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Now, if Euchre illustrates the great Game of

alone;
For the game by opponents were easily won:
There are times when a partner's assistance were vain. Since attempts to succeed were the enemy's

But he who plays Euchre, or he who regards The Battle of Life as told by the cards, Must know where to "pass" though he hold in The requisite honors on which he might "stand;"

Dame Fortune, exerting her merciless will, May give to a player deficient in skill The cards that will win all the cards that oppose, Though held by the wisest and fairest of foes. Then he proves his provess who takes the firm "order the trump" to prevent "a lone

There are "bridges" which, carefully scan cre you cross, You may count that as gain which appears as You are playing for "points" and may "give one or two,"
And trust the next "deal" to do something for

you. So insist on the "trump," risk the failure and For consent to a "cuchre" will give you the

when they pleased, But when "playing alone" were most fearfully teased.

Had they known when to "pass," when to "let

bent, Had known how to pass when he met with the

must own, It is seldom with safety you "play it alone."

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[Out this out and enclose it in your letter, G.L.] BY S. W. PETLES.

By their verses on Euchre 'tis evident quite Neither Saxe nor the Douglas regard it aright; Since the first would refuse all assituace to own, And boldly at all times "attempt it alone;" While the latter, unable his foe to resist, Expects that his partner will always "assist."

Poetry.

A HOMILY.

It is not by partially aping the strife; There are times when twere folly to play i

That if his opponents rely on their power, They find that a "cuchre" may shadow their

Galileo and Kepler, who gild your refrain, As if to make erudite lines that are plain, "Played alone," were "assisted," and trumped

the trump be,"
The last had been loved, the first had been free. What if Wilkes, on his purpose most earnestly

Trent? How rash with his hand to attempt it alone, And who should assist when the "bowers" were Not Fanuell Hall, though with joy it was full, For government "passed it," and "euchred" John Bull.

You may draw your own moral, but this you

Since your partner may be out of "trumps" to And the aid you vouchsafed make his ruin com-Yes, draw your own moral, but Euchre or Life

Assist with the ace or a king and a jack"Pass" holding both "bowers." On refusal to You can make it the "next," and "play what you make." Look out for the "bridges," and cross if you choose, But with Euchre and Life play to win, not to

Story.

from the Waverley Magazin ONLY A SHOP GIRL.

BY CHERRY JAMES. "Cologne water? Yes, in a mo-

ment.' "The genuine, imported article, mind you. Don't indulge in any of your shop-girl tricks by attempting to pawn off some worthless article for the real! you can't impose upon me, you

know! This was said in so impertinent a drawl by the fashionable Fitzroy Stebbins, as he twirled the ends of his long vellow moustache between his fingers and looked down upon his surroundings with a very perceptible curl of disdain upon his patrician nose, that the young lady behind the counter, who, with her face turned from his view, was attending to the wants of other customers, flushed painfully.

She, however, turned to the case against the wall, selected a package of a dozen flasks, and, half turning, laid it before him, and then busied herself in replacing some articles she had disturbed.

"These shop-girls are so ill bred and presuming," he muttered, quite loud enough for his attendant to hear, as he daintily turned the package over with his finger tips, adding, a moment after, in a very indignant tone, "Here, you girl, this package has been opened! It may be good enough for some creatures of your own class, but I want something that has not been handled over by every hireling's fingers."

"We cannot open a new package for every customer who may wish for a single flask," his attendant replied, in a very quiet tone; but there was a something in it that made him look up into her face, now for the first time fully in view.

"By George! Miss Robbins!" he exclaimed, now dropping the package, and staring at her in utter bewilderment. "I—I—beg your pardon, but I did not dream I was addressing you—"

"Oh, I am only a shop girl now, you know, and any remark, however brutal, is good enough for 'creatures of my class," she remarked with a smile, though there was a bitter reproof in her words that made him col-

or red to the roots of his hair. "But-but-Miss Robbins, what does it mean?" he uttered. "Has anything happened-has-have your circumstances changed since I last met you? You know I have been out | wealth; but I honor you ten thousand | "You dear, darling old Burt, I will. of town for a couple of weeks." "There are good reasons for my be-

to cough, although the cough sounded very much like a suppressed sob, and the light hurt her eyes so that she had to stoop very low over some goods she was putting back, and so that some-

thing very like a tear rolled off her cheek upon the goods; but, a moment after, neither the cough nor the light seemed to annoy her. Surely a woman's heart is the mystery of mysteries. That sob and that tear marked the only burial rite over a love stricken down without premonito protect you. I, too, am poor, but tion in the moment of its greatest

glory. It was a short tale, like most loves of sad endings. She had seen him at a watering resort the season previous, where she was known—and correctly—as the wealthy Miss Robbins. He made a very carnest effort to interest her in himself, showing only his most agreeable characteristics, and succeeded. On her return home he continued his very devoted attentions to her, and only two weeks previous to this time, whon on the eve of a short absence, he had in most glowing terms declared his adoration for her, and sued for her hand. She had promised to give his suit serious consideration, and be prepared to answer him on his return. Only a few Burt Waldron's hands had placed it minutes before Fitzroy Stebbins had walked into Brown & Groat's large ladies' and gents' furnishing goods establishment she had been thinking of the favorable answer she was prepared to give him, and wondering if t would bring happines to her. Now, her romance was only a memory of the past, and, amidst all her pain, was a great throb of thankfulness that as

lowness not only of this man's love, but of his manliness, as well. Fitzroy Stebbins, on the other hand, swung his exquisitely gotten up self along the pavement with a very relieved look upon his handsome but insipid face, so relieved, indeed, that it attracted the attention of his clubroom friend. Burt Waldron, who. meeting him, clapped him soundly on the shoulder, in his honest, hearty, off hand way, that some people called uncultivated and rude, and quickly exclaimed,-

a shop girl she had detected the hol-

"What is it, Fitz? Something enjoyable, I know, from the look of your phiz. Let us have it." "By Jove! Burt, congratulate me!

I've been rather sweet on Rena Robbins for some time?" Something like a cloud passed over Burt Waldron's face as he muttered:

"I have heard so." "Well, to make a long story short, I popped to her just before I went up the country, two weeks ago. She promised me an answer on my return. , of course, knew that her answer would be an unqualified acceptance. as she was too sweet on me to refuse. I was led to offer myself, you know, mainly because she was so deucedly wealthy, and the handling of her money bags was just to my taste, though, aside from all that, she's a decidedly nice girl. But, Burt, what's the mat-

ter with you?" "Go on-go on!" huskily demand

ed his listener. "Well, five minutes ago I stepped into Brown & Groat's to make a purchase, and the shop-girl that waited

on me was-" "My God! who?" "Rena Robbins, by Jove! She has lost every penny of her wealth in some of those recent failures, and has to work for her living now behind a

shop counter." "Poor girl! But you, of course, assured her of your unchanged devo-

"I! ha! ha! That is capital, my boy! I said good morning, and walked away.

It was a little wonder that Fitzroy

Stebbins cowered in his patent leathers, as Burt Waldron towered away above and over him in the intensity of scorn that filled his frame. "You contemptible villain!" hissed the angered man. "Never dare to

speak to me again, else I shall crush the life out of your cowardly body! Stand aside!' With an indignant swing of his muscular arm he sent the frightened Stebbins whirling out into the gutter, and strode—nay, almost ran—on with gigantic strides, and a face whose every muscle was eloquent with strong

emotion. It was in this manner that he entered Brown & Groat's establishment, and walked along the passages, while customers, in fright, scampered beyond his reach, until behind one of the counters he espied Rena Robbins. She recognized him at once as an old friend, and welcomed him with a joyous smile that was in strong contrast to her previously sad expressions, until, noticing her excited manner and

look, she anxiously questioned: "What is the matter, Mr. Waldron? Oh, please tell me!"
"I—I—" he began, excitedly, and then hesitated and grew pale and red by turns, managing at last to stammer out. "Well, I suppose I have put

my foot into it, and you will only laugh at me; but I met Fitzroy Stebbins a few minutes ago." "Oh, I think I understand now," she said, thoughtfully, and her face clouded.

"Miss Robbins, I sympathize with you—yes, from the bottom of my heart I do-in the loss of all your

dered why you so persistently avoided

A swift, burning beam from his eyes straight into hers must have revealed more of the cause than he mentioned, for she blushed and trembled and grew faint with that sudden revelation, while, controlling himself again, he continued,—

"You are poor now-you are alone,

and you need some one older and wis-

er than you in the ways of the world

honorable, and no one dare misinter-

pret my attentions. I shall be your

brother—I shall be proud of my little sister who is only a 'shop-girl,' and, by Jove! any one who casts an aspersion upon you shall feel my weight. God bless you, brave little woman! Before she could answer a word he was a dozen steps away, stalking out of the place in as great excitement as when he entered it. She was bewildered; was this all a dream, a figment of her own brain? Her glance caught an object that convinced her it was not. It was a pocket-book that had been pushed, unperceived, almost un-der her hands, and within it was five hundred dollars. Rena knew that there, not knowing in his own honesty how his act might be misinterpreted, and she therefore kissed it many times before she slipped it into her pocket to be returned to the great-

earted donor. Rena had never before in all her life felt so strangely happy as during the remainder of this day, though for some cause she was very hysterical, and often caught herself on the verge

of bursting into tears-happy tears, though. When would she meet Burt Waldron again, she wondered, so that she could return the pocket-book to him. She received an answer on donning her wraps and starting for home. Just outside the door he stood, a little subdued looking; he did not ask her to take his arm, but, taking hers, and clinging to her, as if he feared she might attempt to escape, he carried her along with him in a wild stride for several blocks, until, looking down, he found her quite out of breath. Apologizing for his thoughtlessness, insupportable. Most men call frethe let her lead the way thereafter. ting a minor fault; a foible, and not Several times during that walk her a vice. There is no vice except drunkward fix. You know, of course, that turn it to him, but each time there was a look in his face that made her feel she dared not hurt his great, noble nature by letting him think she

spurned his gift. She did not let him accompany her quite to her home, and he, thinking she was too sensitive to have him be hold how humbly she lived, went back unmurmuringly. That night her pillow was very wet with tears, strange, happy tears, and the following morning, though there was a shorter way to reach her place of employment, she walked to the place where Burt had parted with her the evening previous, just to see it again. There, on the very spot, the pour fellow stood, patiently waiting to accompany her to

And so it was, morning and evening, for days, until the days lengthened into weeks; and then, during one of these walks, Burt, like a great, awkward fellow, managed, in wild trembling and excitement, to confess some terrible secret and ask some terrible request. When Rena, blushing red and trembling, too, uttered an almost unintelligible "yes," he, forgetting that they were on a public street, caught her up in his arms with a shout of joy, and pressed a dozen kisses on her lips, greatly to her dismay. Fortunately it was a deserted street, except for a few urchins who hugely en-

joyed the scene. Their marriage was arranged by them to take place at the humble home of one of Rena's friends. The evening before the happy occasion, Burt had received permission to call upon her there. He was in the happiest of moods, and Rena, when they were alone a few minutes, blushingly handed him the pocket-book he had during that memorable visit to Brown & Groat's, secretly left on the counter for her. She told him, with much confusion, that she had taken the liberty to accept - the five hundred dol-

lars he had enclosed in it, and devote it to her own use. Hastily opening it, with the purpose of placing a dozen more bank bills there, and returning it to her, he noticed a bulky paper drop from its folds. Picking it up, he unfolded it to learn its nature. A cry of amazement welled up from his lips as he read, in a bewildered way, that, for the consideration of five hundred dollars paid by Burt Waldron to Rena Robbins, and for the poor shop-girl, the said Rena Robbins conveyed to him a long list of houses and lands,

stocks. securities and money. "O, Rena!" he mouned, pitifully stretching his hands out in pleading to her, "what can it mean?" She was on his knees, and her arms tight around his neck, before she re-

plied. "It means, darling Burt, that I have only been playing shop-girl. It was a freak of mine to fill the position of a girl friend, and thus enable her to have a much needed vacation. All the wealth I ever had was mine until to-day, when, by this conveyance, you became the rightful owner of half of

"But, Rena, I cannot con-"

night of it.—Editor's Drawer, in times more for your cheerful submis have my own way just for this once, sion to it, and your courage in facing so don't say another word about it."

husband's love—it is a five hundred dollar bank bill.

Paste This in "His" Hat.

A lady writer has this with respect to lover's attentions: "In the first place, it is an imposition on any well bred girl to keep her up later than half past ten, when you have the opportunity of seeing her often. If you always leave her with the wish in her heart that you had stayed longer, you gain so much. Never run the risk of wearying her with your presence. Be just as earnest and straightforward as in your honorable dealing with men. Impress your friends with the worthiness and scriousness of your love, so that vulgar and senseless bantering will appear to them as such. Love is religion—the supremest happiness; wear it manfully and proudly, but boldly! Woo a woman bravely. If there is anything humiliating to a woman, it is to have a lover whom she wishes to honor, weak and vapid, eyer yielding, and half afraid of her. She longs to tell him to "act like a man!" The man who conceals or denies his love for fear of being laughed at is a coward. A love that has no element of divinity in it is not love, but passion, which of itself has nothing ennobling. That was a beautiful inscription on an engagement ring: Each for the other, and both for

Folly of Fretting.

He who frets is never the one who mends, who heals, who repairs evils; he discourages, enfeebles, and too often disables those around him, who, but for the gloom and depression of his company, would do good work and keep up brave cheer. The effect upon a sensitive person of the mere neighborhood of a fretter is indescribable. It is to the soul what a cold, icy mist is to the body, -more chilling than the bitterest frost, more dangerous than the fiercest storm. And when the fretter is beloved, whose nearness of relation to us makes his, fretting even at the weather seem almost like a personal reproach to us, then the misery of it becomes indeed the peace and happiness of a home.

Fear of Disease. It is said that while the plague was raging in Buenos Ayres the grave diggers bore charmed lives. Of the 300 men so employed, not one died of the disease. It has often been noticed that during the prevalence of pestilential diseases, physicians, un-dertakers, nurses and grave-diggers, whose business compelled constant liability to infection, have usually escaped in far greater ratio than their numbers would warrant. Their charm of this immunity from the prevailing scourge is very simple. They are not scared; they are positive to the disease, and thus repel its attacks. Fear is a great ally to death. Who. ever is afraid of disease is in a negative condition, and really invites its approach. And thus it is the world over. The brave die but once, while cowards die many times. Much unnecessary alarm exists in every community in regard to many diseases.

We are, it is true, all liable to sick-

ness and death, but if we are all sober,

cleanly and brave of heart, we may

have no fear of disease of body or

The Wool Clip of Michigan. We are giving some marvelous accounts of the product of the wool shearings. These, it is true, are in the best flocks of the State, but they are also a sample of what the clip is to be this year. Sheep, as a general thing, have wintered well, have come through in good condition, are healthy and strong, and the product of wool is evidently bound to be large in quantity and excellent in quality. We are not sure but that the money received will be as large in amount as in previous years, for there will be more and better wool, and there is no decline in the number of sheep, but

rather an increase. - Michigan Farm-

The Two Websters. When Mr. Webster visited England, after he had attained fame enough to precede him, an English gentleman took him one day to visit Lord Broughan. That eminent Briton received our Daniel with such coolness that he was glad to get away and back to his rooms. The friend who had taken him at once returned to Lord Brougham in haste and anger.

"My lord, how could you behave with such unseemly rudeness and discourtesy to so great a lawyer and statesman? It was insulting to him, and has filled me with mortification. "Why, what on earth have I done, and whom have I been rude to?"

"To Daniel Webster, of the Senate

"Great Jupiter, what a blunder ! I

of the United States."

thought it was that fellow Webster who made a dictionary and nearly ruined the English language." . Then the great chancellor quickly hunted up the American senator, and having other tastes in common besides law and politics, they made a royal

Harder's Magazine.

Old Age.

Nine-tenths of our clever men have exhibited more vigor of intelect at fifty years of age than at forty or any time before. Franklin was forty when he began in real earnest the study of natural philosophy. The principal of one of the most flourishing colleges in America was a farm servant until past the age when most students have completed their collegiate education. Sir Henry Spelman did not begin the study of science until he was between fifty and sixty years of age. Greek was the first foreign language which Cato, the celebrated Roman censor, acquired and he did so in his old age. Alfieri, whose writing has caused a revolution in the dramatic literature of Italy, was left without a father in his infancy, and wasted his early years. John Ogilsby. the author of poetical translations from Virgil and Homer, began the study of Latin when about forty years of age, and Greek in his forty-fourth. Boccaccio, one of the most illustrious writers that ever appeared in Italy, suffered nearly half of his life to pass without improvement. Handel was forty-eight before he published any of his great works. Dr. Thomas Arnold of Rugby, learned German at forty, in order that he might read Neibuhr in the original, and Dr. Samuel Johnson studied Dutch after he was sixty. Mrs. Somerville was near eighty when she revised her scientific treatises, and Michael Angelo was long past the prime of life when he superintended

recovered it to the Latin empire.

the architecture of St. Peter's Church

of Rome. Dandolo was ninety when

he laid the siege of Constantinople and

A Texas Incident. The Waco Examiner of April 4. under the heading of "Neatly done" says that a young man living about 15 miles above the city was awakened recently by the suspicious barking and growling of his dog in the yard. Rising lightly from his bed, he peeped out through a window pane, and there, dimly outlined in the moon-light, stood the form of a man. With one hand he was untying the gentleman's fine horse, which was haltered for the night, while with the other he held a six-shooter, pointing directly at the front door. Taking in the situation at a glance, 've just escaped from a deuced awk- | hand grasped the pocket-book to re- enness which can so utterly destroy our young friend gently reached for his shot gun, and, passing out at the back door and round the corner, opened the attack from an unexpected and unguarded quarter. Under this skillful generalship the enemy came down while in the act of mounting and without responding to the first fire. The deceased was buried without the hon-

ors of either peace or war.

A Wonder of Science. Those who have handled a piece of congealed mercury which freezes at a temperature of 39 degrees below zero, will know that the sensation is similar to that of holding a coal of fire in the hand. In other words, intense heat and intense cold bear a striking resemblance to each other in their effects. A Hungarian chemist, whose specialty consists in finding out the best methods for preserving meats, has made practical use of this analogy in the action of heat and cold, and partially cooks his meats by subjecting them to the action of intense cold. Strange to say, that the meat subjected to this low temperature is reduced to a condition similar to that produced by heat. The material must be perfectly fresh, and after being exposed to a temperature of thirty-three degrees below zero must be carefully scaled in tins. It is found when opened to preserve a remarkable freshness, and to be in a more satisfactory condition for use than has hitherto been attained by any other method for the same purpose. large manufactory is being-built in Hungary for preparing meat on this

Food as Medicine.

Dr. Hall relates the case of a man who was cured of his biliousness by going without his supper and drinking reely of lemonade. Every morning says the doctor, this patient arose with a wonderful sense of rest and refreshment, and feeling as though the blood had been literally washed, cleansed and cooled by the lemonade and fast. His theory is that food can be used as a remedy for many diseases successfully. As an example, he cures spitting of blood by the use of salt; epilepsy by watermelon; kidney affection by celery; poison, olive or sweet oil; erysipelas, pounded cranberries apolied to the part affected; hydrophobia, onions, etc. So the way to keep in good health is really to know what to eat-not to know what medicine to take.

. Drinking and Insantty. The following is from Macmillan's

Magazine, and presents a fearful side

of the effects of intemperance: Drinking is a main cause for insanity. Alcohol flies to the brain, and not unfrequatly dethrones reason, and leaves its victim a helpless idiot, or a raving maniac. Drinking parents beget imbecile or insane children. Dr. Howe, of Boston, tells us that out of three hundred inmates of the asylum there, he knew that one hundred and and forty-seven had drunken parents. In addition to degrading the mental power of otherwise perfectly used instead of bread for a richer one. sane persons, drinking develops ten- It should be well flavored with lemon, and dencies that already exist. As there cinnamon, or bitter almonds. Bake: "Ah, I understand. Bank suspensions—business failures—and the sweeping away in the general wreck of many private fortunes. You have for tunes. You have sets out to have her own way approached by many private fortunes. You have a she tried to reply, but in his excitement he interrupted her.

"When you were wealthy you did not require blunt, unpolished friends and the fruite blunt, unpolished friends." As the fashionable Fitzroy Stebbins passed into the street, Rena Robbins, the shop girl, found it necessary

"Ah, I understand. Bank suspensions—favor."

How could he, when she was kiss—house there are short favor."

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Farm and Household,

Profits of Poultry,

Poultry as a source of profit is generally under-valued by most farmers. for, from the hap-hazard style they are kept in, perhaps there is not much profit-nor would there be in any other farm stock-if no more care or attention was devoted to them than there is usually bestowed upon poultry. If only the multitude of insects destroyed by poultry, (so injurious to the crops of the farmer) are considered, they are of great value, while their guano, if properly saved, is worth five times what it costs to feed them.

Farmers are too prone to conclude that, "chickens eat their heads off"when, if they had kept a correct account of all food furnished the number of eggs laid, chickens sold, and those eaten by their families, they would discover evidence sufficient to convince them that their prejudice was without reason or foundation. When poultry have to roost in trees,

scratch in a neighbor's garden for a living, and are not considered worthy of attention, they are truly of not much account. Common fowls, which may possess good laying qualitiesderive those good traits from some strain of pure bred fowls, but if allowed to intermingle promiscuosly, will eventually become so crossed that the laying propensity is destroyed or bred out. It would be the same with pure-bred herd-book cattle unless kept pure. There are several varieties of pure-bred fowls that are very profitable as egg producers, some laying as much as eighteen dozen in one year. At the average price of thirty cents per dozen this amounts to \$4.50 per hen. This is not mere surmising, for I have had hens that laid twenty-one dozen in a year. If farmers who think poultry do

not pay would give their feathered stock to their sons or daughters with permission to enjoy and own any profit that might accrue from keeping them they would soon be convinced that there's something in it." Poultry raising in some parts of the country, by ladies, is indeed quite extensively carried on. There is certainly no more health promoting exercise than that afforded by caring for, or having the management of a flock of poultry, and if the flock is one of any one of the pure breeds—there is in addition to the exhibitanting influence, an enthusiasm that causes what might otherwise be considered a task, to become a pleasure,—and therefore profit and pleasure are happily combined. A young lady in Bethel. Pennsylvania. during the year 1874, kept a strict account of all the expenditures for feed, etc., for her yard of fowls, and at the regular market price for eggs and chickens, she cleared above all expenses three hundred and sixty dollars, besides having more stock on hand than she started with. Is not this an incentive sufficient to awaken an interest among the numerous fair readers of the Farmer in favor of gallinaceous stock? It is certainly worthy of emulation. - Cor. of Mary-

land Farmer. Boys on the Farm.

It is a good plan to give the boys some inducement to take an active and personal interest in the enterprise, some piece of land to cultivate on their own hook, or some chance to make as little money by their skill, industry and attention, whether it is in the way of a small lot of land, the keeping of poultry or some other kind of stock. Every one, whether it be boy or man, works better to have a personal interest and share in the work. It is no doubt true that one great reason why farmers' boys are so anxious to leave the farm and go in pursuit of other business is in consequence of so much drudgery and hard work. The bone and muscle are too much exercised and the mind too much chained and narrowed down. Every farmer should endeavor to give his boys a good common school education, at least, and if his means are adequate to go beyond this, all the better. Why should not the boy who intends to become a farmer, be as well educated as though intended for mercantile or any other pursuit? Boys should be taught in the school-room as well as at home. that farming is healthy and honorable and independent, not low and degrading, as some appear to think. We ought to insist upon habits of industry and obedience, but do all in our power to attach them to the homestead.—Ploughman.

RICH BREAD PUDDING.—To onehalf pound of bread crumbs take two pints of cream, four ounces of sugar, five eggs, a little salt, four ounces of currants, one and a half of finely shreded candied peel, and two ounces of butter. Make the eggs, sugar, and cream into a custard and stir in a glass of brandy. Place the other ingredients in a buttered mold in layers and nour this over them. Let it stand. a couple of hours before baking. Milk may be substituted for a cheaper pudding, or sponge cake may be

they only think, there's boiling water.

should see them squirm while I roll

them over and cook to a turn." With

these last words the printer awoke,

and thought it all a practical joke

but still at times so real did it seem,

that he cannot believe it was all a

dream: and often he thinks, with a

STATE ITEMS.

At Albion, May 19, a child of Ir-

ring Marble was dangerously poison-

Five mercantile failures are an-

nounced for Middleville, Barry coun-

Mrs. Peter Kelley of Monroe, last

The general sentiment all over

Michigan is that fruit will be plenty,

but that corn and other grain crops

will be light unless the ground dries

The stockholders of the Paw Paw

road have offered to equip a narrow

craft, if others will grade and tie it.

Saturday gave birth to her 19th child, the oldest being only 19 years

ed by eating rhubarb.

ty, this week.

up pretty soon.

Berrien Go. Record.

JOHN G.-HOLMES. Editor.

THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 1, 1876.

There has been a general cutting down of fires on the eastern railroads. The N. Y. & Eric road announces the following rates from New York to different points in the West. To Chicago, \$16; Cincinnati, 14; Indianapolis, \$15; St. Louis, \$21; Louisville, \$18; Detroit, \$12; Cleveland, \$11. Rates to Buffalo and Niagara Falls are also reduced to \$8.

The Ionia Sentinel favors a State ticket with Charles M. Croswell for Governor, and "for State Treasurer. Secretary of State, and Auditor General, the present efficient and popular incumbents-Colonel William B. Mc-Creery, Hon. E. G. D. Holden, and Gon. Ralph Ely." With such a ticket, it predicts a Republican majority of 40,000 in the State.

The proprietor of the Bingham house at Philadelphia has been convicted of refusing a respectable colored clergyman accommodations when there was plenty of room in the hotel, and the court imposes a fine of \$500. That landlord is not so particular in the selection of his guests now.

Pursuant of the resolution of Congress, President Grant has issued a proclamation calling upon the people to assemble in the respective towns on the next fourth of July, celebrate the Centennial, and deliver, either in print or maunscript, one copy of the history of their town to the county clerk and another to the Librarian of Congress. Last week we published a letter from Gov. Bagley on this subject, asking in addition to the above that copies of the several histories be filed with the State Librarain at Lansing.

The city of Quebec was visited by a conflagration, on Tuesday last, which destroyed one thousand buildings with most of their contents, entailing the loss of at least \$1,000,-000. The fire originated somewhere in the western part of St. Louis suburb, and swept through the middle of the fortifications. It then turned north or south, burning in the latter direction to the grand Alee, and in the former to the third street south of St. John. The burning was fierce-Ty continued until a late hour Tuesday night, when the flames were somewhat subdued but not stopped.

A Washington correspondent of the Chicago Tribune has been doing some close figuring on the chances of Mr. Blaine for the nomination at the Cincinnati Convention. He says:

"Those closest to him say they have no doubt he will be nominated on the first or second ballot, and they give, as they say, authentic reasons for the belief that is within them. Their figures are striking and interesting. They say that with his large support in other sections, New England will give him her solid vote on the first ballot—eighty-two delegates. He then has New Jersey, 18; Delaware, 6; Maryland, 10; Virginia, 18; North Carolina, 10; Georgia, 12; Mississippi, 5; Tennessee, 5; Texas, 3; Oregon, 6; California, 10; Colorado, 4; the Territories, 18; Kansas, 10; Nebraska, 6; Missouri, 16: Minnesota, 10: Wisconsin, 22 Illinois, 41; Michigan, 16. In addition, Blaine's confidents say he will receive from Iowa, 22 votes, and from Florida 6. These are counted for the first ballot, and number 362, which will lack only 15 of a majority of the Convention.

In case the votes credited for Mr. Bristow are received by him, which some of Blain's friends doubt, these figures will be reduced from 20 to 30. The friends of the Maine statesman seem to have good cause for rejoic-

This is "Brick" Pomeroy's idea in regard to the Centennial show at Philadelphia, and it is about as near the correct thing as any we have seen: "It will be easier to keep away from the sharpers and money-grab-

bers for whom the Centennial swindle is gotten up in Philadelphia, than to work months to reimburse expenses. The railroads refuse to lessen fares. The hotels in Philadelphia have generally jumped their rates to five and six dollars a day for board, with enormous charges extra for parlors. The price of admission to the building is half a dollar every time you pass in. The design of the managers is to make for themselves every dollar possible, no matter who is robbed, who suffers,

or who is inconvenienced. Save the money to use nearer home. Make your town, county and State fairs in the west and south more attractive this year than usual. Provide entertainment for persons who are tired and weary, and keep away from the Centennial trap."

As stated last week the vein in the Cleveland silver mine has been struck in the down right shaft, and since our last the work has been squared up and the vein has been found to be three feet wide and well filled with native silver from the hanging of the foot wall. Drifting has been commenced both north and south on the vein so as to fully test it. None of the vein has been taken up in the drift; and will not be probably until Capt. Mellen comes up, who is daily expected. We are glad to learn that orders have been received not to ship the six tons of vein rock to Silver Islet for treatment: We understand it is the intention of the company to continue work at the mine and prove

There is a church in Monroe counthere is a tablet forbidding anyone to bold advocacy of hard money as the preach therein who does not pray circulating medium of our country has kneeling, or preaches from manuscript made himself an unobjectionable leadas brisk as though no winter had inkneeling, or preaches from manuscript or is a member of any secret society, or who has his life insured. A wealthy | fore, be it Lutheran built it, and he proposes to have it run according to his own narrow-guage, or not at all: It is usually used not at all.

its value. - Ontonagon Miner.

GOING FOR OUR HENRY. Since the Democratic State Con-

vention, Mr. Henry Chamberlain, of this county, is receiving the attention of the Democratic papers of the State in a manner that shows conclusively his chances for the nomination for Governor to be waning. The following extracts from the Detroit Free Press and Jackson Patriot are samples. The latter paper says: "It was currently reported after the convention that Mr. Chamberlain was so

very soft on the money question that he had intimated that in case the Republicans nominated a rag money man on a rag platform at Cincinnati, and the Democrats put up a hard money man on a coin platform at St. Louis, he should vote for the former. If this is true Mr. Chamberlain will entirely misrepresent Michigan in the place to which he has been chosen, and had the full text of his position been known sooner, he would have stood no chance for an election as a delegate at large. We believe with the Gazette that an attempt to constantly conciliate the greenback element is a mistake. * * We can readily see how a noisy demagogue like Wilber, fresh from the ranks of the Republicans, may attempt to instruct a party on finances which has for seventy years persistently and conscientiously held for the only money which the experience of centuries has demonstrated can give stability to property, commerce and business morals, but we cannot just grasp the consistency of Mr. Chamberlain's present position. Two years ago he ran for Governor on a most unequivocal hard money platform, and this rather remarkable change of sentiment on his part conveys an unfavorable impression. We fear that Mr. C. has committed the very grave error of falling in with a hobby which he imagines will be temporarily popular, rather than contend for, and

known to be wholesome." In noticing the article of the Patri-

stoutly maintain certain fixed principles

of the Free Press adds: "The extract, which we publish elsewhere, from the Jackson Patriot, represents, we have no doubt, the honest jndg-ment, not only of that journal, but of other influential Democratic journals in the State concerning Hon. Henry Cham-berlain, one of the delegates at large to St. Louis. * * That Mr. Chamberlain's sympathies last winter were very strong with that element in the Democratic party of the State which appeared at the Convention as the cham-

pion of "soft money," so called, we are well aware; and we have no authority from him to state that his views on the subject have undergone any material change. It cannot be possible, however, that unless there has been some change, Mr. Chamberlain would accept the posi tion of delegate from a convention entertaining, by so large a majority as there was at Lansing, the most uncompromising hostility to those views. Even if he could be supposed to be in ignorance at the time he was chosen as to the will of the Convention, he could not have remained ignorant after the adoption of the platform and if he occupied any such equivocal attitude toward Democracy and the principles enunciated by the Convention, as the Patriot assumes, he would certainly have

declined the honor conferred upon him." We have it from good authority that Mr. Chamberlain has repeatedly said to persons in this county, that he would not vote for any man whom he knew to be a "hard money" man, and from the present outlook, it seems to be a foregone canclusion that both the great parties of our country will put hard money platforms and "hard mon-ey" man in the field this year. This being the case, where will Mr. Chamberlain be? He has been too long a leader of the Democracy of this section for that party to let him go, therefore we would not be surprised (now that it is quite sure he cannot be nominated for Governor) if the nomination for Congress from this district will be offered thim. If he receives the nomination it will not make much difference to him what the platform of his party is. A platform is usually of minor consequence to most

STATE CONVENTIONS.

The Democrats of this State held their State Convention at Lansing, May 24th. A special to the Inter-Ocean says:

"After a stormy debate the tariff plank was dropped from their platform. The hard-money plank was retained by a vote of 157 to 70. Chauncy Joslyn and Wm. P. Wells were champions of hard money and speedy resumption, while Mr. Wilber, of Allegan, and Swineford, of Marquette, advocated the repeal of our resumption laws and the law demonetizing silver. The stormy discussion was cut short by a call of the previous question and a motion to adjourn. The delegates to St. Louis go uninstructed; but the prevailing sentiment of the Convention was plainly for

Tilden and resumption." Wm. L. Webber, of Saginaw; Peter White, of Marquette; Merrill I. Mills, of Detroit, and Henry Chamberlain, of Berrien, were elected delegates at large. The following district delegates were elected:

First, A. W. Copland, Edward Kanter; Second, Herman C. Redfield, George C. Morris; Third, A. G. Brown, M. Shoemaker; Fourth, George B. Turner, A. O. Briggs; Fifth, James Blair, Fred A. Nims; Sixth, M. V. Montgomery, J. D. Norton; Eighth, George L. Burroughs, A. C. Maxwell; Ninth, Thomas D. Stinson, Edward Ryan.

The California Democrats held their State Convention at San Francisco, May 25th, and elected twelve delegates to the St. Louis Convention. A platform, of which we give below three

sections, was adopted. "Preservation of the public faith and credit, and honest payment of public

"Money-Constitutional gold and silver the only legal-tender." "Tariff for purposes of revenue only." The following resolution was passed

WHEREAS, The Honorable Samuel J. Tilden, Governor of the State of the people against the corrupt schemes

ic party of California as a glorious victory in the cause of honest government.

The Kentucky Democratic Convention assembled in Louisville, May 25th. The Hon. Isaac Caldwell, of Louisville, and General John S. Williams, of Mt. Sterling, were chosen electors for the State at large. Twelve nominations for delegates to represent the State at large at St. Louis were made, and Henry Watterson, of Louisville; Colonel W. C. P. Breckinridge, of Lexington; the Hon. Willis P. Machen, of Lyon County; and the Hon. John M. Rice, of Lawrence County, were elected to fill the posi-

A platform was adopted declaring n favor the immediate and unconditional repeal of the act of Jan. 14, 1875, commonly known as the resumption act; but declaring gold and silver as the true basis for a currency, specie payment should be resumed at the earliest time at which it can be done without detriment to the commercial and industrial interests of the

The delegates go to St. Louis un-instructed as to the Presidential can-

The Republicans of Illinois met in convention at Springfield the same day and adopted a platform that is severely criticised by Republicans elsowhere. The convention declared in favor of Blaine.

The Republicans of Minnesota declared on the same day in favor of a pure, honest, and efficient Government; the preservation of an untarnished national credit; hard money or its equivalent, paper convertible into coin.

The Republicans of Ohio, a few days before declared: "We recognize gold as the true standard of values, and the only steady and safe basis for a circulating medium, and declare that the policy of finance should be steadily pursued which, without unnecessary injury to business or trade, will ultimately equalize the value of the coin and paper dollar."

The Gubernatorial Question.

ED. BERRIEN Co. RECORD :- Almost everybody knows that the people of Michigan will, in November next, elect a Governor of this State for the next two years. In certain localities and among

quite a number of Republican papers. the question as to the man who shall be the standard-bearer of the Republican party in the coming Gubernato. rial campaign has been canvassed, and we would almost conclude that the mantle had fallen upon the Hon. C. M. Croswell, of Adrian. All things being equal such a conclusion would perhaps be wisdom indeed. While no one can or will find fault with the ition, vet, when we look over the history of the party for the past twenty two years and find where all the Governors for these many years have come from, as to location, in this State, one would almost conclude \$that eastern Michigan possessed in a very peculiar manner the men who are fit and capable to fill this important office. No man as yet has been found west of Jackson who has had all the essentials necessary to fill the Gubernatorial chair, and while it is a fact not to be disputed, that the majorities that the Republican party has worked up from year to year have, in a great measure, come from the counties west of Jackson, yet whenever the name of any western man has heretofore been presented to the nominating conventions they have simply been complimented and laid one side,

The time will soon arrive for the meeting of a Republican State Convention to nominate State officers, and it may not be out of place to cast about and see if there may not be a man found in the western part of this great State who has qualifications sufficient to entitle him to receive at the hands of the convention, not simply a flattering complimentary, but a solid endorsement. And now, looking over the many good, true, honest and able men in the ranks of the party, com-petent, able and qualified in all respects to bear the standard of the Republican party in this State to certain victory, we think Hon. W. A. Howard, of Grand Rapids, is the man. Mr. Howard's connection with the party is as old as the party itself. In all places and at all times he has proved himself a fit and proper man, and has always been as true as steel to the party and its principles, and now, in the fulness and ripeness of years, the old man eloquent of Michigan, endeared to the Republican party by every tie that unites us as a party, beloved and respected by all men who know him, (and who does not know Wm. A. Howard) his name will give strength to the party, and, if nominated, will secure a grand and glorious victory on the ides of November next.

Ohio Correspondence. Perrysburg, May 25th, 1876. ED. RECORD.—We are now near the end of spring months, so called, but in this vicinity our farmers are far from the end of their spring work. On account of the continued and abundant rains they are very backward. Many acres of land are yet unplowed for corn. All through this county the soil is very different from that tilled by the farmers of Berrien county. It is clayey and cannot be moved after rains to advantage till well drained, else it bakes and becomes hard or sticky. This causes farmers when it is wet at this season of the year to feel impatient. They cannot work their fields. They must wait. And by acclamation under a suspension of | with the season so far advanced they feel they have not much time for waiting. It is getting late to get in their corn, and that in this country is the crop New York, by his manly defense of very much depended upon for profit. Under favorable conditions this soil of political tricksters has pointed him- produces abundant returns. Wheat mation, and a general shout of "Euself out as a true reformer and a fit was damaged by the open winter. champion of the people in a conflict | Peaches somewhat by the cold spring ty, near the village of Ida, in which with official corruption, and by his Potatoes are already suffering from

The prospect looks threatening at

present. resent.
The prospect was nover brighter for fruit of nearly all kinds. With the exception of peaches, it is believed none was effected by the late frosts. For blossoming all was had that could be desired. Apples particularly promise bountifully. And all other crops promise well now, so far as planted and they have had time to show themselves above the surface. Though corn planting is a little late, there is vet time to raise all that can be needed. "Seed-time" has never yet failed. And often those conditions which we prefer are better overruled by the

higher Wisdom.

we are reminded constantly that we live in the Centennial year. "Are you going to the Centennial?" is often asked. Flags are on the breeze and mottoes on the goods, and purchase what articles you will, you cannot get. And still the people and the newspapers talk of the high fares and pity if either of these, that could be otherwise, shall make an insuperable obstacle to many. Doubtless they will, and how to be regretted when, if enjoy. But there are some things which cannot be compassed even under free institutions. And this is likely to be one of them-a free ride and a gratuitous admission to the Great Exhibition. We can give twenty-five acres more of space than any other nation, but it will cost something to see them. We hope though, the expenses will be reduced to the minimum, and the privilege will be brought within the reach of as many as possible. It must prove a great educator in knowledge all people very much need to have. The best opportunity our people will or can have to learn of other nations their best ways and teach them ours. Unfortunately few of us can afford to wait till the next. We shall agree on that point, I think. It will be this

itively the last chance." We are having fine weather now; favorable for all classes. But even within the last week the highways have been very bad with deep mud. We were carried back to early spring roads.

Centennial we attend or none. 'Pos-

Our town is favored with most of the different sects in religion, from Presbyterian to Roman Catholic. We have many Germans, principally embraced within the Catholic and Lutheran communions. In some of these churches the services are conducted to the lager. They are utterly impracticable to our American ideas on them been restored to sanity. Yours, this question.

J. K .DEERING. .

WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENCE.

Washington, D. C., May 27. The Democratic House has distinguished itself for nothing so much as its masterly inactivity. It started out with a vigorous system of investigation into the doings of the party in power. Committees were appointed charged with the special duty of overhauling the Departments with the hope of discovering fraud and corruption at every turn. Witnesses who were politically opposed to the Republican party were summoned from all parts of the Union and brought to Washington at the government expense to tell what they knew of the wrong-doings of Republican officials. Rebutting testimony was refused and the decision in nearly every instance was made up on ex-parte evidence. Evidence of corruption thus prepared was thrown into the form of a report and printed at the Government printing office, in pamphlet form, at the cost of the United States Treasury, and preserved for Democratic campaign work in the Presidential contest.

All this self-imposed labor has not, however, proved to be so profitable as was at first anticipated. Corruption failed to pan out as freely as was expected, and the work has been pretty generally abandoned. So far the labors of the Democratic House have most decidedly injured their own party, and hundreds of letters are received daily by Democratic members of the House, begging them to abandon their investigations and attend to the legitimate business of the session. The Democratic majority has proved to be a blessing rather than a curse to the Republican party. Its investigations have established the fact that official integrity is the rule, with rare and insignificant exceptions, in every department of the Government. The Republican party has never gone into a Presidential campaign with a better record than it enjoys at the present time. The nominee of the Cincinnati.convention will be the next

President of the United States. The engrossing conversation in political circles here has reference to the approaching Republican convention at Cincinnati. Speculation is futile and vain; and yet the signs of the times afford some data upon which to base a guess at the probabilities. The political outlook to-day indicates the following as near what may be expected on the first ballot: Blaine, 225 votes: Morton, 200

votes; Conkling, 125 votes; Bristow, 100 votes; scattering, 100 votes. On third or fourth ballot the following result will be reached; Blaine, 200 votes; Morton, 175 votes; Conkling, 125 votes; Bristow, 150 votes; Hayes, 100 votes. The "unknown" name will then be sought and found not in the unknown class but in some such tried Republican as Hon. Z. Chandler possibly, or Hon. F. T. Freelinghuysen and carry the vote that will be followed by unanimous accla-

guess." Those who can do will please step to the front:

some battles will have to be fought and a half grammes, which is equiva- growling voice the echoes woke: and won this summer, on many fields. | lent to somewhat over one hundred and ninety-two and nine-tenths grains nothing and never fear; this is the (192,904) troy—an excess of nearly place where I cook the ones, who one grain or nearly one-half of one never pay their subscription sums, per cent. over the weight of the coin for though in life they may escape, of the carlier period. The fineness of they will find in death it is too late; the metal is the same for the coins of I will show the place where I melt each period, viz: nine-tenths silver to them thin, with red-hot chains and one-tenth of copper alloy.

Blaine says, in reference to the their heads with broken glass and charges made against him, that they melted lead, and if of refreshments are utterly false, and that he is pursued by a "disreputable gang."

for them to drink; there's the red-hot Morton's friends base the chances grindstone to grind down the nose. and red-hot rings to wear on his toes, of his nomination largely upon his receiving the Southern vote. and if they mention they don't like fire, I'll sew up their mouths with a

The city is crowded with visitors from all parts of the world. They red-hot wire; and then, dear sir, you come from the Centennial Exhibition. The air is full of "Centennial," and

> Resumption in the Republican Convention.

In the midst of the discussion of Republican Presidential candidates, chuckle and grin, of those who save and speculation as to their respective their tio, and never pay the printer. chances for the nomination at Cincinthe impracticable expense. It is a nati, which now occupies so much of the public attention, comparatively little consideration is given to a subject only less important—the attitude which the Convention will take upon possible, it is something we should all the great practical issue of specie resumption. It is true, as George William Curtis has said, that in the coming campaign the candidate will be the platform, and the selection of a candidate whose very name and record shall be a pledge to the people of honesty, economy and reform in the administration of the government, and especially in the civil service, is the matter of first and paramount importance. But in order to make the Renublican National Convention a complete success, it is not merely necessary that it should nominate a good candidate, who shall be a platform in himself, but that it should construct a written platform consistent with the living onc. This we hope and believe the Re-

publican Convention will do. The great subjects before the country are those of administrative reform and the resumption of specie payments. Upon the first, the Convention will speak with no doubtful utterances. Upon the second there has been some division in the ranks of the Republican party, but we are glad to note that the present drift of opinion among Republicans in all parts of the Union is strongly toward specie resumption in accordance with the pledge given by Congress by the act of January, 1875. Never, since the panic of 1878, has that sentiment been so strong. The inflation mania which in the German language: They are swept over the country in 1874 seems generally a thrifty people, and will to have almost entirely died out withdo business and make profit when in the ranks of the Republican party. Americans will fail. They are good | The incurable lunatics upon this subhonorable gentleman above named, as citizens for the most part, but when ject have gone out from among us, to to qualifications and fitness for the po- | temperance is involved they adhere | our great relief, and those who were less severely afflicted have most

> An interesting exhibit of the strength of the feeling in favor of railroad. specie resumption is found in the action of the Republican State Conventions held during the present year upon this question. Of the thirtyfive Conventions thus far held, twentyone have passed resolutions on the subject of specie payments, and fourteen, including our own, have remained silent upon it. Of the twenty-one, fifteen have declared unequivocally for a currency based upon and convertible into coin; five have used language which, while it is not explicit, shows that there is no taint of inflation in the Republican ranks in the States which the Conventions represent; and but one Convention, that of Indiana, has suggested the repeal of any part of the resumption act. Of the fourteen Conventions which made no reference to the currency question, seven at least were held in States whose Republicans are thoroughly sound upon this subject.

The showing of Republican sentiment for sound money is still stronger when we examine the character and location of the States which have declared for specie resumption unequivocally. They consist of New York, Massachusetts and Connecticut in the East; Nebraska, Minnesota, Oregon, Colorado and California in the West: Missouri, Kentucky, Virginia and Deleware, of the old border States, and Georgia and Tennessee in the South. At the same time, Ohio, Illinois, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania and Mississippi have made declarations which show that a hard-money platform and a hard-money candidate at Cincinnati would draw the full Republican vote in those States. Indeed, in Ohio, the most important of the last named group, the recent action of the Democrats has done precisely what similar Democratic action did last fall—it has forced the Ohio Republicans into the front rank of the

advocates of resumption. These facts are encouraging to every friend of the national credit and honor. They give good reasons for hope that the National Republican Convention will take an unmistakable stand in favor of specie resumption at the earliest practicable moment. There should be no backward step in this matter. The National Convention of 1876 should stand by its pledge of 1872, and the subsequent legislation of the Republican party in Congress to carry out that pledge. We can fight and win the battle upon the platform of specie resumption and administrative reform; and to win such a battle will of itself do more than any other one thing to make resumption practicable.—Detroit Tri-

A Printer's Dream.

boots were patched and his coat threadbear, while his face looked weary and worn with care, while sadly thinking of business debt, old Morpheus slowly around him crept, and before he knew it he soundly slept; and, sleeping he dreamed that he was reka" will fill the hall. This is our dead, from trouble and toil his spirit had fled, and that not even a cow bell · tolled, for the peaceful rest of his Complaints are made that the new | cow hide sole. As he wandered among silver half-dollar is lighter and of in- the shades, that smoke and scorch in ferior quality to the former coinage. lower Hades, he shortly observed an made himself an unobjectionable leader for the Democratic party; therefore, be it

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The plants did not show themselves as early above ground as those destroyers, which seemed just waiting to catch them. If potatoes are from ten to dollars coined since the mint law of the convention and thus the coined since the mint law of th National Democratic Convention them. It potatoes are from ten to quality could be acceptable to the Democrat twenty cents a bushel next spring, 1878, have each the weight of twelve to the passing printer spoke, and with

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Lightning destroyed a barn, a large quantity of hay and a team of oxen for Thomas Parker, near Lapeer, on the night of the 28th.

The Michigan Southern and Lake Shore railroad is creeting a new bridge across the Raisin at Bliss. field. It will be a single span of the home truss pattern and will be raised about two feet higher then the old

What is thought to be a very valuable bed of iron ore has recently been dis cevered near Holland, on the line of the Chicago & Michigan Lake Shore

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THE image peddler was on the streets on Tuesday.

THE streets of this place were crowded on Saturday afternoon, last.

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New Burrato is making preparations to celebrate the coming Fourth of July. GOV. BAGLEY will deliver an ad-

dress to the Pioneers of Cass County, at Cassopolis, June 21st. WE received a short visit by D. B. Cook, of the Niles Mirror, on Satur-

day last. He was gathering items. subscribers, &c. Don't forget that you can get your job-printing done at this office as cheap

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the celebration of the Fourth of July,

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WE have just received a copy of No. 1, Vol. 1, of the Grand Rapids Journal, published by E. G. D. Holden and S. P. Aspinwall.

Some of the "school marms" of this place are making merry over the fact that the Benton Harbor Times has rehashed about some of its hard words about them. We would ask , them to read the Times once more.

JOHN BARNES is making some valuable improvements on his residence on the Niles Hill. He says that he proposes to live like a white man. now, or break trying.

ANOTHER liberal offer. A firm in Tennessee has sent us a ten dollar advertisement, and enclosed three packages of Japan Peas as payment therefor. The peas will probably invoice at about ten cents.

THE students at the State Agricultural College were furnished with return tickets, good for one week, by the railroads, at reduced rates, to be used during the present vacation.

THE Odd Fellows are talking up their annual strawberry and ice cream festival, to come off soon. They always have good ones.

In our last issue, in giving the Samount, of the tax ordered to be raised for the year 1876, within the corporation, the compositor made us give the amount at \$1,550.75, when we had written \$2,550.75.

THE Old Folks' Concert was well attended and all seemed well pleased with the entertainment. The receipts of the evening amounted to forty-five

ALL persons are hereby notified not to tresspass on the mill premises of C. S. Black, at the mouth of the creek, for fishing or other purposes, on Sundays or after working hours, without special permission from the owner.

CAPT. B. E. BINNS has on exhibition at Binns & Rose's store a dilapi dated rebel flag, which was captured by his brother, Thomas Binns, during the late rebellion. It looks as if it had been where there was some shooting going on.

Grangers' pic-nic, which was held in the grove near Cassopolis, on the 726th, inst., was not largely attended.
Hon. J. J. Woodman, of Law Paw,
made an elaborate address, explainmade an elaborate address, explaining the object of the Patrons of Husbandry, and going somewhat into the rendered. To the comrades from

We made a call at the County poor farm the other day. Mr. Wheel er, the Superintendent, was absent, but his man Charlie kindly showed us through the buildings. Everything about the premises was scrupulously neat, and the inmates all seemed to feel that everything was being done for their comfort and happiness.

H. F. STRONG had on exhibition on the walk in front of his shop, on Tueslay morning a nice little cat-fish which he had just caught in the St. Joseph river. It weighed twenty-four pounds. We learn that four others were caught at the same place the day

Some of the Buchananites indulge in a "strawberry and cream" once in a while, but they taste pretty strong of greenbacks yet. They sell for fif-teen cents a quart in Chicago, and the quarts are made short at both

WE learn that heavy rains fell on all sides of us on Monday afternoon and night. Mr. C. C. Cotton tells us that he met with heavy rains in South Haven, Van Buren county, during the afternoon, and we learn that during the night they had some heavy showers in Laporte, and as near us as Three Oaks.

THE case of the village of Buchanan vs. Molsbery and Dempsey, was tried before Judge Coolidge, in Niles, on Monday. The defendants feel very confident of having beaten the village, but it is hard to tell, which way the case will go until the decision is given, which cannot be done before the next term of the circuit court.

MR. F. L. YORK, a former pupil of the Union School, in this place, but who has been teaching for some time past in Hamilton, Ind., gave an exhibition, assisted by the scholars of his without shooting off. Wm. Glover, bition, assisted by the scholars of his without shooting off. Wm. Glover, II. II. Meeker and W. L. Kizer tied Friday evening last. The church was literally packed, and quite a number from this place were in attendance. The entertairment passed off well and the participants did themselves as much credit as could be expected under the circumstances. The music was furnished by a quartette and or-ganist from this place.

DIED.-F. V. Davidson, of Galien, lied Tuesday afternoon while returning home from Dayton where he had been on business. Mr. Davidson had been sick nearly all winter, but had so far recovered as to be able to be about and actend to his business. He had disposed of his property and intended moving to Texes for his health. The funeral will be held to-day.

WHILE at Buchanan, the other day made was not quite up to that of the took an inside view of the office of first day, owing in part, no doubt, to we took an inside view of the office of neighbor Holmes of the RECORD and must say he has an excellent assortment of large jobbing type and can get up a poster equal to the best. Also a fine variety of type for smaller jobs, and we are pleased to see him do his share of business. The farmers of Berrien county are readers and many of them rich and hundreds take from three to six and eight papers, and the RECORD is generally among the number. - Niles

Edst of Letters.

Remaining in the Post Office at Buchanan. Tuesday, May 30th, 1876. Blinks, Charles

Payne, Samuel Phillips, Henry Smith, Frank Tuttle, J. H. Weaver, M. Engell, John Godfrey, Japhet Murphy, D. O. Mahoney, E. R. Mrs. Miller, John This list is published free for the information

Mr. A. J. STARR will please accept

our thanks for the copy of the journal of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States,

which is now being held in the Brook-lyn Tabernacle. Mr. Starr is a mem-

ber of the assembly and is now in at-

tendance. He will visit the Centennial

THE boys had a general walkaround

in Schafer's saloon, last Satuaday

night, much to the apparent disgust of

the proprietor. He was probably

afraid of having his building torn

down and sent for the Marshal to quiet the rumpus for him, which was

soon done. Buchanan was pretty well freed from such defeatable nui-

sances before this man Schafer came

here, and it would be a blessing to

the place if he, and some others,

could be induced to become sick of

DECORATION DAY.

Decoration day was generally observed in this place. A larger crowd

visited the cemetery on Tuesday than

ed by the Buchanan Cornet Band.

marched to Oak Ridge Cemetery.

At the cemetery, after music by the choir and a prayer by Eld. W. W. Wells, Mr. N. Johnson delivered an

eloquent address, picturing to the

audience the many scenes in which

Mr. Johnson exhibited a rebel flag.

which was quite a curiosity to many.

at the old school house, in the after-

vnoon of May 30th, a vote of thanks

was tendered to the following persons:

To Mr. N. Johnson for his able ad-

dress, and for personal kindness in

At a meeting of the Soldiers, held

ever before on a similar occasion.

the business and emigrate.

before returning.

John Miller took the second money in shooting off the ties on four birds, of the readers of the RECORD, therefore there and H. Runkle on three. sno charge for delivery of letters advertised

berein. Persons will, however, in claiming any of one above, call for "advertised letters."

ter won.

by Will Longley.

FROM GALTEN. May 29, 1876.

ED. RECORD :- It is not often I pay any attention to the twaddle of "Mother Gossip," but when I hear such base and malicious representations as is going the rounds about the doctors of this place, I think it my duty to make a plain statement of facts, that all may judge for them-

A man of this town has a boy whose arm was injured at the elbow joint, some weeks ago, while playing at school, and was neglected until a few days ago, when he found his boy's arm straight, or nearly so, and stiff. Then he took his boy to Dr. Wendt, of this town, for surgical advice and surgical treatment. The doctor told him if he would pay his old bill and give him ten dollars, or give him security for it he would fix the arm. He did not feel disposed to do so, and brought his boy to me, and I told him I must have my pay for I could not work for nothing, as the said gentleman has owed me for over two years, and I cannot get it, and I think he pays enough for whisky every month, that he might settle a small doctor bill. But as he could not get his boy's arm "broke over" for nothing, by advice of his friends, (?) he took A large procession, consisting of by advice of his friends, (?) he took the Soldiers, Firemen, I.O.O.F. him to a doctor at Buchanan, and it Society, and citizens, formed at the is now well circulated that the Galien old Union School building, and, head- doctors were not surgeons enough to operate on the arm. Now, I would not say a word against any member of the medical profession, but I think the surgery done here will compare favorably with the surgery done in Buchanan. We think if we do live in the back woods of Galien, that we the brave soldiers, whose graves were have had as good advantages to learn to be strewn with flowers, had taken a little surgery, and have improved an active part. During the remarks them as faithfully as the most of doctors. Our hairs may not be quite so gray, our experience not quite so extensive; (?) yet we think we could give a little chloroform and reduce a dislocation, or apply a few splints to a simple fracture; but do not propose

to do so for a drunken dead beat.

With all due respect for the doctors of

OUR CLUB LIST. To subscribers for the RECORD we The citizens of this place met at the Collins & Weaver Hall on Tuescan furnish reading matter for the enday evening, to make arrangements suing year at the following exceedingfor a colebration of the coming Fourth ly low rates: of July. It was an enthusiastic

Record. Buchanan,

*Godey's Endies Book. \$3.00 \$4.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$3.00 \$3.85 \$0.00 \$0 meeting, and all seemed determined to make this celebration a grand success and second to none inthe State. L. P. Alexander was made Chairman, and John Graham Secretary. Scientific American 3.20 Littell's Living Age 5.00 The Christian Union 3.20 In taking the chair Mr. Alexander made a few tolling remarks and suggestions, which aroused the feelings of all. There were speeches made by C. S. Black, E. M. Plimpton, Nathan American Agriculturalist..... 1.60

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shot in teams of six each, the first killing 41 out of their 60 birds, the second team, 31 birds; the third, 32;

the fourth 39. A team of four fol-

Sam Strayer, D. A. Ewing and Geo. Hogue were the only ones who made a clean score. They were

on nine, taking the second prize. They too divided. P. M. Hinkle, C.

M. Runkle, H. Buzby and Smith

Briggs tied on eight, and in shooting

off the latter won. Seven were ties

on seven, and in shooting off, G. W.

Rough and Geo. Dunnahoo again tied,

when they divided the money. Seven tied on six, and Galloway and Middle-

ton, both killing all their birds in

shooting off, they ended the contest on single rises by sharing the prize.

Messrs. Burchard and Hain shot at

five single rises, the first killing four

birds, and the second three, one drop-

On double rises, six birds, the ties

The second day there were thirty-

were Messrs. Wolverton, Briggs,

Rough and Graham, and in shooting

the fact that the birds were in a better

condition than on the first day. Only

one, H. Runkle, killed ten straight

Bangman was next, killing ten birds,

his sixth, however, getting beyond the

Sam Strayer, Henry Galloway, G. Dunnahoo and J. T. Bangham tied on

nine birds, and in shooting off the lat-

In shooting off on eight birds the prize was won by D. Woolman; on seven birds, by Jacob Strayer; on six

Next came a match for the sweep-

stakes, the participants throwing in a

dollar apiece for the purse. F. P.

Burchard, of Cincinnati, won first

oing dead out of bounds.

off, Rough was the winner.

A shooting tournament was held in

P. Evans.

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Cincinnati Weekly Times 2.00
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Michigan Farmer 2.00 Johnson, Capt. Richards, Capt. Binns, A committee of five was appointed to solicit subscriptions, as follows: C. S. Black, Samuel Miller, LeRoy Dodd, Freeman Franklin, and Amos There were other appointments to

secure speaker, music and cannon for the occasion. Adjourned until next Other periodicals furnished at lowest club rates, upon short notice. Those marked * are accompanied. Saturday evening, at 71 o'clock, sharp. with cither chromos or steel engray-

A SUCCESSFUL MERCHANT. - The South Bend, on Thursday and Friday, successful merchant is always the one May 25th and 26th, by the Union who keeps the best class of goods of Shooting Club, of that place. The all kinds, and sells full weight goods, first day there were thirty-five contestants for the prizes. The usual rules governed the matches, 21 yards and as many of them are aware of the fact they keep D. B. DeLand & Co's Best Chemical Saleratus. It rise, 80 yards boundary, ties shot off always suits. The first twenty-four participants

THE REPUBLIC magazine for June sustains the well-deserved high repu-tation of this excellent monthly: To all who expect to take part in the Presidential campaign, and to all who lowed, killing 26 birds; a second team of four, killing 24; and a team of three closed the single rises, scordesire to form correct opinions on current political topics we earnestly commend the REPUBLIC. It is doing a good work, has already been recognized as a power for good, and should receive the cordial support of every intelligent Republican. We trust our readers will give it that encouragement which its merits demand. This number closes the sixth volume. Among its well-considered articles for June we note: Work of the Patent Office; The Church, the State, and the Public Schools; The Truth of History and the Horrors of Andersonville; Southern Judicial Ku-Kluxism; Congressional Investigations; Domestic Commerce. Inclose \$2 for one year's subscription to Republic Publishing Company, Washington,

Locals.

The Fruits of Weak Digestion. There is no pathological fact more clearascertained than that the most formidable phases of nervous disease are directly traceable to imperfect digestion. Insomnia, with its train of direful consequences. three entries. The general record proceeds more frequently from weakness of the stomach than from any other cause. Mere sedatives are powerless to cure nervousness, and soon cease to palliate its symptoms. The true way to strengthen the nervous system is to invigorate the digestive and assimilative organs, upon birds, falling dead inside the bounds, and he was awarded the first prize. whose unobstructed action its equilibrium is absolutely dependent. The daily use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will do more to brace and soothe the weakened and irritated nerves, and induce sound, refreshing sleep — nature's grand catholi-con—than all the so called nervines to be found in the pharmacopæia or out of it. A wineglassful of the Bitters should be aken before each meal.

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KINYON & VANCENT'S CALIFORNIA SALMON, white-fish, mackerel and trout by the kit or pound, at J. W. SMITH'S.

CLOTHING at Estes'. A few more suits and pants which must be sold. S. & W. W. SMITH received this week, direct from Gloucester, Mass., a supply of really choice cod-fish.

WE notice another arrival of new goods at the Grange Store. They have throngs of customers daily. People will go where they can get their goods cheap.

AT Dodd's Drug Store may always be found good goods at fair

G. W. Fox was in Chicago this week and has just returned with a large stock of boots and shoes and

GET your Sweet Potato Plants at my hot beds, west side of Buchanan, at my old stand, or at S. & W. W. Smith's, Grange Store, J. W. Smith's, or D. C. Nash's Stores.

GRANGERS AND OTHERS TAKE NO-TICE.—Binns & Rose want 10,000 pounds of good butter, for which they will pay the highest market price. THE cheapest place in town for wall paper is at High's. Largest

stock, best patterns, and trimmed for you. Come and see for yourselves. COME and see us for silk hats, wool hats, and plenty of those, wide brim straw hats. L. P.-& G. W. Fox.

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To Consumptives.—My wife suffered over six years with Consumption, and after being given up by her physicians and friends as incurable, I discovered a cure. Particulars of which I send free T. Rev. W. A. Bowyer, 77 Ohio St., Oleveland,

Consamption Cared 1 3 An old physician, retired from active practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India Misssionary the formula of a simple Vegetable Remedy, for the speedy and permanent Cure of Consumption. Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, ter the horse for which he had traded. and all Throat and Lung Affections, also, One of the three introduced himself

DRESS AND SHIRT MAKING. — Misses Allen & Gosline have opened a shop two doors west of the Tremont House. It requires but very little money to patronize our shop. Call and see for yourselves.

Michigan, Thursday

I HAVE a few bushels of the cele brated extra, carly Vermont Comp-ton's Surprise, and Brownel's Beauty Potatoes that I will sell at reduced H. H. KINYON. Anotuer arrival of fine shoes at L. P. & G. W. Fox's.

Ladies, we have the best kid glove for \$1.00 that has ever been sold in this town, black and colors, at High's PLENTY of new styles in clothing arrived to-day. L. P. & G. W. Fox.

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WELKLY, nervous young men, and delicate semales should use Frazier's Root A Sewing Machine for pay is a

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chine free is better, and it is a good one too. For particulars write to H. O. Morell, Son & Co., Philadelphia, THE Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the royal Palace. This

distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physican had become favorable known in Russia on its passage round the world .- Pueblo

(Col.) People.

DRESS, used with judgment, enhances beauty. Ladies, you will find both taste and judgment displayed in the "Domestic Fashions."

You are asked every day through the columns of newspapers and by your Druggist to use something for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint that you know nothing about, you get discouraged spending money with but little success. Now to give you satisfactory proof that GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER will cure you of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, with all its effects, such as Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Costiveness, Palpatation of the Heart, Heart Burn, Water-brash, coming up of food after eating, low spirits etc., we ask you to go to your Druggist, O. E. Woods & and get a sample bottle of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER for 10 cents and try it, or a regular size for 75 cents, two doses will relieve you.

THE COUNTY PRESS. Niles Democrat.

The Richardson monument has been shipped from Scotland, and will be here in a short time Two chaps in Elkhart knocked a man down on Monday night last, and took from him the sum of \$60. They walked over to Edwardsburg, where they hired a team and came over to this city on Tuesday morning, and they enjoyed; themselves until the arrival of the Sheriff from our Hoosier city, who, with the aid of our Marshal undertook to "take them in." One of the offenders was "gobbled," and the other made good his escape. The captured party, rather than to await here for a frequisition from Indiana's Governor, consented to return with-out going through with the little formality, and went back quietly with the officer to the scene of his cussedness.

Niles Republican I A horse belonging to John Red-dick, fell on the street, near the iron bridge, Monday, and died in a short time......The child of Joseph Mitch-am, about 1 1-2 years of age, during the momentary absence of its mother, fell into a cistern of water, and but for the heroic and prompt efforts of its uncle, who rescued it, would have

been drowned. Benton Harbor Palladium. One by one the old pioneers pass quietly away. This week we have to record the death of Martin Rice, of Bainbridge, aged 70 years; and Mrs. Ellen Hollywood, of Royalton, aged

75, both old residents.

. [St. Joseph Traveler and Herald.] Charley I Morrison broke his arm while performing on the trapeze at Stevensville, on Monday......Mrs. J. Sloniker, was thrown from a wagon while out riding one day last week and sustained internal injuries and a fracture of the collar bone Geo. E. Smith has purchased the general stock of goods belonging to P. J. Pierce & Son, at New Troy, and will continue the business at the same place. Chas. J. Smith will have charge of the store. The St. Jon seph Shooting club will hold a grand pigeon shooting tournament in this place, on Thursday and Friday, June 1st and 2d. Premiums, \$150. Each H. H. Kinyon. days' programme will embrace a days' programme will embrace a match for \$75.00, divided in four prizes, viz: First prize \$30—second prize, \$20—Third prize, \$15—Fourth prize, \$10. Class, shooting, ten single rises. Entrance fee, \$3; match-

> ample supply of birds has been secured; any number of sweepstakes can be made up. Swapping-Horses. Abe Frame swapped horses with a couple of strangers, last week, and on Saturday evening three men came af-

controlled questions of the day.

The Directors of the Front National Bank of this place contemplate the removal of the stairway leads the the largest in the State, and questions of the stairway leads the the largest in the State, and questions of the stairway leads the the largest in the State, and questions of the stairway leads the the largest in the State, and questions of the stairway leads the the largest in the State, and questions of the stairway leads the the largest in the State, and questions of the stairway leads the thought of the stairway leads the thought of the stairway leads the proposition of the stairway leads the stair of the stairway leads the proposition of the stairway leads the proposition of the stairway leads the stair of the stair o

Farming in Nebraska 🔻 💥

June 1, 1876.

er," (a paper to be had free on application to the Land Commissioner B. & M. R. R. Burlington, Town), as something likely to prove interesting to many of our readers.
We would advise all who contemplate moving west to visit Southern Towa and Southern Nebraska before going elsewhere.
Mr. E. W. Smith, of Ashland, Sauthern ders county, came to Nebraska in 1870, from Grant Co., Wis., and bought 320, acres of land, at \$8 per acre, from the B. & M. R. B. Co., now worth \$20 per acre. He has 250 acres under the plow, and he finds the country adapted to all kinds of grain and vegetables. The climate, he says, is the best, the winters are short, stock can feed among the cornetalks and do well the most of the feeding season. It

is the best country I ever saw for raising hogs; and corn can be grown very easily. Since I came to Nebraska 31 families from Grant Co., Wis., have settled around me, and they are all doing better than ever they did East. One of my neighbors had \$5,000 and bought 240 acres of railroad land at \$14.00 per acre. In three years he had doubled his capital. Nebraska is a State where a man with means may settle

with great advantage.

Near Harvard, in Clay Co., John A.

Bishoff settled in 1871, taking up a quarter section of land. At that time he had only a span of horses and a plow, and very little other means. . He has now a house, corn crib and granary, and owns two cows, several head of young stock, and a small and Stamping dherd of hogs. His wheat harvest in 1875 averaged 24 1-4 bushels per acre, 6 1-2 P. O. Box 381. acres in china tea wheat, reaching 30 pushels to the acre. Twenty acres of corn produced 1,400 bushels, or an average of 70 bushels to the acre; 18 acres of barley, 44 bushels per acre; and oats 58 bushels per acre; Mr. Bishoff has a young or chard-of apple, peach and cherry trees, and all trees are in thrifty condition. He says, a man with the same amount of labor, can get a larger yield from Nebraska, soil than from the soil of any State east of the Missouri river."

Deaths.

We bless thee for the memories Of this dear, loving child; We bless thee, that for three short years Upon our house he smiled,-

For his pure, bright, unsolfish life, His winning words and ways; And this sweet memory we will keep Through all our fature days.

We might have dreamed that one so fair Was ripening for the skies; That that was heavenly light that shone In those angelic eyes; But still, from day to day, his life Moved on so calm and free, .Eo full of health, so rich in joy, .Tis well we did not see,?

BUCHANAN PRICESCURRENT

Ocrrestedevery Wednesday morning for the Record b KINYON & VINCENT Dealers in Groceries and Pr visions, From Street, Buchanan, Mich. These figures represent the prices paid by dealers, unic otherwise specified. Timothy Seed, per bushol.

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Bran, per ton, selling.

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Plaster, per barrel, selling.

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Special Notices

Mackerel, No. 1, per pound, selling White Fish, per pound, selling.....

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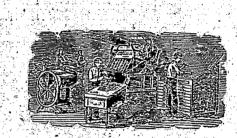
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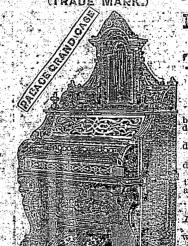
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Most black and vile.
Inrks, while the voice is soft in kindly speech
Behind a smile ! Ever the coward's mask, it yet may be Worn to conceal some ceaseless agony. How much of sadness, grief, and carking—
Of bitter pain—
What mortal sickness of the aching heart,
And weary brain,
Is borne, jests on the lips the while—
Borne silently, and hid behind a smile.

If we might wear the cypress openly, And in full view— If we might own the cup fate bids us drain, Bitter as rue-It were for us the easier way; instead The heart bleeds only, and no tears are shed. Perchance, God only knows, it may be best

The ills we bear We name not, lest we make some other heart Our burden share; But higher courage than is often shown, On battle fields, nerves one who bears alone All things that must be borne, and makes no

Little Foxes that Spoil the Vines. One little fox is "By-and-by." If you track him you will come to his ole—never.

Another little fox is "I can't." You had better set on him an active, plucky little thing, "I can," by name. It does wonders. A third little fox is "No use in try-

ing." He has spoiled more vines and hindered the growth of more fruit than many a worse-looking enemy. A fourth little fox is "I forgot."
He is very provoking. He is a great cheat. He slips through your fin-

gers like time. He is seldom caught up with. Fifth little fox is "Don't care."

Oh, the mischief he is done! Sixth little fox is "No matter." It does matter whether your life is

spoiled by small faults. There are many little foxes besides these. Some little folks, and older folks, too, are beset by foxes and gnaws holes in and spoil every sentence they utter. No sooner do these unhappy mortals begin to speak than up flies the fox "Good gracious," mangling what they mean to say. Before the listener recovers from his alarm a whole pack of foxes are upon the speaker: "You know," "I say,"
"Did I ever," "Awful," "Jolly,"
"My," "My goodness," "Patience,"
"Mercy," "He says, says he,"
"She says, says she," "Sugar,"
"Ginger," and "Pepper, sait, and vinegar," and all the other spices for ought I know. It would seem a wonder that a shred was left of these luckless weights. Yet, strange to say, they actually pet their torment-

ors, and encourage their coming. Do I hear any around our table? I never knew of a live fox being sent through the postoffice, although I have heard of live frogs, mice, beetles, snails, and owls, and rats; whether the latter were alive or dead I cannot say. Still, I suspect that in many innocent-looking letters lie hid the little foxes which answer to the names we have given .- N. Y. Meth-

How Character is Formed.

Character is formed by an immense variety of minute circumstances, more or less under control of the individual. Not a day passes without its discipline, whether for good or evil. There is no act, however trivial, but has its train of consequences. Every action, every thought, every feeling contributes to the education of the temper, the habits and understanding, and exercises an inevitable influence upon all the acts of our future life. Thus character is undergoing constant changes for better or worse,—either being elevated on the one hand or degraded on the other. The best sort of character cannot be formed without effort. There needs the exercise of constant self-watchfulness, self-disci-pline, and self-control. There may be much stumbling, faltering and temporary defeat; difficulties and temptations manifold to be battled with and overcome, but if the spirit be strong and the heart be upright no one need despair of ultimate success. The very effort to advance—to arrive at a higher standard of character than we have reached—is inspiring and invigorating; and even though we may fall short of it, we cannot fail to be im-proved by every honest effort made in an upward direction. With the light of great examples to guide mankind, one is not only justified, but bound in duty to aim at reaching the highest standard of character; not to become the richest in means, but in spirit; not the greatest in worldly position, but in true honor; not the most intellectual, but the most virtuous; not the most powerful and influential, but the most truthful, upright and honest.

I was riding across the State of New Jersey on the old Camden and Amboy railroad. Just before the eastern terminus we were detained some minutes on a part of the route where the land is very sterile. I had no friend with me. Most of the passengers seemed to be without companions. Various remarks were made as if for the ears of all. At length one gentleman, looking on the white sands, said, "How is this land like self-righteousness?" some one replied, "Because the more of it one has the poorer he is." I thought the conundrum good and the answer excellent. The more self-righteousness one has the poorer he is. The more men sin the blinder they are. The farther a man goes into a dark cave the more dim are his perceptions. A man had his leg terrible injured. Still the surgeon hoped to save it. He dressed it with care. He visited him often. The poor sufferer was in great pain, which rather increased for several days: One morning it seemed as if he would die of the pain. In the evening the surgeon called again. The sick man said he felt better. His pain was gone. The physician touched the wounded limb and asked if it gave him pain. The answer was, "No!" He pressed it, and received the same answer. Mortification had fairly set in. The man was dead in a few hours. Like natural death, so does spiritual death destroy sensibility. - Corres. Christian Intelligences.

Which Shall I Take ! This is often a serious question with the invalid. He finds the market flooded with proprietary medicines, scores of which are recommended as certain onres for his peculiar ailment. He reads the papers, cir culars, and almanaes, and finds each sustained by plausible arguments setting forth its virtues and specific action. The recommendations are as strong for one as for another. The cures claimed to have been wrought by one are as wonderful as those claimed to have been wrought by another. In his perplexity and doubt, the sufferer is sometimes led to reject all. But it should be borne in mind that this condition of things is one that cannot be remedied. In a land where all are free, the good-the truly valuable-must come into competition with the vile and worthless, and must be brought to public notice by the same instrumentality, which is advertising. In such a case, perhaps the only absolute proof that a remedy is what it claims to be, is to try it. The "test of a pudding is the enting of it." "Prove all things, hold fast that which is good,"

is the apostolic injunction. There may, however, be stronger presumptive evidence in favor of one remedy than there is in favor of another, and this should be allowed its due weight. A due regard to this may save a vast amount of experimenting and a useless outlay of money. As presumptive evidence in favor of Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines, the Proprietor desires to say, that they are prepared by a new and scientific process by which the virtues of the crude plants and roots are extracted without the use of a particle of alcohol. Not a particle of this destroyer of our race enters into the composition of either his Golden Medical Discovery or Favorite Prescription. This consideration alone ought certainly to rank them high above the vile compounds saturated with alcohol, Jamaica rum, sour beer, or vinegar, which are everywhere offered for sale. Again, they are of uniform strength, and their virtues can never be impaired by age. They are also made from fresh herbs and roots, gathered in their appro-priate season, when they are flush with

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nedicinal properties. In support of these

claims, the following testimony is offered:

MORTGAGE SALE.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain sum of money secured to be paid by an indonture of Mortgage, bearing date the thirteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, made and executed by and between Isaac Clymer, of Lake township, in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, of the first part, and Thomas M. Fultor, of the same County and State, of the second part, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County of Berrien, on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1874, at 12% colcoke F. M., in liber 7 of Mortgages, on page 578, on which said Mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid, at the date of this notice, the sum of six hundred and five dollars and seventy-eight cents, (\$805.78) and no suit at law or proceedings in equity having been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof. Therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and now become operative, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the lands described in said Mortgage as situate in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, to-wit. The west half of the south west quarter of section thirty-six (36) in township six (6) south, and range 20 west, and containing eighty acres more or loss, will be sold at public nuction or vendue, at the front d. or of the Court House, in the village of Berrien Springs, in said County of Berrien and State of Michigan, on Friday, the 30th day of June, A. D. 1876,

at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to sailsfy the amount which shall then be due on said Mortgage, together with the costs of foreelosure and sale, and also an attorney fee therein provided for.

Dated April 3, 1876.

J. J. VAN RIPER, Att'y for Mortgagee.

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Administrator's Sale.

IN the matter of the estate of Wesley Smith, deceased.

L Notice is hereby given that I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, on Saturday, the 20th day of May, A.D. 1876, Saturday, the 20th day of May, A.D. 1876, at ten o'clock A.M., on the premises herein mentioned, pursuant to a license and authority granted to me on the 27th day of March, 1876, by the Probate Court of Berrian County, State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: The east one half (\$\frac{1}{2}\) of the south-west quarter (\$\frac{1}{2}\) of section one (1), town seven (7) south, range nineteen (19) west, in Berrien County, Michigan. Also, the following described paxed of land, to-wit: Beginning at a stake on the section line twelve rods east of the south-west corner of section one (1), running from thence north thirty-four rods to stake; thence east two rods; thence north forty-five rods to stake, it being on the south line of Austin Adams' premises; from thence east sixty-six rods to stake on the west line of Wesley Smith's premises; thence south eighty rods to section line in the center of the road; thence west along said section line sixty-eght rods to the place of beginning, containing 37 75-100 acres more or less. All in Berrien County, Michigan.

The above sale of property in Weesaw township, Ber-

The above sale of property in Weesaw township, Berrien County, Michigan, is hereby postponed until Saturday, June 24th, A. D. 1576, at the hour of ten o'clock A. LEVI LOGAN, Administrator de bonts non.

DROBATE ORDER.—State of Michigan, County of L. Berrien, ss.—At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Berrien, holden at the Probate Office, in the village of Berrien Springs, on Monday, the 22d day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.
Present, Daniel Chapman, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the Estate of David Vanderhoff,

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On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Peter Womer, administrator on said estate, praying for reasons therein set forth that he may be licensed and empowered to sell the real estate of said deceased.
Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 3d day of July next, at 10 o'clock in the forencon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the village of Berrien Springs, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Borrien, for four successive weeks previous to said day of hearings. of hearing.
[L. s.]
(A truecopy.) DANIEL CHAPMAN, 15w5 Judge of Probate.

PROBATE ORDER.—State of Michigan, County of L Borrien, ss.—At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Berrien, holden at the Probate office in the village of Berrien Springs, on Monday, the lat day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.*

Present,DanielChapman,Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Orson S. Warner

In the matter of the estate of Orson S. Warner, deceased.
Onreading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Matilda C. Frary, administratrix of said estate, praying that a time and place may be assigned for the examination and allowance of her final account as such administratrix.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday the 29th day of May inst., at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of saiddeeased, and all other persons interested in said state, 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 petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persona 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.

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[LS.] DANIEL CHAPMAN, [A true copy.] 3w4 Judge of Probate.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the matter of the estate of Edgar R. Beckwith, deceased.—Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an order of the Judge of Probate of the County of Berrien, in the State of Michigan, made on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1876, in the matter of the estate of Edgar R. Beckwith, deceased, the undersigned Administrator of said estate will sell at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, on the premises, in the village of Buchanan, County of Buchanan, in the township of Buchanan, County of Buchanan, in the township of Buchanan, County of Buchanan, State of Michigan, on Saturday, the 3d day of June, A. D. 1876, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forencon and four o'clock in the afternoon, the following described real estate, to-wit. Lots, seven (7) and eight (3) in block D. Clark's addition to Buchanan; lot two (2) in Block F, Day's addition, Terms made known at the time of sale.

Dated March 17th, 1876

Dissolution Notice. NOTICE is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofere existing between Benjamin E. Binns and
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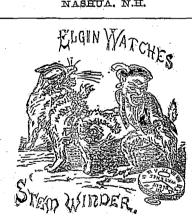


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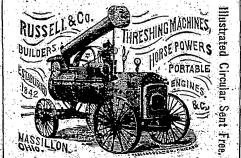
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climbed up into the hay loft and was

pulling the ladder up after him. PAID HIS FARE.—It was a mean nan who got on the North Side (Chicago) car and tendered the conductor four cents for a fare. Not wishing to stop the car to eject the fellow, the honest and generous fellow made up his mind to take it, and drawing his punch to operate in "the presence of the passenjare" was astonished to hear him exclaim in excit d tones, "Hold on, dont shoot; here's the other

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