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They had Mrs. Martin good night and returned to their homes, feeling that they were indeed workers in the Lord's vineyard.

It was arranged that they should meet on the following Tuesday evening, at the house of Mrs. Barnam, and should carry what he or she intended to give to the poor of the neighborhood, and also the money towards buying the presents for Mr. Stanwood and several wealthy gentlemen who belonged to the church, but who, through their minister, were then absent, attending a conference.

Deacon Gooding was to decide what the presents should be. The days passed swiftly away, and Tuesday evening came before a body had a chance to turn around," as widow Martin expressed it.

Before seven o'clock every person in Lincolnville might have been seen walking along in the moonlight towards Farmer Burnam's residence, each with a parcel or basket in his hand. When all were assembled, Mr. Burnam asked what he had decided the presents for the absent gentlemen should be. After the customary manner, the deacon proceeded to address his audience "straightway in such words as follow."

"I have decided, my dear friends, that as it will not do to offer such a rich, that is, wealthy man as Mr. Stanwood an ordinary present, it is best to give him a rosewood writing-desk. It will cost thirty dollars. If no person present—has any objections, we will give, that is, present Mr. Fullerton with a nice robe for his sleigh. For Mr. Grosvenor, we will buy, that is—purchase several of Mr. Dickinson's."

"Dickens, Deacon," called out Mrs. Gooding in a voice that plainly told her lungs were good.

"Yes—al—several of Mr. Dickens' best novels, for I heard him say—ah—observe that he would like to have some. The cost would be nineteen dollars. I want to the duty to-day and priced the small bits of articles myself. Now, my dear brothers and sisters, I hope each one of you will—ah—give with pleasure whatever sum is needed to make up enough to buy the several articles which I have named, that is, mentioned."

The deacon was quite out of breath by the time his long speech was ended, and whispered to his better-half, as he sat down: "It's tarnation hard work to talk so long."

Each gave readily, and after counting the sum, it was found that the deacon would be obliged to give ten cents.

After a few minutes, during which time a committee was chosen to purchase and deliver the presents to the gentlemen for whom they were intended, Deacon Sanford proposed that they should see what they could do for the poor. Then came a great unrolling of bundles and opening of baskets, and about one in ten dropped an exceedingly small bill into the hat which Mr. Burnam passed around. When it came to Deacon Gooding's turn to give something, he breathed an audible sigh and put his finger and thumb in his vest pocket, and drew out a two-cent piece, which he noisily placed in the bottom of the hat. Everything to eat and to wear which had been brought, together with the party, was divided into three equal parts, and some boys chosen to carry the donation to the families mentioned by Mrs. Burnam, they being the only ones who were really suffering for help.

The next morning the Smiths found themselves in possession of four old pairs of pants, entirely worn out at the knees, three old caps, a pair of half-worn cowhide boots, a quart of beans and thirty-five cents in money.

The Baileys rejoiced in owning five old calico dresses, very much worn for their year, two pairs of darned stockings, a small piece of salt pork, and three five cents.

The Nortons tried to be thankful for three very dilapidated looking petticoats, a quarter of a pound of brown sugar, and of course, thirty-five cents.

When Mr. Stanwood, on the Sunday following his return home, preached from the text, "Blessed are the merciful," the members of his church glanced at each other with a look which plainly said, "That means us."

Does the story need any comment?

A Center Shot.

A gentleman who entertained a good deal of company at dinner had a black attendant who was a native of Africa, and never could be taught to hand things invariably to the left hand of the guests at table. At length his master thought of an infallible expedient to direct him; and as the coats were then worn single-breasted, in the present Quaker fashion, he told him to always hand the plate to the button-hole side. Unfortunately, however, for the poor fellow, on the day after he had received this ingenious lesson, there was among the guests at dinner a gentleman with a double-breasted coat, and the African was for a while completely at a stand. He looked first at one side of the gentleman's coat, then at the other, and finally, confounded at the outlandish make of the stranger's garments, he cast a despairing look at his master, and explaining in a loud voice, "Button-holes on both sides, massa!" handed the plate right over the gentleman's head.

Do the work of your life well, whether shoebuck or prime minister, and you will stand on the same plane at the judgment day. Now, if any young man or woman, struggling with poverty or adversity, should read this, let such take courage, and remember that a good heart with noble purposes will place one higher in the love and kingdom of God than all the riches and talent that could possibly be possessed.

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Changes in the Human Eye.

Dr. Edward G. Loring's essay, entitled, "Is the Human Eye Changing Its Form Under the Influence of Modern Education?" which has been read before the Social Science Convention and the New York Medical Society, has been published in pamphlet form, and ought to have a wide circulation. His arguments tend to show that the period for development of myopia is from the tenth to the fifteenth year, just at the time when the body, as a whole, is developing most rapidly. The investing membrane of the eye, which is elastic at this period of life, yields to the pressure of the watery contents of the eye-ball, which are increased by continued application, and the result is a lengthening of the eye, or near sightedness. What is more, this distention will take place under an amount of application during the years of early youth, which, at a later period, would not only produce no effect, but which might be increased many-fold with impunity. After the eighteenth, or even sixteenth year, when the investing membrane of the eye has become firm and unyielding, over-study may produce other and more disastrous effects on the eye, but it will not produce near-sightedness. From this, it follows directly, that the simplest, indeed the only method of preventing an increase in near-sightedness, if the present high standard of instruction is to be preserved, is to lessen the amount of work done by school children during the period of life from eight to sixteen years, and to restore the equilibrium, if necessary, by increasing the amount of study after that time, or better still, by increasing the period of time devoted to study. It is by complying with these conditions, whether consciously or unconsciously, that the English have become so eminently a literary people, and still, as a people, are free from myopia. While, on the other hand, it is the violation of these laws and their teachings, that is, by compelling the young of both sexes to undergo a large amount of study at a tender age, which has made Germany, without doubt, the shortest sighted nation in the world.

On a Coffee Plantation.

Coffee culture is very interesting, and the growing crop is very beautiful. The trees at maturity are from five to eight feet high; they are well shaped and bushy, with a glossy dark green foliage, and planted eight or nine feet apart. The flowers are in clusters at the root of the leaves, and are small, but pure white and very fragrant. The fruit has a rich color, and resembles a small cherry or large cranberry; it grows in clusters, close to the branches, and when it becomes a deep red is ripe and ready to be gathered. The trees are raised from seed, and do not begin to yield until the third year. In Central America they bear well for twelve or fifteen years, although, in exceptional cases, trees twenty years old will yield an abundance of fruit. The tree is particularly beautiful when in full bloom or when laden with ripe fruit.

The process of preparing coffee for market is as follows: The ripe berries when picked are at first put through a machine called the "depulper," which removes the pulp; the coffee grains, of which there are two in each berry, are still covered with a sort of glutinous substance which adheres to the bean; they are now spread out on large "patios," made specially for this purpose, and left there, being occasionally tossed about and turned over with wooden shovels until they are perfectly dry. They are then gathered up and put into the "retrola," a circular trough in which a heavy wooden wheel, shod with steel, is made to revolve, so as to thoroughly break the husk without crushing the bean. The chaff is separated from the grain by means of a fanning-mill, and the coffee is now thoroughly dry and clean. After this, it is the custom of some planters to have it spread out on long tables and carefully picked over by the Indian women and children, all the bad beans being thrown out. It only remains then to have it put into bags, weighed and marked, before it is ready for shipment to the port. On some of the larger plantations this process is greatly simplified, with considerable saving in time and labor, by the use of improved machinery for drying and cleaning the coffee.—*Scribner for March.*

Japanese Breaches of Promise.

After a Japanese lover has proven false to his vows, the deserted maiden rises at about two o'clock in the morning, and dons a white robe and high sandals or clogs. Her cof is a metal tripod, in which are thrust three lighted candles; around her neck she hangs a mirror, which falls upon her bosom; in her left hand she carries a small straw figure, the effigy of her faithless lover; and in her right she grasps a hammer and nail, with which she nails it to one of the sacred trees that surround the shrine. Then she prays for the death of the traitor, saying that if her petition be heard she will herself pull out the nails which offend the god by wounding the mystic tree. Night after night she comes to the shrine, and each night she strikes in two more nails, believing that every nail will shorten her lover's life, for the god, to save his tree, will surely strike him dead. It is a curious superstition, yet has on the Japanese mind.

Some lunatic has induced Representative Southard, of Ohio, to introduce a constitutional amendment providing for three presidents, one to be elected every two years from one of three districts, composed respectively of the middle and eastern states, the southern states, and the western states, so that a new member shall come into the triumvirate every two years, as one-third of the senate is changed. We certainly have trouble enough at present, and our having three of them to worry and be worried by.—*Evening News.*

The cornices on the new court house, in Washtenaw county, are to be of galvanized iron.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1878.

To Advertisers. The "Record" is the best Advertising Medium in South-western Michigan...

Hold the Fort! L. P. & G. W. FOX are doing with a large stock of SPRING STYLES OF BOOTS & SHOES...

Clothing, Hats & Caps, Bargain. You can get at a Bargain. Do not fail to see them before you buy.

Village Election Notice. Notice is hereby given that the regular Annual Election of the Village of Buchanan...

Registration Notice. Notice is hereby given that the Village Board of Registration for the village of Buchanan...

Village Causes. The voters of the Village of Buchanan, who regard political parties...

Candidates. An Independent National and Workingmen's Caucus will be held at Collins & Weaver's Hall...

By Order of Committee. The editor of the RECORD is on the sick list this week...

Next Tuesday is Village Election day. WINTER is last fourteen days longer.

Skating Rinks have been at a discount this winter. BUGS and moths are beginning to perambulate the air.

Col. Edward Bacon, of Niles, was married to Mrs. Mary Manson, Tuesday.

Sheriff DeMont now entertains six guests, at the expense of the county.

A new greenback paper is to be started in Law Park to be christened "The National Independent."

Blue birds, green grass, thunder showers, and other signs of spring are appearing in an appearance.

Maple Sugar was sold upon the street, on Monday at 10 cents per pound.

Circuit Court convened at Berrien Springs on Tuesday, and adjourned the same day.

Read the proceedings of the Common Council in this issue of the Record.

The eastern built by the village, on Oak Street, near the U. B. church, cost \$191.48.

The Common Council, at its meeting on Saturday evening, voted to pay \$500 on the village indebtedness.

There is a good crop of 'am and hogs this spring. The former sells at 10 cents per pound, and the latter at 10 cents per dozen.

A Degree Temple has been started in this place by members of the Good Templar's Lodge, which they report as succeeding finely.

In cost \$2,371.26 to run our village during the past year. At least that is the amount paid out by the village Treasurer. While his receipts have been \$3,436.69.

Those editors at Berrien Springs are on the war path again with "blind in the eye." Let up, boys, "your little hands were never made," &c.

We have the "lamb" part of this month to begin with. According to the old whim the lion will appear in due season.

APRIL 23th is the time set for the M. E. quarterly meeting in this place; at Dayton the 11th, and at Niles May 12th.

The Buchanan Manufacturing Co. did not get up steam on Tuesday morning. How long the shop will be idle we have not learned.

If you are not sure that you are registered, so that you can vote at the coming village election, you had better see about it. See registration notice in this issue.

Mr. JOHN GYER says he would be glad to have the one who stole the pigs and syrup from his sugar camp, last spring, to return the pigs now as he wants to use them. Please leave them in the sugar house.

JOHN ABBOTT, the burglar who entered Sam Granger's house, near St. Joseph, some time ago, has been sent to Ionia for ten months. Morris, the Royalty thief accompanies him to stay six months.

The Union Cabinet Manufacturing Company, of South Bend, have compromised with their creditors, by paying 25 cents on the dollar, and will resume business again shortly.

RORND'S Printers Cabinet is one of the best printed sheets in the country, and is always a welcome guest of a fellow craftsman, and is highly prized for the valuable suggestions and splendid samples it contains.

The Cassopolis Democrat talks very strongly of growing smaller—an evident effect of hard times. Alleen gets up a good paper, and it grieves us to see him in trouble.

The next State fair will be held in Detroit, the citizens of that city having raised the necessary amount of money to secure its location there.

REV. J. F. BARTMESS' little daughter, who has been quite ill with scarlet rash, is rapidly recovering, and will soon be entirely well.

Some of the good people of this place have commenced to turn their cows into the street rather early this spring. The first of April is when the effect of pound runs out.

The furniture of the Tremont House will be offered for sale at auction by the Administrator, on Saturday of next week. Than. Hamilton will wield the hammer.

MISS ELMA MERRELL started for Connecticut, yesterday, where she expects to spend the summer with friends and relatives. Our wish is that she may have a pleasant trip.

THERE is said to be a great prevalence of rheumatic complaints, many times leading to low fevers, in this section.

DOWAGIAC has 18 candidates for the office of marshal. That must be a lucrative office at Dowagiac must be out of employment.

A FRAME dwelling on Second street, Niles, was burned on Sunday afternoon. It was owned by Green Bros., and valued at \$500; insured for \$300.

A NILES correspondent of the Evening Telegraph says Recorder Richardson sent up James McQuirk, a Niles youth, to the county jail for a term of three years, on complaint of his mother. Evidently a mistake. That's too long a time to board with the Sheriff.

SCARCELY a night passes but some poor tramp, and sometimes several of them, stop in front of the village prison, and want to be "put in that little bed." Of course all are accommodated.

THE Methodist church is now without a bell, and the worshippers there rely on the bells of the other churches to tell them what time to go to church. Why don't some one start a subscription for the purchase of a new bell? We believe the required amount could be speedily raised.

REMEMBER that you can get your election tickets at the Record office. Remember, too, that election bills are the hardest of any to collect, and that it is just as easy to make your collections before ordering as to never collect them, and have the printer all ways feeling cross about it.

We heard two rival plow dealers arguing about the merits of the plows each was selling, the other day, when one of them said he had known the plow represented by his rival, work in a field of ten acres, and before it was finished the ploughman had broken three beams and fifteen points. The other didn't believe the story.

REV. R. BURTON, of this place, is carrying on a very interesting meeting on Oak Street, near the U. B. church. Quite a number have made a start to live a religious life.

List of Letters. Remaining in the Post Office at Buchanan, Wednesday, March 6th, 1878.

Bobner, Jacob Seymour, F. E. Mrs. Casey, Elizabeth Wright, Riley Knight, Joseph Wiseman, Jane Pangborn, Darwin.

This list is published for the information of the readers of the Record, therefore there is no charge for delivery of letters addressed herein. Persons will, however, in claiming any of the above, call for "advertisements letters." L. P. & G. W. FOX, P. M.

Is there not danger ahead for our fruit crop if this warm weather continues? There is almost certain to be more cold weather that will kill the buds should they be brought forward too fast at this time of year. Pray for a freeze.

ONE of the carpenters in the employ of the M. C. R. R., on the South Bend division, informs us while at work his gang kept account of the number of tramps that passed them on the track during one day, and when they were ready to quit work the number had reached 176. It was not much of a day for tramps, either.

JOHN GRAHAM and family returned from Kansas last week. Mr. Graham appears greatly improved in health and says he weighs as much as he ever did. He is pleased with that State, especially the climate. We learn that it is his intention to return ere long.

A neat pamphlet containing the memoir of Judge Worthy Putnam, of Berrien Springs, reaches us from Jan. McOloug & Co., of Chicago. Mr. Putnam is one of the most respected of the citizens of Berrien county, his life of nearly seventy years having been spent as an educator and philanthropist such as is not often met.

AHMAD.—The firm of Black & Willard, of this place, received an order for 376 bedsteads and 176 tables from the State, for the Ionia State House of Correction and Reformatory. This speaks well for this firm who is widely known for the excellence of the work they turn out and the low prices at which they sell. Among the other competitors for this job was the great furniture factory at Grand Rapids, and there was but \$5 difference in the bid of the two firms. These goods will bring Black & Willard about \$1,500.

ONE very elegant remark we heard upon the street, made by a man of pretended good sense and ability, was he would be glad to see the President who would use the power of veto on such a bill as the silver bill, just passed by Congress. Hung. There are more, thank fortune, who would use equally well pleased to see the one who would make such a remark of the chief executive of his country, for the simple reason of difference of opinion, served in the same way.

In another column we will find two notices of caucus for the nomination of village tickets to be voted on Tuesday next. One is by the committee appointed at the Union caucus last spring, and the other by the Greenback Club, through it does not say so. We are informed it was determined by the club to call a greenback caucus, but the "wise heads" who were entrusted to write the call have included almost everybody and "the rest of mankind," so that our greenback friends will hardly recognize it as their offspring. However, it's all right if their "great captain" says so.

LAST week Tuesday John Allen, treasurer of Calvin township, Cass county, had his house robbed of about \$700 in money, belonging to the township funds, which he had in a secret room in the room where he slept. There were about \$300 and a box of pennies that were not taken. His suspicion rests upon two strangers who called at his house, just as dark. One of them was tall, with black mustache and whiskers, and the other with sandy beard and no mustache. Their dress was that of poor farmers or laboring men. Mr. Allen offers a reward of \$100 for the apprehension and arrest of the robber.

HON. DICK TREVELLOR spoke in this place Thursday and Friday evenings of last week, and now about half of the men in town can make greenback speeches, and call everybody thieves, robbers, bribe-takers, liars and hypocrites, about as well as can be called "Dick." If they will only elect him to Congress or some other fat office, they will have found the exceedingly honest man who will not so much as smell of a bribe for official favor, and governmental affairs will be conducted in an eminently proper manner. D'ye understand?

A CLOSE CALL.—Mr. Willie Foster, on Terre Coupee Prairie, had a close call to death from an over dose of chloroform last week. He had been suffering considerable pain and the doctor administered chloroform to give him rest, and after the doctor had gone Mr. Foster helped himself. When he awoke he found himself sitting with the bottle up at one side of his head, his life having been saved by his falling forward so as to remove the bottle from his nostril. Since that time he has had another time to himself, taking an over-dose of morphine, which, if it were possible, gave him a closer call than did the chloroform.

ESQUIRE SPARKS performed his first marriage ceremony the other day at the residence of Mr. Bailey. It was that of Mr. Knight and Mrs. Barnhouse. Levi didn't know what was coming when requested to go to Mr. Bailey's house to witness a contract, and when the business was made known he blushed, smiled and stammered, and said he did not know that he could go through the form, but on being assured by Mrs. Bailey that she would prompt him if he made any mistake, he "waded in" and came out all right, with flying colors. When he came to the RECORD office for a blank marriage certificate he looked so happy one would almost think he had been elected Governor or had fallen heir to a large pile of greenbacks.

About 80 girls, in Niles, were in a terrible commotion on Monday by reason of the closing of L. J. Bois' knitting establishment, leaving them without pay to the extent of from one to seven dollars each. Frank Kittell, the manager, has turned over to LeRoy Beaver such effects as he could control, and by careful administration, Mr. Beaver, paid to each one about 30 per cent, with a promise of as much more, if possible. The Niles girls begin to think that factory work don't pay, when fires and "shutting down" are taken into consideration.

Evening News. There is a reported improvement in real estate sales in Chicago. In our opinion, the man who has the money to invest in real estate now, is the one who makes the right move, as this kind of property is about as low as it is likely to be, and the prospect is for a rise at no great distance.

The city dads have concluded that it will require \$3,748,866.14 to run the city of Chicago the coming year, and accordingly have made the proportionate appropriation.

Proceedings of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan. An adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan was held at the Common Council House No. 1, on Friday evening, March 1st, 1878.

Present.—Wm. Peers, President; B. D. Harper, Recorder; Trustees, Hamilton and Motrey. No motion, the Common Council adjourned to Saturday evening, March 2nd, 1878. B. D. HARPER, Recorder.

An adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan was held at the Common Council room, in Engine House No. 1, on Saturday evening, March 2nd, 1878.

Present.—Wm. Peers, President; B. D. Harper, Recorder; Trustees, Churchhill, Hamilton and Motrey. The report of A. P. Evans, Marshal, was read, showing that he had come into his hands during the past year, the sum of \$2,840.83, and that he had the Village Treasurer's check for \$2,267.17, leaving in his hands a balance of \$573.66.

Moved by Mr. Motrey, supported by Mr. Churchhill, that the Marshal's report be referred to the Committee on Finance and Claims. Motion carried.

Moved by Mr. Motrey, supported by Mr. Hamilton, that the sum of \$600 by appropriation from the Village Treasury to apply upon the village indebtedness. Motion carried.

A bill was presented by A. J. Ross, Treasurer, amounting to \$3, for correcting the books of the Village Treasurer, which, on motion of Mr. Hamilton, supported by Mr. Motrey, was allowed, and the Recorder instructed to draw the proper order thereon.

Moved by Mr. Hamilton, supported by Mr. Churchhill, that the Common Council adjourn. Carried. B. D. HARPER, Recorder.

THE COUNTY PRESS. [Benton Harbor Times.] The Westfall home, destroyed by fire last week, was insured by the Ionia company for \$1,000—including furniture.—Freeman Franklin, Esq., of Buchanan, was in town yesterday on business connected with the proposed grange school. As we go to press he reports \$2,000 has been taken in stock in the proposed grange establishment. This makes the project a sure thing.

[Niles Democrat.] E. Herrington and Jacob Klesner, of Galien, have each been adding a new member to their families.—S. M. Finley left on Thursday afternoon last for Uniontown, Pennsylvania, to take charge of his father-in-law's iron works, as general manager.—Robert I. Griffin contributed, a short time since, 200 pounds of flour to the needy. It was done when he was asleep—and the needy ones have not yet reported as to its quality.

LOCALS. That Terrible Scurge. Fever and ague, and its congeners, bilious remittent, besides affections of the stomach, liver and bowels, produced by miasmatic air and water, are both eradicated and prevented by the use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitter, a purely vegetable elixir, indorsed by physicians, and more extensively used as a remedy for the above class of disorders, as well as for many others, than any medicine of the age. A languid circulation, a torpid state of the liver, a want of vital stamina, are conditions peculiarly favorable to miasmatic diseases. They are, however, amply remedied by the great Preventive, which, by invigorating the system and endowing it with regularity as well as vigor, provides it with a resistant power which enables it to withstand disorder not only of a malarial type, but a host of others to which febrile and ill regulated systems are subject. The Bitter is a safe as well as searching emetic, and have widely aspersed that dangerous drug, quinine, which palliates but does not eradicate malaria.

To the Voters of Buchanan. At the village union caucus, which will be held on Saturday evening next, my name will be proposed for nomination to the office of Marshal, and I ask my friends to give me their support, promising that if I am nominated and elected to serve the public faithfully. WM. LOUGR.

New spring goods just received, at T. M. Fulton & Co's. WANTED.—A place for a boy of 15 years old to work on a farm for board and clothes. For particulars, apply to P. B. DUNNING, Buchanan, Mich.

Table Linen, Napkins, Towels, at T. M. Fulton & Co's. For 6 months more, goods at the Grange Store, at Chicago wholesale prices.

OLD papers for sale at this office. Good brown sugar at the Grange Store at 7 cents per pound.

Kerosene oil, 175¢ test, at Grange Store for 27 cents per gallon.

New line of 48 inch Black Cashmere, cheaper than any house, at High's.

GREAT REDUCTIONS in black cashmeres at T. M. Fulton & Co's. Look before you buy and save money.

NOTIONS! NOTIONS! NOTIONS! from New York city that makes us full in everything. Come in at High's.

Choice clover seed for sale at the Grange Store.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A good house and lot. Enquire at this office.

FREE CONSULTATION FOR THE SICK.—Dr. A. B. Spinyer, of Detroit, will be at Buchanan, Buchanan House, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 18th, 19th and 20th.

Specialty, chronic, surgical, eye and ear diseases. Catarrh, throat and lung affections treated by inhalations and oxygenated air. Best of glasses fitted to all forms of impaired vision. 3rd.

CORSETS! CORSETS! CORSETS! The best shape and best made corset for \$1.00, at High's.

Stones were for 7 cents per gallon, at Grange Store.

Excursions to Kansas, Feb. 26th and 27th, March 6th and 20th. Excursions every month. Send stamps for circulars. W. K. SAWYER, Excursion Agent, Three Oaks, Mich.

QUERY.—"Why will men smoke common tobacco, when they can buy Marburg Bros. 'Seal of North Carolina', at the same price?" 48yl.

If a large quantity of goods for a little money is what the people want, they can get them at the Grange Store.

Dodd's Drug Store. If you have the asthma, go to our popular druggist, A. F. White, and procure a bottle of the Great English Remedy. It is warranted.

"It seems as if I should cough my head off" is sometimes the impatient exclamation of a sufferer from a severe Cough. Quell the paroxysms with Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar. The relief is immediate and the cure certain. Sold by all Druggists.

Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 minute. It is safe to say that no better medicine than the Great English Remedy was ever offered to the public.

5 pounds goal crackers for 25 cts., at Grange Store.

Chronic Diseases. Persons afflicted with any form of chronic diseases or weakness should read the advertisement of Dr. Bruce in another column of this paper, which will inform them what he treats and cures, and of the equitable plan on which he does business.

ESTRAYED.—There are at my farm, two miles south of Galien, one yearling heifer, red, and marked by a notch in each ear, and one steer, same age, and color. The above cattle are estrays and can be secured by the owner, by paying charges.

C. H. INGLES. FRANK LESLIE'S SUNDAY MAGAZINE FOR APRIL.—Dr. Deems seems determined to make this the Household Magazine of America. Its name might imply to some minds that it is a sombre in character. Far from it; there is nothing brighter in literature. Look at the elegantly illustrated leading articles on "A Curious City," and then read the thrilling and novel story of "The Counterfeit Baker," and the absorbing story of "One Life Only."

Bishop M. C. Tyrone writes a sketch of the late Bishop Marvin which is far above the common level, and then there is a splendidly illustrated and very full article on the late Pope Pius IX, also a portrait and sketch of the new Pope, Leo XIII. Pertinent to present interest is Dr. Deems' editorial on "Hell," and a very unique picture is painted by him in an editorial called "Unchallenged Speaking." These are but a few of the many timely and brilliantly written articles given in this Number. In addition there are a number of beautiful poems, entertaining paragraphs on a variety of interesting subjects, besides music, wit, etc., all embraced in one hundred and twenty-eight quarto pages, and embellished with one hundred fine engravings, and all this is given for 25 cents, the price of single copies of the Magazine. Annual subscription, \$3 (post-paid in both cases). Address, FRANK LESLIE, 537 Pearl Street, New York.

Keep It Before the People. CENTREVILLE, MICHIGAN. Messrs. Haslett & Gladding, Chemists, and Proprietors Great English Remedy.

It is with pleasure I am able to write you respecting the value of your truly great medicine for consumption, asthma, and all diseases of the throat and lungs. After having tested its merits so satisfactorily in the treatment of a severe cough, I thought it my duty to yourselves to thank you for placing before the American people so priceless a remedy for such dangerous diseases as we are subjected to. You certainly must keep before the people the information where they may obtain a specific for lung and throat diseases, for to my knowledge the Great English Remedy is truly a specific cure for the above mentioned complaints.

Gratefully yours, WM. FRIZZIMONDS, Ex-Sheriff St. Joseph Co., Mich.

Remember This. It is with pleasure I now safely recommend to the public a medicine for the treatment of consumption, asthma, chronic sore throat, catarrh, etc., which I can safely assert has no equal. This medicine has lately been introduced in the United States and is called the Great English Remedy. If you want a medicine for any disease of the throat and lungs, call at my store and purchase a bottle of the Great English Remedy. I guarantee every bottle. Return it if not satisfied after using one-half the contents, and receive back your money.

F. A. WHITE, Druggist.

"German Syrup." No other medicine in the world was ever given such a test of its curative qualities as Beechey's German Syrup. In three years it has cured two million four hundred thousand small bottles of this medicine were distributed Free of Charge by Druggists in this country to those afflicted with Consumption, Asthma, Croup, severe Coughs, Pneumonia and other diseases of the Throat and Lungs, giving the American people undeniable proof that German Syrup cures them. The result has been that Druggists in every town and village in the United States are recommending it to their customers. Go to your Druggist, and ask what they know about it. Sample Bottles 10 cents. Regular size 75cts. Three doses will relieve any case.

Nervous Debility. VITAL WEAKNESS OR DEPRESSION; a weak exhausted feeling, no energy or courage; the result of MENTAL OVER-EXERCISE OR EXCESSIVE, or some other cause, is always cured by HUMPHREY'S LIVER AND KIDNEY CURE No. 28. It tones up and invigorates the system, dispels the gloom and despondency, imparts strength and energy,—stops the drain and rejuvenates the entire man. Been used twenty years with perfect success by thousands. Sold by Dealers. Price, \$1.00 per single bottle, or \$5.00 per package of five bottles, and \$2.00 per bottle. Sent by mail on receipt of price. Address HUMPHREY'S HOMEOPATHIC MEDICINE COMPANY, 109 FULTON ST., NEW YORK.

Notice of Appointment. In the District Court of the United States for the District of Michigan, in and for the County of Berrien, in the matter of GEORGE W. NORRIS, Bankrupt.

GO TO THE FAIR BANKRUPT STOCKS AND JOB LOTS. 183 STATE ST. 61.63 65.62 ADAMS ST. Chicago.

PIMPLES. I will mail Free 100-Page Pamphlet on Pimples, Blisters, Itch, and other Skin Diseases, containing the best and most reliable remedies, and a full and complete course of treatment. A full and complete course of treatment. A full and complete course of treatment.

Old newspapers for sale at 25 cents per copy.

REMOVAL. GEO. F. ROWELL & CO'S NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING BUREAU.

PROOF THAT ADVERTISING PAYS. The American public is familiar with the Advertising Bureau of Geo. F. Rowell & Co. It may be said that the success of this office is due to the fact that it is a business, and not a charity.

PIANOS. Retail price \$500 only. 40 EXTRA WINE Mixed Colours, with name, 10 cents.

SWEET CHEWING TOBACCO. JACKSON'S BEST. A superior quality of chewing tobacco, made from the finest tobacco, and containing a large amount of sugar.

THE "WHITE". Being Machine in the easiest selling and best satisfying in the market. It has a very large shuttle, makes the lock-stitch, it is simple in construction, very light running, and most reliable. It is almost impossible to find a machine to sell in direct competition with the "White".

Three Rivers Plow Co's. Crystallized Iron Plows. THE THREE RIVERS PLOW. Is the best plow in the market, has fewer faults and a greater number of excellencies than any other plow made.

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A FARM of 45 acres, best quality of land, good situation, good improvements, with one of the best fruit orchards, and all kinds of small fruit. Terms easy; price low; title clear.

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Cheaper for Cash than any store in Berrien County. We keep constantly on hand a full stock and All The Late Styles.

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