compared with what of neccessaries and comforts of life could be purchased with

the wages demanded. TWO GREAT ELEMENTS OF PROSPERITY, therefore, have not been denied us; a third might be added: our soil and climate are unequalled, within the limits of any contiguous territory under one nationality, for their varieties of products to feed and clothe a people, and in the amount of surplus to spare to feed less favored people. Therefore, with these facts in view. it seems to me that wise statesmanship at this session of Congress would dictate ignoring the past and distributing in proper channels these great elements of prosperity. To our people our debt abroad is the only element that can, with always a sound currency, enter into our affairs to cause any continued depression in the industries and prosperity of our people. A great conflict for national existence made necessary for temporary purposes the raising of large sums of money from whatever source attainable in the wisdom of Congress, and I do not doubt their wisdom in the premises, regarding the necessity of the times, to devise a system of national currency which proved to be impossible to keep on a par with the recognized currency of the civilized world. This begot a spirit of speculation involving an extravagance and luxury not required for the happiness or prosperity of a people, and involving, both directly and indirectly, foreign indebtedness. The currency being of fluctuating value, unsafe to hold for legitimate transwo causes, however, have involved us which should be paid in coin, and accreditors at national disgrace. Our turn banks would wind up their busicommerce should be encouraged; ness when it was found there was a American ship-building and carrying superabundance of currency. capacity increased, foreign markets The experience and judgement of ton, of the 8th day of May, 1871, hav-

sought for products of the soil and the people can best decide just how ing been had, a protocol to that effect manufactures to the end that we may much currency is required for the was signed in behalf of the United be able to pay these debts. Where a market can be treated for the sale of our products, either of the soil, the mine, or the manufactory, a new means is discovered of utilizing our idle capital and labor to the advantage

of the whole people; but in my judgment, the first step toward accomplishgood wherever civilization reignsone which, if it becomes superabundant with one people will find a market with some other—a currency which has as its basis the labor necessary to produce it, and which will give it its value. Gold and silver are now the recognized mediums of exchange the world over, and to them we should return with the least practicable delay. In view of the pledges of the American Congress when our present legal tender system was adopted and debt contracted, there should be no delay -certainly no unnecessary delay in fixing by legislation a method which we will return to specie. the accomplishment of this end I invite your attention. I believe firmly that there can be no prosperous and permanent revival of business and industries until a policy is adopted, with legislation to carry it out, looking to i return to specie basis. It is easy to conceive that the debtor and speculative population may think it of value to make a so-called money abundant until they can throw a portion of their burdens upon others; but even these, I believe, would be disappointed in the results if a course should be

pursued which will keep in doubt the value of the legal tender medium of exchange. A revival of productive industries is needed by all classes, but by none more than the holders of property, of whatever sort, with debts to liquidate from realization upon its sales; but, admitting that the two classes of citizens are to be benefitted by expansion, would it be honest to give it? Would not the general loss be too great to justify such relief? Would not be just as honest and prudent to authorize each debtor to issue his own legal tender to the extent of his liabilities, as to do this? Would it not be safer, for fear of over issues by un- advance of civilization in these Emscrupulous creditors, to say that all debt obligations are obliterated in the United States, and now we commence anew, each possessing all he has at the time free from incumbrance. These propositions are too absurd to be entertained for a moment by think-. ing people. Every delay in preparation for final resumption partakes of tilities, and carefully prevent any inthis dishonesty. It will never come, fraction of law on the part of our citin my opinion, except by positive action by Congress or by national disasters which will destroy for a time at least the credit of individuals and the State at large. I believe it is in the power of Congress at this session, to devise such legislation as will renew | come to our shores do not come volunconfidence, revive all the industries, tarily to make their homes with us, start us on a career of prosperity to last for many years, and to save the credit of the nation and of the people. Steps toward the return to a specie basis are the great requisites to this devoutly to be sought-for end. There are others which I may touch upon hereafter. A nation dealing in a currency below that of specie in value, labors under two great disadvantages: First, Having no use for the world's

acknowledged medium of exchange, —gold and silver—these are driven out of the country, because there is no demand for their use. Second, The medium of exchange in use being of a fluctuating value, for after all it is only worth just what it will purchase of gold and silver, metals having an intrinsic value just in proportion to the honest labor it takes to produce them, a large margin must be allowed for profit by the manufacturer and producer. It is months from the date of production to the date of realization; interest upon capital must be charged, and the risk of fluctuation in the value of that which is to be received in payment added; hence high prices, acting as a protection to the foreign producer, who receives nothing in exchange for the product of his skill and labor except a currency good at a stable value the world over. It seems to me that nothing is clearer than that the greater part of the burden of the existing prostration for the want of a sound financial system falls upon the working man, who. must, after all, produce the wealth, and the salaried man who superintends and conducts business. The burden

falls upon them in two ways-by the

deprivation of employment and by the

decrease in the purchasing power of It is the duty of Congress to advise the method of collecting the evils which are acknowedged to exist, and not mine : but I will venture to suggest two or three things which seem to me as absolutely neccessary to a return to specie payment. As the first great requisite in a return to prosperity the legal-tender clause to the law authorizing the issue of currency by the National Government should be repealed, to take effect as to all contracts entered into after a day fixed in the repealing act, not to apply, however, to payments of salaries by the government or other expenses now provided by law to be paid in currency. In the interval pending between repeal and final resumption, provison should be made by which the Secretary of the Treasary can obtain gold as it may become necessary from time to time from the date when specie resumption commences. To this might and should be added a revenue sufficiently in excess of expenses to insure an accumulation of gold in the Treasury to sustain redemption. I commend this subject to your careful consideration believing that a favorable their persons or property during the solution is attainable, and that if insurrection. It appears equitable reached by this Congress that the present and future generations will ever greatfully remember it as their deliverer from a thraldom of evil actions requiring money, became sub- and disgrace. With resumption, free admissable under the late commission, iect of speculation in itself. These | banking may be authorized with safe- | to the early decision of some compety, giving full protection to bill-holdin a foreign indebtedness contracted ers which they have under existing mend the necessary legislation to oring good faith by borrower and lender, laws; indeed, I would regard free ganize a court to dispose of those banking as essential. It would give claims of aliens, of the nature referred cording to the bond agreed upon when proper elasticity to the currency. As to in an equitable and satisfactory the debt was contracted, gold or its | more currency should be required for | manner, and to relieve Congress and equivalent. The good faith of the the transaction of legitiment business, the departments from the consideragovernment cannot be violated toward new banks would be started, and in tion of these questions.

transaction of the business of the States and of Great Britain on the country. It is unsafe to leave the settlement of this question to Congress, proclaimed on the, following day. A the Secretary of the Treasury, or the copy of the proclamation is submitted Executive. Congress should make herewith. the regulation under which banks may exist, but should not make banking a monopoly by limiting the amount of reing this object is to secure a currency | deeming paper currency that shall be authorized. Such importance do I

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attach to this subject, and so earnestly do-I commend it to your attention that I give it prominence by introducing it at the beginning of the message During the past year nothing has occurred to disturb general, friendly and cordial relations of the United States and other powers. The correspondence submitted herewith between this government and its diplomatic representatives of other countries shows a satisfactory condition of all questions between the United States and the most of those countries, and, with few exceptions, to which reforence is hereafter made, theabsence of any points of difference to be adjusted. The notice directed by the resolution of Congress of June 7,

1874, to be given to terminate the convention of July 17, 1858, between the United States and Belgium, has been given, and the treaty will accordingly terminate on the 1st day of July, 1875. This convention secured to certain Belgian vessels entering the ports of United States exceptional privileges which are accorded with our own yessels. Other features of the convention have proved satisfactory, and have tended to the cultivation of mutually beneficial commercial intercourse and friendly relations between the two countries. I hope that negotiations, which have been invited, will result in having the celebrations of another treaty which may tend to the interests of both countries. Our relations with China continue to be friendly. During the past year the

hostilities between China and Japan, growing out of the landing of an armed navy force upon the island of Formosa by the latter, has occasioned uncasiness. It is earnesly hoped, however, the difficulties arising from this cause will adjusted, and that the pires may not be retarded by a state of war. In consequence of the part taken by certain citizens of the United States in this expedition, our representatives in these countries have been instructed to impress upon the governments of China and Japan the firm intention of the country toma intain strict neutrality in event of hos-

In connection with this subject I call the attention of Congress to a generally conceded fact, that the great proportion of Chinese immigrants who and their labor productive of general prosperity, but come under contract with head men, who own them almost absolutely. In a worse form does this apply to Chinese women. Hardly a perceptible percentage of them perform any honorable labor. They are brought for shameful purposes, to the disgrace of the communities where settled, and to the great demoralization of the youth of those localities. If this evil practice can be legislated against, it will be my pleasure as well as duty to enforce any regulation to secure so desirable an end. It is to be honed that the negotiations between the government of Japan and the treaty powers looking to the further opening of the Empire and to the removal of the various restrictions upon trade and travel may soon produce the result desired, which cannot fail to inure to the benefit of all the parties. Having on previous occasions submitted to the consideration of Congress the propriety of the release of the Japanese Government from the further payment of indemnity under the convention of Oct. 22, 1864, and as no action had been taken therein, it becomes my duty to regard the obligations of the convention as in force; and as the other powers interested have received their portion of the indemnity in full,

competent and familiar with the lan-

guage of Japan, to act as interpreters.

and in other capacities connected with

the legation and consulates in that

country cannot readily be over esti-

The amount awarded by the gov-

ernment of Great Britain by the mix-

ed commission, organized under the

provisions of the treaty of Washing-

ton, in settlement of the claims of

British subjects arising from acts com-

mitted between April 18, 1841, and

April 9, 1865, became payable under

the terms of the treaty within the past

year, and was paid upon the 21st day of September, 1874. In this connec-

tion I renew my recommendation made

at the opening of the last session of

Congress, that a special court be cre-

ated to hear and determine all claims

of aliens against the United States.

arising from acts committed against

that an opportunity should be offered

to the citizens of other States to pre-

sent their claims, as well as to those

British subjects whose claims were not

tent tribunal. To this end I recom-

The legislation necessary to extend

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to the Colony of Newfoundland cer-

tain articles of the treaty of Washing-

mated.

the Minister of the United States in Japan has, in behalf of this government, received the remainder of the amount due to the United States under the convention of Simousekyl. I submit the propriety of applying the income of a part, if not the whole, of this fund to the education in the Japanese language of a number of young men to be under obligations to serve the government for a specified time as interpreters at the legation and the consulates in Japan. A limited number of Japanese youths might at the same time be educated in our own vernacular, and mutual benefit would result to both governments. The importance of having our own citizens,

> The deplorable strife in Cuba continues without any marked change in the relative advantages of the contending forces. The insurrection continues, but Spain has gained no superiority. Six years of strife give the insurrection a significance which cannot be underestimated. Its duration and the tenacity of its adherents, together with the absence of manifested power of suppression on the part of Spain, cannot be controverted, and may make some positive steps on the part of other powers a matter of selfnecessity. I had confidently hoped at this time to be able to announce the arrangements of some of the important questions between this government and that of Spain, but the negotiations have been protracted. The unhappy intestine dissentions of Spain command our profound sympathy, and must be accepted as perhaps a cause of some delay. An early settlement, in part at least, of the questions between the governments is hoped. In

> > CONCLUDED NEXT WEEK.

Though the Lord will never remember the sins of a believer, to his condemnation; yet the believer himself will always remember them to his hu-

28th day of last May, and was duly

Buchanan,

Record

A copy of the report of the Commissioner appointed under the act of March 19, 1872, for surveying and marking the boundary between the United States and the British possessions, from the Lake of the Woods to the summit of the Rocky Mountains, is herewith transmitted. I am happy to announce that the field work of the commission has been completed, and the entire line from the northwest corner of the Lake of the Woods to the summit of the Rocky Mountains has been run and marked, upon the surface of the earth. It is believed that the amount remaining unexpended of the appropriation made at the last session of Congress will be sufficient to complete the office work. I recommend that the authority of Congress be given to the use of the unexpended balance of the appropriation in the completion of the work of the commission in making the report and

printing the necessary maps. The court, known as the Court of Commissioners of the Alabama Claims, created by an act of Congress at the last session, has organized and commenced its work, and it is to be hoped that the claims admissable under the provisions of the act may be speedily ascertained and paid.

It has been deemed advisable to exercise the discretion conferred upon the executive at the last session by accepting the conditions required by the government of Turkey for the privilege of allowing citizens of the United States to hold real estate in the former country, and by assenting to a certain charge in the jurisdiction of the courts in the latter. A copy of the proclamation upon these subjects is herewith communicated. There has been no material change

in our relation with the independent States of this hemisphere, which were formerly under the dominion of Spain. Marauding on the frontier, between Mexico and Texas, still frequently takes place despite the vigilance of the civil and military authorities in that quarter. The difficulty of checking such trespasses along the course of a river of such length as the Rio Grande and so often fordable is obvious. It is hoped that the efforts of this government will be seconded by those of Mexico to the effectual suppression of acts of wrong.

From a report upon the condition of the business before the American and Mexican Joint Claims Commission made by the agent on the part of the United States, and dated Oct. 28, 1874; it appears that of the 1,017 claims filed on the part of citizens of the United States, 483 had been finalto be disposed of; and of the 998 claims filed against the United States. 726 had been finally decided on, one was before the umpire, and 271 remained to be disposed of. Since the date of such report other claims have been disposed of, reducing somewhat the number still pending, and others have been passed upon by the arbitrators. It has become apparent, in view of these figures, and of the fact that the work devolving on the umpire is particularly laborious, that the comnission would be unable to dispose of the entire number of claims pending prior to the 1st day of February, 1875, the date fixed for its expiration. Negotiations are pending looking to the securing of the results of the decisions which have been reached, and to a further extension of the commission for a limited time, which it is confidently hoped will suffice to bring all the business before it to a final

The strife in the Argentine Republic is to be deplored, both on account of the parties thereto, and from the probable effects on the interest of those engaged in the trade to that quarter, of whom the United States are among the principal. As vet. so far as I am aware, there has been no violation of our neutrality rights, which as well as our duties in that respect, it shall be my endeavor to maintain and observe.

It is with regret that I announce that no further payment has been received from the Government of Venezuela on account of awards in favor of citizens of the United States. Hopes have been entertained that if the republic could escape both foreign and civil war for a few years, its great natural resources would enable it to honor its obligations. Though it it is now understood to be at peace with other countries, a serious insurrection is reported to be in progress in an important region of that repubic. This may be taken advantage of as another reason to delay the payment of the dues of our citizens.

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honest men will worship him.

Michigan, Thursday.

From Cincinnati.

Dec. 5, 1874. ED. RECORD :- We know nothing THE NILES Democrat says: of winter comparatively, in this City to what the people in your vicinity know. We have had, this winter, onone snow storm, which took place November 29th. The average depth of snow that fell was about two inches. In the place of snow we are having considerable rain which will undoubtedly cause more river navigation, and thereby reduce the cost of fuel, (coal) which, to a certain class of

people, will come most acceptable.

Cincinnati is noted for its great

number of medical colleges, compared with its number of inhabitants, which at the present time is about 220,000. There are, at the present time in this City, seven medical colleges, some of which are flourishing, while others are almost obliged to suspend business for want of patronage. The Eclectic Medical Institute, situated on the corner of Court and Plum Streets, is the largest medical institution in the city. The poor deluded Homeopathic Institution is striving hard with its one drop of tincture veratrum, in sthenic fever, added to one thousand gallons of water, to be given in drop doses at ntervals of three hours, until convalescence takes place. The hypocrates infesting this city have concluded to work their lancets into toothpicks and their mercury into thermometers, and learn to do harm no more.

Illinois Correspondence.

ONARGA, Dec. 7, 1874. ED RECORD:—The cold winds of December are blowing briskly around us, and overcoats and mittens are in good demand. As for snow and sleighriding there are none. The mud is very deep in some places, but I think it will soon freeze up. Yesterday was a mild, sunny Sabbath, and there was a good attendance at the different churches. I am told there are over two hundred names on the school list at the Seminary this term. Students come from every direction. It is a general time of health here, and every body busy preparing for the holidays. Children are wondering what Santa Claus will bring them, while their eyes are feasted, looking into the windows of every store, filled with toys of every

I must close, for I think brevity on my part will be desirable, as I see your columns filled with so much reading matter from different correspondents, whose pens can better fill the

M. G. D. Respectfully, The Possibly Mightiest Mechanical Discovery Eyer Made.

John W. Keeley's new motor, of which we some time ago gave a brief account, is being put in train for practical operations in Philadelphia. ly decided and seventy-five were in Nothing is known about the nature of the hands of the umpire, leaving 462 this motive power, except what the inventor chooses to reveal. He declares that with two gallons of water he can generate force enough to draw a train of cars from Philadelphia to San Francisco, and back. He uses no fuel, neither does he employ chemicals of any kind, or electricity, or magnetic currents. It is supposed that the force must be obtained by the rapid decomposition of water into its constituent gases, but he denies, as above stated, using the customary methods for reaching that result. In the machine he is now constructing, he has developed, he asserts, a pressure of 7,000 pounds to the square inch; and when it is remembered that the pressure to which steam boilers are subjected is seldom more than 200 pounds to the square inch, the enormous leap Mr. Keeley claims to make with his new motor may be partially appreciated. It is plain to the meanest con-prehenison that, should such an immensely powerful servant be added to the resources of man, steam engines and machinery would become more antiquated than stage-coaches and the mechanism of the middle ages are to us now; coal would loose its greatest importance, in aiding the conversation of mechanical motion into heat; mountains could be tunneled or leveled like ant-hills, and in fact all the processes of civilization would be changed. However, the scheme is altogether too magnificient for be-

dence in the genuineness of the man and his discovery.—Detroit Tribune.

The Benefits of Advertising.

lief at present. Many a man has

been absolutely confident of having

invented perpetual motion, and many

another, in old days, thought he

should yet be able to transmute base

metals into gold. The invention of

Mr. Keeley is very jealously guarded,

only a few persons-his special

friends, among them, Chief Engineer

Rutherford, of the United States Navy; men who have advanced him

money, of whom, it is said. Jehn J.

Ciseo, Israel Coarse, Hatch, of Fisk &

Hatch, and several Worcester and

Philadelphia men; and half a dozen

practical mechanics,—have seen trials of the yet unfinished machine. What

they have seen has filled them with

wonder, and given them firm confi-

If the advantages of advertising could still possibly be doubted, the high appreciation which the business community of New York places upon it should suffice to convert even the most incredulous upon that point. According to a correspondent of the Cincinnati Enquirer, who has fully investigated the subject, the average receipts of the New York dailies for advertising amount annually to \$8,908,-000. Of this sum the Heral I receives upwards of \$2,000,000, or about \$6,-000 a day; the Staats Zertung \$1,-825,000; the Times \$1,460,000; and so on down to some of the more obscure sheets, none of which receive less than \$100,000. The weekly papers take nearly half a million annually as their share of the advertising patronage, the meantime, awaiting the results of | and perhaps fully five millions is spent immediately pending negotiations, I in posters, circulars, steamboat and defer a further and fuller communica- street car advertising, etc. The writer tion on the subject of the relations of also shows whence this immense revenue comes, and takes the following figures from the ledgers of some of the leading business firms: A. T Stewart, for instance, is said to spend \$500,000 a year for printer's ink; Lord & Taylor, \$255,000; Arnold & Constable, \$175,000; Robert Bonner \$200,000; Babbitt, the soap man, \$255,000; While Barnum pays out every year about \$400,000, and all have made their fortunes largely Gild a big knave and little through this instrumentality.

The County Press-

December

Chas. M. Winslow has given up the management of the Independent, in this city, and gone to Saugatuck to take charge of the Commercial. It took him just three months to learn the fact that three papers will not pay in this place. Mr. Winslow is a pleasant young man and we wish him better success in his new home.

.....On Sunday next, "the first Sunday in the month," the Rev. John Coleman, will enter upon his duties as Rector of Trinity Church, in this city......James Hason, living seven miles east of this place, in Cass county, has just completed one of the handsomest farm houses in that county Its construction cost \$3,000. This shows the progress which some farmers are making financially. Good improvements add very much to the value of a farm. It is not, however. always good policy to put too much money on a building. It does not accumulate interest very fast in that

THE NILES Republican says: Theodore Smith, whose face and character are black, a couple of weeks ago let his fingers freeze to sundry articles, such as lamps, bottles of oil shawls, bed-clothing, etc, belonging to different persons. These articles were subsequently found in his house, a search warrant in the hands of Marshal Chambers doing the business. He was taken before Esquire Alward who gave him the choice of paying \$30, fine and cost, or ninety days in the House of Correction.....Our Methodist friends are happy over the receipt of a new \$1,000 Pipe Organ for their Church. Its first trial, on Sunday last, gave perfect satisfaction...... Chas. M. Winslow, who has been working hard for three months past to keep the head of the Niles Independent above water, has now ascertained what everybody else knew before, that there is no room for a third paper in this City. He now sees that he was badly imposed upon, and acknowledges that he has lost money in the venture. Mr. Winslow has had enough, and leaves the City to-day. He goes to Saugatuck and takes charge of the Commercial, where he thinks he will

THE BERRIEN SPRINGS Journal says: The poor turkies and foxes have to suffer. in this vicinity, now-a-days. Our sporting men are on the alert for them nearly every day. Mr. James Graham and Charles Munger shot two foxes on Wednesday of this week.....Mr. Abram Boon, who left this place on Monday with 146 hogs for Chicago, returned on Thursday. He met with ready sale, but reports pork still declining. His sales not him \$6.25, on foot. He reports 85,000 hogs on the market in Chicago on Wednesday of this week

have more room, and where, we hope,

he may be more successful in business.

THE ST. JOSEPH Traveler and Herald Billy Connelly got into a little trouble with a fellow from Royalton, Thursday, and cut him with a knife. Billy had better be more orderly or the officers of the law will be obliged to take him in charge......Father Van Watershoot of the Catholic Church, in this village, has gone to Northfield, near Ann Arbor, this State, to take charge of a Catholic Church in that town. Father Joseph came to St. Joseph nearly nine years ago, and at that time the Catholics held services in a little wooden building, but thanks to the efforts of Mr. Watershoot, ably seconded by menbers of his congregation, the Society have now a spacious new brick build ing in which to meet together. Father Joseph takes with him the best wishes of his people in this section. His successor is Father Theisen of Detroit,

THE ST. JOSEPH Republican says: A meeting of the young men of the village was held Monday evening, for the purpose of enquiring into the propriety of organizing a dramatic association. The proper feeling was expressed by organizing only for the purpose of securing amusement and instruction; and we doubt not they will be supported by those who have leisure and would enjoy such places...... Thanksgiving was not very generally observed at this place, we should judge by the open stores, offices and shops last Thursday. Some of the well-todo had the turkey part of the observation without a question.



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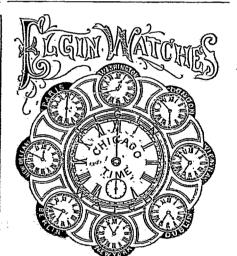
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Short Postponement of the Fifth Gift

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number of letters from all parts of the country from those most largely interested urging a postponement if all the tickets be not sold by the 30th that we feel strengthened in our sense of duty to the ticket-holders and the Public Library, to make the postponement. Under the circumstances we have determined to postpone the concert and drawing to Saturday, Feb. 27, 1875, at which time the drawing will positively take place; and as a guarantee of good faith toward the ticket-holders, we pledge ourselves to return to any ticket-holder his money upon presentation of his ticket, should the drawing fail to come off at the day now fixed. The past, we feel assured, will be sufficient guarantee to all interested, that they will be fairly and honestly dealt with. The money paid for tickets is sacredly preserved against all contingencies until after the payment of the gifts, after which the expenses are to be reim-

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TAKEN UP.—Notice is hereby given that I have this I day impounded in the township pound of Gallen township, one dark bay horse-colt, about three years old, white star in face. Cause of impounding—damages done on the James Brown farm, near Gallen Station, to the amount of two dellars.

Gallen, Mich., Nov. 18, 1874—42w4

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Buchanan will lie held at their Banking House on the second Tuesday, of January, 1875, at 11 colock A.M., for the purpose of electing Directors or the ensuing year.

A. F. ROSS, Cashier. or the equaling year. Buchanan, Dec. 7, 1874-48

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Buchanan.

FROM DAYTON.

by all, as the best concert of the kind that has ever been given in our village. Through the earnest request of many the concert was repeated on all in their power to make them com-Tuesday evening of this week, and the fact that the Hall was crowded on the fortable and happy. Our village ladies. I am told, are noted for their exlast evening shows how the entertaincellent pastry and good cooking. ment was appreciated. Miss Kimbal deserves great credit for her marvelous skill exhibited in training and educating the young people for this grand exhibition. A portion of the performance cannot be improved by star actors, and to have little girls

This week we publish our business locals in a column by themselves. There are many good reasons for adopting this plan, and it will result to the mutual benefit of our advertisers and ourselves. The charge heretofore has been 15 cents per line for

line for each insertion. Notice.-Dr. Berrick will leave

time. Our merchants will offer extra that this is the best rule to observe in inducements during the next few advertising, generally.

We have received a paper published THERE is a new disease prevailing at Flint, by the inmates of the institution for the education of the Deaf Mute and Blind, entitled the "Deaf THE TRANSIT of Venus across the Sun's Disc occurred on Tuesday of this week. It is considered by astronomers as a very important event. Several expeditions were sent out from

respondent, a special correspondent from the South, or some other locality, offering to furnish weekly contributions for from \$1 to \$5 per week. We would like to give our readers information from different parts of the country if we knew it would come IT IS A FACT-We have parties living in this town who are mean enough to steal wood from their neighbors. We will say for the benefit of these

different parts of the globe. Proceedings of the Common Council of the Village of Buchauan. At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan, held Oct. 30, 1874, at the Council Room in Engine House No. 1, present, Mesers, subscribe for this paper and have their

D. A. Wagner, Recorder. On motion, Trustee Buckles was appointed President pro tem. Minutes of Special meeting held Sept. 22, 1874, of Regular meeting held Sept. 25, 1874, and of Special meeting held Oct. 15, 1874, were read and on motion of Mr.

Binns, supported by Mr. Griffin, approved. The following bills were read and referred to the Finance Committee: Joseph Dutton, road work, Leonard Weese, road work with team 30.00

S. W. Redden, road work, John Shaver, road work Cornelius Wicoff Hile Trufoot

Weaver & Shepardson, lumber, Moved by Mr. Binns, supported by Mr. Mowrey, that the time for the collection of the village tax for the year 1874 be extended twenty days from the 4th day of November, 1874, and that the Assessor be directed to make the proper extension on the Tax Roll for 1874. Motion carried by unanimous vote. On motion of Trustee Griffin the Com-

not run risks that prudence and watchfulness will prevent. Most every county paper in the persons getting up clubs. Specimens State announces that after the first of are sent gratis, if written for, to per-January next all subscriptions outside sons wishing to get up clubs. We of the county where the paper is pub-lished, must be paid in advance. This azine until they have seen a copy of On how sweet to be an editor of a lished, must be paid in advance. This paper! Last week each received a box of candies from one of the popular candy manufacturies of a risk of sending the paper for noth lished, must be paid in advance. This paper until they have seen a copy of Peterson." Address, Charles J. Peterson, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadephia, Pa.

Judge Black, of Pennsylvania, says cannot happen hereafter.

last week, under the supervision of Miss Mollie Kimball, is pronounced and boys, eight and ten years of age, do so well made it doubly pleasing

first insertion, and 10 cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Hereafter the price will be 10 cents per

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Dayton, Dec. 6, '74. ED. RECORD:—I notice by your last week's issue, that you would like to hear from our village. I have not much to communicate, excepting muddy roads, dirty boots, plenty to eat, and respecting the drink, I will say little, however, there are worse places than Dayton. Once in while we see a staggering man, and sometimes hear the boys and girls tripping the light fantastic toe. But the ladies have something in hand that they think will suit the times better. They, intend getting up a Festival on Chrstmas Eve., and also in connection with it a Christmas Tree. The proceeds of the festival to be given to help support the pastor of the M. E. Church of said place. Friend Young has

Business Locals.

SOON TO LEAVE. As Dr. F. H. Berrick expects to leave Buchanan in about three weeks, all persons indebted to him are requested to call immediately and settle

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this county. Call and see them. ALL kinds of Rubber Goods cheap for cash, at Noble's. BINNS & Rose have just received few thousand yards of best calicos, only 8 cents per yard. Also a few

hundred corsets just received from New York, only 45 cents. H. J. Howe beats them all on Teas. He has customers from Niles for them.

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Now is the time to get your pictures framed at Spencer & Willard's. They che Jim," will lecture at Collins & have a new stock of mouldings, and | Weaver's Hall on Friday night of this | United States, and nearly 1,000 letters are prepared to frame pictures on short notice. CHRISTMAS is coming. Buy where you can get the most desirable bar-

TEN hundred yards of good calico just received, for 8 cents; at Rothermel & Claire's, Dayton, Mich. Don't fail to hear that great Indian Chief, at Collins & Weaver's Hall, on

gains. That place is at Binns &

Rose's.

Friday evening. It may be the last oppertunity of the kind you will ever have of hearing "Comanche Jim." R. A. DEMONT has purchased the Main Street meat market, and hereafter it will be conducted by him. A

share of the public patronage is respectfully solicited. CHRISTMAS presents of every kind marked down for cash at Binns &

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TOTICE IN CHANCERY.—State of Michigan, Second

NOTICE IN CHANCERY.—State of Michigan, Second Judicial Circuit.

Rliza A. Warner, complainant, vs. Joseph Warner, defendant. Suitpending in said Court on the 7th day of December A. D 1874.

It satisfactorily appearing to this Court that the said defendant is not a resident of this State, and that by reason thereof personal service of the subposna issued in this cause cannot be had, and that the defendant is now and has been since the filing of the bill of complaint in this cause residing without the State of Michigan, on motion of E. M. Plimpton, solicitor for the complainant, it is ordered that said defendant cause his appearance to be entered in this cause on or before the 10th day of March, A. D. 1875, and that in case of his appearant's solicitor within twenty days after service of a copy of eaid bill and notice of this order; and in default thereof, that said bill be taken as confessed by said defendant. And it is forther ordered that within twenty days said complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper published weekly in said county, once in each week for six successive weeks in succession, or that she cause a copy of this order to be served personally on said defendant at least twenty days before the time prescribed for the appearance of said defendant.

JAMES A. KELLOG G.

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EPresent, Daniel Chapman, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Charles Blake, deceased.

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On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Orange L. Blake, praying that William Haslett may be appointed Administrator de bonis non on said estate, with the will annexed.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 5th day of January next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said decased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the village of Berrien Springs, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said county of the published in the Berrien County Record a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Berrien, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[L. S.]

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vertising and job printing must be paid at once. ARE we going to have sleighing Christmas? We defer the answer to this question for two weeks.

in this vicinity. Good girls could get steady places and good wages. OUR readers will soon have Congressional news to read, and also the proceedings of the State Legislature.

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this place during the past two weeks. THE Lansing Republican says that wood contractors in that city are anxious to furnish good beech and maple wood at \$1.50 per cord.

Quite a number of nice fat hogs

have been shipped to Chicago from

on the operations of the department, for the year 1874, in pamphlet from. SEVERAL days of last week were like spring. It cannot be that we are going to have a very long winter, but fy us of the fact.

PORT HURON boasts of a \$60,000

Opera House, a \$200,000 Custom

House, and the "boss" Methodist

long enough for these hard times.

REPORT.—We are in receipt of the

report of the Secretary of the Interior

Church of the State. AFTER the 1st day of January next we will have to pre-pay postage every week on papers sent to subscribers outside the county.

of us report that they are well supplied with venison all the time. THE Kalamazoo Accomodation hereafter, until further notice, will not run on Sundays; and the Express East is seven minutes earlier than usual. See

CHURCH Fairs are becoming quite

popular. The manner in which some

of them are conducted we consider

time table for changes.

DEER are very plenty this winter.

Many of our cities and villages north

very objectionable to say the least. THE only present we ask during the Holidays is for every one who owes us a dollar to call and pay it. We need every dollar due us.

President's Message. We will give the remainder next week. The late wind storm blew off a portion of the new Union School ing. The cost of repairs will be about \$400,

On how sweet to be an editor of a

Niles paper! Last week each re-

We give considerable of our space

this week to publish a portion of the

that City.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Georgo Black left our town on Wednesday of this week to attend Goldsmith's, Bryant and Stratton's Business College in Detroit.

If this kind of weather continues there will be an unusual small quantity of wood needed for present winter. This will please everybody except those who have it for sale.

that candidates for United States Senator are as plenty in that State as shad in the Susquehannah. THE Benton Horbor Palladium threatens to publish a list of dead beat subscribers. It would be a good warn-

ing to business men in this vicinity if we should adopt the same plan. ELECTION.—Attention is called to notice in another column of the meeting of the stock holders of the

First National Bank of Buchanan, to elect officers for the ensuing year. HALF a teaspoonful of pulverized alum in a little molasses, is a simple remedy for croup, and one almost always at hand. The dose seldom fails to give relief; if it should, repeat it

after one hour. PORK continues to bring a fair price. though the market has not been so good the past week. As soon as it gets colder the price is expected to advance again.

WE call attention to a card of the Industrial Brotherhood in another column. This is a new organization of the working men and women of Buchanan, and holds weekly meetings in OVER 700 convicts now in our State

Prison. Quite a number were released at the close of last month, but as large a number received. THE past week has been splendid weather for contracting colds. Unusual care should be exercised to keep the feet dry, and avoid unnecessary

exposure to the night air.

town in a few days, and announces elsewhere in this issue that all parties owing him are requested to make imdediate settlement. A large amount of goods of all descriptions for the holiday trade is being received by our merchants. If you want to procure the best bargains n goods of every kind now is your

weeks, to obtain custom. among horses in different parts of the country that is fatal in many cases. The first symptoms are, the horse becomes stiff and trembly, fever sets in and ends in death in a few hours.

the United States to take observa-IF you want to make your friend an acceptable present, and in a manner in which he will be reminded of your kindness every week throughout the year, send him the RECORD. It will cost a mere trifle, and a more suitable present could not be offered.

parties that they are known and are being watched. They'd better be cautious in the future, or they will find themselves in the lock up. WE have received a Portfolio, sent out by the Christian at Work, to subscribers. They are absolutely worthless, and we advise our friends who

choice between the Twins and the

Portfolio, to take the former every

OUR subscription list has been entirely overhauled this week for our new mailing machine. If a name is accidentally omitted and any subscriber does not receive his paper he will confer a favor upon us if he will noti-MR: A. H. HERRON, of the Detroit Evening News, spent a portion of one day in our village last week. We learned from him that he got over for-

ty subscribers in this village, and that

he could have obtained as many more

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day. The News is a spicy daily, and is furnished at the low price of 10 cents per week, delivered at the house, or \$5 per year. PROF. J. A. JONES of Ventriloquil celebrity, entertained a "full house" at Collins & Weaver's Hall, on Monday evening last. This was undoubtedly the best entertainment of this description that has yet been given in Buchanan. Most of his tricks are new and good. His ventriloquism

was well received, with his local "hits"

and it is evident that he is a complete

master of that art. We wish him suc-IT is astonishing what a vast amount of property has been destroyed by fire the past few weeks. Every daily pa-per has a long list of the fires that occur in the different parts of country. Extra efforts should be made, at this season of the year, to guard against damages by fire. It is not wisdom to have anything about your stoves and fixtures that is not perfectly safe. Do

ing, but also pays postage on it every week. We think of adopting this RECORD four months to new sub- plan after the subscription year ex- Always on hand or got up to order, scribers for 50 cents in advance. Try pires, which will be on the 7th day of with township printed in, on short no-May next. tice.

NEW MAILER.—There has been complaint lately from some of-our subscribers, because they do not receive the paper regularly. We do not admit that all the blame in these cases rests with us; but the mailing machine we have been using, (and one that is used in many of our largest newspaper offices) cuts the address and pastes it on the paper. If papers were handled carelessly before the paste became dry, or if the paste was not good, as would sometimes happen, the slip was torn off and the paper returned to this office. We think most of the mistakes were made in this way.

We are happy to state that we have procured a new mailing machine at considerable expense, which is the latest invention, and prints the address on the paper or wrapper. If it is what it is recommended to be, mistakes of the kind referred to above THE CONCERT .- The Young Folks

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I would discipline and develop it into harmonious proportions. I never yet heard of a will in itself too strong, more than of an arm too mighty, or a mind too comprehensive in its grasp, too powerful in its hold. The instruc tion of children should be such as to animate, inspire, restrain, but not to hew, cut and carve; for I would always treat a child as a live tree, which was to be helped to grow, never as a dry, dead timber to be carved into this or that shape, and to have certain mouldings grooved upon it. A live tree, and not dead timber, is every little child.

The man whom I account great of soul, is he who has not only been gift ed with an oye to discern the right, but also with a heart to love it; a man who cannot be content merely to discover truth, or to paint it, or to sing of it, but who, feeling that he possess-es it, feels also that he has a mission to proclaim it. A man who can be satisfied with nothing less than that which is real and right—who is content to count all things loss for the attainment of a spiritual aim, and to fight for it against all enemies-who deems truth the bread of life and makes its pursuit his daily labor-he is a great man.

God demands greatness of us all, and not goodness merely. There is not a person so humble or so feebly gitted that the call is not to him or her. If we have few qualities that can influence, and but a narrow sphere to fill, still we have ourselves to develop and ourselves to rule.

The Master's footsteps marked the dust of the common level ways. He walked in the daily life of men as He would have them walk. He stood in the market place by the cradle of the babe, at the bier of the dead, and was at the marriage feast to show us that Christ should be with us in every act

Ladies, stop holding your nose when you go into your cellars to at tend to your milk. You might as well smell the rat and mold as to eat it daily in your butter and cream.

Women, stop telling fibs when you take your bufter to the store. Did anybody ever know a woman to sell butter over a week old? Stop coloring your butter with annatio, and then asking folks if they can't taste the blue grass in it.

Nothing can detain or destroy a real prayer; its flight to the throne is swift and certain. God will not fail you, though you fail yourself. Though you faint, He fainteth not, neither is weary. Lift up your cry, and He will lift up His hand.

The Bible, from first to last insists upon personal righteousness. Com-mon life, or society teaches us also that a salvation that did not insist upon virtue would be the destruction of society in all its interests. If Heaven could be sustained and peopled by faith without good works, earth at least could not.

The moods and thoughts of man are revolving just as steadily and incessantly as natures'. Nothing must be postponed; take time by the forelock, now or never. You must live in the present, launch yourself on any wave, find your eternity in each mo-

If men would but throw a live, practical Christianity into the daily duties of mankind it would be better; there would be fewer calamities to fasten upon a "Mysterious Providence;" the life and the Christian profession would then go hand in hand, and religion would seem to be something else than a Sunday garment to be put on and doffed at pleasure.

We are ruined, not by what we really want, but by what we think we do; therefore never go abroad in search of your wants. If they be real wants they will come home in search of you; for he that buys what he does not want, will soon want what he cannot

A sound philosopher once said: "He that thinks any innocent pastime foolish has either to grow wiser, or is past the ability to do so;" and I have always counted it an impudent fiction that playfulness is inconsistent with greatness. Many men and women have died of dignity.

The forsaking of evil is not enough. No man can easily forsake evil except by taking hold on good. Industry is the cure of idleness.

There are a hundred successful men where there is one contented man. I

can find a score of handsome faces where I can find one happy face. The angels are beautiful because

they are good, and there is no true, enduring beauty that is not goodness shining through the face and form.

To be happy the passions must be cheerful and gay, not gloomy and melancholy; a propensity to hope and joy is real riches; one to fear and sorrow, real poverty.

It is little to appear a Christian if one is not so in reality. That which makes a Christian is not a false ap-pearance or flowing speech, but it is greatness of soul and solidity of vir-

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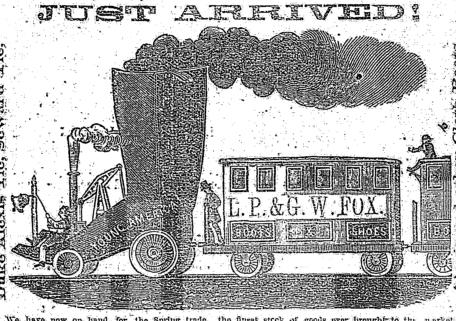
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eell, dang it, if you want a narmaid, why don't you go Troy and get one?" , man. I mean—who made

who made all the b-b-barwound town? I d-d-don't d don't care!" shrieked rpson.—New York Sun.

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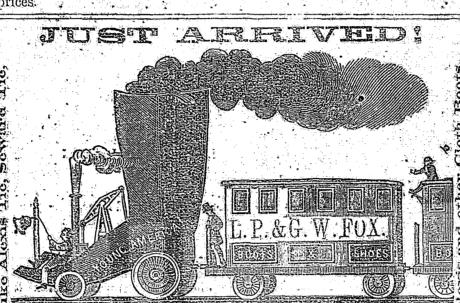
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