JOHN G. HOLMES.

Poetry.

SONG OF THE DECANTER.

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THERE WAS AN old decenter and its

mouth was gaping wide; the
rosy wine had
ebbed away
and left its
crystal side,
and the
wind went

humming,
humming,
humming,
up and down
the sides it
flew; and through
the rel-like hollow neek the wild-

placed it on the win-dow, where the blast was blowing free; and fancied that its pale mouth

fancied that its pale mouth
sang the queerest strains to
me. They tell me puny
conqueers! the Plague has
slain his ten and War his hundied thousand of the very best
el men; but I'—'twas thus the
bottle spoke—"but I have conqueers, so feared and famed of yore. Then
come, ye youths and maidens, come drink
from out my cup the boverage that dulls
the brain and burns the spirit up; that
puts to shame the conquerors that slay

puts to shame the conquerors that slav utour scores below, for this has deluged millions with the lava tide of wee.

The in the path of battle darkest waves of blood may roll, yet while I killed the body, I have charmed the very soul. The cholera, the sword, such ruin never wroth

sword, such ruin never wroth as I, in mirth or malice, on the innocent have brought. And still breathe I apon them, and they shrink before my breath; and year by year my thousands tread the dismal road to death."

lonelier every day. The fact is, I've

determined to have a wife, if I can

get the one I want; but there's only

one in all the wide world. I'd be

lonelier than I am now with any oth-

"Why don't you speak to her then?"

said the widow, with a half-choked

feeling in her throat. "She's a very

sensible girl, but I don't think it would be right for me to try to influence her. I believe a woman has no

-was his responsive query: "Have

sobbing with angry and wounded feel-

ing now in spite of his self-control. "You have told me part of your secret, Marian Hawkins, whether you

meant to or not. I knew you could never have loved him. Now I will

lonely. You have been only too

faithful to Barbara, or you would

them, and he closed with a sudden

forward movement. Before the wid-

ow knew it, Dan's arms were around

tion had been simply, "Kissed her!" Never was a lamp lit so quickly in

all the world before; but between the

finding and the scratching of the match, Bill Emmons managed to say

-for he was a fellow of excellent

mind-"Perhaps, Barbara, that may

which of the two women was blushing

Dan. "I don't know that any expla-

nations are required. You have our

The visions of the newly painted

house had faded from the mind of

Barbara Hawkins, but it was Dan's

remark that called her attention to

the manner in which she was clinging

to the arm of Bill Emmons. The

latter was equal to the occasion, how-

ra's I don't mind having yours;" and then he added, quickly, "I say,

Dan, you and I are two fellows of re-

So Barbara's difficulty about her

the assurance that neither he nor his

Essay on Fleas.

Fleas are not hatched like a chick-

en, and most epicurian delights, but

born like man of destiny. The birth

of a flea, though it does not change;

the finances of an empire, always

marks an epoch in at least a hundred

bit of creatures. An infant flea is

smaller than the head of a pin. A

pin run right through one would kill

it in a minute. An infant flea never

on a foraging expedition the second

it is born, and each attack mark a

(red spot) in human existence. This

is a wise provision in an all seeing

providence; for ten fleas are always

ushered into the world in the "born-

ing," any one of which gulches down

in its first meal three times

the weight of its mother. And

so, if it depended on home consump-

tion, it would bury both its father

and mother during the first hour of

of its existance, and be a poor orphan

About Noses.

There are three national noses

among civilized people, and only

three—the Jewish, the Grecian, and

the Roman. Each is of a description

totally different from the other two.

all three have a distinct character of

their own. The Jewish is the only

ly national nose now remaining;

Greek and the Roman are occa-

sionally reproduced among modern

tics exist no longer. That the ancient

Jews attached no slight importance to

this Teature is evidenced from Leviti-

cus, xxi, 18, where "He that hath a

flat nose" is ranked with the blind

and the lame, the crook-backed, the

scurvy, and the scabbed, and is for-

bidden to take part in the service of

all its days.

"Well, so long as I've got Barba-

"It's all right, Bill," remarked

the most violently.

entire consent."

ever, for he replied:

markably good sense."

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The song she was singing was also petrified, hanging down from the beak of the bird—a cold, cold stone.

big trees turned into solid stone. As

he loitered on the edge, a deer start-ed across the valley and was trans-

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> were present, some of whom went from the town of Liberty.—Ex.

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scriptures as sleepers? The inhabitants of the land of Nod.

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BARBARA'S DIFFICULTY

That Barbara Hawkins owed a good deal to her step-mother was a fact that she could not have concealed from herself if she had tried.

Her father's house had been a very home of discomfort during the dull interim between her own mother's death and the arrival of the youthful and winning stranger who had been somehow persuaded by Squire Hawkins to "come and take keer of his. little darter."

The history of the next five years, in which she herself had grown from girlhood to womanhood, included all the genuine sunshine of Barbara's life, and she knew to whom that change, and a good many other excel-

lent things, were due. Then, since the squire had been gathered to his fathers, what a notable manager had Widow Hawkins proved herself for the very moderate

property he had left behind him! It was just there that the difficulty was now coming in, for that which, with such good management, had kept the two women very nicely so long as they lived together, could continue to do so only under just that state of affairs. The widow's share, if set apart by itself, would be only another name for poverty. True, and yet what suitor, or at least which one of the two now nearest to a proper condition for consideration, would care to "marry a mother-in-law," and a step-

mother at that, as well as a wife? "And she understands it," said Barbara to herself that September afternoon, "as well as I do. She's as polite to both of them as if they were courting her instead of me. J must say it's been very convenient once or twice, for they both like her. In fact, everybody likes her, and that is what makes my position so very

peculiar." A very pretty girl was Barbara Hawkins; even prettier than her stepmother, and that was saying something, in spite of the widow's thirty

vears. A bit of a belle, too, was the squire's 'heiress' in that unambitious rural community, and by no means without some characteristics which put the

village gossips at times in mind of 'Squire Hawkins' fust wife." At the present juncture, however, the public opinion of the Dorcas Society was more than usually perplexed. The best judges of such matters were inclined to "guess Bill Emmons is a leetle ahead," although this was sure to be followed by the remark, "But then, you know, Dan Grover's got ten dollars to Bill's one, and he's

a mighty sight stiddier." And Barbara was in a worse quandary about it than the Dorcas Society knew how to be, for at times she almost suspected her heart of threatening an impertinent interference before her head could have a fair chance.

"She'd be entitled to a third, I suppose," soliloquized the fair maiden. "and she's a wonderful hand with her needle. There's no danger of her starving. There's lots of folks would be glad enough to have her come and live with them.'

And Barbara did not know it, but a train of thought very nearly related to her own was at that moment passing through the mind of the widow, as she stepped lightly to and fro among the household duties, of which she so kindly relieved her step-daugh-

"I don't hear the piano," murmur-ed the soft, low voice of the widow, "and yet I know she wanted to practice that new piece. Young Emmons. will be here this evening. I oughtnot to say a word in such a matter. She's old enough to decide for herself. but why can't she see that Dan Gro-MERCHANTS,
Manufacturers, and others who use Letter Heads, Bill Heads, Envelopes, Cards, Circulars, in fact any kind of the world. I've paid dearly-enough: it seemed wonderfully pleasant, even the fact any kind of the flored special for making just that sort of mistaker of mistaker

"Live in the house, with Bill Emmons for the master of it!" she exclaimed, after a pause. "Not I, in-deed! She won't have sense enough to settle on Dan Grover, I'm afraid. lone Would I stay, then, if she did? Not so long as I could carn or beg any other shelter!"

The last exclamation came out with unnecessary energy, and the widow caught up a broom and made an immediate assault on the kitchen floor. The sweeping was very unnecessa-

right to marry without loving."

Quick as lightning—very different from Dan's ordinarily calm, slow style Barbara had very clearly misunderstood her step mother, and the widow had also failed to penetrate the mind of the squire's pretty and sensible representative.

There was only too good a reason why the sheet of music forwarded by Mr. Emmons had received so little attention that afternoon. Barbara's morning walk had carried her past the fine old homestead of the Grovers, now the sole property of the present family representative, and she had noted only too precisely

the renovating and beautifying pro-

cess on which Dan was expending

half the proceeds of that year's liberal wheat crop. Carpenters, glaziers, painters; and all the Dorcas Society was in arms, she knew, about the extravagant tell you mine. You are the only wo-waste with which the old-fashioned man without whom I must forever be waste with which the old-fashioned

interior was transforming. More than one village critic had added to his other charitable thoughts the surmise, "Looks kinder bad for Bill Emmons;" and Barbara herself Rapid, earnest, passionate, grew the strong man's words as he uttered could have assured them of the correctness of their reasoning.

She was too kind-hearted, however, not to add to herself, "So, much the her, and even her tears betrayed her.
It was too late for anything but to
let Dan have his own way. Such a better, too, for Mrs. Hawkins. Neither Dan nor I would object to her living at the old place till we could find a buyer. I only wish she could raise the money and buy it herself." willful fellow he was, too. And when at last the widow insisted on going homeward, their arrival at the gate was signalized by just such another theft as he had perpetrated twenty times already, for Barbara's exclama-It was, therefore, as the mistress of

the renovated mansion behind the maples at the turn of the road that Barbara Hawkins was considering herself when tea-time came, and she was quite willing to hurry back into the parlor while her ready-handed step mother supervised their solitary "help" in putting away the tea-things.

By the time poor Bill Bommons made his appearance, after his long | remove some of our difficulties." day's drudgery in the one law office And Barbara made no reply; but of the village, where he was the jun- when Dan and the widow came into ior, and therefore perhaps the work- the parlor, it was not easy to say ing partner—by that time · Barbara was ready, civilly as she received him, to wish he would postpone his call until she could "receive" him in so much better style." And yet that night, of all nights, the young lawyer had made up his mind to put his fate to the

test, "and win or lose it all." Not a bad fellow was Bill, and he had more than once reflected how charmingly convenient was the location of the Hawkins homestead, and what a tremendous lift the possession of that and the productive little farm belonging thereto would give to a struggling young lawyer like himself. The fact that he was over head and ears in love with Barbara made the

whole affair absolutely beautiful. Sad was the trial to his impatient step-mother's future, as well as her feelings, therefore, when all the eloown, was removed for her entirely, quence of which he was master-and and, curiously enough, Dan Grover he had long considered himself master of the situation as well—only resulted | spent the rest of his natural life in in obtaining for him a promise from Barbara that she "would consult her adorable wife had ever known but one step-mother."

"Such a change it would make for her if I should leave her!" sighed Barbara.

"Not at all, not at all," eagerly exclaimed Bill. "She could live with us, you know. Everybody likes her. I'm sure I do. She wouldn't be in

the way at all." But vain was all he could say or human lives. The days of infancy do, except that Barbara's vision of in the life of a flea are not wonderful. the Grover farm and house may have They are tiny, harmless looking little receded somewhat as she listened to the pleading of her suitor. She almost hoped Dan might not come that evening, for not only the present situation had its charms, but it might hurses, like a human baby, but starts have its perils as well. Dan Grover was not a man to be trifled with, she knew, for all his quiet, self-contained

And so it was with something of a feeling of relief that Barbara listened, at last, to the bur of the big kitchen clock striking nine.

It was at the same instant that the shadows of two who were walking side by side in the moonlight fell on the gate in a singularly unified manner; and then, as the gate opened, Barbara sprang to her feet with a slight exclamation. She had been sitting close to the low window-seat. and she had not seen fit, or had forgotten, to light a lamp.

There may or there may not have been any cause for surprise, but the way of it had been this: No sooner were the tea things out of the way than Mrs. Hawkins remembered an errand she had in the village, and had slipped quietly out to perform it. Nor would so simple a matter have taken two long hours, but that, just nations, but as national characterisas the widow was stepping across the little \* foot bridge at the brook; the form of a tall, broad-shouldered, vigorous maniof, say thirty-five summers. stood before her, and a deep voice

remarked: "Right about face, please. I want a bit of a talk with you, and there'd be no chance for it at the house.

the sanctuary. The Greek nose has Not a word said the widow, as Dan come down to us in the Greek sculp-Grover drew her arm in his, but she tures, and certainly accords with our thoughts. If he wants to speak of northern ideas of personal beauty Barbara, he's right, for Bill Emmons than any other. Seen in profile, the must be there by this time. What a out line is almost a continuation, withnot to mention his farm, and that's fool she is! He don't begin to com. out curve or deviation, of the outline

At Two she is a tiny lass, And joy she scarcely knows from sorrow; She scarce consults her looking glass— She has no thought of sad to-morrow.

At Four she is a merry maid,
And looks on naught but play as folly;
She can't believe bright flowers fade— That only sawdust is her dolly.

At Eight her troubles come in scores, For oft she is perverse and haughty; A pouting puss in pinafores— Who's sometimes whipped when she

At Twelve she is a saucy case,
Who knows full well her glances rankle,
Her petticoats scarce veil her knees,
And fairy frills scarce kiss her ankle. you always been of that opinion? Have you acted on it?"

The plump soft hand on his arm was jerked away in an instant, and At Ffteen she's the pearl of pets, And feels assured her power is strengthened Her snowy school-girl trouseretts Are hidden when her skirt is lengthened. Barbara's step-mother was almost

At Sixteen she's the sweetest sweet. And dresses in the height of fashion; She feels her heart neath bodice beat, ing, as she stepped back from him, exclaiming, "How dare you! What have you to do with that? Ask Bar-In carnest for the tender passion. bara for her secrets, if you will; Mine are my own."
"Exactly," responded the steadyminded Dan, but his voice was shak-

At Eighteen p'raps she may be sold, Her lot to share for worse or better; She'll either sell her heart for gold— Or give it for a golden fetter!

AThlef's Trick.

The following very clever and sublimely impudent dodge was some time since adopted by a Parisian thief: A lady, entering her apartment, discoved that a man was beneath her bed. With much presence of mind she exclaimed: "Oh, dear, what a bore; I forgot my parcel after all," and presently left the room, locking the door. The thief looked out of the window, and saw there was no escape that way, so he proceeded to undress himself and get into bed. Before long a key turned in the door, and a voice came from the bed, as the lady, accompanied by an officer of police entered, asking: Why, what's this about?" Then, as they approached the bed, he exclaimed: "Ah, bah! I see how it is. Madame is tired of me, is she, and thinks she'll be rid of me in this way? Well, well, I'll go."
In vain the lady indignantly protested, and demanded his arrest. The officer thought that it would be useless, under the circumstances, to detain him, and he was soon out of bed

A woman has lately been found in a secluded cave near Udino, in Italy, who had been imprisoned thirty-three years. In 1844 she became attached to an Austrian officer, but her father, a violent hater of the Austrains, who, at that time, were in possession of that part of Italy where he resided refuse his consent a to marriage. The girl stated that she would then marry without his permission. He dissimulated his anger, and, during a walk in which he accompanied her, he induced her to descend into the cave with him by means of a rope ladder, with a view of examining it. He was the first to ascend to the surface, and, withdrawing the ladder, left her. She was kept regularly supplied with food and clothing. her father's death, her sister, whose hatred toward the Austrians was eqully great, continued the imprisonment. The unfortunate woman, on her liberation, had a complexion of death-like pallor, caused by the darkness in which she had long lived, and her voice had departed, through constant cries during the early part of her sequestration for help: She could speak only in a hoarse whisper.

A Practical Somnambulist. A young man who lives on a farm near Bockara, Australia, lately, went to sleep on a sofa after a hard day's work, and had been lying there some time when he got up and went outside. His companions observed that he walked with a staggering gait, but little notice was taken of the matter, as they expected him to rejoin them immediately. The somnambulist, for such he was, passed through three or four gates, untying and tying the fastenings, which are made of rope, and made his way to the woodshed. There he hung his coat upon a nail, took down a pair of shears he had been using in the daytime, and proceeded to sharpen them. He next caught a sheep, and had just finished shearing it when he was awakened by the sudden arrival of his friends, who had come with a lantern to search for him. The shock of awakening caused him to tremble like a leaf, but he soon regained his equanimity. The sheep was shorn as well as if the work had been performed in broad daylight, and the night was by no means a clear

Scripture Lesson.

Who was the first boy mentioned in the Bible? Chap 1. What noble man is spoken of in the parables? Barren Fig-tree.

What girl was the first book named after? Jennie's sis. What people are mentioned in the

sented him with a Cain.

Stav Where You Are. An exchange very justly remarks that hard times beget unrest, dissatis.

out stopping to realize that the same elements occasioning dull times in tion in Ohio and Illinois, the discontented man feels certain that any locman to a cause as working for it and prompts the sundering of the ties of early association. Resolve to-day, all ye discontented, to take hold with a will, and sustain your farmers' clubs self, to cultivate a spirit of contentment, improvement and cooperation.

-Vermont Journal.

Sunday forenoon, while people were wending their way to church, an irate father might have been seen leading a boy with a fish pole on his shoulders, towards home. As the front gate closed behind father and son, the latter received several smart "cuffs" over the ears, while the parent was heard to say. "Fish right in sight of folks goin' to church, eh? you young rascal, and only a week after your father and mother jined the church. Take thatyou wicked Sabbath breaker—and in the futer if I ever catch you disgracing your parents by bobbin' for eels right in sight of church-goin' folks on Sunday forenoons when cels are thicker where folks can't see you catchin' 'em. I'll break every bone in your contaminated carcass," and the "consciention" father, to awaken more 'feeling of respect in the mind of the son for the Sabbath, led him to the

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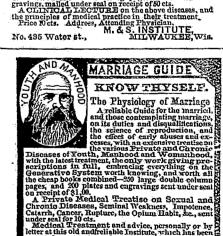
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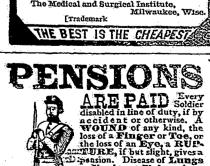
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eef, valued at \$821,431 were exported from the United States.

The Russian fleet now off New York is said to be under orders to sail. The date of departure and destination are unknown.

The town of Senaca, Kansas, charges its saloon keepers a corporation license of \$500. Two soloons

are running there. Semi-official letters from St. Petersburg says that Russian treops, under Gen. Kaufman, will cross the Panier into India, in the event of England

taking part in the Turkish war. The New Jersians are jubilant over the prospect of an enormous crop of peaches in their State, which is the peach orchard of America. They think of shipping them to Europe

again.

Jesse R. Grant, son of Ex-Presi dent Grant, who will accompany his father on his European trip, will act as a correspondent of the Inter Ocean. The young man is said to be a ready writer, and his letters will undoubted ly be read with much interest.

On last Sunday while a large temperance meeting was in progress in the Opera House at Wilmington, Del. when over 3,000 persons were present, a fire was discovered burning in the cellar, which caused a stampede. A lady started "Glory Hallelujah," which being taken up by others, allayed the fears of the people and restored order. A man named Baird has been arrested on suspicion of at- for their daily bread. Now the entempting to fire the building.

A claim ninety-seven years old was paid by the United States Treasurey department on Monday last. It was originally for \$8,000 worth of supplies furnished the revolutionary army, and has been pending before Congress and the courts since that time. Finally the courts had to give up, and ninety-seven years' interest on \$8,000 was computed, which, with the principal, made nearly \$52,000. The amount was paid to the grand sons of the original claimant.

The steamship City of Brussels, having on board the Canadian Catholic Pilgrims on a mission to their holy father, the Pope, and which it was feared had been lost at sea with all on board, has been heard from. The City of Richmond sighted her on Tuesday of last week and running alongside found her disabled, having broken her shaft, and was proceeding on her. way under sail. All on board were well and in the best of spirits. It was expected she would reach her destination by Friday of this week.

The meat trade between this country and England is now assuming such proportions that the owners of the Great Eastern are talking of fitting up and using that mammoth vessel for the transportation of the meat. The hull will be a huge refrigerating chamber. New boilers and engines will be put in, which will give her the speed of the vessels now employed in that commerce: Brazil is also supplying the English market.

It is rumored in New York that all the negotiations for the release of Boss Tweed have been suspended, owing to the Attorney General discoverng that the evidence which Tweed proposed to furnish against his ring associates would be insufficient to secure their conviction. So many contradictory statements have been made in regard to this matter that this one may be taken with a good deal of allowance.

One of the most diabolical crimes ve remember to have ever read about s the attempt of some dastardly vilain or villains to poison a gang of miners at Streator, Ill., on Monday of his week. Some time since the miners struck for higher wages, and the company thinking they could not acede to the demands of their men, procured new hands and set them to vork, which exasperated those who and thus been thrown out of employnent, and the fiendishness of one or oor fellows were taken sick, sufferng all the agony that poisoning by rsenic can inflict. The fiend who lrug, and gave an overdose, which, producing retching, saved the lives of nost of the men; several, however, ere not expected to recover.

Turkish triumphs in Asia, as well as the Danube are reported. In enagements the Russians were defeated Sakum Kaleh, and other points. rossed the Danube near Potback, and an engagment is progressing. It workmen's wives and mothers were soon on the spot. The air was filled war against Turkey. Orders with sobs, wailing, moaning, and onaye been given that in the event dookers were sickened by sights on being closed, and the proprietor gone rultchar has to be abandoned, the very hand. Up to seven P. M., the following list of the victims has hear than the solor he finds one superior for the position.

Hartford, in Van Buren county, is now without a saloon, the last one being closed, and the proprietor gone to work as a carpenter. Too much

treating garrison. The Turkish squadron bombarded a village near Sookgoom-Kale. The Miridites have driven the Turks from Oroschi after a sanguinary fight, where in the Turkish battallion was destroyed. The Turks were whipped in an engagement at Grabaand, and fled, leaving considerable amunition and provisions. The Turks have dispatched 16,000 men from Widin garrison to the Dobrudscha. Servian volunteers are joining the Bosnian insurgents. The Circussians who have risen in the Russian transcaucassian provinces have destroyed almost all the telegraph wires in their neighborhoods. According to news from Constantinople sixteen Bulgarian villages have been pillaged and burnt by the Turkish soldiers. A steam tug from Ibrail removed several hundred tons of coal unopposed, which the Turks had accumulated at Getschet for the use of the floatiela.

DEPLICATION OF THE HORRURS

OF PESHTIGO. The town of St. Stephens, N. B., was visited by a disastrous fire on Tuesday, whereby one-half of the business portion of the place was laid waste. About ninety-five buildings were destroyed, and much of the goods which were in the buildings, and had been moved out of them to what were considered safe places, were swept away by the devouring element. Between seventy-five and eighty families are rendered houseless. The district burned is about three quarters of a mile on the river bank. The loss is estimated at \$500,000, with a total insurance of \$121,300.

The forest fires in Northern New York are still raging, and doing sad work. The fire probably covers fifty square miles, and large numbers of mills, dwellings, barns, etc., scattered throughout the country have been leveled to the earth. In the villages it is still worse, if that can be possible. The thriving little village of Clinton Mills is entirely swept away, not a building being left standing. Fifty-five families are thus rendered homeless. At Altona over sixty houses, a fine water-power, one steam-mill and a church have been destroyed. Three miles west of this place were large forges and mills, with quite a settlement dependent upon these works tire settlement is a heap of ruins. At Cannon's Corners, five miles from Moore's Junction, every house is burned down. Fire has broken out in Stackpole, five miles from Altona, and the whole place is in flames: The fire is near the towns of Ellinburg and Moore's Forks, and if the wind raises

these villages are doomed. Dispatches from Ottawa and other places in Canada, state that the fires are still raging in the woods in Upper Ottawa, and that an incalculable

ament of property has been destroy-No one can imagine the suffering caused by these conflagrations. Men have worked during their whole lifetime to get comfortable homes for their families, but in a few hours they are swept away and the poor women and children are running hither and thither begging shelter and food, and the men are discouraged and half crazed to see their life-long labor thus swept away without a moment's warning. In the places adjacent to the fire belt the people are doing all in their power to assist the sufferers. At no time since the great fires of Michigan and Wisconsin has there been such suffering.

#### FALL OF THE COURT HOUSE AT ROCKFORD, ILL.

The inner walls of the Rockford, Ill., court house, on the north side of the building, fell in on Friday last, burying a number of workmen, several of whom were killed. It appears to be a case of criminal carelessness in the erection of the building, it appearing that the weight of the dome and other ornaments of the building were too heavy for the walls, which crumbled like so much rotten mortar under the pressure. From a telegram in the daily papers we clip the

following extract: "At the time of the accident there were from twenty to twenty-five men at work. The accident happened at exactly 11:30 A. M. The whole massive stone top of the dome fell with a terrific crash toward State street. A man named Timothy Flanagan, who was just putting in the keystone of the final cornice, jumped for the guyrope of the big derrick in front, but

missing his aim fell the distance of 120 feet to the earth and was dashed to pieces. At this time but few perexception of four or five who jumped from the windows, fell inside the totstructure to rescue those mangled and bleeding in the ruins was hazardous in the extreme, but brave men went fearlessly to work before the dust cleared away and commenced to extricate the dead and dying. Indescribable horrors ensued. Men lay terribly mutilated beneath those rocks, shricking for assistance that was only rendered at the risk of the bystanders' lives. One unfortunate man named William Gloss, was extricated, but one of his legs was left beneath a ponderous stone. He soon expired in great agony as he lay upon the green sward in front of the courthouse. A negro jumped from a window sixty feet from the ground, and though badly injured, will probably recover. Within ten minutes after the disaster no less than four bodies were recovered by the almost superhuman efforts of the immense crowd that quickly gathered. The city sur-00 were wounded during the recent | geons were promptly on hand render- | of Paw Paw is strongly urged by sev-Furkish bombardment of Kalafat. ing great aid to the wounded, who eral state papers for Commissioner of The number of killed is not given, were carried on stretchers to the nearthe natives are joining the Turkish est hotels. A Swede named Andrew Woodman is one of the best practical orces by thousands whenever oppor- Beldahal, had his head split open, but farmers in Michigan, and President unity offers. A Russian corps, with the wound was closed and the victim | Hayes will have to look a long time avalry and artillery, is said to have taken home, and may live. The an- before he finds one superior for the

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dead; A. Lucas, engineer, leg broken, badly injured; T. Hayes, engineer of the lower floor, badly injured, may recover; Wm. McInnes, leg broken, elbow injured, and scalp wound; J. F. Peck, mortally injured; J. Pipe, dead; A. H. Hallendeck, dead, remains in the building; Geo. Smith, badly hurt; J. Warren, missing and probably dead; Geo. Glass, colored, dead; Hugh Eldreds, hurt in leg and face; Timothy Flanagan, dead; L. Whalen, dying; J. L. Wilson, colored, reported dead; A. C. Baldahal, hadly injured, may recover. H. W. Ames was working on the southeast corner of the building, left the rafter which gave way, and fell down to the first story, but escaped from the second story window with head badly hurt; Isaiah . Donnelly, two severe scalp wounds, and cut in head; Hugh Eldred, contusion on leg, and face hurt; Geo. Smith, neck and head hurt; Cicero Dixon, contusion on thigh. Donnelly is seriously wounded, but all those wounded will probably recover. C. Harris, of Duon, a carpenter, is injured internally and so badly that his leg must be amputated, and he will probably die. Hollendeck, whose body is in the ruins, leaves a wife and four children, who depend on him for support. W. D. Richardson, contractor, and F. E. Latham, superintendent, had narrow and thrilling escapes. They were both on the top dome of the building before it fell, and were talking of the probability of its falling, when they heard a crash and rushed at once for the west wall, where they stood when the dome went down. Had they been a moment later both must have perished. When the dust cleared away both were standing on the wall. A

cry of fire was raised, but no fire broke out. At 8:30 P. M. the excavators have just taken out the dead body of Warren, the negro, before mentioned. It is terribly mutilated. The old courthouse is turned into a morgue, and sad scenes are constantly occurring there. The relatives and friends stand weeping over the bodies of their dear ones, and children look mournfully at what they formerly knew as their fathers."

The following account of a battle at Batoum, Asiatic Turkey, we clip from the dispatches in Tuesday's papers:

LONDON, May 14. — The Telegraph's special from Batoum, Friday midnight, says: "About 5 o'clock this morning the Russians, largely augmented, advanced with field artillerv and made a furious attack upon the heights defending Batoum on the land side, occupied by Bashi-Bazouks. The Ottoman troops were intrenched and opened a terrible and well-sustained fire of cannon and musketry, which literally mowed the Russians down in swathes. They fell by scores and hundreds on the plain below the Turkish positions. During their attempts to make way against this fire, a body of Turkish horse and foot, taking advantage of a thick forest, broke forth upon the flank of the Russian column, and effected great slaughter, the Muscovites being upon ground perfectly open, and having no choice but to fight or fly: In a short time the spot which was the scene of the flank movement became covered with dead anddying Russians, but the enemy quickly brought up reinforcements. and the battle was renewed with much determination. For many hours the efforts of the assailants were desperately maintained, but toward midday their artillery fire gradually slackened, and they at once withdrew, after

significant." The Telegraph's Batoum dispatch, dated Saturday, says the victory was won by the extraordinary courage of the Bashi-Bazouks. The dead and wounded Russians exceed 4,000. The engagement lasted over eight hours' actual fighting. The last of the Russians did not withdraw until near midnight. The Russians lost many guns. The only Turkish officer of note killed is Khalim Bey, a Major of the irregular troops.

WASHINGTON, May 14 .- It is thought in official circles that undue importance is attached to the reports of filibustering expeditions to invade Northern Mexico, as our Government will enforce the neutrality law with regard to Mexico the same as to any other power with which we are at peace. Instructions have been sent our Minister at the city of Mexico, who will give particular attention to the subject of raids into Texas for cattle stealing, with a view to their prevention. The former Mexican administration were inefficient to prevent such raids and the present is in no better condition for that purpose, therefore it becomes a question how far our government shall go for the protection of our citizens on the borders and for the punishment of offenders. Four years ago, when Gen. Mc-Kenzie pursued marauders into Mexico, the Mexican Minister strongly protested against the invasion of Mexican soil; but our Government has no excuse or apology for that officer's conduct. The feeling of the Administration is that our citizens must be protected from these raids, if not by the Mexcian government by our own, and therefore the conduct of Gen. McKene may become a precedent for action in the future.

The name of Jonathan J. Woodman Agriculture at Washington. Mr.

suffering considerable losses. "An eye witness to this important engagement testifies that the Ottoman soldiers behave admirably. They had, however, during a great part of the action the advantage of intrenchments on high ground, and it is due to this fact, no doubt, that their losses, compared to the Russians, were in-

revive the story that the Turkish gov-ernment intends to appeal to the Mohamedans throughout the world by the books that were most in demand unfurling the "standard of the Prophand brought the best prices were Webet," and summoning all the followers ster's Dictionaries, from the famous of Islam to rally against the unbe-Quarto to the neat and handy pocket liever. It is asserted that the Sheikedition. This fact is a good indicaul-Islam, who is the head of the tion of the almost universal popularichurch in Turkey, and to whom the ty of these books, and of the growing Sultan must refer in every religious public demand for them. It indicates act, has instructed the leader of the also a fact of far greater importance, annual pilgrim caravan which starts and that is the interest the people are shortly from Constantinople for Mectaking in the study of their own lanca to proclaim in all the cities through guage. This is encouraging, as there which he passes that the faithful are is no branch of education that is now and has been so much neglected as called to the war against Russia, and that he will bless the Sultan as the the common branches of spelling and leader of the holy war. The news is defining. It is often astonishing and grevious to see how grossly ignorant in accordance with previous dispatches which have represented the Sultan as are children and youth, and even men declaring, in spite of English advice and woman, of the orthography, proto the contrary, that he would unfurl the standard of the Prophet when the nunciation and meaning of ordinary words and phrases. They cannot exemergency arose. With one powerpress their thoughts for the want of ful army along the whole line of the words and often they express thoughts Danube from its mouth to the Servian very different from what they intend, frontier, and another driving the because they do not understand the Turks before it through Asia Minor, words they employ. And very fre-

faithful Islam, is as old as Mohammeproper training of words, by the use danism itself. It is the famous "Sanof the dictionary, and this training yak-Sherif," under which the Moslem should begin as soon as the child can religion has made its most notable distinguish between one word and anconquest. It was part of the flowother, and continue indefinitely. The ing curtains that adorned the room of apparatus for this study should, of Mohammed's favorite wife, and has alcourse, be the most complete and ways been carefully guarded from profane eyes in the Seraglio. It thorough to be had, and this is abundantly supplied in Webster's Dictionmatters little how old it is, or what it aries, which are justly recognized. is, however, to Mohammedans. It is wherever our language is spoken, as to them the symbol of their faith, the the standard authority in English. standard of their Prophet, the badge Parents and teachers can in no other of Islam. Its presence is an inspirway so effectually or so cheaply proing to the Mohammedan as would mote the educational interests of their have been the True Cross to the children, when of suitable age, as by putting in their hands any one of Christian crusaders of the thirteenth century. When it is unfurled, it Webster's School Dictionaries, for summons every Mohammedan to the daily useff connection with the study rescue of Islam. It calls upon 3,of the lessons, and by placing on 500,000 Mohammedans in European the family center table, or the teach-Turkey, over 40,000,000 in India. er's desk as the authoritative guide 3,500,000 in Persia, and over 100,and standard, a copy of the Una-000,000 more scattered through various parts of Asia and Africa, to rally The Unabridged contains 3,000 to the defense of Islam against the illustrations, over 114,000 words in "infidels." It is of course impossiits vocabularies, and 10,000 not in ble that Turkey could ever organize any other Dictionary; the abridged these immense hordes into regular editions comprise "The Primary," armies, regularly drilled and disciwhich has the largest sale, and which plined, to encounter the troops of has some capital rules for spelling.

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that every Mohammedan who kills nine infidels, men, women, and children, it matters not which, will receive a passport to Paradise: A curious offset to this Turkish appeal to fanaticism is afforded by the and morocco binding, is truly an instory that the Russian army is also valuable pocket companion. It conmarching under a religious rather than a natural standard. It is stated that the Russian troops passing through Bucharest bear the double Greek cross, the emblem of their church, rather than their natural colors. Both nations, therefore, seem inclined to make the war a religious one. If this complexion should be given to it, the result would be fatal to Turkey. She would be cut off from any hope of aid or sympathy from any European nation, and would be utterly unable to withstand the onset of Russia and the insurrection of her own Christian population. If a war should arise between Christian and Moslem the latter will be driven out of Europe.—Detroit Tribune.

Russia. It is not the purpose of Tur-

key to do it. The unfurling of this

standard is an invitation to massacre

and plunder all who do not believe in

Mohammedanism. It is a declaration

A Horrible Sulcide. Mr. Homer McKerg, of Lyndon, Rock Island county, Iowa, committed suicide on Sunday, in a horrible manner. His first attempt was to drown himself in water. Failing in this, he tried to cut his throat, making eleven gashes across his neck, but, owing to the dullness of the knife, he failed to inflict a wound of any consequence. Having failed in his previous attempts. and seemingly bent upon self-destruction, he swallowed about two and a half ounces of muriatic acid, hoping that it would kill him instantly. After drinking the acid, he came to the door and called for assistance, which soon came. Drs. Felker and Jewell were both called, but could do nothing to help him, and very little to relieve his sufferings. It was pitiable to hear the dying man beg to be given something to make him insensible of suffering, while the acid was burn-ing and boiling in him so that it could be distinctly heard. The acid was taken about half past three o'clock in the afternoon, and he died about half past nine o'clock at night.

From Mexico. MATAMORAS, May 12.—Information has just reached here that Gens. Ayala and Darala, both of whom at different times have served the governments of the State Nuevo Leone, have organized several hundred men to co-operate with Gen. Escobedo in the interest of ex-President Lerdo. The indications are that the Lerdo party is ready to initiate a strong movement to regain power, commencing on this frontier. Great activity and watchfulness exist among the friends of Gen. Diaz on this border to promptly meet and suppress any overt act on the part of their opponents toward revolution.

Brigham Talking Blood.

A Salt Lake City dispatch says: "In the Tabernacle on Sunday Brigham Young arose at an unexpected moment, and broke forth in an address to the saints and sinners, which gave the latter to understand that if they wanted blood they could have plenty of it, and, indeed, that they were likely to have more of it let out of their veins than they could spare. At this early period many discreet Gentiles are quietly arranging for the removal of their families at the first sign of an outbreak. The Nauvoo Legion are drilling in meeting houses, barns, stables and corrals in Salt Lake City and minor towns. Breech-loading rifles have been shipped in great numbers during the last fortnight from the east to this place.'

At Ferrysburg a large two-story frame building, owned by W. Bachelder, was entirely desired. Monday. Loss \$3,000. der, was entirely destroyed by fire on, directly for the good work that has

be had by mail, by inclosing \$1.00 to the publishers, Messrs. IVISON, BLAKE-MAN, TAYLOR & Co., 138 and 140 Grand Street, New York. STATE ITEMS. The colored men of Kalamazoo are "daring to do right" in a club of their

larger, with tables of synonyms, &c.

many useful tables; "The Acade-

and "Counting-house" for ad-

Judge Wm. Sickles has the largest farm owned by any one man in Gratiot county-740 acres.

THE M. E. State camp meeting will commence at Petosky July, 31st.

The Carrolton, Saginaw county, oar factory is making ash oars for the French navy. During the past three months there were eleven divorces granted, in the

Genesee Circuit Court. All but two

of the complainants were women. The State library at Lansing contains 53,000 volumes, besides pamphlets and manuscripts:

The Irishmen of Coldwater have formed a "Branch County Irish Benevolent Society." It is in a flourishing A Muskegon wholesale liquor house

has closed, and 19 saloons have gone out of commission. To much Red Henry Lubin, of Coopersville, was killed a few days ago. He was loading logs when the "binder" slipped

and crushed his skull. A new Odd Fellows' lodge has been organized at Ann Arbor. The members were all seceders (friendly ones) | short, to every point of interest to

from the old lodge. The coroner's jury found that the death of Fritz Reidel, found dead at the Weber House in Grand Rapids the other day, was caused by his falling from the third to the second story of the building while in an intoxica-

ted condition. Rev. C. H. Brigham, of the Unitarian church, Ann Arbor, was stricken with an attack of apoplexy on Monday. As he is sixty-six years of age his recovery is doubtful.

A son of Frank Fournier, of Carrolton, while playing on the logs in a mill-boom at East Saginaw, on Monday, fell into the water, and before assistance could be rendered was The horse races coming off at Cold-

water on the 16th, 17th and 18th inst., promise to be good. There are nearly fifty entries. The saw mill of Bundy & Yoeman, East Saginaw, was destroyed by fire

on Monday. Loss \$20,000; insured for \$12,500. Fifty men are thus thrown out of employment. Another case where the intrinsic value of the ladies is a matter of doubt. The question for discussion in the Good Templar lodge of Sturgis. "Are

ladies an aid to our order?"

Mrs. Jane Geddes, wife of Hon. Norman Geddes, of Adrian, is the one whom Michigan temperance people have to thank for the coming of Dr. Reynolds into this State and infollowed.

Hudson, of Detroit; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. L. Allen, of Hills dale; Recording Secretary, Mrs. K. C. DeVere, of Lansing; Treasurer, Mrs. J. H. McKee, of Grand Rapids; and a host of Vice-Presidents. Lightning-rod swindlers are operating in Jackson county. A reward of \$1,000 will be given for the the ears

and scalp of an honest lightning-rod peddler caught in this State. There are such cattle, but none of them ever venture to Michigan. A large storehouse adjoining the M. C. R. in Ann Arbor, owned by

David Henning, of Chicago, was destroyed by fire early Monday morning. The building was occupied by the Ann Arbor Agricultural Company, and contained a large stock, mostly of churns and plows. Their loss is about \$500. on which there is no insurance. Loss on building, \$3,000; 1,600 apple barrels, owned by Henning, were also destroyed. Loss, \$640. By an explosion that took place soon after the fire was discovered, a number of persons were quite seriously injured. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an

#### Sponging on Publishers.

Can anybody tell why publishers of newspapers are bound to pay hundreds of dollars in gathering facts about various benevolent enterprises, writing out and publishing the same, and printing perpetual appeals in their behalf? Why should they insert ever-Corbot's Poultry Yard and Market. Pa., 60 cts. cloth
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cloth lasting strings of notices, sweetening them with compliments to the individuals engaged; and when an error hanpens to be made or a notice casually omitted, why they should be accused of illiberality? This has happened repeatedly to the Republican. If a publisher fails to do at his own expense what everybody asks of him, he is of course scolded. But let some individual give \$1 or \$5 for a charitable purpose, which may have been promoted by the Republican at an expense of \$20 or \$30, and the giver "The Common School" is similar, but of a little money is paraded as an example of benevolence, while the news-"The High School," still fuller, with paper receives but scanty praise or none at all, and is visited with profuse blame for its shortcomings.—Lansing vanced schools and for general house Republican. and business use. The latter has

#### Figures are What is Wanted.

some specially valuable commercial and financial tables. The little "Pock-Not election majorities, but such as inet" edition, with its bright gilt edges terest the great army of American producers. Twenty five years ago the eight counties of Missouri now traversed by the tains more than 18,000 words, rules Old Reliable Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad were nearly a wilderness. To-day, for spelling, many abbreviations, words by a late census, it is discovered that these counties produce over one-fourteenth and phrases, proverbs, etc., ordinarily met with in the Greek, Latin and of the entire wheat crop of the State, over Modern languages. Whether it is one-twelith of the corn crop, and over convenient or not to have copies of one-ninth of the oats. The same growth any of the other books of the series. of country is now being repeated in Kanwe certainly recommend that all should eas, Nebraska, Colorado, and New Mexipossess a copy of the Pocket, which. co, and the immortal Greeley had this when not otherwise obtainable, may identical route and section of country in mind when he breathed those stirring words of wisdom, "Young man, go West. Therefore, it is but natural that parties taking this advice should desire to pass over a road that has done so much for a State, (especially as it offers the best facilities) and see for themselves. By the Hannibal & St. Joseph R. R., through cars are run from Cleveland and Toledo. and through connections made from Cincinnati and Indianapolis, via Quincy, to St. Jo., Atchison and Kansas City, and from Chicago to Kansas City without change. We are about to issue, in connection with our own, a county map of Colorado and New Mexico, giving valuable information as regards time tables, routes, distances, altitudes, &c., which we will be pleased to furnish free, upon application in person or by letter addressed T. PENFIELD, G. P. & T. A., - Hannibal, Mo.

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Hay, tame, per ton
Hay, marsh, per ton
Hay, marsh, per ton
Hat, coarse, per barrel, selling.
Balt, coarse, per barrel, selling.
Balt, coarse, per barrel, selling.
Balt, coarse, per barrel, selling.
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sons were upon the scene. The mass of human beings were saved, with the tering walls and were buried in the debris. The whole structure looked as though it would fall, and those assembled were appalled and knew not what to do. To go near enough the

nore of them was manifested on that lay, by poisoning the food of the men with arsenic, and about sixty of the dministered the poison was evidently ot acquainted with the action of the

The following is a brief summary the war news contained in yester-

Turkish gunboat was captured by Roumanian battery on the Danube.

lace will be destroyed by the re- following list of the victims has been red ribbon.

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Notice is hereby given, that the assessment of and for the Village of Buchanau, for the year A. D. 1877, is completed, and that on Saturday, the 18th day of May, 1877, between the hours of S o'clock in the forenoon and 6 o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in the village of Buchanan, I, the Assessor of said Viilage of Buchanan, and George H. Richards and Nathaniel Hamilton, two members of the Common Council of said village appointed by said Common Council for that purpose, will review the Assessment Roll; and any person feeling himself or herself aggreed by such assessment may be heard at that place and

Dated Village of Buchanan, April 26, 1877. LORENZO P. ALEXANDER,
Assessor of the Village of Buchanan.

OWING to sickness we have been unable to be at our post this week, and the editorial chair has been given over to our foreman, in the meantime. This accounts for the RECORD being so much better this week than

SHERIFF DeMont was in town last

THE Benton Harbor Grange has started a library.

shop to the Bank basement. THE Italian, with his hand organ

and monkey, was in town Tuesday. REMEMBER Decoration Day, May

WE notice T. M. Fulton, of Chi cago, on our streets this morning.

REV. H. WORTHINGTON will preach a temperance sermon, at the M. E.

Church, next Sunday evening.

----AN Eastern firm offers to send us a thirty cent map if we will published a

\$3 advertisement. Can't see it. NEXT Friday is the day of the

grand Red Ribbon mass meeting at Three Rivers. Are you going?

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK for June is upon our table, full as usual with interesting matter for the ladies.

BRATE VINCENT, of Cleveland, Ohio, is in town visiting his parents and numberless friends.

THERE was a new time card issued by the M. C. R. R., to take effect on Sunday last.

It has been trying to rain, for several days, with poer success so far. The ground needs a regular old

WE regret to learn that Dr. P. B. Myers will soon leave us. He proposes to try to make his fortune in the Golden State.

FRANK MUSON says that at his house can be seen the loveliest girl baby in the United States. Born last Saturday.

A pretty sight now is the fruit trees in full bloom. The prospects for an abundance of fruit in this section were never better.

Ir's a boy, and Walt. Himes is the proud papa. Mother and proud papa's boy doing as well as could be ex-

Mr. PHILIP HOLLER, of Nashville,

Barry county, formerly a resident of this place, was here visiting old ac-quaintances last week.

A DISPATOR from St. Joseph says: "Mr. Smith, a farmer of Pipestone, lost five valuable horses by miring in a marshy hole on his farm last week."

MR. H. J. KINGSLEY sold his farm

of 140 acres, near Dayton, on Monday last, to a Mr. Wood, of Niles, for

WE learn that our friends James Deviney and Noah Michael have bought Hodge & Legore's meat market. Success to them.

but of course no one in Buchanan is A report says the hall was full of Thomas McCann, at Three Oaks, met afflicted with this disease.

DR. SHEPARD, of Cassopolis, will address the Red Ribbonites of this place on to-morrow (Friday) evening. Go and hear him.

WE learn that Mr. Hiram Shakespeare, of Watervliet, aged 55 years, died very suddenly of heart-disease, on Sunday last.

WE learn that a canvasser is at work on a directory of this place, to be printed in book form. He hails from Allegan.

THE annual meeting of the Old Settlers' Association will take place at Berrien Springs on the 6th of June. The business committee are now making the necessary arrangements.

DIPTHERIA has made its appearance in the little village of Coloma, this county, and is creating considerable alarm. One child has died and several more are sick with the same

A great number of people, particularly young folks, go to the St. Jo-seph River bridge for their Sunday afternoon walk. An extension of the side-walk on River street would make it more pleasant.

THE third quarterly meeting of the present conference year will be held at the M. E. Church in this place on next Saturday and Sunday, commencing at 2 o'clock, on Saturday after-

OUR old friend Jacob Luther spent last Sabbath in our beautiful town. "Jake" looks as if he was enjoying life about as much as anybody else on this mundane sphere.

THE proprietors of the wagon manufactory have gone to law. We sincerely hope their differences may be speedily settled, as we long to see that establishment running again.

Mr. John D. Ross has built a new picket fence around his premises, on the corner of Front and Oak streets, which adds very much to the appearance of that corner.

J. K. SELTZER, formerly of the firm of Seltzer & Wheeler, who carried on a liquor store in this place, is now at Cassopolis, where he proposes to dispense the fire-water to the whiskeyites of that place.

Ar the barn raising of George H. Rough, on Friday last, Dr. Bonine, of Niles, who was one of the jolly company, was struck by a falling timber and badly hurt.

THE address of Rev. H. M. Joy, of Niles, before the Red Ribbon Club of this place, on Friday night, is pronounced by all who heard him to have been a masterly effort. We hope to hear him again.

SEVERAL of the St. Joseph saloon keepers are about closing their saloons and are going to join the temperance WATERMAN has moved his barber army. The reform club has been recently reorganized and new officers have been elected throughout.—Ex.

> MRS. F. N. PRATT, of this place, has made a counterpane containing 1,152 pieces, each piece being knit with tidy yarn, one and one half inches square. Who can beat it?

REV. MR. MORRISON, of Manchester, Ind., has accepted the pastorate of the Christian Church of this place. Services every Sunday morning and evening. Sunday School at 3 o'clock

FRANK PEAK, of Niles, was favored with a large audience last evening, and succeeded in getting up a very good class of those who are desirous to learn how to "trip the light fantassic" hoof in the latest and most approved style.

A number of "the boys" of Niles paid this place a visit on Sunday last. Among the names registered at the Kennard, on that day, we noticed that of the former jolly landlord of that house, C. C. Hulsart.

THE ladies of Niles give an entertainment in that city to-night for the benefit of their Red Ribbon club. Why can't the ladies of Buchanan take the hint and do something in the entertainment line for the benefit of

A LETTER to Fish Commissioner Jerome says that a California Salmon was caught in Lake Michigan, near the mouth of the St. Joseph river, recently, which weighed two and three-quarter pounds. This proves that they will live in fresh water.

J. J. VAN RIPER has been appointed, by the Circuit Court of this county, Receiver of the partnership effects of Messrs. Day & Rough, with full authority to collect all claims and demands due to them, and generally to settle the business of that firm.

MR. N. HAMILTON'S chestnut horse "Billy" died on Monday last. "Billy" has done Mr. H. good service in times past and the loss is felt by the whole family, not for his worth in dollars. but for his almost human intelligence and kindness.

A CISTERN to be used in cases of fires will soon be built on Oak street. near the United Brethren Church. Mr. Blodgett is now delivering the brick. We learn it is contemplated to build another one somewhere near the Union school building.

A DISPATOH from Niles to the city papers, dated the 11th inst, says that Ed. Finley, who was arrested for burglary the night before, broke the lock of the city prison and made his escape. The tools had been passed to him by some one on the outside.

ON last Sunday the Red Ribbon club, of St. Joseph, held a mass meeting at Preston Hall, which was ARE you troubled with spring fever? addressed by J. H. Canfield, Rev. J. It is very prevalent in some localities, R. A. Wightman and a Mr. Hyde. people, many of whom signed the pledge.

> THE rooms over the Bank, lately occupied by Bradley's photograph gallery, are being fitted up by Mr. Ross gallery, are being fitted up by Mr. Ross in a fine style, and when completed will be occupied by the law firm of Van Riper & Hinman. They will make one of the best suite of rooms in this part of the State:
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DECORATION day will be properly observed in this place. The ex-soldiers are taking hold of the matter in earnest, and will make it a success. The civic societies have been invited to join with them in the exercises of the day, some of whom have accepted the invitation and will march in the procession.

THE Buchanan Cheese Factory is receiving a large amount of milk each morning, which Miss Hollenbeck will convert into the famous Buchanan

GEORGE CHURCHILL is moving his tin shop from the Post Office building to the one in rear of the Oak street Advent Chapel. As soon as we can get the building in shape for our use, the RECORD office will wend its way to the Post Office building.

THE last of the club dances for the season was held at the Collins & Weaver Hall on Tuesday night. A good time is reported by those present.

THE Spring Fair of the St. Joseph County Agricultural Society will be held at Centreville on the 22d, 23d 24th and 25th of this month. \$2,000 is offered as premiums. Special trains will run on the Air Line road, daily, leaving Niles and Jackson in the morning, arriving at Centreville at 10 o'clock A. M. The RECORD is the recipient of complimentaries.

Some of our young men partook of too much "benzine" after the dance Tuesday night. Better don the red ribbon, boys, and then you will never feel as if every hair in your heads had the inflammatory rheumatism, and your friends will think more of you for doing it.

A telegram was received, yesterdry, by the family of Robert Myler, from Buchanan, announcing the serious illness of his father. Mr. Myler, who is traveling through Michigan for the Oliver chilled plow, was at once telegraphed the intelligence and is probably at his father's bedside by by this time.—South Bend Tribune. Dr. Myers, the attending physician, informs us that the old gentleman is improving, and will soon recover.

CHARLEY and E. A. Grosvener, formerly of this place, who have been in the employ of the M. C. R. R. company for several years, have both been promoted to conductors on passenger trains, the former running the express between Jackson and Three Rivers, and the latter a passenger train on the South Haven division. Their many friends here will be glad to hear of their promotion.

THE business failure of the Buchanan wagon firm is reported. The chief partner is Mr. Day, the father-in-law of James Matthews, brother of the late Esquire Matthews. Mr. Day has been the possessor of large bodies of real estate in Berrien county .-South Bend Tribune.

The above is a mistake. Both the men are too wealthy to fail. The trouble is, they can't "hitch."

Letter List. Remaining in the Post Office at Buchanan Wednesday, May 16th, 1877. McDaniel, La Fayette Rouse, Philip

Moulton, Geo. W. Phelps, Ida A. Rouss, Eugene Wilt, B. C. This list is published free for the information of the readers of the RECORD, therefore there s no charge for delivery of letters advertised herein. Persons will, however, in claiming any of me above, call for "advertised letters."

BUCHANAN is the place to buy your goods. Our merchants have their stores well stocked with goods and are selling them cheaper than at any other town in the county. This fact must have become known abroad, as we frequently see persons from the neighboring towns come here to purchase their supplies. A Niles merchant's wife came here this spring for her millinery work.

DR. J. M. Roe brought into our office, on Saturday last, a hen's egg that is truly a curosity. It is a per-fectly formed egg, shell and all, and outside of this is another one with what is known as a soft shell. We have not delved deeply enough in the science of henology to explain the reason "why this thusness."

give it up, and so did the hen. THE Independent was allowed the privilege of basking in the light reflected from the genial countenance of Dr. A. N. Van Riper of Buchanan, on Monday last. But it was only a few moments.—Three Oaks Independ-

Next time you go to Three Oaks, Doc., stay longer with Brother Hill; that light reflected from your genial countenence does him so much good:

Some of the small children in the union school have, since the beginning of warm weather, been in the habit of going to the head gates in the mill race to play. Last week one of them fell in and has since been in the Doctor's care. Parents will do well to warn their children against this practice before some of their "little angels" come home drowned.

MRS. MARY ANN THRESHER, wife of J. P. Thresher, of Benton Harbor, died on the 6th inst. Mrs. Thresher was born in the State of New York on the 31st day of August, 1831, and was married to Mr. Thresher May 30, 1854, at Athens, O., from which place they removed to Benton Harbor in 1864. She had been a member of the Baptist Church since she was 13 years of age. Her disease was slow con-

MR. CHARLEY JONES, who has been working in the handle factory of with quite a severe accident last week. | of the High School, went to Buchanan He was engaged in sawing bolts from on Wednesday afternoon on a little which the handles are made, when in some way one of the pieces got caught in the saw and was thrown against and reports made of the condition of hands, arms or neck may become, who his arm with such force as to fracture. could be expected.

to be an Alligator Gar, in the St. Joseph river last night, that is four feet and one inch long and weighs fifteen pounds. Everybody says it is the largest one of this species they ever

Two ladies, Mrs. J. N. Stephens and Mrs. W. O. Hamilton, are around soliciting subscriptions for a reading room to be opened in this place. They report very good success so far. This is an enterprise that all good citizens should take an interest in, and contribute liberally towards its establishment and maintenance.

INSTALLATION .- The following were installed as the officers of Sunny-Side Ledge No. 46, Rebekah Degree, I. O. O. F., on Friday evening last, by W. I. Himes, D. D. G. M.:

B. D. Harper, N. G. Mrs. A. Z. Wagner, V. G. Mrs. A. L. Simonds, R. Sec. H. N. Mowrey, F. Sec. Mrs. B. H. Spencer, Treas. Van Kerkendall, W. Mrs. Van Kirkendall, Con. George Niles, I. G. Mrs. W. Lough, R. S. N. G. Mrs. Nancy Rinker, L. S. N. G. Mrs. Geo. Niles, R. S. V. G.

Wm. Lough, L. S. V. G.

THE Temperance Reformer, the new temperance paper lately established in Detroit, does not seem to like the conduct of certain speakers who make religion and politics a part of their speeches at temperance meetings, believing that political speeches shou! I be reserved for the stump and religious addresses for the pulpit. It insists on the speakers sticking to the main question, temperance, and the reformation of intemperate men, so that they may become sober men.

THE Benton Harbor Times gives an account of a scandal case in that town, of an aggravated nature. It appears that a libtle girl of 11 years of age went to a drug store to get some medicine, and the 18 year old brute, named Simons, who clerked in the store and was alone with the girl at the time, drew her behind the counter and tried to force her to submit to his lascivious desires, but the girl succeeded in making her escape from him. Such brutes as this one should be given rides on the sharp edge of a rail, and a liberal coating of tar and feathers substituted for the habiliments usually worn by men.

NEW MUSIC.-We have been favored with three new pieces of music by the publisher, H. T. Martin, Parkers-burg, W. V., entitled "I Still Cherish the Shells that we Gathered," price 35 cents, which is an exquisitely beautiful piece; "Don't Give up the day morning. Old Friends for the New," price 40, cents, which is full of good advice, and the music is sweet; and "Gathering Autumn Leaves," price 40 cents, a piece that will call up the memories of happy days in the minds of every one, and for its intrinsic worth should become popular. If you want good music, send to the publisher for these

An exchange combats with considerable vigor the argument that the city papers are cheaper and better. because they give more columns of reading matter for the money. Do the city papers ever give you any home news? Do they say anything in regard to your own locality? Do they contain notices of your schools, churches, meetings, improvements and hundreds of other local matters of interest which your paper publishes? Do they ever say a word calculated to draw attention to your county and its towns, and aid in their progress and enterprise? And yet there are men who take such contracted views of the matter that unless they are getting as many square inches of reading matter in their own paper as they do in city papers, they think they are not getting the worth of their money. reminds us of the man who took the largest pair of boots in the box simply because they cost the same as the pair much smaller that fitted him. - Ex.

THE COUNTY PRESS.

St. Joseph Traveler and Herald.] John A. Powell had his left arm cut open with a belt hook, at A. W. Wells & Co's basket factory, on last Saturday, Dr. Webster dressed the wound and Johnny is now getting along nicely.

Ut. Joseph Republican.] We hear that two of our saloons are about to close, and the proprietors will seek some other business to obtain a livelihood.....Thus far the fruit and wheat in this section remain uninjured, and the prospects for an abundant harvest of both are brightening every day ..... Our fisherman are having good success in capturing the finny tribe this Spring. One of the sail boats brought in 1,000 pounds the other day. The fleet numbers 20 first-class boats.

[Riles Republican.] As the Atlantic Express was leaving Three Oaks last Saturday evening, some wretch threw a stone through the window of a sleeping car. No one was injured......Mr. Solon Lacey, of the firm S. & G. Lacey, was severely hurt, one day last week, by accident ally falling a distance of twelve feet and striking on the floor in their cider manufactory. He was badly bruised in the left leg and side, but it is hoped, he will soon be out again.....John W. Park, who lived in the Bend of the River, died Tuesday morning, of typhoid fever. Mr. Park was one of the old settlers of this county, having lived here for thirty years. He was a good citizen, and he will be kindly remembered by many friends. His age was 68 years.:

| Niles Democrat: "lark." They say they had a good time.....It seems from examinations

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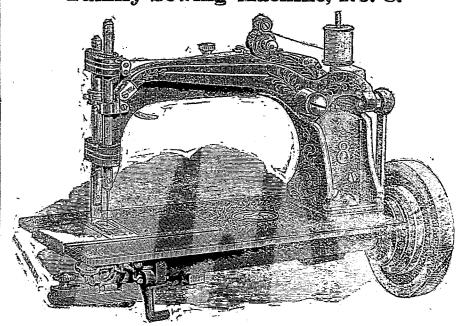
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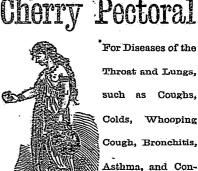
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Liber 8 of mortgages on page 192, upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due and un-paid at the date of this notice, by the terms

thereof and by the failure to comply with the

conditions of said mortgage, and the option of the mortgagee, who has elected to declare the whole amount of principal and interest for

which said mortgage was given, to be due and payable, the sum of two thousand eight hundred

ight dollars and seventy cents, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the same or any part

machited to recover the same or any part thereof; notice is, therefore, hereby given that by victue of a power of sale contained in said mertgage, and now become operative, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided the lands described in said mortgage

as all these parcels of land situate in the coun-

ry of Berrien and State of Michigan, to-wit: The west fractional half of the southeast quar-

ter of section number fifteen (15) in township

even (7) south of range seventeen (17) west reserving and excepting therefrom one (1) acre now enclosed and occupied as a burying

ground, leaving the quantity of land hereby conveyed, sixty-nine acres and ten hundredth

conveyed, sixty-nine acres and ten hundredths of an acre, according to the United States survey of the same. Also, the east part of the southwest fractional quarter of section number fifteen (15) as aforesaid, containing thirty acres and forty hundredths of an acre, the west line of the parcel last described to be due to the containing than the mathematical forms.

north and south, the whole quantity of land hereby conveyed; including the public highway through said land, and one half of the public

highway on the east side and north end there

of, being ninety-nine and one-half acres, will be sold at public auction or vendue at the

front door of the Court House, in the Village of Berrien Springs, Berrien County, and State

On the 14th day of May, A. D., 1877,

it the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon

to satisfy the amount which shall then be due

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On the 28th day of May, A. D. 1877,

Mortgage Sale.

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Att'va for Mortgagee Dated, February 14, 1877.

The newest thing in stylish grace is wearing the train over the arm, making the belles look like little

kittens running round after their tails.

New York Herald's Paris Special. At the marriage of an Alabama widower, one of the servants was

asked if his master would take a bridal tour. "Dunno, Sah; when old missus's alive, he took a paddle to her; dunno if he take a bridle to de new one or

A greased dog cannot run so fast as a boy in a cellar who hears his

mother say she must go down and see if the cat is after the preserves.

A fond mother remarked:

himself by resting his hands on the knees of the passengers. "What a replied her companion. "He's a

The marrige of John Cobb to Miss Kate Webb is announced. Look out for the little spiders.

#### Farm and Household.

Horses and Mules Eating Dirt. A correspondent of the N. Y. Tribune says why horses and mules eat dirt when turned out of close stables, to which Prof. Low replies: Most commonly the habit is an indication of acidity in the stomach, and to be corrected by improving the eligestive functions. Horses are at a pecial disadvantage in the matter of stomach complaints, inasmuch as they cannot rid themselves by vomiting of mnything that disagrees, and are unable even to belch up accumulated gas. Then the stomach is much small to slow of Leavy feeding or the formation of much gas without injurious over distension; hence, of all demestic animals the solipeds should be fed with the greatest care and judgment. Like human beings, they have their periods of acidity or heartburn, and having no opportunity of taking soda or mag-mesia, they lick the lime from their walls or earth from their pathway. For temporary relief a piece of chalk may be kept in the manger, but we should seek to remove the radical evil by giving a better tone to the stomach. Feed sound grain and hay in moderate amount and at regular in-

an hour after each meal, lest digestion should be inpaired. Give a few carrots, turnips, or roots, if available; water regularly, and never just after a meal, and put an ounce of common salt in the food or water daily. Any existing weakness should be corrected by a course of tonics such as exide of iron, 2 ounces; calcined magnesia, 2 ounces; powdered nux vomica, 13 drachms: fennel seed 2 ounces; mix. Divide into 8 powders, and give one morning and night. The habit has been sometimes caused by a deficiency of mineral matters in the food grown on very poor soils, but this may be corrected by a similar treatment.

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#### A Novel Way of Making Jelly Cake.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain sum of money secured to be paid by an indenture of Mortgage, made and executed by George F. Thayer and Maggle Thayer, his wife, of the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, of the first part, to Sarah V. Parketon, of the same place, of the second part, and Learing date on the eleventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Berrien, in said State, on the 12th day of August, A. D. 1870, at 11 o'clock A. M., in Liber of Mortgages No. 2; on page 315, which said Mortgage and the notes accompanying the same were, on the second day of December, 1872, for a valuable consideration, duly assigned to David Rough, of Berrien County. Michigan, and who is now the lawful owner thereof, and which assignment was duly recorded in said Register's office on the 28th day of Fobruary, A. D. 1877, in Liber seventeen of Mortgages, at page 166, on which said Mortgage, there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this foreclesure, the sum of two thousand six hundred eighty-two and forty one-hundredths dollars, the date of this foreclesure, the sum of two thousand six hundred eighty-two and forty one-hundredths dollars, the date of this foreclesure, the said sum of money or any part thereof: Therefore notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, now become operative, and in pursuance of the statute in each case made and provided, the land described in caid Mortgage, to-wit: All that certain class made and growided in the continuing eighty acres more or less; also the west half [36] of the south-east quarter [42] of section seventeen [17] west, and containing eighty acres more or less, will be sold as public anction or vendue, at the front door of the Court House, in the village of Berrien Spriugs, in said Court of Berrien, On the 28th thy of May, As D., 1877. Take the whites of six eggs, one cup of white sugar, same of flour, one teaspoonful of butter, two teas spoonfuls cream of tartar, and one of soda. Bake in a large oblong dripping pan, so the cake will be very thin; meanwhile stir another batch, making just the same, with the exception of using the yolks instead of the whites; when both are done, spread when warm with jelly, or preserves of any kind; put together, bring the largest side of the cake toward you, and roll immediately; or cut in four or eight parts, put together alternately, putting jelly between each layer, and frost lightly over the top. Another method is to make top. Another method is to make three pans, making the third layer of one-third red sand sugar, proceeding the same as for the other layers; in putting together let the first layer be the same together let the first layer be together let the first layer be together let the same layers; in putting together let the first layer be together let the first layer be together let the same layers. The same layers in putting together let the same layers in the forenoon of said day, to satisfy the amount which shall then be due on said Mortgage, together with the costs of such forecooners and sale, and have the same layers and the same layers and the same layers and the same layers are the same layers. The same layers are the same layers and sale same layers are the same layers and sale, and have the same layers are the same layers and sale, and have the same layers are the same layers and sale, and have the same layers are the same layers and sale, and have the same layers are the same layers. The same layers are the same layers are the same layers are the same layers and same layers are the same layers. The same layers are putting together let the first layer be the yellow, make of the yelks, then the red, and lastly the whites. Nicely frost the top, and you have a beautiful as well as a delicious party cake. They are very pretty made into rolls.

Soot as a Garden Fertilzer. Perhaps it may have occurred to some of our lady readers that the refuse soot of our chimneys is one of the most valuable stimulants and fertilizers they have for their garden flowers. The following incident of practical experience is from a lady contributor to the Rural Carolinian: During two season we nursed, fed and petted the Hartford prolific grape vine—as much for its shape over the window as for its fruit-but it persisted in remaining a stunted cane, yellow and refusing to limb. Despairing a shade, grapes and roses, we finally bethought ourselves of "soot tea" by steeping a teacup of soot in a quart of water. This we administered, two doses each, to both the trees and the vine. The vine graw six feet in height in the space of six weeks, the rose bush four feet in the same length of time-both therefore rejoiced in living green.

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VINEGAR. - Boil slowly for one hour three pounds of very coarse, brown sugar in three gallons of water, work with a little yeast, the same. as you would beer; then put it into a cask, and expose it to the sun, with a piece of brown paper pasted over the bunghole; and it will soon become fine vinegar, fit for pickling or any other purpose.

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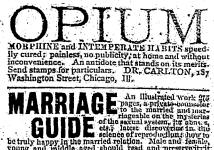
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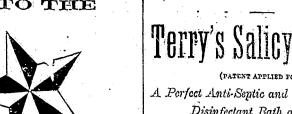
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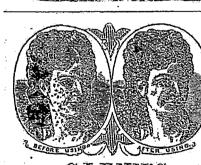
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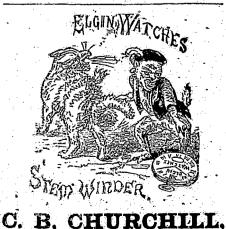
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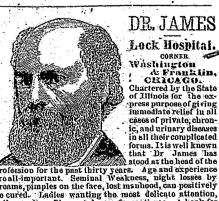
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FEF A visitor at a Sabbath-school inquired of the children it any of them could tell him who Moses was. . After a painful silence of some duration a litle fellow stood up and lisped out that he knew who Moses was. Moses he said was born in an ark of bulrushes. He was floating on the water one day and an alligator appeared unto him. The alligator opened his mouth and said unto Moses: "Moses, almost thou persuadest me to be a Christian.' And Meses said unto the alligator: 'Thou art the man."

ter handle und I'll dry.'

Mr. Spyker has a boy who "nails" things. One day he remark ed in the presence of both parents. "Ma, I saw Pa kiss you in the wood shed last evening." "Hush, Jenue; your Pa never committed such a foolish act!" "Yes, he did, Ma, 'cause I thought it was Jane, and Jane says it wasn't her, but you!" Jane doesn't work there now .- Reynolds Herald.

The wife of a sexton belonging to one of the churches in a very healthy locality, was last week interrupted in the middle of a harangue upon the hardness of the times by a person who desired to sell her a couple of ducks. "Ducks!" exclaimed she, "how can I buy ducks or any thing else? We have not buried a living soul these six months." Our secretary of the interior is

which the New York Mail replies that it's about time, for the little rascal has been without one long enough. Blue glass has achieved another triumph. It cured a book agent of lock-jaw, but it was pale as a ghost

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when it got through. A Newark man set a hen on blue glass eggs. The next day she came off the nest with forty-eight chickens, and every one of them a

rooster.—Danbury News. "Johney have you learned anything during the week?" asked a teacher of a five year old pupil.— "Yeth'm." "Well, what is it?" "Never to lead a small trump when you

hold both bowers." "No, ma," she said, "Charles can never be anything to me more. He came out this spring in his fall overcoat; and, oh! ma, if it only matched my new dress I wouldn't

we've parted." E "I went to see my girl the other night," says our Sam. "I kissed her repeatedly, and when I finally ceased, the tears came into her eyes, and she said, in sad tones. 'Oh, Sam! I fear you have ceased to love me! 'Oh no, I haven't,' I said; 'but I must

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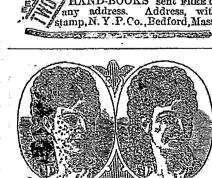
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